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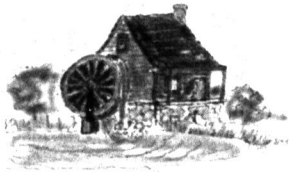
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AROUND



THE MILL POND

Sign of the times

We thought it was a different kind of sign: "Women's clothing stores wanted."

Say what? Not just women, not just women's clothing — but women's clothing stores! Now that's getting down to specifics.

Turns out Buck and Joan Kopietz are soliciting certain businesses for their Tierra's building at the corner of Waldon Road and Main Street.

Buck has a vision. Business women's clothing in the front portion. Ladies lingerie in the back (where else?) and women's shoes for sale in the basement (natch).

"I'm out there beating the bushes," he tells us, (strange place to look) "trying to find somebody to do it. If we're going to bring the downtown back, we've got to be very specific."

Worth mentioning

It was incidentally noted at the Monday night meeting of the Clarkston school board that Clarkston High School senior Shawn Manning never missed a day of school during his 13-year education.

On Thursday, while he was returning his cap and gown at the high school, Manning dodged the questions of our intrepid, but anonymous, reporter and simply acknowledged that he was glad it turned out that way.

We're glad, too.



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Schools pilot K-5 drug program



■ Having done away with D.A.R.E., the nationally known drug education program aimed at fifth-graders, Clarkston Community Schools will test a new drug awareness curriculum next fall that targets all grades at the elementary level.

A new school drug education pilot program, to be called S.T.A.N.D., is scheduled to be introduced in Clarkston elementary schools next October, and health teachers bringing the plan to the Clarkston district hope students will take hold and run with it.

Replacing the nationally known D.A.R.E. (Drug Abuse Resistance Education) program taught by police officers in fifth grades throughout the dis-

trict, S.T.A.N.D. will be implemented in grades kindergarten through fifth, said Carla Teare, who helped explain the program to the Clarkston school board Monday night.

The D.A.R.E. program, which cost the district about \$20,000 a year for a police instructor, was dropped by the district in 1997. An interim program, called W.I.S.E., was then put into place in fifth grade health classes only — for

one year. It was a forerunner to S.T.A.N.D. and was never officially adopted to replace D.A.R.E., said David Reschke, assistant superintendent for elementary operations, during a telephone interview this week.

"S.T.A.N.D. is a response to the dropping of D.A.R.E. and our desire to try to strengthen the whole K-5 program in terms of healthy decision making," Reschke said.

S.T.A.N.D., an acronym coined by a third grader during a district-wide contest, stands for Students Taking Action Not Drugs. Organizers hope to have a S.T.A.N.D. kickoff assembly the week of Oct. 24-31, the Red Ribbon week set

aside for drug awareness.

"We wanted to maintain a highly successful program in grades K-5," Teare said, adding that it is expected to be taught in an age-appropriate fashion. She said she hopes the program will take advantage of guest appearances by Oakland County Sheriff Deputy Chuck Young, who is a D.A.R.E. officer and the current police liaison to the schools.

The S.T.A.N.D. program will have three components, Teare said. They include peer education, parent and community involvement, and curriculum.

Please see S.T.A.N.D., A4

Disabled grads learn life skills

Perhaps it is a cliché to say so, but there is a light that shines in Beth Fouchey's eyes. It is a bright light that is particularly evident when she smiles. It is one that goes out in rays, in all the directions of life, like that which surrounds a cloud when the sun passes behind it.

The light is especially vivid when she speaks of her boyfriend, Dan, her longing to drive, her dreams of getting married.

If there have been clouds in Beth's time, she does not dwell on them. She much prefers to seek her place in the world.

Beth, 22, was born with Down Syndrome, one of the more common causes of mental retardation.

A 1997 graduate of Clarkston High School, she now participates in the innovative post-high school program available to developmentally-disabled students in the Clarkston school district through age 26.

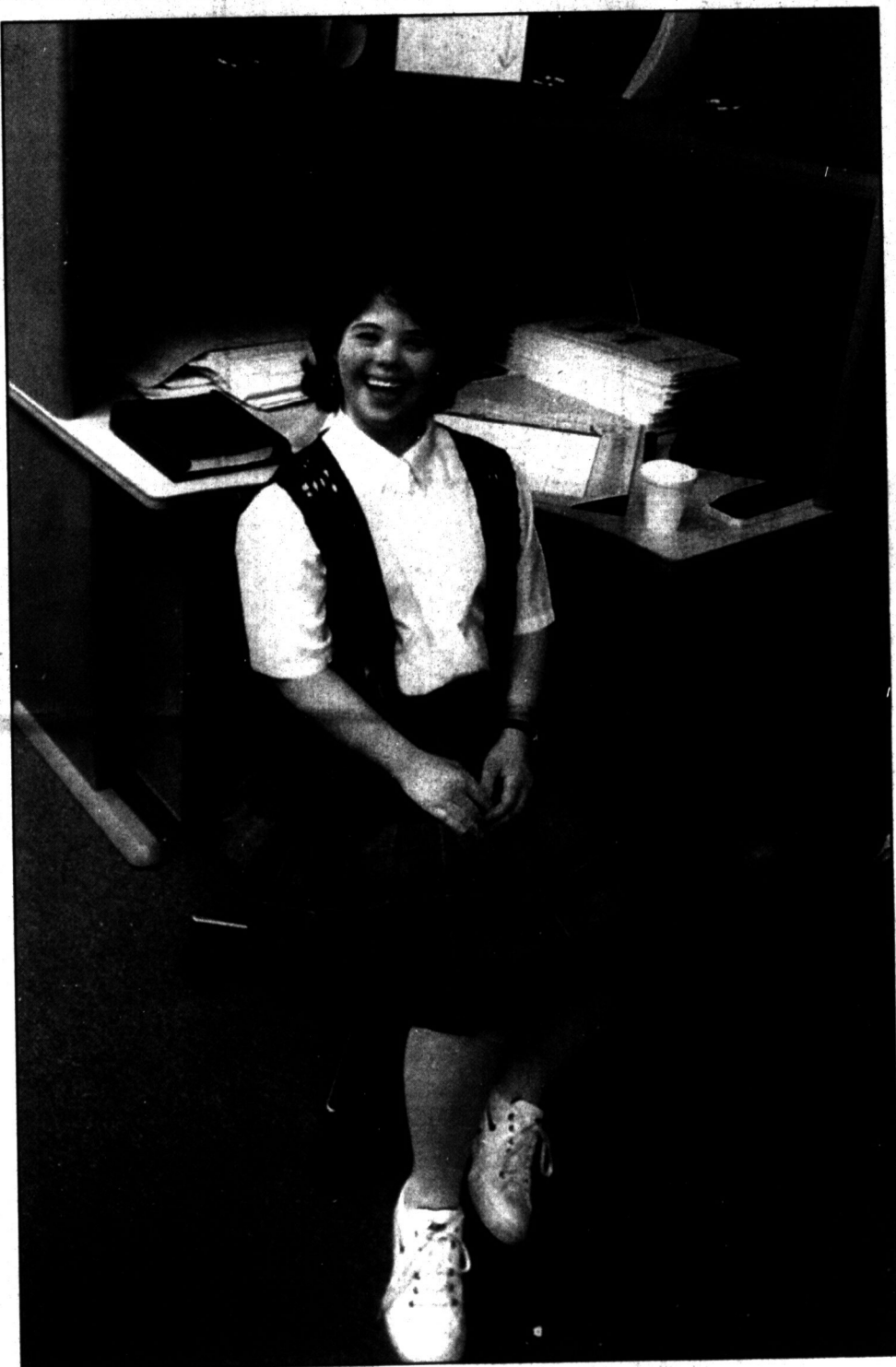
Led by teacher Linc Smith, it offers recreational, employment and educational — "real life" — opportunities. There is also a similar plan, taught by Tim Siniacho, in place for autistic students in Clarkston.

To Beth's parents, Ty and Jane, Smith's program provides not only opportunity but an extension of their hope. They envision the day she will live in an apartment — and say they have heard of no comparable option in other Michigan schools, though the state law mandates educational rights for the disabled through age 26.

Ty sums the experience up in one word: "Outstanding." And Jane follows with, "We were impressed from the minute it started."

Beth, who says she likes to keep busy, spends her

Please see BETH, A2



In the work force: Beth Fouchey, who was born with Down Syndrome, works part-time at a Century 21 realty office in Waterford Township. She graduated from Clarkston High School last year.

getting... PERSONAL with Judge McNally



Judge Gerald E. McNally of 52nd/2 District Court

At 66, Judge Gerald E. McNally has 30 years experience on the bench at 52nd District Court — 2nd Division in Independence Township. But, who's the man behind the robe and his official decisions?

Question: Do you like your toilet paper to roll over or under?

Answer: Probably over.

Question: If you were a piece of produce, what would it be and why?

Answer: Probably an apple or a pear, and I honestly don't why, and I'm grasping here — they have a long shelf life?

Question: How did you pick your hair style?

Answer: I guess it might have had some kind of influence from the movie stars of the '40s and '50s. I don't know. You're stuck with what nature gives you, you play the hand that you've been dealt ... I adopted a style that is manageable with the hair I have. I used to have a brush cut during the '50s and '60s.

Question: What was your most irrational act?

Answer: I suppose one time, we were in college in law school, and we started moving furniture out of a hotel lobby, pretending that we were maintenance. We never did take the furniture ... We were pretend-

We see and hear about our community leaders every day, so we really know them, right?

Wary of this theory, we dug deep into our files and pulled out an unconventional weapon — the Clarkston Eccentric's "Getting Personal" query, a curve ball succession of 17 questions aimed at extracting the essence of any personality.

This is the first of five "Getting Personal" pieces. Still to come: Clarkston Mayor Sharron Catallo, Clarkston High School Director of Athletics Dan Fife, Springfield Township Clerk Nancy Strole and area pediatrician Dr. James O'Neill.

ing, with the idea that if you should be doing something and have the right to do something, nobody will bother you. And nobody did.

Question: Would you do it again?

Answer: Probably not. They would possibly think that we were stealing. It would be hard to say that

Please see McNALLY, A2

High school's a memory now for '98 grads

They made it! Four hundred and twenty-four students from Clarkston High School received their diplomas Wednesday in a graduation ceremony at Pine Knob Music Theater.

After 13 years of formal education, the students received sheepskins saying they're ready for jobs, college and the responsibilities of adult life.

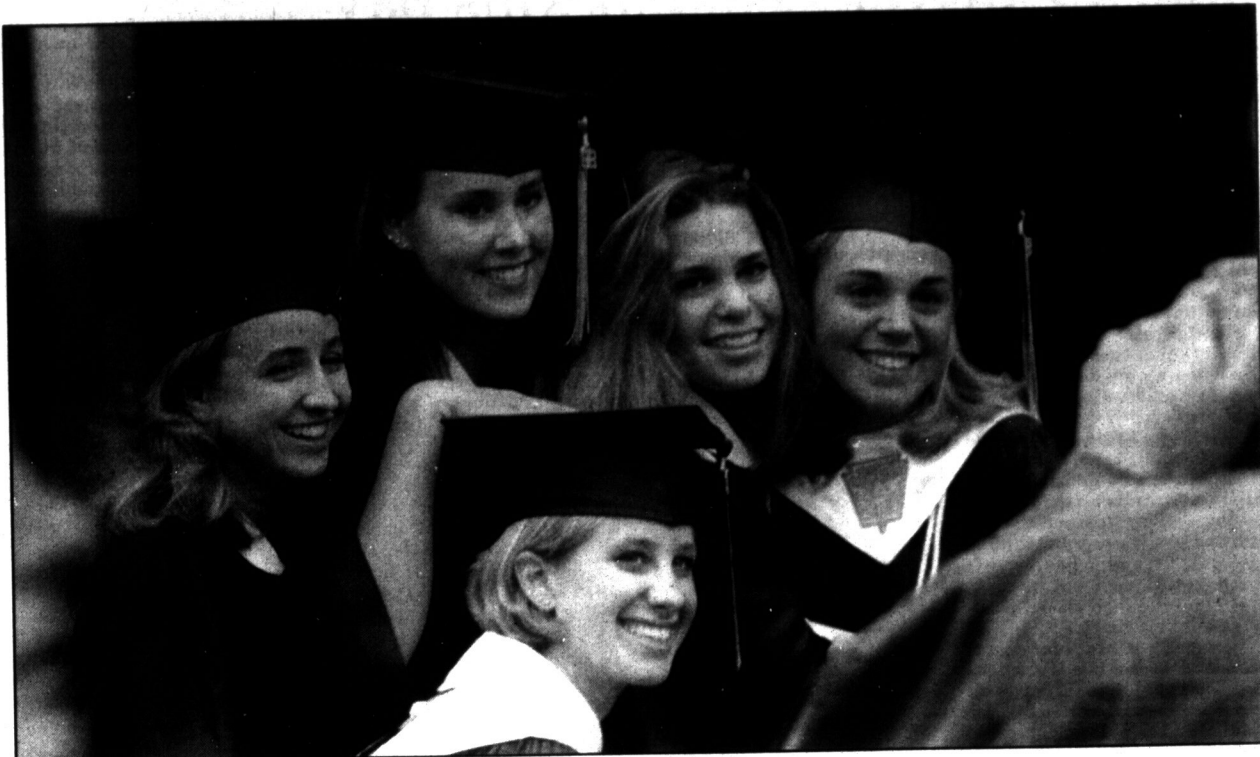
The students celebrated the

rite of passage with an all-night party at Deer Lake Athletic Club designed to keep them safe on graduation night.

Very likely, many grads will be hosting open houses this weekend and next with family and friends.

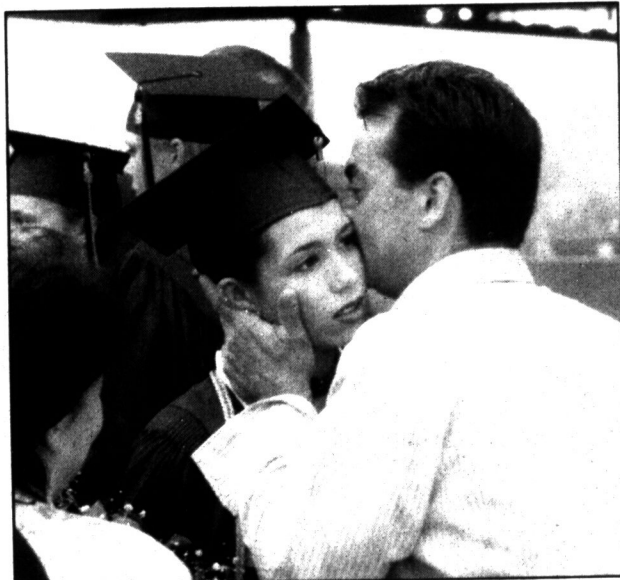
Once the festivities are over, their post-high school lives will begin.

Congratulations, grads! The world awaits you.



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Sayonara, high school: Below, Scott Brewer graduates in a backwards ballcap. Left, Natasha Curtis gets a kiss from dad Robert Curtis. Above, long-time friends line up for a parent photo.



Milestone memories: Above, Jenny Walker comes down the aisle. Below, the Clarkston High School graduates await their diplomas.



POLICE CALLS

The following incidents were reported to police and fire agencies in Springfield and Independence townships June 8-11.

Springfield Police

Thefts

On June 8, stereo equipment was reported stolen from a vehicle parked on **Englewood**.

On June 10, a cell phone and tattoo gun were reported stolen from a business on **Dixie Highway**.

Vandalism

On June 8, a window and dash were reported damaged on a vehicle while it was parked along **Big Lake Road**.

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Independence Police

On June 8, an officer happened upon a vehicle that was coasting near the intersection of **Maybee** and **Sashabaw** roads. According to a police report, the driver did not appear to be actively driving the vehicle, and the officer followed it until it stopped just north of the intersection. He then discovered that the driver, a 63-year-old Waterford woman, was unresponsive and had a faint pulse. The officer notified emergency personnel, and the woman

was transported to Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital by ambulance. She was discharged from POH this week.

Thefts

On June 8, a generator was reported stolen from a site on **Oakvista Avenue**.

Vandalism

On June 8, a tire was reported flattened on a vehicle while it was parked along **Northcrest Village Drive**.

Independence Fire

Between June 8-11, firefighters responded to 21 calls. Among them were 16 medical runs, two grass fires and one vehicle fire.

On June 8, firefighters assisted a person who was in cardiac arrest at Clintonwood Park on **Clarkston Road**.

On June 8, firefighters assisted a person who was in cardiac arrest at the corner of **Sashabaw** and **Maybee** roads.

On June 8, firefighters assisted a person who was having cardiac difficulty at a doctor's office on **Dixie Highway**.

On June 8, firefighters assisted a man who had low blood pressure at a residence on **Clarkston Road**.

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Please Call For An Appointment

Clarkston school district still offering driver's ed, but kids pay

While the Clarkston school district still offers driver's training, students are having to reach into their own pocketbooks in order to take it.

Because the state no longer mandates that public schools offer a driver's training program to students, the district has opted to continue the current program but charge each student \$60 to help cover the costs of six instructors and books.

Districts also had the choices of continuing their current program and paying for it, eliminating it or contracting with a private provider.

Clarkston opted to keep the program in-house and charge a fee because, said assistant principal and driver's education supervisor Jan Meagher, the district offers a program that is cost-effective and has experienced staff and equipment, including the high school parking lot/driving range.

Bowman Chevrolet and Hossler Pontiac, two Clarkston-area car dealerships, provide driver's education cars for a low rent, Meagher added.

"Our instructors are certified teachers," Meagher said. "These are our children, and we want to make sure we are taking care of them. If we conduct the driver's training courses within the district, we can monitor what is going on and how things are being taught."

Dick Claflin, driver education consultant for the Michigan Department of Education, said studies show that driving courses taught within the school are usually more successful.

"If they are taught within the district, the public, the board and the administration have a say in how things are taught," Claflin said.

Despite the added cost to students, nearly 350 signed up for the course. This year, 288 students will participate in one of two sessions, which begin in June and July; an additional 80 had to be placed on a waiting list.

The numbers don't surprise Meagher, who said the district offers the course at a bargain price. "If the students were to go to a private company, they would have to pay around \$300 for a driver's training program," Meagher said. "We're not looking to make any money; we are just concentrating on providing a service to the community."

Cost for the district to operate the driver's education program last year was approximately \$50,000. The state will contribute \$70 per student and requires the district to match that contribution.

According to a survey conducted by the Michigan Department of Education in April, 19 of 439 districts across the state are discontinuing their driver's education program; 184 will continue the program without charging their students and 167 will be charging their students to participate in the program.

It was also noted that 82 districts will be charging their students between \$51-\$100 to participate, while two districts will

charge their students between \$201 and \$250.

Michigan's Graduated Licensing Law went into effect April 1 to provide students with more road experience under the tutelage of their parents.

The graduated system requires a student to attend driver's education in two segments, lasting a minimum of six months each. They must also log 50 hours of driving experience with their parents, who must keep a written log.

The new system also requires 24 hours of classroom time and

six hours of combined road and range driving practice in level one. Level two requires three, two-hour seminars on defensive driving and driver behavioral patterns, including what happens when drivers are under the influence of alcohol or drugs. A road test is also mandated.

Last year, 22 students in the Clarkston district failed the first segment and nine students failed segment two.

There have been no accidents during driver's training in Clarkston the past few years, Meagher said.

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"We're trying to reach a lot of different people and get a lot of people involved," said another presenter, Damon Rocho.

"Students should have more ownership of the program," said curriculum presenter Nancy Cohen. "We're excited about S.T.A.N.D. because it's going to have continuity from kindergarten through fifth."

As a part of their plan, the teachers intend to bring older peers into the younger classrooms and use them as positive role models. The logistics of how to transport older students to elementary schools — and whether their teachers would release them for such purposes

— were of concern to the presenters, but no board action was taken on that matter.

"Peer education has a positive impact on levels of knowledge," said health teacher Bill Gunther.

Gunther said he hopes the program will take advantage of existing groups such as Students Against Drunk Driving, the drama clubs and bands, etc., where positive role models might be found.

"We're still trying to find the best way to select our peers," Gunther said.

During the telephone interview, Reschke also said the middle schools and high school would continue to teach drug awareness as an integrated part of their health classes and

through grants awarded to Special Services.

In an effort to educate and involve parents, the S.T.A.N.D. program will also have student/parent homework, to be done jointly, and parent/teacher organization outreach workshops.

The presenters said they would like to work in cooperation with existing youth organizations such as the Clarkston Community Task Force.

Drug surveys have indicated that Clarkston students abuse substances at a rate higher than the national average.

There was no formal action taken by the board during the presentation.

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Old Business
1. Sidewalk Regulation Ordinance
2. Liquor License Discussion
New Business
1. Approval of Fireworks-Chamber of Commerce
2. Request Approval for Outdoor Gathering Activity-Pine Knob Music Theater
3. Rezoning Request from R1R to R1A-Waldon Road, west of Sashabaw, 08-21-400-016
4. Final Preliminary Plat Approval-Lake Waldon Pointe
5. Final Plat Approval-Phase IV and V, Oakhurst
6. Reclassification-Clerk's Office

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Reel action:
The Lunker Bass game will lure Dad's attention this Father's Day.

Tools and toys make dad's day

BY DONNA MULCAHY
SPECIAL WRITER

I don't know about you, but for me, Father's Day is always the hardest occasion to shop for. Maybe it's because, in my experience, women tend to be more forthcoming with gift ideas than men. Take my mom for example. Ask her what she'd like for Mother's Day or any holiday, and she'll eagerly give you a whole long list of ideas, God love her.

Ask my dad and his first response is always, "Save your money. Don't get me anything." Press him on the issue and his answer is usually "socks or handkerchiefs." Now c'mon. I don't care if he wants them or needs them, there are only so many socks and handkerchiefs you can give a man before that gets really old.

SHOPPING CENTERED



DONNA MULCAHY

My husband is a little better about providing gift ideas, but in the past three years I've gotten him only one Father's Day gift that he actually liked -- a white T-shirt with a small embroidered logo that says "Detroit Red Wings Stanley Cup Champions." I found it at

JC Penney last year.

Father's Day soon is next Sunday, June 21. And since my track record is shaky, and since the men in my life are tight-lipped on the subject, I decided to ask other people what would make the perfect Father's Day gift.

I accosted three total strangers who were shopping in the hardware department at Sears in Novi and asked them what they'd like for Father's Day, if they had children.

Frank Dwyer of Walled Lake, who was shopping with his sons, said he'd like the **Craftsman Cordless Tool Workshop** set, but added that "it's too expensive." The set includes a drill, circular trim saw, a pivot light, two interchangeable batteries and a charger, all in a red plastic storage case for \$99.99.

Larry Stack of Wixom said he'd like, "a really good cooler." A family can always use a good cooler. "Preferably one on wheels," he added.

Robert Mantooth of Canton said he'd like the 9-inch **Craftsman Buffer Polisher** (\$69.99), because he enjoys working on his car. "And like most guys I know," he said, "I have a lot of tools, but they're not organized, so I could use some tool organizers."

My Uncle Travis, who likes nifty gadgets and electronic items, said he'd like anything from **Brookstone** or **The Sharper Image**. Both stores have locations at Twelve Oaks Mall in Novi and the Somerset Collection in Troy. I asked salespeople there what they'd recommend.

Julie Holmes, store manager of the Brookstone in Novi, said the **Lunker Bass fishing game** (\$30) is new for Father's Day. You hold it the way you would a fishing pole and use normal casting and reeling motions to "hook" fish on the electronic screen. (It's available at The Sharper Image, too, for the same price.) Holmes also recommended a **golf cleaner** (\$10); a **coin vault money sorter** (\$45); a **wireless headset** that lets you hear your indoor stereo outdoors up to 180 feet away (\$99); and an 18-piece **barbecue tool set** (\$100).

Angel Emrick, senior sales associate for The Sharper Image in Novi, recommended the **Mini Torch Light** -- a powerful, rectangular, pocket-size flashlight (\$6.95); and a credit-card size **golf tool kit** (\$20).

She also recommended the **Deep Pocket wallet**, which is thin enough to be tucked in a front pants pocket (\$39-\$44) and the **Palm Pilot III** electronic datebook and organizer, for \$399.

P.S. Thanks to Dr. Maggie Pringlemeir, who said that you can get chimineas for \$30 at The Pottery Factory, via Mexico, in Farmington Hills, phone (248) 855-4955.

Jag: driven to excellence

Jaguar -- it's an object of desire, like a Tiffany diamond or a Burberry coat. No one actually needs a Jag, but devotees wouldn't settle for any other luxury car. They share a keen appreciation for style and elegance.

They also share high expectations of their dealership. They want superior customer service -- the same kind of satisfaction they receive from their retailer of choice.

For that reason, Mike Dale, president of Jaguar Cars North America, instituted a unique cultural change initiative titled "Exploring Retail Excellence." Developed for Jaguar by Visual Services Inc. in Bloomfield Hills, the program partnered Jaguar dealers from across the country with Somerset Collection retailers.

On Wednesday, the car men and women met the clothiers, jewelers and home decor experts for a discussion centered around delivering exceptional customer service. They spent the morning shopping for ways to improve the car buying experience.

"The Somerset Collection is an excellent learning laboratory for Jaguar," said Dale. "The instant you enter the Collection, you know you're in a very special place. We want our customers to feel the same way about visiting a Jaguar dealership."

"The stores we're visiting are known for being customer focused and doing whatever it takes to make sure their customers are satisfied. 'Exploring Retail Excellence' offers the company and its dealers a unique way to go beyond the boundaries of the traditional automotive environment and meet with some of the best retailers in the world."

Participating Somerset retailers were Nordstrom, Neiman Marcus, Burberry's, Tiffany & Co., Rand McNally, Pottery Barn and Ralph Lauren/Polo.

Greg Holland, manager of Nordstrom, spoke of his company's cultural evolution. "Everyone starts at the bottom," said Holland. "Even the presidents of Nordstrom started as stock boys." There is no formalized customer service training, but the Nordstrom credo empowers sales associates to "use their best judgment in all situations" to ensure outstanding customer service. "We never say no, we say no, but..."

"No, we don't carry purple cashmere sweaters, but I can call another store or call the buyer and see if we can locate one for you."

Nordstrom's WOW program recognizes those associates who WOW the customer. Sales associates are recognized every day and are encouraged to

share stories about customer service. Goals are defined, so that employees can concentrate on having fun and doing their jobs with confidence.

"What you recognize is what you get," said Dale. "Happy employees mean happy customers." In other words, you're in business for the long run, not just to make one sale. If you cultivate your employees, they'll cultivate your customers and you'll have customers for life.

Holland explained that Nordstrom's market differentiation is in its superior customer service. That is the way in which the company chose to be different.

The key is the people who work in the store, the ambassadors. How do you hire good people? "There are lots of great people out there," said Holland. "People need an environment where they can thrive. We offer that. We hire nice people with good attitudes and then training them is the easy part. We can change behaviors but not attitudes."

Holland received a standing ovation from Dale and the Jaguar dealers. "Thank you, Mr. Holland," Dale said. "We're hearing people who really

believe in what they're doing and we must believe in ourselves and break down the barriers. Nordstrom is in another class. I am most impressed."

Dale went on to say that Jaguar has pulled itself up by the bootstraps to gain better ratings in the auto industry's indexes that rate quality and efficiency of service. "We're ready to jump outside of the box, to break the mold," he said. "The inverted triangle works. I'm at the bottom of the triangle, the customer's at the top."

He alluded to the average person's choice of where to eat on a Saturday

Stanley Marcus
Founder

night. "Most people have a favorite restaurant that they might visit three times a month," he said. "Why do they continue to return? It's probably not just the food, it's how they're treated. It's the people who greet them at the door, the manager who knows their name, the waiter who gives them special attention. It's the people who put the flame to the fire."

Mike Lorenz, vice president and general manager of Neiman Marcus, pointed to Neiman's merchandising leadership and the fact that the products in each store are reflective of the customers in that particular community.

But superior customer service, he said, is an integral part of Neiman's mission statement.

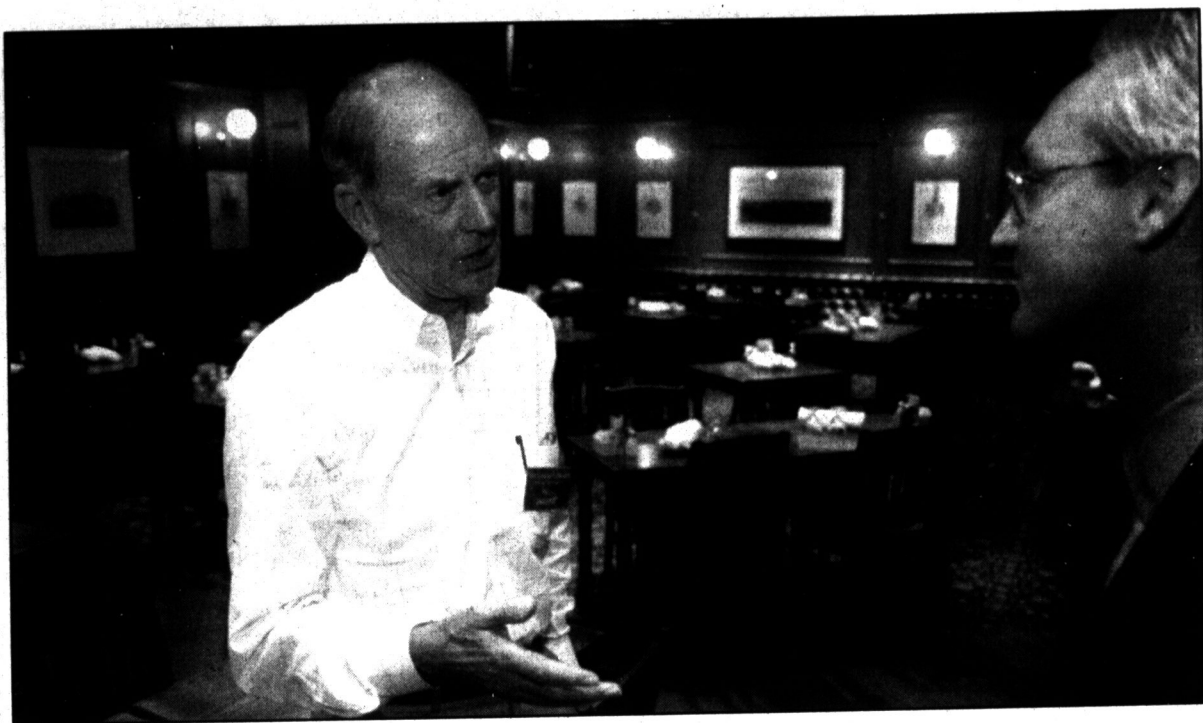
Founder Stanley Marcus once said, "No sale is a good sale unless the customer thinks so." Again the key is the associate. He or she is as important as the name on the door. If the associate develops a relationship with the customer, the customer will always come back. The quality of the associates' work, said Lorenz, is directly related to the reward they receive. The reward may be as simple as a satisfied customer who writes a complimentary note.

Neiman Marcus has an arrangement with Jaguar of Troy by which customers who bring their car in for service are shuttled to Neiman's for shopping and lunch in the cafe. It bodes well for both retailers.

"We usually show folks our \$800 classic Burberry trench and tell them it's the Cadillac of the coat world," said Patricia Rosen, Burberry's store manager. "Today it's the Jaguar of coats." Rosen pointed to some of the challenges of selling top-of-the-line merchandise, whether cars or blazers. Again, she emphasized the need to exceed customers' expectations.

"Take no one for granted," said Curtis Nordeen of Capital Grille. That's the bottom line. The rest is as easy as taking a hairpin turn in your new XK8.

Sharing strategies: Jaguar President Mike Dale chats with Nordstrom store manager Greg Holland in the Nordstrom Pub.



ADDED ATTRACTIONS

appearance. 7:30 p.m.
Borders Books & Music, 34300 Woodward, Birmingham. (248) 203-0005.

Saturday, June 20

Rise and shine
Wake up early to catch the best savings at down-town Plymouth's Sunrise Sale. Doors open at 5 a.m. for 50 percent savings. The percentage goes down every hour you sleep in. Special savings until 10 a.m.

Chez Madeline
Spend an afternoon with Madeline and have your picture taken with your favorite French schoolgirl in Nordstrom's infant and toddler department. 1-4 p.m. Nordstrom, Somerset Collection, Troy. (248) 816-5100.

Kell at bat
Baseball Hall of Famer and Tiger broadcaster George Kell will discuss and sign his book, *Hello Everybody, I'm George Kell* (Sagamore Publishing, \$22.95), at Borders Books & Music. 1-3 p.m. Borders Books & Music, 34300 Woodward Ave., Birmingham. (248) 203-0005.

Bear facts
Wildlife illustrator Gijbert (Nick) van Frankenhuyzen will sign copies of his new picture book, *The Legend of Sleeping Bear*, with text written by Kathy-jo Wargin, 2 p.m. at Borders Farmington

Hills. The event includes storytime and activities. Borders, 30995 Orchard Lake Road, Farmington Hills. (248) 737-0110.

Sunday, June 21

Folk music
Will Danforth will play folk song classics on his guitar for browsers doing any last-minute shopping for Dad. 3-5 p.m. Borders Book Shop, 31150 Southfield Road, Birmingham. (248) 644-1515.

Wednesday, June 24

Rock-n-roll artistry
Huffs Promotions brings the "Rock-N-Roll Fine Arts Show" to the Westland Center, featuring artwork by such artists as John Lennon, Bob Dylan, Ron Wood, David Bowie, Yoko Ono, Ringo Starr, Donna Summer and other icons from the Rock generation. The exhibit was a feature at the opening of the Rock-N-Roll Hall of Fame and has toured the country. It's more than a display; the artwork is also available for purchase. Opens today and runs through Sunday, June 28. Westland Center, West Warren/Wayne. Westland. (313) 425-5001.

Strings attached
Through original music, movement, puppetry and storytelling, Maureen Schiffman mixes life's lessons with imagination. She and her puppet pal, Coco, entertain children at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. on the Livonia Mall stage near Crowley's. Livonia Mall, 29514 Seven Mile Road. (248) 476-1166.

News of special events for shoppers is included in this calendar. Send information to: Malls & Mainstreets, c/o Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 805 East Maple, Birmingham, MI 48009; or fax (248) 644-1314. Deadline: Wednesday 5 p.m. for publication on Sunday.

Sunday, June 14

Native crafts

Woodland Indians Trading Company presents a corn husk doll workshop, presented by Wolf Tracks' Joyce Tinkham. Noon-5 p.m. Fee: \$5. On Saturday, June 20, First Nation traders host a dreamcatcher workshop, presented by Turtle Island Living Art. 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Fee: \$10.

Woodland Indians Trading Company, 26161 W. Six Mile Road, Redford. (313) 387-5930.

Wednesday, June 17

Stress less

Bolton Carroll, from the Corporate Development Institute, gives an introductory presentation on the Transcendental Meditation Program, one of the most effective self-development/stress management systems in the world. At Borders Farmington Hills, 7:30 p.m. Borders, 30995 Orchard Lake Road, Farmington Hills. (248) 737-0110.

Thursday, June 18

Motown magic

Detroit News music critic and author Susan Whittall will discuss and sign copies of her new book, *Women of Motown* (Avon Books, \$13), at Borders Books & Music. Martha Reeves will make a special guest

RETAIL DETAILS

Tie dye

Don't give Dad just any old necktie, give him the tie that bonds. A Warren company, Family Ties Enterprises, introduces the tie that feels like a hug around the neck because it's designed by little hands. A "Family Ties" kit contains a fashionable red, yellow or blue tie plus three bottles of non-toxic, water-based paints. Kids can engage their creativity by writing or drawing on the tie, and signing their work on the designer label. Even toddlers can put a personal stamp on Dad's wardrobe with a handprint or footprint. A portion of the proceeds from each kit will be contributed to children's charities. \$24.95. Available at a special kiosk in the Hudson's court at Lakeside Mall in Sterling Heights through June 30. (800) 461-3887.

Dazzling discourse

Internationally acclaimed jewelry designer Patricia Daunis will make a personal appearance at **Orin Jewelers** on June 19-20. Much like a personal shopper or cosmetics consultant, she

works with clients in determining which jewelry styles work best with their features. "The woman should be noticed before her jewelry," says Daunis. "Always keep in mind that jewelry is meant to accessorize, not steal the show." Daunis will be in the Garden City store on Friday, June 19, and the Northville store on Saturday, June 20.

Cool collections

Village Collection in Waterford introduces **Connie's Collectibles**, just in time for Father's Day. Enjoy a 20% discount June 19-21. In addition, the 6,000-square-foot store carries dolls, needlepoint and yarns, Camille Beckman, painted baskets, lighthouses and many products by Michigan artists. 7718 Cooley Lake Road, Waterford. (248) 360-4122.

Mall crawl

Lifestyle 2000 Expo brings home and lifestyle improvement ideas to the Livonia Mall June 18-21. On Saturday and Sunday, July 18-19, Livonia Mall will host "Motor City Hoops," a 3-

on-3 basketball tourney, presented by Street Hoops USA to benefit the St. Gregory Community Center in Detroit. Brackets for ages 8 and up. All entrants will receive a player T-shirt, and champions will receive trophies. Sideline competitions also are planned. Entry forms are available now at the Information Booth, Livonia Mall, Seven Mile and Middlebelt roads. (248) 476-1160.

Shop & Shula

The Troy Marriott is partnering with Neiman Marcus in the Somerset Collection to offer shoppers the **Shop & Shula's Weekend**. For \$119, a couple receives a deluxe room for a Friday or Saturday night stay; a \$30 gift certificate for Shula's Steak House, located inside the Troy Marriott; a \$20 Neiman Marcus Express Card; a complimentary lunch at Neiman's; transportation to and from the Somerset Collection; use of the Marriott's pool and workout facilities. The offer is available through Dec. 30. Troy Marriott, 200 West Big Beaver Road, Troy. (248) 680-9797.



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Where can I find?

This feature is dedicated to helping readers locate sources for hard-to-find merchandise. If you've seen any of the items in your retail travels (or basement) please call Where Can I Find? (248) 901-2555. Slowly and clearly, leave your name, number and message, and you should see your input in Sunday's column. Thank You.

What we found:

- **Stetson after shave** can be found through Beauty Boutique (440) 826-3008.
- For Marguerite, **color thickening hair spray**.
- A reader called to say she found the **Rohde German-made sandal** eight years ago at the Westland Mall in London, Ontario. The shoe store was called Mugglers. You might call stores in Windsor or London to see if they carry this shoe.
- A battery-operated **flour sifter** can be found at Kitchen

Glamour in Redford (313) 641-1244. It can be ordered, Order No. 140.

- For Stacey of Troy, **Derma-logica** products can be found at Carol Lewis Skin Care at 386 E. Maple Road, Birmingham, Mich., (248) 642-1570.
- Found the **Tupperware** deviled egg containers for Barbara.
- **Rollerskates** can be found at Skateland West in Westland, (734) 326-2800.
- **Drawstring pajamas** can be found at Kmart for \$12.

We're still looking for:

- Darlene is looking for an **expandable table** (it looks like a buffet with doors on the side). It opens into a table, it is from

the 1950s.

- Kim wants the children's game from the '70s called "Square Off."
- Marsha is looking for a

pant liner that goes to the knees (girdle). It was made by Vasserette or Subtract.

- For Todd, **sterling silver 1/4 inch block letters** (used for necklaces and bracelets).

• **Brush-curler** by Clairol Slender Curl or Clicker 1/4-3/4 inches for Mary Lou.

- Donna wants **Stiff Stuff Hairspray** Superfirm hold in a pump spray bottle.

• A **Little Tykes doll cradle**.

- For Linda, two **green Medici side tables** with glass tops (to match a coffee table). Found at Pier I (no longer carries the green.)
- Bev needs **buttons** for a Jones of New York jacket.

Compiled by Sandi Jarackas

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Cooks relish flavorful new condiments

The word condiment is a combination of Latin and French, meaning to season or pickle. As defined in the "Chef's Companion 1994," a relish or pickled seasoning is highly aromatic, and accompanies food at the table to stimulate the appetite.

A condiment is added or offered post production, otherwise, its use would be considered an ingredient. I can't imagine life without condiments. Coffee with no cream? Tea without honey? Would it be worth waking up for cereal with no milk?

Where condiments have taken center stage, and have been experiencing fame and fortune, are those that accompany our summer grilling.

Whether you are smoking fish in your Weber Kettle, tossing a New York Strip on to your high gloss steel turbo barbecue with side burners, or going hibachi style on the beach, it seems all grillers are searching for the same thing - perfect condiments.

Thanks to our backyard gourmets, our ethnically diverse population, and of course, us hardworking creative chefs and cooks, the classic condiment of yesteryear is breaking the jar, so to speak.

Mustard

Mustard, often referred to as "the spice of Nations," has been cultivated all over the world for centuries. In many European countries during the 1500-1600s, mustard seeds were considered as valuable as gold. Today, mustard includes some New Age ingredients - apricot, wasabi, champagne, chipotle, honey and onion.

These magnificent mustards are used on upscale deli sandwiches, slathered on fish, poultry and meats before and after grilling, and whisked into sauces and dips.

"Ketching-up"

Ketchup is also catching-up from its origins in China where a pickled fish sauce called ketchup was a popular condiment. The sauce traveled through Asia incorporating new ingredients along the way until it was met by an English sailor who shanghaied it home to spice up the dishes of his homeland.

Colonists in America later added tomatoes. What would Mr. Heinz say today to the flirtatious varieties of ketchup gaining speed such as peach, blueberry, cherry, salsa style, smoky and more. Chefs across the nation are bottling their own brands due to the demand for variety from those who want to add a little zip to an old favorite.

Mayonnaise

Mayo madness has also traveled a long journey from its origins in Spain. It was brought to France by an 18th century duke who had been fighting

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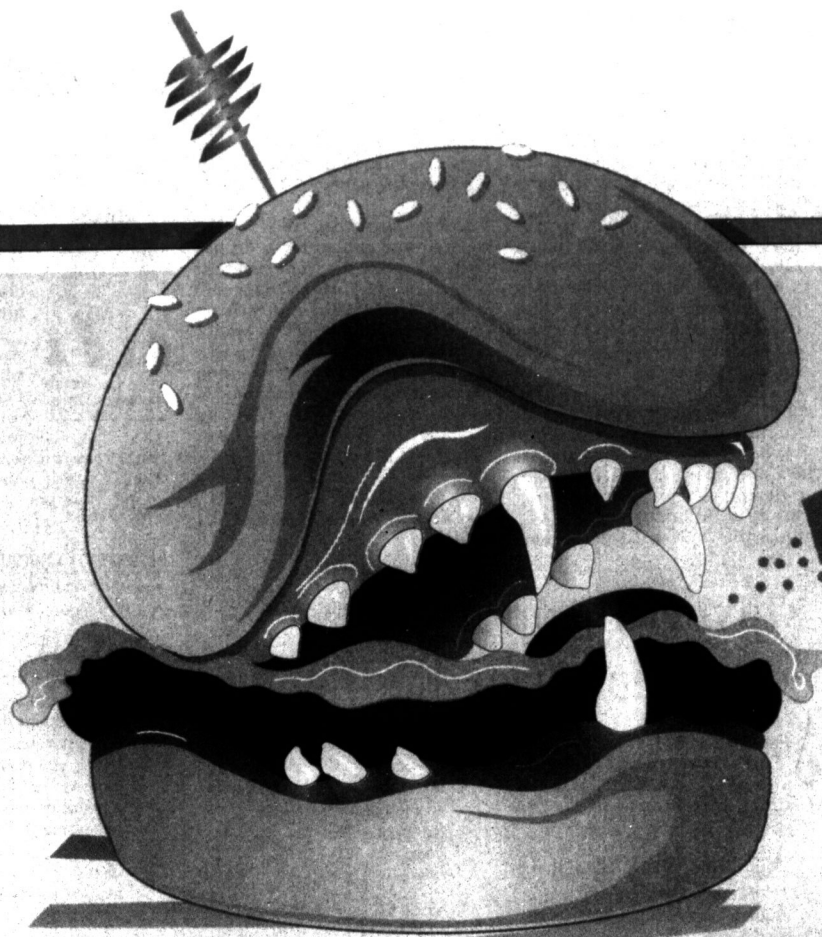
Tips

- A tablespoon of spicy or fruited mustard in a 1/2 cup of yogurt will give you a Heart Healthy sandwich spread with personality.
- To perk-up tired old sandwiches or salads, try adding fresh herbs, diced sundried tomatoes, or olives.
- Add a few tablespoons of mustard, a 1/4 cup of balsamic vinegar, and pinch of fresh black pepper and herbs to your next bottle of Italian salad dressing. You can call it your homemade summer vinaigrette.
- Mix 1/4 cup of your favorite spicy mustard, a pinch of black pepper, and fresh herbs with 1/2 cup of olive oil. Brush on meats, poultry and fish as you would barbecue sauce.

LOOKING AHEAD

What to watch for in Taste next week:

- Pasta Importers
- Focus on Wine



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Each year, about one in every ten Americans has an illness caused by food.

FOOD SCARE

Don't get a stomach ache

BY PEGGY MARTINELLI-EVERTS
REGISTERED DIETITIAN

Boy, it sure seems like every time we turn on the news there is another food scare. First there was hamburger contaminated with E. coli, now a new strain of antibiotic resistant salmonella has made its way into chickens.

Strawberries, alfalfa sprouts and apples are just a few examples of the types of produce that have been shown to harbor contaminants.

Each year, about one in every ten Americans has an illness caused by food. Most of these cases result in simple stomach aches, diarrhea, or the "24 hour flu." Some are more serious, and about 9,000 people die each year because of food borne illness.

But wait, there is no need to fear the food you eat. Americans have the safest food supply in the world. At each step in the food chain, from the farm to your grocery store shelf, there are regulations in place to keep food safe. However, with our global marketplace, we increasingly have available to us foods from countries not so highly regulated. We need to handle food properly, cook it thoroughly, store it safely, and reheat it completely. Thanks to modern technology, and good old-fashioned bleach, keeping food safe is easier than you may think.

How does it happen?

Bacteria are present everywhere around us - on our skin, in the soil, on our animals - so it is normal to have bacteria on our food. However, if food is mishandled, this bacteria can multiply rapidly and cause problems. Bacteria needs time, and the right conditions, to grow. Bacteria love temperatures just about 40°F to around 140°F. This is called the temperature "danger zone." Bacteria can double in number every 20-30 minutes if food is left in the danger zone.

Acids in food can stop bacteria

growth. This is why fruits are generally considered safe. However, fruits can have other pathogens on their surface, which is why it is important to thoroughly scrub all fresh fruits before eating.

Dairy products such as yogurt and buttermilk are also acidic, but can still be unsafe if they become moldy. Meat, fish, poultry, eggs, dried beans and nuts have nutrients to support rapid bacteria growth. It is probably best to assume that they, in fact, do contain contaminants, and to treat them carefully. Breads, cereals and grains - when dried - are usually safe. However, once hydrated, items like pasta and rice can harbor bacteria. Vegetables, especially cooked vegetables, also contain nutrients that bacteria and molds need to grow.

Oils flavored with raw garlic, ginger or other herbs can support the botulin toxin. Don't make your own flavored oil unless you plan to use it all immediately.

Don't worry, the beans in your pantry, and chicken in your freezer, won't make you sick if you learn how to fight "bac" (bacteria).

Safety guidelines

■ Clean food starts with clean hands. Wash your hands frequently with soap and water, especially after touching raw meat, fish, poultry or eggs, and before handling any other foods. Be sure to wash the handles on your faucet, refrigerator, and any cabinets that you may have touched with hands that also handled raw meat.

■ Don't use the same knife or cutting board for fresh food that you used for raw meat.

■ Read food labels for storage, cooking or heating and handling instructions.

■ Avoid eating raw meat, raw fish, poultry or eggs. Do not eat the internal organs of animals since this is where

toxins are stored.

■ Purchase meats, poultry and fish only from reliable markets.

■ Always buy food in good condition. Avoid produce with cuts or bruises, cans with dents, partially melted ice cream or frozen foods, or other foods that have packaging that is not intact.

■ Remember F.I.F.O., "First In, First Out." Always rotate your foods and eat the oldest things first. Another adage from the food service business, "When in doubt, throw it out," also makes good food safety sense.

■ Use a food thermometer to determine the doneness of foods. Hamburger should be cooked to a minimal internal temperature of 160°F, pork to 160°F, and poultry to 165°F ground, 180°F whole.

■ Don't thaw food on the kitchen counter, or in the sink. Raw meat drippings can contain bacteria that can contaminate any other food to be prepared on the counter. It is best to thaw meat in the refrigerator, tightly wrapped, so drippings won't spill onto shelves or other food.

■ Never leave perishable food out for more than two hours.

■ Reheat foods thoroughly to at least 165°F.

■ Freeze or refrigerate leftovers completely. If you are cooling soups, stew, chowder or sauces, transfer them to shallow pans for rapid cooling in the refrigerator. The temperature should drop to 70°F in two hours, and 40°F in another four hours.

■ Sterilize your kitchen sponges every day in your dishwasher, and change dishcloths and towels daily. You can also sanitize a wet sponge easily in the microwave on high for 45 seconds.

■ Inexpensive household bleach (1-2 teaspoons in 1 quart of water), can be an effective household sanitizer. Put it in a spray bottle to make it easy to use.

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People who are at greater risk for food-borne illness

- Person's with HIV and AIDS
- Persons with cancer, especially those undergoing drug or radiation treatment
- Persons with liver, diabetes, kidney, inflammatory bowel or stomach diseases
- Persons who are taking steroid medication
- Pregnant women
- Infants and children
- The elderly

Want to learn more about fighting food borne illnesses? The Associated Food Dealers of Michigan provides a free brochure that explains four simple steps to food safety in easy-to-understand and simple-to-remember terms. It is a handy guide that can be posted on your kitchen bulletin board or stuck on your refrigerator for all family members to read and remember. To get yours, send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to: AFD Fight BAC, 18470 W. 10 Mile Road, Southfield, MI 48075.

Treat dad to meaty halibut with fruity salsa

MAIN DISH MIRACLE



MURIEL WAGNER

Summer is usually synonymous with vacation - from the kitchen for the family chef. The outdoor grill attracts not only the cook, but hopefully, the culinary interests of other family members. If you're lucky, the man of the house will take over some food preparation chores. I suspect barbecuing appeals to a latent masculine fascination with cooking.

Speculation aside, steaks, chops, ribs and chicken are not the only foods that benefit from grilling. Fish can also become a popular "smart eating" addition to a barbecue repertoire, particularly when it is a "meaty" fish that stands up well to the heat of the grill.

The steak-like quality made swordfish my choice last year for Father's Day, and the grilling season. Unfortunately, this quality has also led to the overfishing of North Atlantic swordfish. Therefore, I tried several other fishes before settling on this recipe for

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GRILLED HALIBUT WITH SUMMER SALSA

- 1 1/4 pounds Halibut steaks, cut into four pieces
- 1 tablespoon olive or canola oil
- 1 tablespoon lime juice
- 1 tablespoon Worcestershire sauce

Brush fish with Worcestershire sauce and lime juice, and then oil. Place fish on hot grill that has been brushed with oil or use an oiled grill basket about 4-6 inches above the heat. Grill 1-inch steaks 2-4 minutes on each side.

Fish is done when it turns opaque and is firm to the touch. You can use a paring knife to probe the center of the thickest part of the fish to make sure the flesh is solid white, but translucent.

Serves 4. Serve immediately with the Summer Salsa.

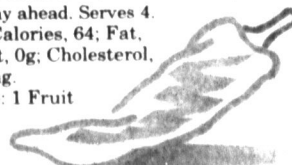
Food Values: Calories, 140; Fat 7.1g; Saturated Fat, 1.0g; Cholesterol, 44mg; Sodium, 131mg. Food Exchange: 3 lean meat

SUMMER SALSA

- 1/2 cantaloupe, washed, peeled, seeded and diced
- 1/2 honeydew melon, washed, peeled, seeded and diced
- 1 mango, washed, peeled, seeded and diced
- 2 tablespoons fresh lime juice
- 2 tablespoons fresh mint
- 1/2 jalapeno pepper, washed and diced
- 1/4 red onion, peeled and diced

Combine the ingredients in a medium sized bowl. Cover and chill for an hour. Salsa can also be prepared up to one day ahead. Serves 4.

Food Values: Calories, 64; Fat, 0g; Saturated Fat, 0g; Cholesterol, 0mg; Sodium, 9mg. Food Exchange: 1 Fruit



Tillinghast stresses the positive

In the attention-deficit age where the terminally sedentary get fresh air by opening a window in cyberspace, many are concerned about the lack of cultural literacy.

While scholars and social critics sound the alarm, poet Richard Tillinghast prefers to stress the positive.

"Hey, poetry is perfect because who doesn't have time to read a poem," said Tillinghast of Ann Arbor where he teaches poetry and creative writing at the University of Michigan.

Unfortunately, attention spans are growing shorter. In 50 years, maybe we'll all be talking about whether people can comprehend the meaning of a poetic sentence, or ponder a lyrical phrase.

But Tillinghast isn't worried. He's proven to be a canny poet blessed

WHAT: "New Jazz & Poetry," featuring Richard Tillinghast and Poignant Plecostomus

WHEN: 8 p.m. Saturday, June 20

WHERE: Borders Books, 34300 Woodward, Birmingham (248) 203-0005

with a sense of rhythm and a vivid vocabulary.

Since the late 1960s, Tillinghast has been among the elite poets in America. His words have been collected in numerous anthologies and nine book of poems, including his most recent, "Today in the Cafe Trieste."

On Saturday, June 20, Tillinghast and a group of young jazz musicians who adapt world music to his poetry will perform at Borders Books in Birmingham.

The look and sound both resembles the aesthetic of



Musical poet: Richard Tillinghast blends a minimalist style with world rhythms in his performance poetry.

Beat Poets, and the contemporary rhythm of a world at the brink of a moral abyss, as captured in his recent poem, "The World Is."

Tillinghast writes: "The world is mortality rates, and rape as an instrument of war. The world is a 12-year-old with a Walkman, a can of Coke and an Uzi."

An individual's voice

While poets have always read their work for public audiences, there's a growing trend toward performances with musical accompaniment.

One of the most popular local poet-performers, M.L. Liebler of Wayne State, merges hip-hop, rock and jazz with his self-described blue-collar poetry.

Tillinghast, Liebler and poets like Billy Collins are reaching nontraditional poetry readers.

"There's a move for poets to attract cross-over audiences," said Tillinghast.

"Most people regard poetry as 'intellectual.' But the poetry I like has an immediacy and vividness, a collaboration between the conscious and the unconscious mind."

In the 1990s economic ascendancy of multinational corporations and worldwide marketing campaigns, there's a striking absence of "individual voices," said Tillinghast.

Homogeneity and corporate-speak is a poet's arch enemy.

In spite of a noisy world of sloganeering, Tillinghast's poetry reveals a quiet strength and refreshingly intimate tone.

Included in his most recent collection is "Summer Rain":

"Summer rain, and the voices of children from another room. Old friends from summers past / we drink old whiskey and talk about ghosts."

The rain ebbs, rattles the summer cottage roof, / soaks the perished leaves in wooden gutters, / then gusts and / drowns our fond talk."

Sense of place

With an ability to find the poetry of images, sounds and tastes, Tillinghast creates an intimate place where the rushing pace of contemporary living comes to a standstill.

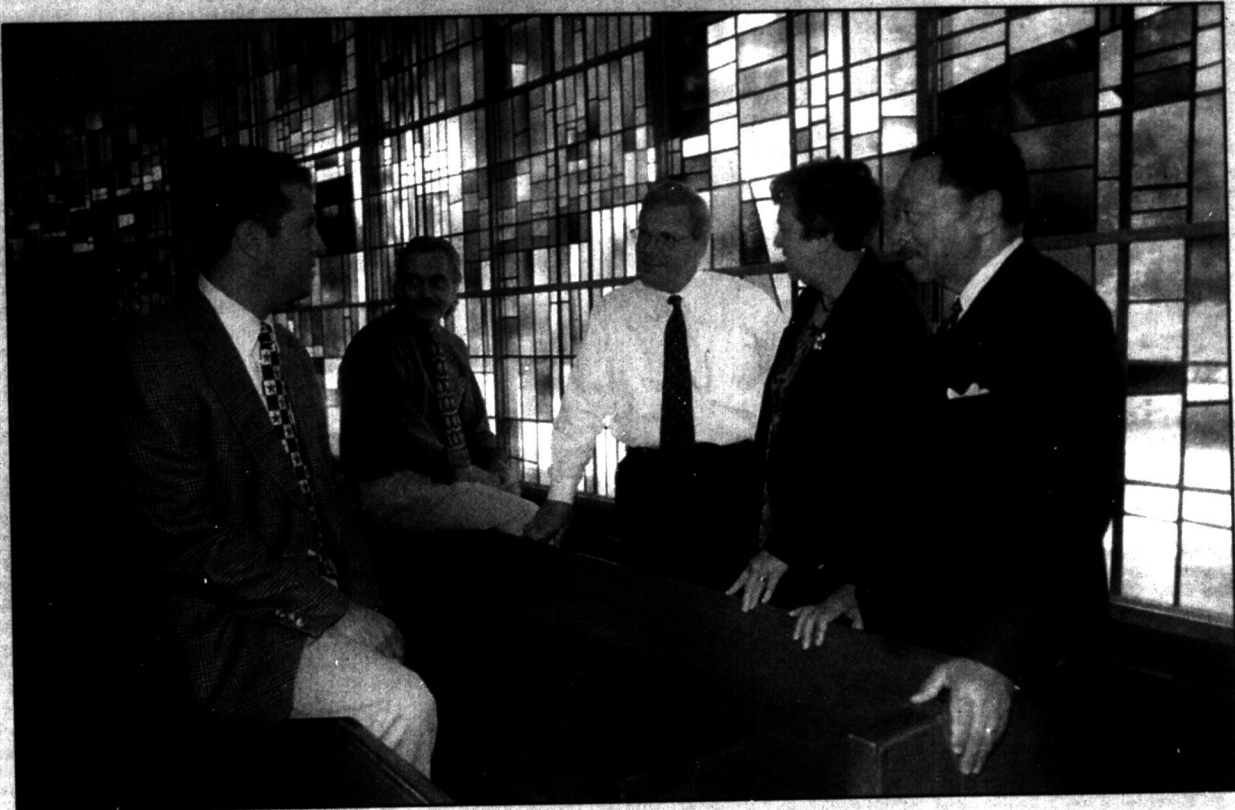
Ironically, his sense of place is derived from his worldly travels and an academic career that's taken him from the northeast, to California to the midwest.

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Signs of promising future for Southfield Centre for the Arts



Regional resource: Southfield Centre for the Arts is on Southfield Road between 10 Mile Road and the Lodge Freeway.



Multi-perspective: The Southfield Centre for the Arts recently observed its first anniversary. Stalwart supporters include James Cristiano (left to right), head of the parks and recreation commission; Bill Waterhouse, director of parks and recreation; Bob Block, city administrator; Marlowe Belanger, manger of the cultural arts division; and Lucius Theus, president of the Southfield Federation of Arts.

From sky to earth to a cultural mosaic

In his starched white shirt, well-groomed politeness and policy wonk speech, Bob Block appears as the prototypical city administrator of a big-city suburb.

But for a moment, he doesn't sound overly bureaucratic. There's no intricate talk about budgets, impending public projects, or how to address governmental inefficiencies.

He wants to talk about art. Or more accurately, he's interested in interpreting art.

Block, city administrator of Southfield, stands amid the former B'nai David Synagogue on Southfield Road and is quite comfortable discussing the gradation of stained glass that encircles the transformed house of worship inside what is now the Southfield Centre for the Arts.

"It goes from blue to represent the sky to a brown for the earth," said Block, pointing at the mosaic. "The idea is to show the transition - heaven to earth."

Transitions have been plentiful for the Southfield Centre for the Arts in its first year.

What began nearly 20 years ago as an utopian idea based on a formal, community-wide survey (known as the Golden Report) to establish an art center became a reality last June with the grand opening celebration, highlighted by a concert by legendary singers, The Platters, and a parade of spe-

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Southfield Centre for the Arts events

Performances

■ "Detroit Tap Festival," Friday-Sunday, June 26-28

Exhibits

■ Through Friday, June 26: Artwork created by members of the Southfield Adult Recreation Center age 50 and older

■ Monday, June 29 through Friday, July 24: Prenzetta Becker, acrylic paintings

Summer camps

■ Monday, June 15 through Friday, August 14: Variety of programs for children 4-17 years old, including computer, sports, theater, art and travel. For a complete listing of classes, exhibits, rental fees and the 1998-99 concert schedule, call (248) 424-9022



Virtuoso: Miriam Fried is recognized among the world's pre-eminent violinists.

Fried's strings attached to ultimate 'good vibe'

A few weeks before she was scheduled to perform at the Great Lakes Chamber Music Festival, violinist Miriam Fried was on her way to Finland.

Traveling with her husband meant that she made reservations for three. Naturally, the third seat was booked for her Stradivarius with a Holy Grail history that'd make musical scholars tremble to think of the possibilities.

The violin, according to legend, was once cradled by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart, a reluctant violinist who composed a Sonata in B-flat for Violin dedicated to the woman who owned the instrument.

WHAT: Great Lakes Chamber Music Festival, a program of Beethoven, Mendelssohn, Tchaikovsky and Dvorak

WHEN: 8 p.m. Tuesday-Wednesday, June 16-17

WHERE: Temple Beth El, 7400 Telegraph (at 14 Mile Road) Bloomfield Hills

TICKETS: \$26, call (248) 362-6171

"It has a good vibe running through it," said Fried, in a typical understatement.

For this Tuesday and Wednesday concerts at Temple Beth El, Fried is also bringing a familiar vibe. She'll be joined by her husband, violinist Paul

Biss, and her 17-year-old son, pianist Jonathan Biss.

The program features "Sonata in D Major for piano and violin, Op. 12, No. 1" by Beethoven, "Quartet in a minor for strings, Op. 13" by Mendelssohn, "Quartet in E-flat Major for violin, viola, cello and piano" by Dvorak, and "Platinum Spirals" by composer-in-residence Joan Tower.

Fried and the Bisses will be joined by cellist Paul Katz and the St. Lawrence Quartet.

The much-traveled Fried has per-

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WEDDING

A monument to boundless love without any grays

Nearly everything that Terry Lee Dill creates comes in one size - mythic.

His Godzilla-like metal sculptures, some of which have weighed 30 tons, merge raw, masculine power with a delicate and incisive sensibility. His ideas about space and movement invariably offer a place for human connections in a sterile world.

But perhaps his latest and most personal sculptural installation, "The Wedding," comes closest to creating his most endearing work in a career that began in legendary Soho during the

WHAT: "The Wedding," a site-specific sculpture installation by Terry Lee Dill

WHEN: Through Friday, July 17

WHERE: Birmingham Bloomfield Art Center, 1516 S. Cranbrook, Birmingham, (248) 644-0866

of Commerce Township.

In the darkened Robinson Gallery at the Birmingham Bloomfield Art Center, Dill of Pontiac has created a labyrinth with a most pleasing, G-rated reward. It is the first-ever installation at the BBAC.

early 1970s and has included a range of impressive commission works around the country.

Ultimately, every work of art is about the artist. And in "The Wedding," Dill not only reveals himself in stark, somber detail, but has brought along a companion, his fiancée, Diane Roch Smith

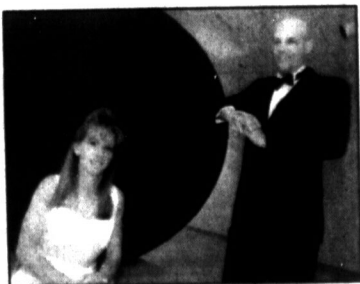
Inside the gallery is a rectangular room with two entrances. The room is attached to a large sphere. Inside the room is a wall with a round hole leading into the sphere. Inside the sphere a monitor plays a tape of a somber Dill unabashedly confessing his love for his bride-to-be.

At the base of the monitor is a cassette recorder. On the tape is a recording of Smith matching Dill tit-for-tat.

"We were talking about how to maintain the romance, and this idea of an installation where we're telling each other how much we love each other just sort of happened," said Dill.

The result is a narrative of love that

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Love confessions: Diane Roch Smith, (left), and sculptor Terry Lee Dill stand in the BBAC's Robinson Gallery. Dill's installation is an endearing testament to the consuming influence of romance.

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cial events by community arts groups.

During the last year, the art center has been a multicultural mosaic with a perpetual assortment of fine-art and performing-art programs, events, exhibits and concerts.

It has offered venues to a fledgling youth theater company, and musical groups like the Motor City Brass. Recently, an "International Cafe" series was initiated to celebrate the ethnic foods of cultures in Southfield's melting pot of Jews, Chaldeans, eastern Europeans, southern Asians and African Americans.

For mainstream appeal, the center brought in big-name star Lou Rawls for a concert in early May.

Next season, the center has developed an extensive classic film series, multicultural music concerts and a series of events for kids, including storytelling, folk singing, puppetry and children's musicals.

Not surprisingly, the first year of operation at the art center hasn't been an obvious or easy transition.

That's not because of a lack of effort. It's simply a matter of economics, history and what supporters like Robert Martin claim comes from being at the cutting edge.

"We think of ourselves as progressive," said Martin, a member of the Southfield Federation of Arts, composed of nearly 80 arts groups from the area. Many of those one-time nomadic groups, according to Martin, hold regular meetings at the art center.

Not since the Macomb Center for Performing Arts opened in 1982 has a major arts center been unveiled in metro Detroit. The Mount Clemens-based facility is exclusively a performing center. Although it rents space, the Macomb Center isn't driven by a need to reach out to local arts groups.

Indeed, when pushed to make comparisons to other art centers, staunch supporters of the Southfield Center for the Arts are at a loss.

"We have no benchmark," said James Cristiano, chair of the parks and recreation board, which oversees the budget for

the division of cultural arts, including the center for the arts.

After one year, the Southfield Centre for the Arts is perhaps best described as a work-in-progress with myriad possibilities, and profound challenges. Particularly, the center must further build recognition, increase audiences and attract corporate sponsors and foundation support, said Marlowe Belanger, manager of the cultural arts division.

Belanger, who volunteered in the late 1960s to develop art agencies throughout the state, considers the center's prime goal to educate and offer an affordable way for families to enjoy the arts.

"Our focus is on being constructive rather than destructive," she said. "Everything we do in the arts is about encouragement."

In the long-term, said Belanger, that means the center will offer an ever-growing list of art-instruction and culture-appreciation courses.

Since the city of Southfield purchased and renovated the property for about \$4 million four years ago, the center has been under intense scrutiny both from artists looking for a home and cynics who can't grasp the relationship between art and governmental services.

An additional \$1 million is expected to be raised through grants to finance subsequent renovations and expanded programming. And, a multi-million pie-in-the-sky plan, entitled the Redstone Proposal - which would add a second story to the center - is at least 10 years away, said Belanger.

Debates about the purpose of the center have ranged from using the 55,000-square-foot facility as a community meeting place to promoting the performance, exhibit and rehearsal space as a symbolic bridge connecting the suburbs with Detroit.

"You won't survive if you appeal to only people who live in your area," said Cristiano. "This facility helps bridge Detroit and the suburbs."

While the ongoing physical evolution is quite apparent -

classrooms, kitchens and rehearsal spaces have been renovated - the city's understaffed division of cultural arts has a hit-or-miss marketing strategy that has left some wondering why the "word hasn't gotten out" about concerts and exhibits.

Perhaps that criticism is unfair considering typical first-year trial-and-error experiences.

To its credit, Southfield has placed the arts on the same level as other basic city services.

"As our community has matured, we've found that establishing an art center provides for refining the quality of life in Southfield," said city administrator Block.

"Culture in our city existed before (the establishment of the center). But has the center become a cultural meeting place? Undoubtedly, yes."

Not only have the myriad arts groups responded to the accessibility of rehearsal, exhibit and performance space, but the center is showing signs of becoming self-sufficient.

"As we make this facility more available, it'll create greater demand," said Lucius Theus, president of the federation of arts.

But Block, ever the cautious administrator, is compelled to qualify the center's ability to fund itself.

"I'm not so sure we'll be profit-making," said Block, who estimates that the center might break even in four years.

Renting the center's spacious conference room and classrooms to businesses could provide much-needed additional revenue, said Block.

"We have an evolving plan (for the center)," he said. "We've been careful not to over-promise. We need to make improvements before we start talking about the center as the most outstanding place."

Perhaps the most appropriate view of the center, according to Block, is to consider it one of the many ingredients to enhance the quality of life.

"The suburban planning of the 1970s has produced a fragmentation," said Block. "People are looking for a sense of community. That's what we're providing."

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oozes, charms and jars. This is, after all, the age of overanalyzed relationships and prenuptial agreements.

But in typical Dill style, he really doesn't give a damn about prevailing attitudes about the poor likelihood of "success" and "marriage" being used in the same context.

"The Wedding" isn't for anyone cynical about marriage, budding relationships or Cinderella-like stories. Hopeless romantics and tongue-tied lovers, however, couldn't find a better example of what it means to be head-over-heels.

In many ways, "The Wedding" is more like overheard mushy pillow-talk. Thankfully, Dill and Smith's sincerity save it from becoming an insipid, endless loop of the "Love Boat."

Neither Dill nor Smith are wide-eyed idealists. Both have been married before. And both were resigned that marriage wasn't in their respective plans.

But then, they met each other. (For cynics who can't stand a romantic story, read ahead at your own risk.) Naturally, Dill and Smith met in the same room where "The Wedding" is installed. They both are instruc-

tors at the BBAC.

Dill, who said he remembers the initial meeting and how he couldn't contain himself, did some "serious close-talking," said Smith.

"I thought he was going to kiss me right then," she said.

"I wanted to," said Dill.

And, of course, they pause simultaneously, stare at each other in a way that makes the third person to the conversation feel like a square wheel, then they merge lips. Smith giggles, and an ear-to-ear smile spreads on Dill's face.

Behind nearly everyone of Dill's large-scale abstract sculptures is a series of drawings. Typically, he also creates a small-scale model of the sculpture.

The genius of Dill's monumental installations lies in the intricate planning and conceptual coherence. For 20 years, he's proven to be a dogged engineer with an architect's uncanny sense of spatial relationships, and a sculptor's ability to show warm humanity in weighty materials of steel and concrete.

Ironically, "The Wedding" didn't require any preliminary

sketches. The relentlessly inquisitive intellectual put his analytical powers on hold.

"My emotion crept up on me," said Dill, who compares falling in love with discovering deep meaning after a sculpture is completed.

"Sometimes you don't know how much your work means until the emotion creeps up on you."

In a recent lecture at the BBAC, Dill revealed the driving reason for his work as a sculptor.

"What I love is the challenge to take all my knowledge and put it into one project," he said. "Sculpture is ultimately about problem solving."

That's a skill, some would contend, crucial for a lasting marriage.

But who can talk about weighty marital problems?

Now's the time for confessions of love and a terms of endearment catharsis.

For a sculptor whose work usually requires heavy-machinery to move, Dill is dealing with an irrepressibly weightless subject-matter. Perhaps the artist of grand-scale sculptures has learned that feeling light as a feather is larger than life.

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formed with nearly every major orchestra in the U.S. and Europe. In the mid-1980s, her New York recitals of Bach's Sonatas received widespread critical acclaim, and elevated her into the top echelon of international violinists.

Coming to the Great Lakes Chamber Music Festival, for

Fried, is a reunion with several musicians who she has performed with, including the St. Lawrence Quartet.

"The quality of the musicians and the organization of the festival makes it world-class," she said.

While Fried has performed in the grand performing halls

around the world, she appreciates the intimacy of playing for smaller chamber music audiences.

"It's not a more valuable performance to play for 1,000 people rather than 150," she said.

"The music always comes first."

Tillinghast from page B3

Only a trace of his Tennessee accent can be heard. And although he writes in the fine poetic tradition of James Dickey, Tillinghast's visual landscape is not confined to the mores of his southern upbringing.

But then, in these transient times, how could we expect a

poet to embody the language of any particular locale.

Today, the world is like an interactive mall filled with a manifold windows, each representing a new choice.

A new online poetry magazine, *Slate*, reflects that mentality, providing a range of choices to

allow cyber surfers a chance to listen and download the works of contemporary poets.

The challenge, said Tillinghast, is to make poetry socially relevant while remaining unflinchingly personal.

As readers of Tillinghast's poems already know, he seldom fails at getting your attention.

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Can sealants be a helpful option for your child?

ASK THE DENTIST



DR. DAVID BANDA

Question: My family dentist has recommended that my 6 year old get sealants. What are sealants and how do they work?

Answer: Sealants are one of the most significant developments in tooth decay reduction since the introduction of fluoride into our drinking water and toothpastes. Sealants are generally transparent or white-colored materials that are bonded onto the chewing surfaces of adult back teeth (most frequently molars) to help prevent the formation of decay, especially in children.

Children receive their first permanent adult molars at age six. It's very easy for parents to think that these teeth are baby teeth because they are coming in when a child still has his or her baby teeth. Children, in fact, will have 20 baby teeth in their mouth when their first permanent teeth start to come in.

How do sealants work?

At a child's regular cleaning and check-up appointment, the dentist may recommend the placement of sealants on certain teeth. The teeth most frequently treated with sealants are generally permanent molars, especially those with deep grooves or fissures (nooks and crannies) on the chewing surfaces.

The more hiding places on the surface of a tooth for bacteria or food to collect, the more likely it is that decay will occur in these areas. Smoother-surfaced teeth are still quite prone to decay but are less likely to trap plaque and food than teeth with deep grooves. Sealants work by preventing food and bacteria from gaining access to the chewing surfaces of teeth - the area most commonly decayed in children.

How are sealants applied?

A dental team member, a dentist, or a hygienist will perform this quick and painless procedure. There is no need for anesthesia since there is no need for drilling. The surface of the tooth to be sealed is cleaned of any debris and then it's treated with a gel to make the surface receptive to bonding with the sealant.

Next, the sealant material is placed in the grooves on the chewing surfaces of the tooth. A special light is often shined on the sealant material to harden it. The entire procedure only takes 20-30 minutes for all four molars. That's all there is to it.

Are there any risks?

None. Sealants are extremely non-invasive and safe.

When are sealants placed?

The best time to apply sealants is as soon as adult molars enter the mouth. This occurs for the first time at approximately age six when four molars appear and then again at approximately age 12 when the next set of four molars appear.

Sealants may also be recommended for bicuspids, the permanent teeth situated directly in front of the molars. These generally enter the mouth at approximately 10 to 12 years of age. It is important to note that sealants cannot be placed in a tooth that already needs or has a regular filling in it. Sealants are a preventative method to be utilized before the need for a filling occurs.

How long do sealants last?

Sealants will wear down as the child chews food and may require replacement after several years of wear, but they are well worth the investment for protection in hard-to-reach, cavity-prone, nook-and-cran-ny areas of certain teeth.

Will insurance cover this?

In our office, we receive insurance coverage for sealants in approximately 90 percent of the cases. But regardless of insurance coverage, sealants are an excellent and inexpensive investment. Sealants cost far less than a filling, are quicker to do, and are easily tolerated by the patient. It is wise to have sealants placed on your children's teeth even if insurance does not cover this procedure.

Can sealants prevent all decay?

No. Sealants are specifically designed for the grooves on chewing surfaces of teeth, and they can prevent decay in areas that are hard to clean. They are a great idea if children are not brushing their teeth properly, however, they are definitely not a replacement for brushing.

Sealants should not give the patient the false confidence to feel that they can eat sugar without any consequences. They have no effect on the smooth outer surfaces of front teeth or in between the teeth. In-between-the-teeth cavities are best prevented by decreasing your sugar intake, flossing properly each day and brushing after each meal. It's also wise to visit your dentist every six months for teeth cleaning, fluoride and check-up x-rays.

(Dr. David Banda is a general dentist in Bloomfield Hills. He graduated from the University of Michigan and is a member of the American Dental Association, the Michigan Dental Association and the Oakland County Dental Society. His column will appear every other week in the Health & Fitness section. Send questions or comments to Dr. Banda in care of staff writer Chris Mayer at: The Eccentric Newspapers, 805 E. Maple, Birmingham, MI 48009.)

Sunglasses play role in eye health



Golf, cycling and various water sports can provide hours of entertainment during the summer. But according to David Bogorad, M.D., wearing sunglasses while participating is essential to preserving eye health.

Wearing sunglasses while playing summer sports is more than just a fashion statement. It is essential to preserving your eye health, according to David Bogorad, M.D., a senior staff ophthalmologist with Henry Ford Health System.

"The sun's ultraviolet (UV) rays can damage the surface layer of cells on the cornea, causing temporary blindness," Dr. Bogorad says. "UV rays also promote cataracts and may be a cause of macular degeneration. Depending on the sport you play, your eyes may require special protection."

Dr. Bogorad offers this advice to protect your eyes during the following activities:

Water Sports

The sun's rays are intensified when

they reflect off the water's surface. If you are participating in activities on the water such as sailing, jet skiing or fishing, your eyes need extra protection. Polarized lenses with UV protection reduce glare and actually enhance clarity of vision.

Golf

Spending hours on a sunny golf course can lead to eye strain and fatigue. It also exposes your eyes to UV rays that can lead to serious eye problems. Sunglasses are now available specifically for golf. The glasses have a wraparound design to reduce wind and glare, and are rimless so that the field of vision is not obstructed.

The lenses should offer UV protection and typically are neutral gray to maintain a player's depth and color

perception.

Cycling

Special sportshields have been developed to protect the eyes of serious cyclists. Because cyclists can sustain injuries from gravel and other projectile objects, the sportshield is larger than traditional sunglasses and has a polycarbonate lens, which is more impact-resistant. As with all sunglasses, you should purchase sportshields with UV protection.

Whether you are lying on the beach or taking an early evening walk, sunglasses should be worn to protect your eyes from the sun's damaging rays. For maximum benefit, the following guidelines can be used when selecting sunglasses:

■ Sunglasses should be labeled as having ultraviolet protection.

■ Lenses should not be too dark because you'll be limited to wearing them in only very bright settings.

■ The larger, the better. Wraparound styles provide added pro-

tection.

When selecting a tint of lens, color doesn't affect the degree of UV protection. The three most popular tints are green, brown or gray, but your decision should be based on personal preference.

"Many people prefer green because it makes the outdoor foliage appear more vivid and lush. Brown tends to increase apparent clarity. Gray distorts color visibility the least, providing the most accurate colors," Dr. Bogorad says.

For people who depend on prescription glasses, photochromatic lenses that darken in direct sunlight - such as Transitions - can be a good way to protect eyes from UV rays, especially for people who don't like switching between regular glasses and sunglasses. Dr. Bogorad warns that sometimes the lenses don't darken well in a car because they aren't exposed to direct sunlight. Some patients also find that the glasses tend not to change quickly enough in warm summer weather.

Weight loss involves leading an active life

Question: I'm a naturally overweight person. I've been watching my food intake closely. I eat foods very low in fat, drink lots of water and exercise about four times per week. I run the treadmill for about 30 minutes each time. My question is this: What do I do when I seem to be at a point where I can't lose more weight?

Answer: This is really a common problem, especially if you say you are a "naturally overweight person." Do you like to eat? You may be eating low-fat food - but too much of it. Portion-control can be a factor here.

Your exercise regimen is not demanding enough. Aerobic activity four times a week, 30 minutes per session is more of a maintenance program if you've been at it awhile. The key to permanent weight loss is to make your muscles more active so you can burn calories more easily. It works like this: The "fat/sedentary metabolism" shunts a large percentage of calories into its cells after eating, and inactivity will keep the fat cells full of fat. The "thin metabolism" uses calories quite differently, however, burning hundreds of them each day during physical activity.

Part of the fuel used for that activity is stored in the muscle cells and liver. The

active muscles and liver grab and store a larger part of your calories after eating, and these calories never see the inside of your fat cells.

Using your lower body muscles properly and often - a treadmill is fine but try to vary your activity - translates into your body becoming a fat-burning machine. After aerobically burning for 30 to 45 minutes, six days a week (some days harder than others), your body keeps right on working internally for several hours afterward, repairing and refueling the muscle tissue you've just used.

Generally, you can burn 20 percent more calories just sitting around after exercise. In fact, you burn the greatest number of calories in any given activity when your metabolic rate is already at a high point. I might also try exercising at a different time. What about a light dinner and healthy run in the evening? Changing times that you workout can also help.

If you burn an extra 50 calories a day, this can mean five pounds a year. My advice is check your food portions, increase exercise to six days a week, change your activity and the time of the day you workout to give yourself more variety.

(Myrna Partrich is co-owner of The Workout Co. in Bloomfield Hills. She is an appointee to the Governor's Council on Physical Fitness and the Michigan Fitness Foundation. Send questions or comments for Myrna to: Myrna Partrich, 805 E. Maple, Birmingham, MI 48009.)

EXERCISING OPTIONS



MYRNA PARTRICH

Moderation is the key when it comes to eating ice cream

What is the maximum amount of saturated fat you should eat in a whole day? The answer might be in your ice cream dish! In fact, you may be eating even more than the maximum recommended amount of saturated fat in just one cup of your favorite ice cream.

TALK TO THE MIRROR



FLORINE MARK

One of America's favorite desserts in the summer is ice cream, or for some, frozen yogurt. It's a staple in many people's seasonal diets. Families go out for ice cream after a Little League game or after dinner on weekends. And, of course, there's always that handy Good Humor truck coming around your street corner.

It's hard to pass up these tasty treats on a hot day, but you should be aware of what's in the ice cream before you decide to eat it or to serve it to the kids.

You know it's hard to beat the rich, creamy flavors of Ben & Jerry's or Haagen-Dazs, but you may not realize that just one cup of some of these premium ice creams can have about 40 grams of fat, 20 of which are saturated and that's your maximum allotment for the day!

A word of caution: Read labels carefully! The amounts of calories and fat listed in ice cream and frozen yogurts are based on a half-cup serving. When is the last time you measured exactly how much ice cream you ate?

If your usual serving is the size of a tennis ball or smaller, then you're eating no more than a half a cup. Most people indulge more than that and are certainly served more than that at the majority of ice cream parlors. So if you do enjoy an ice cream cone, keep a close eye on how much you eat.

By no means does a frozen dessert with a "fat-free," "low-fat" or "light" label mean you can polish off a pint and hide it from your waistline. Fat or no fat, ice cream, frozen yogurt, sorbet and sherbets are still sugary, caloric desserts, so it's important to make informed decisions.

If you want to enjoy a cool, refreshing, frozen treat try to stick with those that have no more than one gram of saturated fat and no more than two grams of total fat per half cup. Better yet, choose those with no artificial sweeteners and those that are high in calcium and/or vitamin C.

These "healthier" desserts are fairly easy to find if you enjoy fat-free ice cream and frozen yogurt, but you won't find them in regular premium ice cream. A standard full-fat ice cream averages 300-350 calories per cup whereas a premium full-fat

averages 500-700 calories per cup.

Here's the scoop on ice cream and frozen yogurt:

Most fat-free brands have a calories count in the 200-250 range per cup, but the premium fat-free ice creams and yogurts can be upwards toward 300 calories due to their lower air content.

It makes sense that if you switch to a "no sugar added" variety, you'll save on the calories. It's true that you will cut calories down a bit, but again read labels carefully because sometimes there's not much of a difference.

If fat-free is too extreme a change, you might enjoy low-fat ice cream and frozen yogurt instead - just eat less of it. A half-cup of the low-fat varieties is a reasonable amount to splurge on while still keeping a lid on your saturated fat intake.

Most "low-fats" have around three grams of fat per half-cup serving - one-and-a-half to two are saturated - which is roughly 20 percent of a day's worth of fat. That's a manageable amount if you watch what you eat the rest of the day, but it's definitely not something you should eat out of the half-gallon tub in front of the television!

When you see "light" on the container of ice cream or frozen yogurt, don't be fooled. Light usually means it has half of the fat of the regular version, which is probably still high for a healthy diet. There can be still four or five grams of fat per half cup in these light varieties. Choosing light over regular ice cream or frozen yogurt is definitely a better choice, but the best option is a low-fat or fat-free variety.

You may want to try sorbet or sherbet the next time you have a craving for a frozen dessert. They will still give you that cool, sweet flavor with very little or no fat in most kinds. It's a refreshing alternative to rich ice cream.

If you're at the park and an irresistible ice cream truck happens to cruise your way, your best bet is to probably order a push-up or regular popsicle.

Making a habit of daily ice cream desserts is not a good idea. Armed with the facts and clear nutrition labels, we can all enjoy an occasional frozen treat, but moderation is the key.

I read every one of your letters and I love your comments! Please keep writing me with any questions, inspirational stories or suggestions for upcoming articles to: "Talk to the Mirror," Weight Watchers Corporate Communications, P.O. Box 9072, Farmington Hills, MI 48334-2974. For more information on Weight Watchers, call 1-888-3FLORINE.

(Florine Mark is an appointee to the Governor's Council on Physical Fitness and the Michigan Fitness Foundation.)

HEALTHY LIVING

Metro Detroit HeartRide

The fifth annual American Heart Association Metro Detroit HeartRide is scheduled for Saturday, June 20.

Spinning off from the earlier route that traversed Belle Isle, this year's event will feature an expanded route for those bicycling enthusiasts who want to see the city of Detroit from an up-close-and-personal view.

The scenic Belle Isle route for cyclists and in-line skaters measures five kilometers. Two additional routes have also been added and these will highlight historical neighborhoods such as Indian Village, Mexican Village and Greektown as well as entertainment spots like the Detroit Opera House, Music Hall, the Fox and Gem theatres, the Motown Museum and Joe Louis Arena.

The Detroit Police Department, which will provide courtesy patrol cars to lead the riders along the route, and the Detroit Medical Center are two of many organizations supporting this worthwhile event.

"We are looking forward to this unique opportunity to participate in this ride and really see the best of what Detroit has to offer," Detroit Medical Center team coordinator Jim Shepard said. "These routes will give us that chance."

Call the American Heart Association at 1-800-968-1793 ext. 451 for more information or to register.

The Detroit Medical Center, the largest health care provider in Southeast Michigan, operated eight hospitals, two nursing centers and more than 130 outpatient facilities throughout Southeast Michigan.

The system has 3,000 licensed beds, 3,300 affiliated physicians and is a clinical research site for Wayne State University.

1998 MS Bike Tour

The Michigan Chapter of the National Multiple Sclerosis Society invites all Michigan bicyclists to register for the 1998 MS 150

Bike Tour on July 11 and July 12, starting at Springfield Oaks Activity Center in Davisburg.

MS 150 riders pedal 75 scenic miles (or take the 100-mile option) to Michigan State University in East Lansing, spend a fun night in MSU dorms and ride back to Davisburg the next morning. New this year is a one-day option on July 12.

Cyclists can ride 30 or 60 miles or choose the 7-mile mountain bike trail. All riders meet back at Springfield Oaks for a fun finish barbecue.

It's easy to sign up for the MS 150! Cyclists pay a \$30 registration fee and must raise at least \$150 in pledges. (The registration deadline is June 26, 1998.)

Along the route, the MS Society provides bike mechanics, medical support, vehicles to give weary riders a rest and rest stops stocked with refreshments.

For information, please call the MS Society at 1-800-247-7382 ext. 215.

Fibromyalgia

Dr. Martin Tamler, a specialist in physical medicine and rehabilitation, will present an overview of fibromyalgia syndrome and chronic fatigue syndrome at an upcoming forum.

A research update and treatment protocol will be discussed followed by a question-and-answer period.

The event is scheduled for Tuesday, June 30 from 7 p.m.-9 p.m. at the St. Mary Hospital auditorium in Livonia. The hospital is located at 36475 Five Mile Road.

For more information, call (248) 344-4063.

(Healthy Living spotlights Metro Detroit-related health and medical news and information. To submit items for consideration, write to staff writer Chris Mayer at: Healthy Living, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 805 E. Maple, Birmingham, MI 48009. Or fax information: (248) 644-1314.)

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524 Help Wanted-Domestic

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BABY SITTER for summer at our Onion Two home. Monday thru Friday. 4 hours daily. Must have car. (248) 393-0345

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604 Graduation

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622 Legal Notices Accepting Bids

The Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations will conduct an accreditation survey in St. Joseph Hospital for Special Surgery on June 29 and 30, 1998. Anyone believing that they have a quality of care or safety issue may request a public information interview by calling the JCAHO liaison at 630-792-5258

630 Cards of Thanks

A PRAYER to St. Clare. Recite the Hail Mary everyday for 9 days & make 3 wishes. Publish the prayer & they will be answered

636 Lost & Found

FOUND DOG - Small long-haired (Husky/Border) Gray & White on 6-8 in Plymouth on Ann Arbor Trail/Trick. Taken to Huron Valley Humane Society. 734-662-5585

FOUND On Grayfield between W. Chicago & Plymouth. Female Mix 30 lbs. Black & white. Older dog. Approx 10-12 yrs old. (313) 535-3994

LOST - Black & tan spaniel, med. built. Princess on May 27, 12's & Southfield. Reward 810-735-7425

LOST CAT - Calico with white & brown & black spots on nose, small, quiet shy affectionate. June 8, near Indian Wood & Joslyn. Name is Purr. (248) 693-5933

LOST CAT - Himalayan Blue Point. M-15 & Walden Rd. area. Call (248) 625-2152

LOST DOG

\$3,000 cash reward!!!
Lost Nov. 15 in Metamora area. 7 yr old female Australian Shepherd. Tricolor (mostly black) no tail. answers to "HUGO". sale. Balmontest. Weekend. Unbelievably rare items, including rare guns and knives. 3877 Industrial Rd. N. of M-50 off Linton Rd. Ask for Russ. (517) 552-0003

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U-HAUL STORAGE ROOM AUCTION

Thurs. June 18th. 10am
29500 Michigan Ave. Inster, MI
By J.C. Auction Services. Call 734-451-7444

708 Rummage Sale/ Flea Market

RUMMAGE SALE at St. Matthew's Church. 30900 W. Six Mile (between Middlebelt & Meridian). Livonia. June 19, 10-5, Sat. 10-1

ESTATE SALE

Furniture, antiques, china, linens, jewelry, rugs, chandeliers, with prism chandelier & numerous other items. 42660 Plymouth Hollow Dr. off Northville Rd. across from Old Thunderbird Hotel. Between Main & 3 Mile in Plymouth. Two Thursday, June 18th thru Saturday, June 20th. 9-6pm

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BUDWISER MEMORABILIA - Mugs, Plates, Mirrors, Cylinders. Misc. Entire Collection \$300. (313) 937-2307 - Daytime

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Ann Arbor Antiques Market

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706 Auction Sales

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Sat., June 20, 10am.
View at 8am
The Pontiac Police Dept. 110 E. Pike will auction forfeited property which includes comic books, stereos, bikes, TVs, etc. 248-857-7802

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711 Garage Sales Oakland

TROY - Subdivision sale. Sun. 20th - 9-3pm. Northeast Crooks & Square Lake Rd. Baby/child clothes, toys, books, bikes, household items.

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NORTH OAKLAND-SPORTS SCENE

Select soccer tryouts

The Lake Orion/Brandon/Oxford Select Soccer Club (LOBOS) will be holding tryouts for the 1998/1999 season at the Orion Township Park on Joslyn Road, 3 miles north of I-75, across from Canterbury Village.

Tryout for Boys U9 through U14 will be June 22nd and 24th, 5:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Tryout for Girls U9 through U14 will be June 23rd and 25th, 5:00 to 8:00 p.m. Registration begins at 4:00 on the first day of tryouts. Players must attend both sessions.

Boys U15 and U16 will be June 16th and 18th, 5:30 to 8:00 p.m. and Boys U17 through U19 will be June 24th, 5:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Girls U15 and U17 through U19 will be June 25th, 5:00 to 8:00 p.m. and Girls U16 will be June 16th, 17th, and 18th, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Bring water, cleats, and a ball to tryouts.

If you have any questions, please contact Marty Kimmel at 248-627-4771 or Jim Jones at 248-628-0511.

Select soccer coaches needed

The Lake Orion/Brandon/Oxford Select Soccer Club (LOBOS) is in need of coaches for the 1998/1999 season for the following teams: U9 Boys, U9 Girls, U10 Girls, U11 Girls and U14 Girls.

If you are interested or if you have any questions, please contact Marty Kimmel at 248-627-4771 or Jim Jones at 248-628-0511.

County sponsors sports camp

Oakland County Parks offers a "sports sampler" at its week-long Sports Camp, sponsored by The Sports Authority.

Athletes ages 8-13 are introduced to sports that encourage teamwork and sportsmanship. Daily activities include a mix of soccer, street hockey, flag football, kickball, volleyball and more. Camp dates are set for June 15-19; June 22-26; July 6-10; July 13-17; July 20-24; July 27-31; and Aug. 3-7. Camp hours are 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

For more information call (248) 858-0916.

New soccer league

The Oakland Developmental Soccer League is Oakland County's newest youth co-ed soccer league, providing an opportunity for children who want to compete at a level above recreational soccer.

The ODSL will provide experienced trainers for each age group, and will consist of ball skill development, speed and running development.

Open registration will be conducted June 1 to July 15, and will be accepted on a first-come basis. Registration forms can be picked up at Global Soccer (formerly Soccer World) in Lake Orion, RARA Office in Rochester and the City of Auburn Hills Recreation Department on Squirrel Road across from Oakland University.

Whitt camp

Dates have been set for the annual Ernie Whitt Baseball Academy, designed to provide youngsters ages 7-18 with an opportunity to learn more about the game and to improve their baseball skills through positive reinforcement. The camp is run by Whitt, a 14-year major league veteran best remembered for his years with the Toronto Blue Jays.

The camp will be held in Harper Woods June 15-19 from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., and at Macomb Community College (South Campus) June 22-26, also from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. For more information call (810) 465-1095.

Squires a Spartan

Domanick Squires, a senior at Rochester High School, has signed a letter of intent to pitch at Michigan State University. Squires received preferred walk-on status with an opportunity to receive a scholarship, guaranteeing him a spot on the 1999 Spartans.

Squires compiled a 17-3 record during his varsity career at Rochester and played an important role in the Falcons' 1997 Class A state championship.



Jenny Farrell



Rachel Uchman



Michelle Wilson



Latisha Hawley



Liz McKinnon



Lola Ogunyemi



Erica Holman



Megan Plante



Karen LeRoy



Becky Keller



Brittani Brewer



Kelly Gleeson



Lindsay Brant



Jennifer Rooding



Nicole Fisher



Andi Thomas



Nikki Brown



Lissa Lukens

Tops on the track

All-North Oakland team loaded with versatility



■ It was a very good year for track in north Oakland County, as Clarkston, Lake Orion and Oxford put together seasons that landed several girls from each squad on this year's Eccentric All-North Oakland team.

The year 1998 will go down as one of the most successful seasons for girls track & field in the Eccentric-North Oakland coverage area.

The reason? Well, all you need to do is take a glance at this year's all-area contingent and everything becomes self-explanatory.

So, let's not waste any time — pun fully intended — and meet the team:

FIELD EVENTS

■ **POLE VAULT:** Jenny Farrell, Oxford jr. — This was the first year that girls pole vault became a sanctioned event by the Michigan High School Athletic Association and Farrell jumped at the opportunity. After clearing 7-feet on a couple of occasions this season and winning a pair of dual meets, Farrell unfortunately tore her right tricep muscle and had to withdraw from vaulting at the Flint Metro League, Class B Algonac Regional and Oakland County meets. Still, the three-year letter-winner had a very successful season on the track in the 400 meters, finishing second at the FML and regional meets, fifth at the Romeo Invitational, ninth at the county meet, and 14th at the Lower Peninsula Class B state meet.

"Jenny likely would've been a state qualifier in the pole vault if she hadn't torn that muscle," offered Oxford coach Pam Craft. "She has a great work ethic and is a very versatile athlete that ran several (open) events and relays for us."

She is a great team person."

LONG JUMP:

Rachel Uchman, Clarkston soph. — After a slow start, this two-year varsity performer excelled in the long jump, posting a career-best 15-11.5 effort at the Oakland Activities Association Division II meet, which topped the field of competitors. Uchman also won four dual meets, was sixth at the county, seventh at the Class A Holly Regional and eighth at the Romeo Invitational.

"Rachel is a very versatile athlete and the long jump was just one of many events in which she excelled this season," praised Clarkston coach Gordie Richardson. "If you ask her to run an event that she normally doesn't run, she'll do it. Rachel will do anything for the team."

■ **HIGH JUMP:** Michelle Wilson, Clarkston jr. — Although a groin pull prevented Wilson from performing well at the regional, where she placed fifth, she still had a fine junior campaign. Wilson won four dual meets, took the OAA Division II meet and was third at the Romeo Invitational with a season-best leap of 5-1. Wilson was also a standout hurdler, winning the 100 hurdles at the league meet with a 16.3 clocking.

"If Michelle didn't get hurt towards the end of the season, there's no telling what she might have accomplished," said Richardson. "Michelle sets high goals for herself and she is a great leader. And with her gymnastics background, she really knows how to use that to her advantage."

■ **DISCUS:** Latisha Hawley, Clarkston sr. — Perhaps one of the most improved athletes in the area, Hawley finally broke the 100-foot barrier this season, and she emerged as one of the top throwers in the OAA Division II. This season, Hawley won three dual meets, finished second at the Clarkston Invitational, third at the Romeo Invitational, fourth at the league meet, sixth at the regional and ninth at the county meet. Her best effort in the discus was 104-6. Hawley, a four-year letter-winner, also threw the shot put 30-7 and placed fifth at the league meet in that event.

"Latisha worked so hard to break 100 feet and it was rewarding to see her accomplish that," said Richardson. "She was a great leader and the younger kids always followed her example."

■ **SHOT PUT:** Elizabeth McKinnon, Oxford jr. — Although McKinnon's career-best toss of 36-10 landed her in the finals at the state meet, she came up just short for a medal as she placed ninth in an ultra-competitive field. Still, that didn't dampen this



Gretchen Pitser



Two-timer: Clarkston's Megan Plante made the first team for the second straight season.

1998 Eccentric All-North Oakland Girls Track Team

EVENT	NAME	SCHOOL
Pole Vault:	Jenny Farrell	Oxford
Long Jump:	Rachel Uchman	Clarkston
High Jump:	Michelle Wilson	Clarkston
Discus:	Latisha Hawley	Clarkston
Shot Put:	Elizabeth McKinnon	Oxford
100 Meters:	Kelly Gleeson	Lake Orion
200 Meters:	Rachel Uchman	Clarkston
400 Meters:	Erica Holman	Clarkston
800 Meters:	Megan Plante	Clarkston
1,600 Meters:	Karen LeRoy	Oxford
3,200 Meters:	Becky Keller	Oxford
100 Hurdles:	Brittani Brewer	Clarkston
300 Hurdles:	Amanda Chicalas	Clarkston
400 Relay:	Kelly Gleeson	Lake Orion
	Andi Thomas	Lake Orion
	Nikki Brown	Lake Orion
	Lola Ogunyemi	Lake Orion
800 Relay:	Jennifer Rooding	Clarkston
	Gretchen Pitser	Clarkston
	Lindsay Brandt	Clarkston
	Rachel Uchman	Clarkston
1,600 Relay:	Jennifer Rooding	Clarkston
	Gretchen Pitser	Clarkston
	Megan Plante	Clarkston
	Erica Holman	Clarkston
3,200 Relay:	Jennifer Rooding	Clarkston
	Nicole Fisher	Clarkston
	Lissa Lukens	Clarkston
	Megan Plante	Clarkston

SECOND TEAM

Pole Vault — Andrea Brani (Oxford) fr.; **Long Jump** — Lola Ogunyemi (Lake Orion) jr.; **High Jump** — (tie) Erica Holman (Clarkston) sr., Brittani Brewer (Clarkston) sr.; **Discus** — Elizabeth McKinnon (Oxford) jr.; **Shot Put** — Kelly Ghiacuc (Oxford) sr.; **100 Meters** — (tie) Lola Ogunyemi (Lake Orion) jr., Erica Holman (Clarkston) sr.; **200 Meters** — Erica Holman (Clarkston) sr.; **400 Meters** — Jenny Farrell (Oxford) sr.; **800 Meters** — Jennifer Rooding (Clarkston) jr.; **1,600 Meters** — Megan Plante (Clarkston) sr.; **3,200 Meters** — Lissa Lukens (Clarkston) jr.; **100 Hurdles** — Michelle Wilson (Clarkston) jr.; **300 Hurdles** — Bonnie Payne (Oxford) sr.; **400 Relay** — Clarkston (Gretchen Pitser, sr., Amanda Chicalas, fr., Lauren Bogart, soph., Lindsay Brandt, fr.); **800 Relay** — Lake Orion (Andi Thomas, soph., Nikki Brown, soph., Sarah George, sr., Kelly Gleeson, soph.); **1,600 Relay** — Lake Orion (Brooke Preston, soph., Cheri Charbonneau, soph., Somer George, soph., Sarah George, sr.); **3,200 Relay** — Oxford (Becky Keller, sr., Nicole Brockway, fr., Katie Bowden, soph., Karen Leroy, soph.).

third-year varsity veteran's campaign as she excelled from start to finish.

McKinnon was dominating in the shot, going undefeated in dual meets, winning the Algonac Regional, and finishing second at the FML, Romeo Invitational and county meets. McKinnon also enjoyed tremendous success in the discus, placing third at both the regional and Romeo Invitational, fifth at the FML and seventh at the county.

"In most years, Liz's performance at the state meet would have placed her (in the medal standings)," said Craft. "She got better and better at each meet and peaked at the state finals. She simply had a great year."

SPRINTS

■ **100 METERS:** Kelly Gleeson, Lake Orion soph. — A two-year letter-winner, Gleeson emerged this season as the Dragons' top sprinter and most versatile athlete.

"Kelly is so naturally talented," said Lake Orion coach Sharon Kline. "She can run so many events and she seems to get stronger every time out."

In her best event, the 100 meters, Gleeson won a pair of dual meets, was

fourth at the OAA Division II meet, eighth at Holly Regional and was a semifinalist at the county meet.

■ **200 METERS:** Rachel Uchman, Clarkston soph. — Although Uchman didn't run the 200 at every meet, she still performed well enough in this event to get the first-team nod. Uchman won two dual meets this season, placed third at the Clarkston Invitational and fourth at the OAA Division II meet. Her best effort this year was 27.3.

MIDDLE DISTANCES

■ **400 METERS:** Erica Holman, Clarkston sr. — Perhaps the area's most versatile athlete, Holman competed in several events this season, but the 400 was clearly her best. At the regional, Holman placed third with a 59.3 clocking, which landed her in the Class A state meet, where she placed 13th. A four-year varsity letter-winner, Holman — the Wolves' co-Team MVP who scored a team-leading 129.5 points throughout the season — won four dual meets, captured first at the Clarkston Invitational and was fourth at the

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county meet. She did not compete at the league meet due to an illness.

"The 60-second barrier is what a lot of runners perceive as being the difference from being good in the 400 meters to being great, and Erica was finally able to break it this year," said Richardson. "Erica could do just about

anything, but when it came to the 400, she set her goals really high and she accomplished them. She had a great season and career at Clarkston and will be missed."

■ **800 METERS:** Megan Plante, Clarkston sr. — This four-year varsity performer, who will compete in cross-country

and track next year at Marquette University, concluded a stellar career by placing 10th at the state finals with a 2:21.8 effort. Plante, a three-time state qualifier who shared Team MVP honors this season with Holman, also won four dual meets, captured the OAA Division II crown and placed third at both the

regional and county.

"We had a great senior class this season and Megan was one of our leaders," said Richardson. "She, too, could run multiple events and would always do whatever the team needed her to do. She is the type of person every coach likes to have on their team."

DISTANCES

■ **1,600 METERS:** Karen LeRoy, Oxford soph. — Two years of cross-country and track has resulted into four trips to the state meet for this sophomore sensation.

"Karen really knows how to compete," said Craft. "She is a great athlete that always works extremely hard and will run anything we needed her to run. She has two good years ahead of her."

This season, LeRoy won five dual meets, captured both the league and regional titles, finished fourth at the county, seventh at the Romeo Invitational and 25th at the state meet.

■ **3,200 METERS:** Becky Keller, Oxford sr. — Although Keller's third-place finish at the regional prevented this standout from qualifying for the state meet for a fourth time, she still had a fine encore campaign.

After losing just one dual meet during the season, Keller bounced back to win the FML title and place seventh at the county meet.

"It was a disappointing for her not to be able to qualify for the state meet, but she proved to herself at the Flint Metro and county that she could bounce back and overcome adversity," said Craft. "Becky is a very competitive individual and we will miss her next season."

HURDLES

■ **100-METER INTERMEDIATE HURDLES:** Brittani Brewer, Clarkston sr. — This four-year letter-winner's high-light reel was headlined when she captured a regional championship in this event. Brewer, whose top time this season was 16.1, was also second at the league meet and Clarkston Invitational, third at the Romeo Invitational and sixth at the county championships.

"Brittani's big turnaround

came when she finally learned how to three-step correctly, and with her long legs, she was really able to become a very good hurdler," offered Richardson. "She doesn't have great speed, but she has adequate speed to go along with a tremendous work ethic. That is why her times dropped like a rock this season. She really put her heart and soul into it."

■ **300-METER LOW HURDLES:** Amanda Chicalas, Clarkston fr. — Chicalas debuted as an unknown, but quickly climbed the charts with a bullet to become one of the premier freshmen in Oakland County. Undeclared in dual meets throughout the season, Chicalas went on to win the OAA Division II, Romeo Invitational and regional titles, and took third at the both the Clarkston Invitational and county meets. At the state meet, Chicalas posted a 47.25 clocking, which placed her 11th.

"Amanda is a fierce competitor who absolutely hates to lose," said Richardson. "If she continues at this pace, she could become just an outstanding hurdler."

RELAYS

■ **400-METER RELAY:** Lake Orion (Kelly Gleason, soph., Andi Thomas, soph., Nikki Brown, soph., Lola Ogunyemi, jr.) — This foursome broke a 10-year-old school record at the Oxford Relays midway through the season, placing second with a 51.6 clocking, and continued to have strong showings the rest of the season. Together, they won two dual meets, placed fourth at the OAA Division II meet, seventh at the Holly Regional and 10th at the county meet.

"They consistently ran well together this year," said Kline. "But the best thing about them is that they're all coming back. Hopefully, they can do even better next year."

■ **800-METER RELAY:** Clarkston (Jennifer Rooding, jr., Gretchen Pitser, sr., Lindsay Brandt, fr., Rachel Uchman, soph.) — This quartet joined forces midway through the season and consistently medaled at invitationals, placing second at the Clarkston Invita-

tional, fourth at the Romeo Invitational, fifth at both the OAA Division II and regional meets, and seventh at the county meet. Their best effort was 1:49.4.

"Our lead-off runner, Jennifer Rooding, was kind of our relay expert. She led off the (800-, 1,600- and 3,200-meter relays) and put us in a good position, and everybody else did their part to keep us in the race," said Richardson. "Our relays were one of our many strengths."

■ **1,600-METER RELAY:** Clarkston (Jennifer Rooding, jr., Gretchen Pitser, sr., Megan Plante, sr., Erica Holman, sr.) — A gutsy performance at the Holly Regional saw this unit break the tape with a season-best 4:05.1 clocking, landing them in the fast heat at the state finals. Although they never ran together in dual meets, they came together for victories at the Romeo Invitational and league meet, took runners-up honors at both the Clarkston Invitational and county meet, and capped the season off by finishing 11th at the Class A finals.

"They were all great competitors with a lot of guts and they really came through at the big meets," said Richardson. "They didn't run their best race at the state meet, but looking back at the season, they were very successful."

■ **3,200-METER RELAY:** Clarkston (Jennifer Rooding, jr., Nicole Fisher, soph., Lissa Lukens, jr., Megan Plante, sr.) — The Wolves' boys' 3,200 relay finished ninth at the state meet and Clarkston's girls' contingent suffered the same fate, placing ninth — just three seconds out of eighth.

"That was kind of disappointing to have come that close," said Richardson. "But the times at the state meet in this event are getting faster and faster each year and it's so difficult to place. These girls have nothing to be ashamed of."

Undeclared in six dual meets, this foursome also won league, regional, Clarkston Invitational and Romeo Invitational titles before winning the county meet in a season-best time of 9:38.4.

GIRLS TRACK & FIELD LEADERS

■ **POLE VAULT** — Jenny Ferrell (Oxford) 7-0; Andrea Brani (Oxford) 5-6.

■ **LONG JUMP** — Michelle Uchman (Clarkston) 15-11.5; Lola Ogunyemi (Lake Orion) 14-8; Julia Ludeman (Oxford) 15-6.75; Lauren Bogart (Clarkston) 14-6.5; Lindsay Vincent (Clarkston) 14-5.5; Sarah Kwiatkowski (Oxford) 13-11; Sarah George (Lake Orion) 13-8; Cheri Charbonneau (Lake Orion) 13-2.5.

■ **HIGH JUMP** — Michelle Wilson (Clarkston) 5-1; Brittani Brewer (Clarkston) 4-10; Erica Holman (Clarkston) 4-10; Gretchen Pitser (Clarkston) 4-8.

■ **DISCUS** — Latisha Hawley (Clarkston) 104-6; Elizabeth McKinnon (Oxford) 104-2; Kelly Ghiacuc (Oxford) 95-11.5; Becky Friesen (Clarkston) 87-7; Katie Jerge (Clarkston) 85-5; Shamonu Larkins (Lake Orion) 84-1; Candice Emeigh (Lake Orion) 82-9; Laurie Mudd (Oxford) 77-6; Louie Spindler (Lake Orion) 72-10; Constance Webb (Clarkston) 71-9; Ellen Cushing (Clarkston) 69-8.

■ **SHOT PUT** — Elizabeth McKinnon (Oxford) 36-10; Kelly Ghiacuc (Oxford) 35-1; Shamonu Larkins (Lake Orion) 31-4; Katie Jerge (Clarkston) 30-9; Latisha Hawley (Clarkston) 30-7.5.

■ **100** — Kelly Gleason (Lake Orion) 12.9; Erica Holman (Clarkston) 12.9; Lola Ogunyemi (Lake Orion) 13.1; Lindsay Brandt (Clarkston) 13.1; Rachel Uchman (Clarkston) 13.4.

■ **200** — Rachel Uchman (Clarkston) 27.3; Erica Holman (Clarkston) 27.5; Gretchen

Pitser (Clarkston) 27.9; Kelly Gleason (Lake Orion) 27.9; Lindsay Brandt (Clarkston) 28.0; Lola Ogunyemi (Lake Orion) 28.2; Nicole Brown (Lake Orion) 28.4; Jenny Ferrell (Oxford) 28.4; Lindsay Vincent (Clarkston) 29.2; Lauren Bogart (Clarkston) 29.0; Andi Thomas (Lake Orion) 29.2; Courtney Bates (Clarkston) 29.5.

■ **400** — Erica Holman (Clarkston) 59.3; Jenny Ferrell (Oxford) 1:01.0; Rachel Uchman (Clarkston) 1:01.3; Jennifer Rooding (Clarkston) 1:02.1; Sarah George (Lake Orion) 1:02.7; Megan Plante (Clarkston) 1:02.9; Lindsay Brandt (Clarkston) 1:03.7; April Rooding (Clarkston) 1:04.4; Gretchen Pitser (Clarkston) 1:05.6; Sommer George (Lake Orion) 1:05.8; Katie McKinnon (Oxford) 1:06.0.

■ **800** — Megan Plante (Clarkston) 2:21.8; Jennifer Rooding (Clarkston) 2:22.6; Karen Leroy (Oxford) 2:27.6; Nicole Fisher (Clarkston) 2:29.2; Lissa Lukens (Clarkston) 2:30.7.

■ **1,600** — Karen Leroy (Oxford) 5:20.1; Megan Plante (Clarkston) 5:33.7; Lissa Lukens (Clarkston) 5:43.2; Becky Keller (Oxford) 5:51.2; Karyn Erkfriz (Clarkston) 5:51.8.

■ **3,200** — Becky Keller (Oxford) 11:57.7; Lissa Lukens (Clarkston) 12:43.4; Megan Plante (Clarkston) 12:47.9; Aisha Newkirk (Lake Orion) 13:05.0; Leah Dubay (Lake Orion) 13:08.7; Cindy Kus (Lake Orion) 13:10.6.

■ **100 Hurdles** — Brittani Brewer (Clarkston) 16.1; Michelle Wilson (Clarkston) 16.3; Amanda Chicalas (Clark-

ston) 17.0; Kelly Gleason (Lake Orion) 17.2; Melissa Ehrecke (Lake Orion) 17.3; Sarah Kwiatkowski (Oxford) 18.5; L. Anderson (Lake Orion) 18.8; Danielle Nyquist (Lake Orion) 18.9; Cheri Charbonneau (Lake Orion) 19.3; Jessica Hendren (Clarkston) 19.4; Kristen Orris (Clarkston) 19.7.

■ **300 Hurdles** — Amanda Chicalas (Clarkston) 47.25; Bonnie Payne (Oxford) 48.6; Michelle Wilson (Clarkston) 50.4; Brittani Brewer (Clarkston) 50.5; Melissa Ehrecke (Lake Orion) 51.0; Cheri Charbonneau (Lake Orion) 53.1; Sarah Kwiatkowski (Oxford) 54.4; Heather Brown (Clarkston) 54.8; Kristen Orris (Clarkston) 57.5; Kris Ankersen (Lake Orion) 58.1; Kristi Pope (Clarkston) 58.7.

■ **400 Relay** — Lake Orion (Lola Ogunyemi, Nikki Brown, Andi Thomas, Kelly Gleason) 51.6; Clarkston 52.1; Oxford 57.0; Lake Orion 'B' 57.5; Clarkston 'B' 57.9; Lake Orion 'B' 59.3.

■ **800 Relay** — Clarkston (Jennifer Rooding, Gretchen Pitser, Lindsay Brandt, Rachel Uchman) 1:49.4; Lake Orion 1:51.4; Oxford 1:58.0; Clarkston 'B' 2:02.1; Lake Orion 'B' 2:04.5.

■ **1,600 Relay** — Clarkston (Jennifer Rooding, Gretchen Pitser, Megan Plante, Erica Holman) 4:05.1; Lake Orion 4:20.5; Oxford 4:25.7; Clarkston 'B' 4:25.3; Clarkston 'C' 4:43.4.

■ **3,200 Relay** — Clarkston (Jennifer Rooding, Nicole Fisher, Lissa Lukens, Megan Plante) 9:38.4; Oxford 10:48.3; Lake Orion 11:01.0; Clarkston 'B' 11:02.6; Clarkston 'C' 11:11.6; Clarkston 'D' 11:38.9.

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ARCHERY

3D SHOOT
Oakland County Sportsman Club will hold a 30-target 3D shoot beginning at 9 a.m. Sunday, June 14, on its walk-through course in Clarkston. Call (248) 623-0444 for more information.

BOWHUNTER SHOOT
Detroit Archers will hold a 3D Bowhunter Shoot beginning at 9 a.m. Saturday, June 20, on its walk-through course in West Bloomfield. Call (248) 661-9610 for more information.

JUNIOR OLYMPICS
The Oakland County Sportsman Club in Clarkston offers a Junior Olympic Archery Development Program beginning at 1 p.m. on Sundays. Call (248) 623-0444 for more information.

JUNIOR ARCHERS
A weekly program for junior archers begins at 9 a.m. Saturdays at Detroit Archers in West Bloomfield. Call (248) 661-9610 or (313) 835-2110 for more information.

CLASSES/CLINICS

INTERNATIONAL BOWHUNTERS
The International Bowhunters Clinic will be held June 19-21 at Andersen Archery in Grand Ledge. Call (517) 527-3251 for more information.

BOW HUNTERS RENDEZVOUS
The Michigan Bow Hunters Rendezvous will be held July 25-26 at the Springfield Oaks Fairgrounds in Davisburg.

FLY TYING
Paint Creek Outfitters in Rochester offers a variety of fly tying classes for beginners and advanced tyers. Call (248) 650-0440 for more information or to make a reservation for an upcoming class.

CANOE DAY

Test drive one of 20 different Mad River canoes during this on-the-water clinic, which begins at 4 p.m. Wednesday, June 17, on Kent Lake at Kensington Metropark. The clinic is offered by REI in Northville. Call (248) 347-2100 for details.

BASICS OF GPS

Learn the basics of navigation and how the GPS receiver works during this program, which begins at 10 a.m. Saturday, June 20, at REI in Northville. Call (248) 347-2100 for more information.

HUNTER EDUCATION

Wayne County Sportsmen's Club will hold several hunter education classes in the upcoming months at its clubhouse and grounds in Romulus. These classes will be taught by certified instructors. Students must be present for both days of their respective class. All equipment will be provided. Classes will be offered Aug. 29-30, Oct. 3-4, Oct. 17-18 and Nov. 7-8. Cost is \$10.50 and includes lunch both days. To pre-register call (313) 941-9688.

CLUBS

SOLAR

The School for Outdoor Leadership, Adventure and Recreation (SOLAR), a non-profit organization interested in promoting the appreciation of outdoor activities, meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month at the Colony Hall in Southfield. Call (248) 988-6658 for more information.

METRO-WEST STEELHEADERS

Metro-West Steelheaders meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month in the cafeteria at Garden City High School. Call Dominic Liparoto at (248) 476-5027 for more information.

MICHIGAN FLY FISHING

The Michigan Fly Fishing Club meets at 7 p.m. the first and third Wednesdays of each month at Livonia Clarenceville Junior High School. Call (810) 478-1494 for more information.

FOUR SEASONS

The Four Seasons Fishing Club meets at 7:30 p.m. the first

Wednesday of each month at the Senior Citizen's Center in the Livonia Civic Center. Call Jim Kudej at (313) 591-0843 for more information.

FISHING BUDDYS

Fishing Buddys Fishing Club meets monthly in Rochester Hills. The meetings are open to all anglers. Call (248) 656-0556 for more information.

CLINTON VALLEY BASS

Clinton Valley Bass Anglers club is seeking new members (boaters and non-boaters are welcome.) The club meets monthly at Gander Mountain in Waterford. Call Mike Daly at (248) 666-8910 for more information.

BASS ASSOCIATION

The Downriver Bass Association, a non-tournament bass club, meets at 6:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of every month at the Gander Mountain in Taylor. Call (734) 676-2863 for more information.

FISHING TOURNAMENTS

OAKLAND BASS MASTERS

Oakland Bass Masters will hold a two-man open tournament on Sunday, June 28, on Lake St. Clair. Registration is \$75 per boat and is limited to 100 boats. Call (248) 542-5254 for more information.

MEETINGS

NRC

The monthly meeting of the state Natural Resource Commission will be Wednesday and Thursday, June 10-11 at the Tawas City Holiday Inn. Persons who wish to address the commission or persons with disabilities needing accommodations for effective participation should contact Teresa Golden at (517) 373-2352 a week in advance.

SEASON/DATES

BASS

Bass season opens June 20 on Lake St. Clair, and the St. Clair and Detroit rivers. The season

opened May 23 on all other waters.

BEAR

June 15 is the deadline to apply for a fall bear hunting permit.

DEER

August 15 is the deadline to apply for an antlerless deer permit.

ELK

July 15 is the deadline to apply for a September or a December elk permit.

SHOOTING RANGES

BALD MOUNTAIN

Bald Mountain Recreation Area in Lake Orion has shotgun (skeeet & trap, sporting clays, 5-stand), rifle, pistol, and archery shooting facilities. Range hours are 10 a.m. to dusk on Wednesdays, 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays and noon-dusk on Mondays and Tuesdays. Bald Mountain is located at 1330 Greenshield Rd., which is three miles north of the Palace of Auburn Hills off M-24. Call (248) 814-9193 for more information.

PONTIAC LAKE

Pontiac Lake Recreation Area in Waterford has rifle, pistol, shotgun, and archery ranges. Range hours are 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Wednesdays through Sundays. Pontiac Lake Recreation Area is located at 7800 Gale Rd. Call (248) 666-1020 for more information.

ORTONVILLE RECREATION

Ortonville Recreation Area in Ortonville has rifle, pistol and shotgun shooting facilities. The Ortonville Recreation Area is located at 5779 Hadley Rd. Call (248) 693-6767 for more information.

OAKLAND COUNTY PARKS

COUNTY PARK REQUIREMENTS

Advanced registration is required for all nature programs at Oakland County Parks. Call (810) 625-6473 to register or for more information.

FREE WOOD CHIPS

Free wood chips from the Oak-

land County Parks Christmas tree recycling program will be available on Saturday, June 27, at Orion Oaks at the Clarkston Road entrance. Individuals are asked to provide their own shovels and to load the chips by hand. No motorized equipment is allowed and no commercial haulers. Additional wood chip dates are scheduled for July 25, August 29, Sept. 26 and Oct. 31.

JUNIOR NATURALISTS

Ages 9-13 can discover nature's active night shift during this evening program, which begins at 7 p.m. Saturday at Independence Oaks.

TURTLE TOURS

Turtle secrets and facts will be discussed during this lakeshore tour, which begins at 10 a.m. Saturday at Independence Oaks.

METROPARKS

METROPARK REQUIREMENTS

Most Metropark programs are free while some require a nominal fee. Advanced registration and a motor vehicle permit are required for all programs. Call the respective parks toll free at the following numbers: Stony Creek, 1-800-477-7756; Indian Springs, 1-800-477-3192; Kensington, 1-800-477-3178.

1998 PERMITS

The 1998 Huron-Clinton Metroparks annual vehicle entry permits and boat launching permits are on sale at all Metropark offices. Vehicle entry permits are \$15 (\$8 for senior citizens). The annual boat launching permits are \$18 (\$9 for senior citizens). Call 1-800-47-PARKS for more information.

ALCOHOL BAN

An alcohol ban will be in effect at some Metroparks until the middle of June. Times and dates will be posted at each park.

SANDCASTLES

Ages 4-6 can have some fun in the sand as they join a naturalist for a nature story, an activity and a snack during this program, which begins at 1 p.m. Friday at Stony Creek.

SPRING WILDFLOWERS

Learn about the variety of late spring bloomers during this program, which begins at 10 a.m.

Saturday at Kensington.

SLOPPING THE HOGS

A chance for ages five and older to help with farm chores begins at 3 p.m. Saturday at the Kensington Farm Center.

ARACHNOMANIA

Learn about the beneficial side of spiders during this program, which begins at 2 p.m. Sunday at Kensington.

HOME SCHOOL ADVENTURE

Ages 4-7 will learn about animals that live in and around water during this program, which begins at 10 a.m. Wednesday, June 17, at Stony Creek.

BOTANY, BEES, BUTTERFLIES AND BIRDS

Novice and experts alike are welcome to help the park naturalist inventory some of the plants and animals in the park during this program, which begins 7:30 p.m. Wednesday at Stony Creek.

STATE PARKS

STATE PARK REQUIREMENTS

Maybury State Park, Proud Lake Recreation Area, Bald Mountain Recreation Area, Highland Recreation Area, and Island Lake Recreation Area offer nature interpretive programs throughout the year. A state park motor vehicle permit is required for entry into all state parks and state recreation areas. For registration and additional information on the programs at Maybury call (810) 349-8390. For programs at Bald Mountain call (810) 693-6767. For programs at Proud Lake and Highland call (810) 685-2433. For programs at Island Lake call (810) 229-7067.

SUMMER BIRD HIKE

Observe bird species while taking a walk through the park during this program, which begins at 8 a.m. Saturday at Maybury.

DAIRY DAY

Learn about dairy products and how they are made during this hands-on demonstration, which begins at 2 p.m. Saturday at Maybury.

KIDS HIKE

Kids under age 12 and their

Catcher gets scholarship to Wittenberg

Jeff Buelow, a senior at Rochester High School, has signed a combination athletic/academic baseball scholarship to Wittenberg University in Springfield, Ohio. Buelow was the starting catcher on the 1997 Class A state championship team as well as the 1998 nationally-ranked Falcons.

During his career at Rochester, Buelow topped the .350 mark in hitting each year and provided leadership, both on and off the field. Buelow was also the starting point guard on the 1998 Rochester varsity basketball team.

Buelow joins battery mates, Andrew Good, Mike Bennion, Domanick Squires and John Handley this summer on the North Oakland Stars, along with Tim Frankhouse, Mike Kiehl and Brett Wattles, also from Rochester High.

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DWF, 43, 5'8", medium build, in Garden City, mother of two, smoker, social drinker, seeks tall, fit, socially successful, 45-53, who lives surrounding area, to share an old-fashioned, romantic relationship. #2812

DOWNTOWN PLYMOUTH
Fit SWF, 52, 5'7", 120lbs, short dark hair, NS, no dependents, seeks fit SM with a nice smile, to walk, jog, hike, and cook with. #2834

LOVING TRADITIONAL VALUES
Educated SWF, 57, blonde/blue, curvaceous, not heavy, in a mature, pleasant, tall, nice-looking, honest, brave, monogamous SWM, 35-50, an individualist who wants an LTR. #2828

PRESCRIPTION FOR ROMANCE
Beautiful, successful doctor SWF, 30s, 5'5", slim, sincere, honest, accomplished, well-traveled, loves sports, golf, theater and travel. Seeking educated, successful, mature gentleman, 35-43, for relationship, to start family. #2744

LET'S HAVE FUN
Attractive affectionate DMF, 26, 5'2", brown/blonde, mom of 1, enjoys dining out, movies, trips up and down the coast, evenings. Seeking a friendly, secure SWM, 25-35, NS, who likes kids, for friendship. #2826

CHANGE MY MIND
Petite DWF, 33, brunette, mother of two, seeks honest, sincere, fun-loving, responsible guy, to share life with. #2829

LOOKING FOR MR. RIGHT
Active, outgoing SWF, 35, 5'5", 115lbs, NS, college-educated, financially secure, intelligent, social, enjoys dining, dancing, theater, and more, seeks SWM, 32-45, NS, similar qualities/interests, for LTR. #2811

BEAUTIFUL, BLUE EYES
SWF, 28, enjoys music, dancing, romance, seeks SWM, 30-40, tall, handsome, fun-loving, serious replies please. #2790

LOOKING FOR LOVE
Pretty, romantic, intelligent SWF loves family, enjoys movies, dancing, concerts, theater, looking for smart man, 40-55, sincere, romantic, fun-loving, no games, no players. #2792

SUMMER ROMANCE
SWF, 27, seeks SWM, 27-32, good person, sense of humor, fun-loving, outdoors, sports, romance, to have fun with this summer, and a LTR with right person. #2787

STILL A FANTASY
SWF, 28, 5'3", brown/blonde, enjoys dining, dancing, Red Wings, Seeking commitment-minded SWM, 30-42, for possible relationship. #2791

LOOKING FOR SMART MAN
SF, seeks very hip, open-minded, caring, rugged, successful, intelligent, 30-40, in shape, Mickey Rourke type, no dependents under 18, financially/independently stable, with a sense of humor. #2797

GREEN-EYED LADY
Outgoing, college-educated SWF, 26, medium build, NS, enjoys dining, dancing, theater, and more, seeks SWM, 25-32, who has similar interests, and a good sense of humor. #2789

OLD-FASHIONED
Divorced mother of one, 30, very shy, blonde/brown, blue eyes, 5'7", 110lbs, enjoys dining, older kids, all vices, loves to travel, seeks romantic, intelligent, 30-40, for LTR. #2784

LET'S ENJOY SPRING
Attractive, affectionate, blonde, NS, one child, enjoys running, warm weather, concerts, dancing, Seeking fun, fit, romantic SWM, 35-45, NS, to enjoy together. #2782

SOMETHING DIFFERENT
SBF, 24, 5'4", dark-skinned, curvaceous, feminine, seeks gentleman, 30-40, for fun, and friendship. #2737

BEAUTIFUL SMILE
Attractive, affectionate, blonde, 5'7", slender, college graduate, enjoys movies, concerts, dining, and laughter. Seeking tall, handsome, successful, spontaneous SWM, 30-55, NS, social drinker, college graduate, for LTR. #2808

UNDER CONSTRUCTION
Beautiful SF, blonde/blue, building a fine structure, needs an attractive SM construction bldg, 30-42, to help finish the plans. It will be worth the call. #2778

ATTRACTIVE WIDOW
Pretty, slender, tall, intelligent SF, 52, retired, fun, smoker, seeks gentleman, 50-65, intelligent, tall, articulate, classy, confident, interested in finding someone with my above qualities. #2820

LEGGO, BLENDER, & STYLISH
Blue-eyed, honey blonde, 40s, 5'8", active, independent, Birmingham homeowner, looks 30s, intelligent, ambitious, attractive, seeks professional, witty, fit, handsome, unencumbered, male counterpart, 6', for extreme fun, romance, adventure. #2816

ALL ORIGINAL
DWF, one of a kind, long sleek body lines, blonde reg top, low mileage, pure like a virgin. Seeking comparable, 6'4", 50-58, to go for a test drive. #2797

JILL SEEKS TIM
This medium-blond, 46, 5'3", single again, NS, no kids, from Royal Oak, has the tools but needs the right guy to teach her how to use them; maybe we can build an LTR. #2801

CUTE, PETITE BLOND...
mid-40s, mid 5'8", 100lbs, great shape, secure, honest, caring, trusting, NS, NO, prefers the same in nice-looking, slim SWM, mid-40s to mid-50s, who wants a special lady to share summer fun. #2802

PREFERRED STOCK
Attractive, slender, intelligent, affectionate, outgoing, energetic SWF, 48, 5'6", who's independent, seeks tall, fit, attractive, honest, humorous SWM, 42-52, 6'4", NS, degreed, for friendship first. #2789

LOTS TO OFFER
Attractive, slim, educated, fit SWF, 50+, enjoys arts, travel, fitness, education and fun. Seeking secure, educated, open, caring SM for a partner. #2782

SECRET GARDEN
DWF, 40s, 5'8", blonde, seeks large, furry teddy bear, 5'8" plus, who enjoys music, theater, concerts, motorcycles, slow dancing, and just being together. #2778

I'M READY, ARE YOU?
Can you relate to my dilemma? Attractive SWF, seeks an open, honest, physically fit, intelligent SM, 45-55, NS, loves life and challenges. If it fits, let's start with friendship, explore the possibilities. #2824

YOUNG LIZ TAYLOR LOOK-ALIKE
Charming, smart, successful, adventurous SWF, 45, 5'3", 140lbs, enjoys traveling, dining, entertaining, boasting fun love of life Seeking SWM, 45-55, #2824

I NEED A MAN
Attractive, employed, educated BF, 50 (looks much younger), exercises daily, no dependents, seeks employed male, 45-55, no dependents, no hang-up baggage, for one on one monogamous relationship. NS, mandatory Race open. #2822

LOVE IS A STRANGER
SWF, 37, attractive, petite single mother, 40s, 5'8", blonde, seeks a mature, well-dressed, successful, professional, 45-55, no dependents, no hang-up baggage, for one on one monogamous relationship. NS, mandatory Race open. #2822

SHARE MY HEART & SOUL
DWF, 52, 5'5", attractive, classy, seeks a DWM, 50-55, NS, sincere, easygoing, for serious LTR. #2828

SHORT AND SWEET
Cute, classy DF, 40s, 5'2", medium build, very passionate and romantic, seeks SWM, 38+, NS, attractive, smart, fun, no-games guy who is available for an intense LTR. #2824

RECIPE FOR '98
Take intelligent, kind, caring, religious 49 year-old woman. Mix with successful, tall, 30s-type, 45-55 year-old man. Result will be great conversation, fun one happy loving couple. #2810

SEEKING SOULMATE
Attractive DWF, young, 48, 5'4", blonde/blue, NS, financially/independently secure, enjoys movies, dining, sports, travel and romance. Seeking attractive, honest, caring, compassionate, mature, fun, fit, romantic gentleman, for friendship, leading to LTR. #2812

GORGEOUS GREGARIOUS
Fit SF, 40, 5'7", 130lbs, MA degree in biology, reading, antiquing, jogging. Seeking SWM, NS, degreed, fit, outgoing guy. #2810

MOTORCYCLE?
Loves Harley and must be something in the jeans! Romantic, passionate, blonde, mid-40s, works out regularly, looking for strong, athletic, fun. North Oakland County area. #2826

A-Z THIS IS ME
Affectionate, bubbly, creative, down-to-earth, extroverted, forthright, outgoing, intelligent, joyful, kind-hearted, lively, beautiful, NS, optimistic, pretty, quick-minded, romantic, spicy, fun-loving, understanding, versatile, witty, X-citing, youthful, zestful. #2792

SPARKLING, EXPRESSIVE
Pretty DWF, 55, enjoys dining out, movies, theater, and more, seeks SM, 55+, race unimportant, with sense of humor and similar interests, for friendship first. Must have transportation. No baggage. #2794

WESTLAND AREA
Sincere, honest, friendly, outgoing DWF, 43, 5'6", 155lbs, long blonde hair, enjoys conversation, movies, dining out, quality time. Seeking gentleman, 40-50, with similar interests, for LTR. #2798

FOXY LADY
Trim, very attractive, foxy lady, 50s, 5'7", sparkling green eyes, enjoys up North walking in the woods, and all the things in life. Seeking spiritually minded DMF, 50-62, #2791

JUST LISTED
Traditional little charmer, with much potential, lots of character, and very low maintenance, updated and in mint condition, 1940s era, hurry this one will not be on the market long. #2795

DEGREED DWM
Degreed DWF, 42, 5'6", student teacher, one daughter, seeks degreed, professional homeowner SWM, for conversation, open-minded, and to share life. Troy area. #2791

HEY, GUYS!
Anybody out there looking for SWF, 53, attractive, open-minded, intelligent, humorous, who enjoys weekend getaways, good conversation, camping indoors and outdoors, and much more. #2791

SUNSETS & MOONLIGHT
SWF, 44, 5'7", brown/blonde, NS, enjoys sports, jazz, C&W, quiet times at home, 5'9"-5'11", in shape, Mickey Rourke type, no dependents under 18, financially/independently stable, with a sense of humor. #2797

CUTE, CARING, CHARACTER
Full-figured, sensitive SWF, 45, 5'7", no dependents, NS, enjoys writing, long talks, seeks kind, witty, Protestant SM, 40+, who values honesty. No games. Oakland County area. #2816

SPIRITUAL
Spiritual, positive, secure, traditional DWF, 48, seeks SWM, with similar qualities, to share interesting life, experience. #2792

LOVES PINK FLAMINGOS
Romantic, artistic, imaginative, spontaneous DWF, Rubenque, enjoys life, camping, fishing, ocean travel, art, blues, motorcycles, sunshine, good times. Seeking established, caring SWM, 30-50, long hair, beard, similar interests. Kids ok. #2791

REAL LOVE
Attractive SBF, 40, 5'2", full-figured, no children at home, enjoys movies, music, travel, plays, concerts. Seeking SWM, 30-50, who enjoys ballroom dancing. #2796

LIKE TO LAUGH
Fun-loving DWF, 49, great figure, warm heart, seeks fit, energetic, witty SWM with obvious presence to share special times. #2741

I'M THE ONE
SF, good cook, seeks DWM, 39-50, 5'10" plus, large build, NS, good handy man. We are both honest, sincere people who enjoy convertible days, comedy club nights. Let's talk. #2746

PERRY BROWN-EYED GUY
DWF, 38, 5'1", brown/blonde, romantic, caring, kind, seeks S/DWM, 35-43, for friendly, enjoyable weekends, a little hand-holding, slow dancing, and good conversation. #2742

LOOKING FOR LOVE
Vivacious, lovely SWF, 48, NS, enjoys movies, plays, music, dining out, sports, quiet times. Seeking loving SWM, 44-58, with sense of humor, with similar interests. #2731

GENTLEMAN ONLY PLEASE
Little lady, 45, likes dancing, blues, hockey, classic cars, weekend trips, TV nights, seeks perfect guy partner, 40-50, NS, moderate drinker, easy to laugh and talk with. #2732

TALL GENTLEMAN WANTED
Tall, attractive, 5'10", 160lbs, theater, traveling, dancing, cooking, quiet evenings at home. Seeking tall, educated, Catholic SWM, 55-65, who has a good sense of humor, good morals and values. #2748

ARE YOU MY SOULMATE?
SWF, 62 years young, 5'6", medium build, interested in traveling, good conversation, fine dining, barbecues. Seeking SWM, with similar interests, travel, and more. Seeking DWM, 45-60, NS, NO, #2732

LOOKING FOR SOULMATE
Slender DWF, 50s, 5'7", youthful, red hair, enjoys exercise, spiritual growth, plays, concerts, jazz and classical music, nature, dancing, good conversation, travel, and more. Seeking DWM, 45-60, NS, NO, #2732

SEEKING SOMEONE SPECIAL
Attractive, friendly DWF, 43, 5'5", average good-looking, easygoing S/DWPM, 43-48, NS, to share special times. #2709

HAVE A DREAM
Attractive, affectionate DWF, 52, 5'6", medium build, dreams of finding a special tall, honest, loving, successful, fun-loving, outgoing, who loves life, to retire with Gullerboater a plus. #2741

BROWN-EYED GIRL
Outgoing, friendly Italian SF, 38, 5'5", 130lbs, single mom, with good sense of humor, enjoys dancing, theater, movies, reading, cooking, antiquing, jogging, down-to-earth, caring S/DWM, 35-45, for friendship, possible LTR. #2743

LOOKING FOR LOVE...
All the dating gals must be like a little, classie redhead, who enjoys bowling, country music, good food? Are you a SM, 50-60, who is fit? If so, give me a call. #2766

STIMULATE MY MIND
College-educated, giving, honest, secure, successful, intelligent, outgoing, seeks strong SWM with similar qualities, for when it's Summer in the Motor City and "Gold Outings." #2759

HONEST AND LOVING
Full-figured, hard-working, blue-collar DWF, 46, 5'3", traditional values, NS, NO, seeks someone who is fun, fun, fun, and a little bit of a tease. #2734

YOUR DREAM WOMAN
SF, 20, 5'5", brown/blonde, green, beautiful smile, open to new experiences, enjoys music, cooking, children, long walks, dining, movies, and more. Seeking SWM, 30-40, for a romantic, first romance. Tired of games. #2779

OUTDOORSY, YOUNG 60S
Physically fit DWF, looks 30s, proper values, enjoys outdoor, water, beach, boats. Seeking honest, sincere SM, NS, financially/independently/physically, optimistic, and monogamous relationship, for all the right reasons. #2780

LADY IN WAITING
Foxy, professional DBCF, 45, 5'3", 140lbs, enjoys dining, theater, quiet evenings at home. Seeking SM, 40-55, NS, with similar interests, for friendship, possibly more. #2730

51 YEAR-OLD ENTREPRENEUR
Pretty, successful, giving, loving, looking for her knight in shining armor. Fun, exciting, charismatic. Any sincere, successful white gentleman, 45-70, please reply. #2722

BEAT BOY SEXY
SWF, 39, 5'5", 110lbs, who's professional, very classy and attractive; seeks similar, 30-50, fit, fun, and romantic. You must be kind, loving, active, and value family and friends. #2718

HUMOROUS SF, 41, 5'8", 130lbs, brown/blonde, no kids, never married, enjoys comedy clubs, drag racing. Seeking commitment-minded SM, 38-49, race unimportant, for a mutually fulfilling relationship. Ypsilanti area. #2716

PRETTY NATURE LOVER
SWF, 47, 5'7", 127lbs, studying alternative medicine, into self growth, woods walking, single, nature lover, laughing, speaking truth, life. I'm spunky, unique, loving. Seeking NS, soul connection SWM, 35-45, #2713

PROTESTANT, EASYGOING, OVERSIGHT DWF, 42, 5'10", NS, from South Lyon, enjoys swimming, walking, hiking, cards, to share interesting life, experience. #2750

WESTLAND LADY
Slender DWF, 40, blonde, smoker, social drinker, seeks honest SM, around same age, who enjoys movies, music, animals, and outdoors, for friendship. #2758

FRIENDS FIRST
SWF, 36, employed, seeks self-sufficient S/DWM, H/W proportionate, adventurous, and fun. #2755

TAKE THE BAIT
Outgoing, energetic, caring SWF, 20, 5'4", 110lbs, blonde/outdoorsy, enjoys travel, outdoors. Seeking college student, or down with college, honest SM, race open. 20-27. #2735

LOOKS AND MORE
Very active, very attractive, slender, honest, sincere, romantic DWM, 46, single, paradise, enjoys skiing, tennis, biking, sunbathing, beaches, fires and reading. Seeking similar female, 35-45, for friends first. #2821

A YOUNGER WOMAN
Accomplished SWM, 40, fit and sporty, enjoys companionship of fun-loving female, in her 20s or early 30s. I'm open to any possibilities or arrangements. #2824

CALL STEADY DEED
A little slow but now he's ready! Sincere, settled DWM, 40s, seeks a special lady in his life. #2825

ONE-ON-ONE
Old-fashioned, romantic, honest DWM, 49, 5'1", 185lbs, brown/blonde, enjoys golf, camping, quiet evenings, and travel. Seeking sincere, very caring S/DWF, 38-49, for one-on-one relationship. #2826

SEEKING ROMANCE
Adventurous, outgoing, SWPM, 24, H/W proportionate, dark hair/blue eyes, enjoys working out, rollerblading, movies, music, travel. Seeking S/DWF, 20-28, to be part of my interests. #2827

THIS MR. RIGHT...
is honest, confident, romantic, handsome, artistic, athletic, attentive, emotionally available, financially stable, a great friend. SWM, 25, 5'11", seeks honest, visually pleasant, SWF, 19-32. #2828

LET'S ENJOY SUMMER
DWF, 42, 5'5", blonde/hazel, full-figured, mom of two, NS, enjoys dining, playing cards, movies, easy listening music. Seeking romantic, caring, honest SM, 40-48, for LTR. Lyons. #2815

SECOND TIME AROUND
Sourly, classy, sensual, loving lonely SF, 120lbs, blonde, senior, not young but fun, seeks witty, humorous SWM, 60 plus, NS, who enjoys ballroom dancing. #2796

HONEST AND SINCERE
DWF, 33, 5'5", blonde/blue, has variety of interest, enjoys biking, traveling and dining out. Seeks warm, caring SWM, 35-45, with sense of humor for companionship and possible LTR. #2806

IF YOU THINK BALD IS SEXY
handsome DWM, 45, 5'11", 180bs, smoker, social drinker, enjoys many things with the right companion, seeks trim, attractive lady, 35-50, for LTR. Westland/Canton area. #2857

LTR IN REDFORD
DWM, 29, 5'10", 170bs, brown/green, enjoys friends & family, dining out, concerts, drag racing, romantic, warm, night life. Searching for petite SWF, 28-35, Children ok. #2836

PRESCRIPTION FOR ROMANCE
Medical doctor SWM, 47, 5'11", 180bs, worked hard. Has time now for sincere relationship with similarly educated, honest, emotionally/financially secure WF 35-45. #2830

ROMANTIC WARRIOR
College-educated, athletic, adventurous, creative, attractive SBF, 32, 5'7", enjoys getaway weekends, dancing, romantic, jazz, martial arts, and more. Seeking LTR. Come horseback riding with me. #2817

VERY ATTRACTIVE!
SWM race fan, seeks SWF race fan, for attending Grand Prix Wild Brazilian, Albanians, Canadians, French ok. #2814

WHY BE ALONE?
Caring, affectionate, handsome DWM, 51, 5'7", 180bs, loves movies, dining out. Seeking woman, petite to medium, for friendship leading to monogamous relationship. #2813

THE PERFECT RELATIONSHIP
Would consist of honesty, friendship, trust, communication, romance, passion, adventure, fun. Handsome, articulate, confident, athletic SWM, 45, 5'11", enjoys music, people watching, biking, outdoors; seeks sincere, pretty, slender SWF, 18-24. #2814

SEEKING YOUNGER WOMAN
Athletic, young-looking DWM, 55, 6'1", 195bs, an engineer with an MBA, seeks a gorgeous, younger woman. #2819

DARK BLUE EYES
Fit, attractive, educated DWM, 46, 6'3", 180bs, brown/blonde, flannel shirt, enjoys travel, outdoors and more. Seeking future minded, sincere, cute counterpart, SF, 38-44, for possible LTR. #2817

LOYAL AND SINCERE
Tall, honest DWM, 53, 6'4", NS, am in good physical condition, sense of humor, self-esteem, would like to meet a sincere, attractive lady, 41-49, for companionship, possible LTR. #2811

HERE'S LOOKING AT YOU!
Attractive, outgoing, very caring, giving SWM, 46, with a variety of interests, loves to be romantic and cook. Seeking LTR. #2811

NOT YOUR ORDINARY TAURUS
Slim, sensual, dark-skinned, athletic, discovery and holistic health. Seeking SF, lifetime soulmate, 33-44, who enjoys movies, art, fairs, beaches, headbanger coffee houses, sundry drives. #2813

ADVENTUROUS
SWM, professional, 29, 5'10", 155bs, considered good-looking, with dark hair and eyes, enjoys sports, movies, traveling, conversation, working out, humor, and much more. Seeking an outgoing and fun woman. #2814

MIT GRADUATE
Outgoing, fun loving, very good looking SWM, 35, 5'10", 160bs, engineering manager, with two MIT degrees. Definitely not a nerd. Seeking SF, 25-35, for LTR. #2789

NEVER MARRIED SM
Good-looking, never married, SM, 42 years young, 6'10lbs, NS, social drinker, enjoys travel, shopping, fine dining, romance. Seeking financially stable lady, 35-55, who is fit, well-figured. #2796

SUCCESSFUL PROFESSIONAL
Cute, conservative professional SM, 37, 5'5", 140bs, dark hair, enjoys traveling, walking, cars, etc. seeks intelligent, attractive SWF, for a special relationship. #2789

EUROPEAN MALE
New in town, but trouble-free Socialist SWM (taller European version), 31, seeks special female, to remain in town, for life of trouble. #2802

GIVE ME A TRY
You won't be disappointed! SF, attractive SWM, 5'8", 165bs, blonde, athletic, enjoys outdoor activities, movies, and romantic evenings at home. Seeking LTR, 21-40, for friendship. #2808

QUITE A CATCH
Handsome, outgoing SBF, 35, 5'5", 135bs, with great personality, sense of humor, never been married, seeks special SF, 25-37, NS, NS, great sense of humor, who's beautiful inside and out. #2805

ON THE GO
Handsome SWM, 49, large build, excellent golf, C&W dancer, seeks slender active young-looking SWF, 35-45, comfortable in jeans or formal gown, for LTR. #2804

RUDELY HANDSOME
Or so I'm told. Very honest, open-minded, financially secure homeowner, 31, 5'11", 185bs, loves all outdoor activities. Seeking S/DWF, 25-35, H/W proportionate, with good sense of humor. All replies answered. #2807

FRIEND BEFORE LOVER
Let the DWF, 47, 5'11", bring out the animal in you. I am educated, courteous, worldly. Seeking mature fun and age open, who wants to have fun and a life partner. #2799

MYSTERY/ROMANCE/ADVENTURE
Fun, sexy, fine male, 33, tall, sharp blue-eyed, trim, 195lbs, long blonde hair, enjoys travel, dining, sports. Seeking selective, stylish, slender, peachy co-star 5'6"-5'8", 25-35, who's seeking a lifetime ending. #2791

THE ULTIMATE MAN
Extremely attractive, romantic, honest, passionately, active SWM, 26, 6'1", 185bs, seeks slender, attractive, active SWF. Age unimportant. If you like being swept off your feet, give me a call. #2805

BLUE JEAN LADY WANTED
Energetic SWM, young 50, H/W proportionate, bald/hazel, moustache, decent-looking, enjoys dining, driving,

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CHEVY CK 1500 1996 pick-up, blue, standard cab, short bed with liner, loaded, 5 speed manual, 31,000 miles. \$17,000. 610-227-6241

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CHEVY 1994 S10 extended cab. 3 speed, 38,000 miles. 4300 V6, all power, CD, bucket seats, bedliner. \$9500.

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TAURUS GL 1994 78,000 n-way, clean, key remote, ABS, Emerald, well main. \$5195. 248-682-3166

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Anne Fracassa
Avanti NewsFeatures

If Infiniti is all about uncompromised luxury, then the QX4 sport utility is the icon that personifies it. J.D. Power, those folks from California who tell us which wheels offer the best quality and perform the best, rated the QX4 the best compact sport utility on the planet last year in its initial quality study.

What's not to like? For about \$40,000, the QX4 is fully equipped and includes a full leather interior, tasteful wood-tone trim, a Bose AM/FM cassette compact disc audio system, All-Mode four-wheel drive, smart-looking 16-inch alloy wheels, dual power heated outside mirrors, power windows, tilt steering, cruise control, rear 12-volt outlet, liftgate wipers, keyless remote entry with security system ... the list goes on and on.

"The QX4 ... has beaten even our own sales projections," says Tom Eastwood, an Infiniti vice president.

What's on the option list? Power sliding tinted glass sunroof with tilt and sunshade, heated seats and a sport package (\$1,650) that gives you the sunroof, heated seats and limited-slip differential.

I had a problem with the QX4's initial acceleration. The engine sounds powerful enough — a 3.3-liter single overhead cam 12-valve V6 that produces 168 horsepower — but when coming out of my subdivision, I couldn't take the chance that a car was coming. I wasn't certain it could get up to speed in time. In all fairness, however, once the QX4 got really warmed up, passing on the freeway wasn't a stretch. It was able to get up to speed and pass a car going 70 mph with ease. Not a problem at all.

More than 90 percent of this engine's torque is available in the 1500 to 1800 rpm range. That way, you'll get great power for



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low speed off-roading and better power at high engine speeds. You'll see the difference most in towing, passing or cruising over a long distance.

Infiniti has graced the QX4 with its own SOFIS. This Sophisticated Optimized Fuel Injection System has a sensor that can change the air/fuel mixture under any driving condition. The result to you is better fuel economy, more power and lower emissions.

The QX4 also has a good road feel. This is Infiniti at its best. Known for its exceptional suspension systems, stability and on-road and off-road comfort, you won't be disappointed in the ride.

In inclement weather, the QX4 proved its mettle. A snow squall hit me by surprise and the 4-wheel-drive system worked like a charm, did its job and got me home safely without white knuckles.

Infiniti's advanced All-Mode 4WD brings 4WD technology to new heights without the drive getting a headache trying to figure out how to use it. And you know what? You don't even have to crack the manual to learn. It's

all on a plastic card in a holder on the driver's front visor.

It tells you exactly when to use the 2WD or 4WD modes and exactly how to engage and disengage the system. OK, shift-on-the-fly is probably the easiest to operate. But this system is simple as well, even though you have to press a couple of buttons and pull on a floor-mounted shifter a bit.

But this All-Mode 4WD system was developed to enhance traction and stability on the road. And isn't that exactly what you need in a sport utility like this? This system instantly delivers torque to the front wheels, the right amount to restore traction and get you on your way. I liked the option of allowing the drivers to override and get into manual control if you needed it. And in difficult off-roading, the system is further enhanced with the optional limited-slip rear differential that gives you even more traction and control. And you'll always know what mode you're in. There's a display right on the instrument panel to tell you whether you're in 2WD, AUTO or LOCK. Switching between all of them takes a 10th of a sec-

ond, by the way.

On clean and dry pavement, you're in 2WD. In AUTO mode, you use it for most driving conditions except for severe or off-road driving. This is the mode where the 4WD system directs engine power to the axle with the most traction.

In the LOCK position, you'll get a 50-50 front/rear torque split for traction on slippery surfaces. Don't use it on dry pavement, however, or you run the risk of wearing your tires and drivetrain prematurely.

Safety for you and your family hasn't been forgotten with the QX4. You'll find dual airbags, adjustable front shoulder belt anchors, 3-point rear outboard passenger seat belts, energy-absorbing steering column, child safety rear door locks, front and rear body structure crumple zones, hood-buckling creases with safety step to help avoid intrusion into the passenger compartment and bodyside reinforcements.

Although I think the QX4 was comfortably low to the ground and possibly didn't really need the side step rails, as the week moved on, I started using them and found they gave me the extra help I needed to get into the vehicle. It was a good idea to include them as standard equipment. The Infiniti QX4 is worth looking into when choosing a sport utility. It's got all the fine luxury of a true Infiniti automobile and the technology and advancements of a fine sport utility.

Write Anne Fracassa at avantil054@aol.com.

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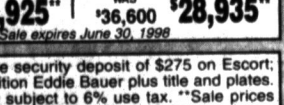
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What recruiters look for in a resume



GEORGE HAYES

Q. You said that you read resumes quickly. What would make you slow down and consider a person seriously?

A. Most recruiters read a large number of resumes every week, probably on the order of two hundred to two thousand. When the economy was less robust, one small advertisement could bring in fifty to two hundred response a week, depending upon the position. Even now, when advertising response rates are lower, we spend a lot of time reviewing data bases or paper files looking for a match.

Many candidates envision recruiters or personnel departments scrutinizing and weighing every word and number on their resumes. When I was a lot younger and had no experience at all, I spent hours responding to senior-level Wall Street Journal ads, believing that managers in large companies would consider my resume seriously and carefully. I thought that business people were equipped with a profound and mystical insight, and that they might see something between the lines about my hidden skills, talents and potential. I guess they didn't.

After reading billions and billions of resumes, it is natural for headhunters and hiring authorities to develop a kind of template to quickly decide if a candidate's paperwork should be evaluated more thoroughly. It's a matter of time management. At the risk of sounding harsh, one-third of the resumes we receive are sent in by people who are just like I used to

be - not even close to being qualified. Five percent or less might be possible matches for the opening in question. The rest are keepers and will be filed away for another day.

My inclination is to say that I don't really have a defined "system" for evaluating resumes, but I suppose that isn't true. I've simply been at it so long that I read and sort without being very conscious of the sequence or key characteristics that cause me to look harder or twice. My thinking process is probably different from other recruiters and employment managers, but it usually goes something like this:

- Immediately after opening the envelope and unfolding the papers, a bio-chemical reaction occurs. If your resume is written in micro type, has jelly stains on it or is folded in twelve places, the reaction is not good. The resume's appearance creates a "context" and generates some mini-assumptions about professionalism and polish.

- I tear off your cover letter and staple it to the back without even glancing at it. Cover letters usually offer no meaningful information beyond the resume and are often difficult to read. I'll look at it later if your paperwork survives the second or third cut.

- Without reading your Objective, Background Summary or bulletized accomplishment statements, I go immediately to the Experience section and look for your current or last job title. If it is very different from the position in question (e.g., you are a Bus Driver and the opening is for Chief Financial Officer - or vice versa), your resume gets

filed. If the title is close or there is a conceivable match (e.g., Director of MIS), you're still in the game.

- Before checking out specific experience, I look at employment dates. No matter how great your skills are, our client companies usually refuse to look at job hoppers. They believe the past is the single best predictor of the future. I do, too. If your work history is stable (I know that's subjective), your resume will still be in my hand.

- Back I go to the Experience section to look for buzz words. Almost every discipline involves the performance of a relatively standard and specific set of tasks. Quality engineers usually perform FMEA's. Executive secretaries do word processing and are likely to list the programs they are familiar with such as Word, Excel, etc. Some buzz words have more to do with the industry for which we are recruiting. For example, the letters CNC should appear on resumes submitted for engineering jobs with our big machining client.

- On to Education. If your resume has made it this far, we can now start exercising a little judgement and cut you some slack if other things look good. Clients who start out insisting on a four-year degree tend to lighten up after a week or two of zero applicant flow. Conversely, a person who is light on experience, but has a degree related to the job, will still be taken seriously. We also scan quickly for job-related certifications, such as CQE or CPIM.

- Now I look for a dollar sign in the cover letter. Most people are savvy enough not to mention money. However, when it does appear and the stated amount is beyond the

client's reach, we still consider the person's background versus the market rate, and place the resume in the action file if the dollars aren't way out of line.

- OK, I'm ready to stop scanning and actually read your resume - quickly. I don't contemplate the feasibility of your having saved \$2,000 per month in material costs or dwell on your claim of having increased sales by 6.2 percent. If the document tells a logical, cohesive story and you have enough directly related experience, your resume ends up in the "Call" pile (which is remarkably small nowadays).

Department heads who aren't used to reading resumes in volume tend to take a lot of time with them. You might think this leads to better decisions, but I doubt it. These managers are often picky - I mean NIT picky. This candidate only has three years of experience, not three and a half. That candidate is only familiar with nine out of ten programs we are using. Most recruiters and experienced personnel people, however, pride themselves on being efficient and realistic. They know that the perfect candidate does not exist.

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Tips on cover letters, resumes and interviews

CAREER MOVES



JIM PAWLAK

I spoke with a number of HR professionals about what works and what doesn't when it comes to cover letters, resumes and interviews. Here's their input.

General Comments - Too many people don't proofread. They rely on the spelling check software to proofread for them. That's not its purpose. It only checks spelling. In many cases the spelling is OK, but the word isn't the right word.

One recruiter said she has received lots of cover letters applying for the position of "Manger".

Cover letters and resumes with typos and grammatical errors usually end up in the trash. Why? The recruiters believe that if applicants won't take the time to make sure their personal marketing material is error free, then they wouldn't pay attention to details on the job.

Also, use a 12-point font on both cover letters and resumes. It's easy to read even if it's photocopied or faxed.

Cover Letters - Recruiters usually do a 30-second scan for key information. If it's there, they'll read the cover letter, if not they won't. What can you do to ensure your letter gets read? Two things. First, make sure that you use the words from the ad. Second, avoid long sentences and long paragraphs. It's difficult for the reader to pick out informa-

tion from both. Instead, use a few bullet points or a 2-column "Your Requirements/My Background" approach to address the points listed in the ad.

Keep your letter short, too. A cover letter should only provide a glimpse of the information in the resume.

Resumes - Starting at the top, Objectives are seldom read because all say essentially the same thing. The HR folks and hiring managers would rather see a bullet point list of skills. That's good news because the skill list can be used to give the reader a snapshot preview of what you've accomplished.

Recruiters also prefer chronological, last-job-listed-first resumes. Why? It's easier to pick out the candidate's current skills and recent experience. It's also

harder for an applicant to hide things like extended unemployment, job-hopping and gaps in work history.

What would recruiters really like to see? More information on accomplishments in the last two positions an applicant has held. Four to six accomplishments for each position in bullet point format. Including dollars and percentages helps the reader gauge the impact of your contribution. Information on other positions is ancient history and needs only one or two explanatory bullet points per position.

What don't they want? Resumes that read like job descriptions, small print, narrative sentences, your grade point average if you've been out of school more than three years and colored paper (photocopies poor-

ly). Also, don't list hobbies, political affiliations or state: "References will be furnished upon request."

Interviews - The interview process begins when the interview is scheduled. Asking the HR staffer for information on the company and a departmental organization chart, together with a list of the people with whom you'll be speaking will earn some points for you. The next step deals with your appearance. A few of the recruiters said they've terminated the interview process right away if the candidate doesn't pass visual muster (i.e. big smile, strong handshake, clean suit, shined shoes, conservative tie/scarf, no jangling jewelry, easy on the perfume/after shave, clean fingernails, no mint or smoky breath). Their reasoning is that the hiring manager will view the

candidate as a gauge of HR's ability to recruit someone who'll do well in the firm.

Whether you show you're nervous means little to most HR people. They know it's natural to have some butterflies. What they are looking for is a candidate with a positive attitude and an open mind. The more senior the position, the more they expect the candidate will have done his/her homework on the firm and its industry. Ditto when it comes to asking questions of the interviewers.

Send your comments or questions to Jim Pawlak, Career Moves, The Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, P.O. Box 2881, 36251 Schoolcraft Road, Livonia, MI 48150. He can be contacted by e-mail at:

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DRIVER/WAREHOUSE - Paid BC/BS. Paid vacation. Paid retirement. Apply Mon-Fri, 9:00am ONLY. 2919 Six Mile, Livonia.

DRIVER - Wixom Distributor seeks full time driver. Experience required. Please call Jim at 248-624-7000.

DRIVEWAY ATTENDANTS & MECHANICS HELPER - Day shift. Flexible hours. Benefits. Livonia Steel Station. Call Jeff, (734) 484-3322.

Art Van Furniture has immediate openings for full & part time entry level Warehouse position. Flexible hours, excellent benefit package available. Students welcome. Please apply within at:

ART VAN - NOVI 27775 Novi Rd. across from 12 Oaks Mall

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ELDER CARE PROGRAM MANAGER - Manager for an entrepreneurial oriented program needed to launch new Elder Care service. The successful applicant must possess both professional qualifications (social worker, nursing or related training), practical experience in providing case management services to the elderly and marketing expertise. The position requires an individual who enjoys challenges, is a self starter and is business and results oriented. Creative salary and benefits available. Please call: Sheryl Stoddard, Jewish Family Service, 24123 Greenfield Rd., Southfield, MI 48075. An equal opportunity employer.

Electrical contractor seeks - Apprentice. Experience preferred • 734-930-6668

ELECTRICAL ESTIMATOR - Well established Livonia union contractor needs person for commercial/institutional work. Good pay & benefits. Fax resume to: Gillis Electric, (734) 425-1056

ELECTRICAL INSPECTOR - City of Southfield. Performs on-site inspections and reviews construction plans for conformity to laws, ordinances, and electrical codes. Requirement: Must possess a Master Electrician's License at the time of application; must be a high school graduate or equivalent; must have one to two years experience in electrical construction; must have in-depth knowledge and understanding of National Electrical Code, NFPA 70E, and applicable local codes; must be able to apply this knowledge in the field; registration as an Electrical Inspector with the State of Michigan; or ability to obtain registration within six months of appointment; valid driver's license for good driving record; effective communication skills. Salary \$38,904-\$43,766 plus comprehensive benefit package. Apply no later than 5:00pm, Friday, June 30, 1998 at: City of Southfield, Personnel Director, 26000 Evergreen Rd., Southfield, MI 48075. EOE M/F/V/H DRUG FREE WORKPLACE

LICENSED MASTER ELECTRICIAN - Immediate opening. Excellent pay. 313-277-2133

ELECTRICIAN APPLICANT - To \$18/hr. Need Mary! T.C.B. fee, 810-235-0200

Electrician - Growing company looking for an individual to wire control panels and machines. Excellent opportunity for advancement. Degree, benefits and competitive wages available. Apply in person or send resume to: Hoffmann Filter Corp., 7627 Kensington Court, Brighton, MI 48116. (248) 486-8439 Fax: (248) 486-8439

ELECTRICIAN JOURNEYMAN - able to wire & manage small to mid commercial jobs. Good pay & benefits, retirement. (248)547-5441

ELECTRICIAN/JOURNEYMAN - If you're tired of working at a dead end job, and looking for an opportunity to move up with a growing company, call 248-638-3336. Benefits only, call 248-638-3336.

ELECTRICIANS - Licensed electrician or equivalent. For interview call (248) 669-6886

ELECTRICIANS - needed in new construction. Call Ultra Electric, (248) 926-1908

ELECTRICIAN - 3-5 yrs. experience in industrial control systems and service. 248-542-0600 or fax 248-542-4438.

ELECTRONIC ASSEMBLY - A growing contract manufacturer is looking for self-motivated, dependable individuals to fill the following positions:

• HAND ASSEMBLY

• HAND SOLDER

Training is available and pay is commensurate with experience. CC offers a complete benefits package including medical, dental, vision, and 401(k). Apply in person at CCI, 37640 Hills Tech Dr., Farm Hills, MI 48331. Fax # 248-553-3288. EOE

WAREHOUSE SUPERVISOR - Degreed with 5 years experience in high volume environment. Only those willing to work off shifts need apply. Send resume to: Warehouse Supervisor, P.O. Box 483, Trenton, MI 48183

Experienced HMO Professional Wanted - Blue Care Network (BCN) is the largest HMO in Michigan, looking for a CONTRACT COORDINATOR to help us become bigger.

Position is responsible for provider contract maintenance, tracking and compliance. Supports provider network expansion by providing data to management in order to develop strategies for the network development.

Position requires: Bachelors degree and three (3) years provider experience in a managed care environment. Knowledge of database development and management, strong interpersonal and communication skills, and ability to utilize reporting systems such as STAR, Platinum, IQ or GeoAccess.

Offering an excellent salary, company-paid health, dental, vision, 401(k) with match, pension, STD, LTD, vacation, sick/personal time, tuition reimbursement, and much more available.....

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ELECTRONICS ASSEMBLY - experienced with PCB boards, SMT or wave soldering. Days, \$7.50+ to start. Plymouth area. Call 734-944-7078

ETD Staffing Service - An Equal Opportunity Employer

ELECTRONICS TECH - Wixom firm looking for field service technician. Electronics experience required. Previous field alarm experience helpful. Competitive wages, full benefits. Call 248-380-6264 Ext. 655. Fax resume 248-380-6268

EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE SUPERVISOR - CITY OF LIVONIA. \$45,198.40 - \$52,707.20. By the closing date of the announcement, applicants must be a citizen of the United States; and have graduated from a recognized college or university with a degree in Mechanical Engineering, Business Administration, Public Administration, or a closely related field; and have had a minimum of six years experience in the maintenance and repair of automotive and heavy construction equipment, including four years in a management or supervisory position; OR have a high school diploma, or its equivalent, and have ten years experience in the maintenance and repair of automotive and heavy construction equipment, including four years responsible supervisory experience in the maintenance and repair of automotive and heavy construction equipment. (One year of related college education may be substituted for one year of experience. An applicant must have a minimum of four years of related supervisory or management experience.) Apply no later than Tuesday, June 30, 1998 to: Livonia City Hall, Civil Service Dept., 3rd Floor, 33000 Civic Center Dr. (5 Mile & Farmington Rds.), Livonia, MI 48154. (734) 486-2530. Hours 8:30am to 5:00pm. NO RESUMES ACCEPTED. An Equal Employment Opportunity Employer M/F/V/H

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EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR - for Rochester Community House. Marketing experience. Degree & accounting knowledge preferred. Send resume to: 248-486-8439

EXTERIOR PAINTING - start immediately. Minimum 3 to 5 yrs experience. Salary negotiable. Call (800) 570-5104

FABRICATOR, STRUCTURAL STEEL - LAYOUT PERSON. Salary negotiable. Call: Smede-Son Steel, 12564 Inkster Rd., Redford, MI 42939

FACIALIST - Facial room, makeup area & equipment for rent in newly remodeled Farmington Hills salon. Well established. (248) 626-6020

MANICURIST & HAIRDRESSER - Positions also available. Inquiries please call 248-626-6020

FASHION MERCHANDISING TEACHER - LIVONIA CAREER/TECHNICAL CENTER HALF-TIME POSITION

LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS - Applicants must have at least a Bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university, a Michigan teaching certificate, two years of recent and relevant work experience in the fashion area or have completed a planned equivalent program of supervised occupational experience approved by the State Board of Education and must have or be eligible for a vocational teaching certificate in this area. Send resume to: John E. Rennels, Assistant Superintendent for Administrative Services, Livonia Public Schools, 15125 Farmington Rd., Livonia, MI 48154. An Equal Opportunity Employer

FINANCIAL ANALYST - Detroit auto supplier. Must have strong accounting background & minimum 3 yrs. experience. Degree plus. Evaluation hire. Rate negotiable.

EXPRESS SERVICES - 734-627-5450 FAX: 734-627-1638

GENERAL LABOR - Full-time. Days. Benefits available. \$7.50/hour. Will train. Please call after 2pm. Cor-Pack Inc. 248-348-4189

GENERAL LABOR - Production \$8/hr. Warehouse \$6.50/hr. ARBOR TEMPS 734-456-1166

STRUCTURAL STEEL LAY-OUT - 5 yrs. experience. Resumes to: P.O. Box 701361, Plymouth, MI 48170

HAIRDRESSER THINKING OF A CHANGE? 2 chairs open for Rent or Ownership. Friendly group privately owned. Livonia. (734) 261-0094

HAIR STYLIST - Needed at Fantastic Salon. Southfield. Must enjoy working with hair. Free advance training. Call Zina Page 810-345-2005

TELLER OPPORTUNITIES - PART TIME MORNING. \$11.00/hr. Must enjoy working with older adults and be capable of supervising staff, scheduling. Excellent benefits including 401(k), vision, dental. Please call for interview 734-453-2600

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FIRE ALARM TECH - Wixom firm looking for field service technician. Electronics experience required. Previous field alarm experience helpful. Competitive wages, full benefits. Call 248-380-6264 Ext. 655. Fax resume 248-380-6268

FIRE EQUIPMENT TECHNICIAN - To service portable extinguishers & stationary systems. Need mechanical skills, good driver, self starter. (248) 477-1540

FIRE EXTINGUISHER SERVICE - Signing BONUS, TOP Wages. health insurance, retirement plan, career opportunity. 313-255-0054

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FITNESS TRAINER - Peter Nielsen's Personal Training Club is looking for Certified Fitness Trainers for exercise physiology. Full time, high earnings. Please fax resume to: 248-661-2415

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FLOWER BOUQUET MAKERS - Madison Heights. Experience working with flowers helpful, though not required. Full time plus benefit. Contact Theresa. 248-546-1990. M/F/V/H

FORMS GENERATOR - Fiserv Galaxy, a national supplier of data processing services & systems is seeking a self-directed individual to produce forms using JetForm and FormFlow. Must be able to work independently, and have good oral & written communication skills. Please send or fax resume to: Fiserv Galaxy, 5600 Crooks Rd., Troy, MI 48068 or Fax: 248-282-1333

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14303 Kenilworth, Detroit (313) 273-0100

16129 10 Mile, Eastpointe (248) 737-9877

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TRAINER: Extraordinary opportunity for motivated, experienced administrator, case manager, job developer and trainer for JTPA, welfare & employment training programs. Excellent advancement opportunities for the right individuals. Please fax resume & salary requirements to: 248-335-8492. Equal opportunity employer/program. Michigan Relay Center, 600-649-3777 (voice & TDD), auxiliary aids & services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities.

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A&W Restaurants, Inc. is seeking a high-energy, motivated team player to conduct training for entry level managers for the proper execution of serving quality products, maintaining high hospitality standards, and performing daily administrative tasks. Exceptional communication skills with the ability to maintain a professional and positive learning environment. Must have excellent creativity and style to design and implement new training materials. Must be knowledgeable of basic accounting procedures and computer literacy. Minimum 3 years restaurant management experience and training background preferred.

A&W Restaurants, Inc. offers a competitive salary and excellent benefit package. If you are seeking an exciting and challenging training position, this is it! For confidential consideration, please fax resume with salary history to:

A&W Restaurants, Inc.
Human Resources Department
One A&W Drive
Farmington Hills, MI 48331
Fax: (248) 699-2019

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TRANSITIONAL LIVING CASEMANAGER

A degree in social work, psychology or related field. Experience in working with adolescents who have been in or recently released from residential care. Requires compassion and the ability to respond effectively to adolescent needs. Ability to manage time effectively and meet deadlines. Must have reliable transportation and a valid Michigan driver's license and insurance. Please send resume to: Cathy Smith, 30000 Hwyline, Intersect, MI 48141. EOE

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TRAVEL AGENCY MANAGER (Incentive House) Mid size travel incentive house seeking in house travel agency manager to handle group/meeting booking both domestic and international for Fortune 500 clients. Seeking experience 2-4 yrs. Fax resume to MHI at 248-355-2790

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Full-time. Experience necessary. Benefits package. Fax resume to: 248-478-1311. Please call: 248-478-1311

Truck Driver

For Farmington Hills concrete products facility. CDL Class A license required. Forthcoming experience helpful. Call Ron for information or appointment.

Fendt Builders Supply, Inc.
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For Norandex, a building supply wholesaler, selling siding & windows over time, full benefits. Located at 15000 Cecil, Plymouth. Call 734-451-6205. EOE

TRUCK DRIVER - Needed for deliveries

Must have clean driving record. Full time position with benefits. Please send resume to: Box #2999, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150

TRUCK DRIVER

needed for local deliveries, loading & unloading required. (734) 522-7104

TRUCK DRIVER

Part time, retrieves weapons. CDL-A required, good driving record. 313-459-3053

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TRUCK MECHANIC

Wanted. Springs, brakes & welding. Must have tools. All benefits paid. B & L Frame, (734) 729-2222

TRUCK TIRE RETREADER

\$9.00 per hour to start, increasing with experience. Apply at: 12606 Inkster Rd., Redford.

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VAN DRIVER

Part-time for senior community. Approximately 25 hrs. Apply at: Grand Court, Novi, 48162 West Rd. Novi. (248) 869-5330

WAREHOUSE

Auburn Hills company seeks experienced warehouse help. Hi-lo operator, shipping, receiving & processing orders. MTHU F 9am-5pm. (248) 371-8847

WAREHOUSE HELP

Must be able to drive H-L. Apply at: Innovative Floor Coverings, 13250 Newburgh, Livonia. 1 block South of I-96

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Pricing & distribution products. Lifting involved. Full-time. Start immediately. Great work environment. Apply at: 12655 Richmond Ct., Livonia.

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Excellent entry level opportunity. CDL license preferred. Benefits included. Send resume to: MTHU Paper, P.O. Box 7112, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48302.

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IMMEDIATE OPENINGS for 2nd shift order pickers in our warehouse. Should have experience in similar fast-paced warehouse environment. 2nd shift hours are 2:00 p.m. - 10:45 p.m.; \$8.50 an hour to start. Apply in person between 8:30 a.m. and 11:30 a.m.

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Floor covering store doing full-time shipping & receiving person. 50 hrs. per week. \$8-\$10 per hour. Must have hi-lo experience. Excellent benefits & working conditions. Call Paul at Riemer Floors. 248-335-2060

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Michigan's fastest growing leader in the office products industry has an IMMEDIATE opening for a full-time warehouse supervisor on our 2nd shift. Minimum 3 years supervisory experience in a fast-paced, pick-pack operation. Shift hours from 1:30 p.m. to midnight. Competitive wages and benefits package. Fax resume with salary history to:

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Microsoft Word 1-2 years experience. Friendly outgoing person. Must be able to work in a fast-paced office environment. SNELLING PERSONNEL SERVICES

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Join us with clerical and communications skills to provide office support. Perform typing, filing, dictation, mailing, review time and expense reports, make travel arrangements and operate the central switchboard. Requirements include excellent grammatical skills, a high school diploma or equivalent, PC proficiency in word processing, data entry and spreadsheets and basic math ability.

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Warehouse

\$11.65 per hour Night Shift Warehouse Order Selector

Miesel/SYSCO Food Service Company, located in Canton, MI, is seeking night shift warehouse order selector. Must have H.S. Diploma (or GED), ability to pass extensive physical including drug screen and be willing to work in the freezer if necessary. Past work experience dealing with heavy and repetitive lifting 25 lbs. Union position with full medical benefits after 6 months. Positions are for night shift only. Applications are being accepted Monday through Thursday, 9am to 3pm at: TROT Office, Metro Place Mall, 3693 Michigan Avenue, Wayne, MI. We are an Equal Opportunity Employer. M/F/D/V.

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Excellent entry level opportunity. CDL license preferred. Benefits included. Send resume to: MTHU Paper, P.O. Box 7112, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48302.

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IMMEDIATE OPENINGS for 2nd shift order pickers in our warehouse. Should have experience in similar fast-paced warehouse environment. 2nd shift hours are 2:00 p.m. - 10:45 p.m.; \$8.50 an hour to start. Apply in person between 8:30 a.m. and 11:30 a.m.

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Floor covering store doing full-time shipping & receiving person. 50 hrs. per week. \$8-\$10 per hour. Must have hi-lo experience. Excellent benefits & working conditions. Call Paul at Riemer Floors. 248-335-2060

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Accounting Clerk

Our national company has an opening for an accounting clerk at our Southfield corporate office. Experience in accounts payable, general ledger, and general accounting procedures. Must be background with PC computerized accounting packages. 10 key by touch & general typing skills necessary. We offer a competitive hourly wage & benefit package. Please fax or send resume with wage history to: CT Senior Staffing, 27650 Franklin Rd., Southfield, MI 48034 Fax: 248-351-9556

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Construction property management firm seeking reliable and detail oriented individual. Duties include bank reconciliations, cash receipts and accounts payable. Proficiency in Lotus and computerized accounting. Full-time, good benefits. Please send resume to: Accounting Manager, 31555 Fourteen Mile #101 Farmington Hills, MI 48334 Fax: 248-626-4571

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Inventory Management, Maintenance planning, receipt & dispatch. Auburn Hills and Troy, temp to hire \$30/hr. Data entry, career advancement in Highland Park, Southfield & Livonia. Medical billers - both temp to hire and flexible hours available. Farmington and Livonia. Please send resume to: Box #1035, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150

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Assist VP of Sales with proposals, marketing materials and presenting healthcare company systems for 27 years. Must have computer skills on PCs and networks including Microsoft Windows Word, and digital dictation system. Must have excellent communication and Indian, travel is required with expenses included, along with a 401K program. Please send resume to: Box #1035, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150

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502 Help Wanted-Office Clerical

ACCOUNTS PAYABLE

Input invoices, prepare checks for payment, some vendor contact. Must have strong computer and ten-key skills for very fast pace. Corporate office in Plymouth. \$8-\$10 per hour. Call: (734) 455-4400 x203 or fax resume to: (734) 455-4632

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Immediate opening for General office position. Auto dealership experience preferred. Please fax resume to: Bob Sales Director at (248) 699-7235 or call (248) 699-7065

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Must have dealer experience. Great opportunity for full-time position. 401K & medical benefits. Please call 313-846-1122, ext 111 or fax to 313-846-1122. Fax resume to 313-846-1122. Attn: Kathy Johnson or apply in person at Dearborn Southfield. 14505 Michigan Ave., between Greenfield & Schaefer.

BILLINGS & COLLECTIONS ADMINISTRATOR

Growth-oriented company has immediate requirement for self-starter with 1-2 years experience in Accounts Receivable and Collections. Must be full time position at company headquarters in Livonia. Accounting background and computer skills required. JD Edwards and MS Office preferred. Competitive salary & benefits package. Fax resume and salary requirements to: (734) 513-9077 or mail to: Personnel Department-A/R 31600 W. 12th, Suite 200, Livonia, MI 48150

BOOKKEEPER/ACCOUNTANT

Seeking experienced person for A/R, P/R, and Administrative Assistant. Resume to: GH-Accountant 4031 Crooks Rd, Royal Oak, MI 48073

BOOKKEEPER

Bookkeeper with experience in A/R, P/R, and reconciliations and computer skills. Must be a fast learner, offer competitive salary and benefits. For consideration please submit resume in confidence with salary requirements to: PAPA ROMANO'S 45555 Hiram, Plymouth, MI 48170 Attn: Sharon No phone calls please

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Some experience with computers, bank reconciliations and payroll taxes for Southfield CPA office. Benefits (248) 350-2600

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Troy CPA firm seeks professional bookkeeper with CPA firm or multiple experience. Excellent salary and benefit package. Call 248-641-6400 or fax 248-641-5000

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BOOKKEEPER
with excellent typing skills for Southfield property management/commercial construction firm. Recent experience with computers & real estate bookkeeping required. Fax resume to: 248-655-7761 or mail to 6445 Inlander, #290, Bloomfield, MI 48301

BOOKKEEPING ASSISTANT

For Wholesale company in Southfield. Duties include: Accounts Receivable, Accounts Payable, filing & assisting other clerical departments as needed. Send letter or resume to: Personnel Dept., PO Box 5137, Southfield, MI 48068 or fax to: 248-358-8363

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Full-time. Will train right candidate. Should possess good math, detail oriented, work well under deadline, team player. Benefits. Health insurance. Paid vacation. (734) 513-3891 x 71

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Weight Watchers Headquarters in Farmington Hills seeks an entry-level full-time Clerical Assistant. MS Word proficient, fax filing, copying, excellent phone manners, professional demeanor, must be fast learner. Excellent environment. Please fax resume and salary requirements to: (248) 553-7106 or call (248) 553-7106

CAHR, P.O. Box 9072 Farmington Hills, MI 48333-9072

CLERICAL ASSISTANT

For Farmington Hills law firm. Full time position to include filing, photocopying, answering phones. Basic office experience & computer skills preferred. Dependability a must. Send resume to: Detroit CSR, P.O. Box 2480, Detroit, MI 48214

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IKON Office Solutions has openings in their Novi office for Service Dispatchers. Prior office experience necessary. Positive telephone etiquette, excellent customer relationship skills and desire to work in a fast-paced environment. We offer excellent benefits which include a comprehensive medical and dental plan, 401K, and a company sponsored pension plan. If you are interested, please send resume to: Ikon Office Solutions, 14505 Michigan Ave., between Greenfield & Schaefer, Novi, MI 48375-1300. EOE

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Phone and computer experience helpful. Located at 1314 E. Michigan Ave. Attn: Enca. (248) 444-8888

CLERICAL - FULL-TIME/PART-TIME

ACO Hardware is looking for a self-starter with excellent communication and computer skills. Must be a fast learner, good aptitude for numbers, and data-entry skills. We offer a competitive salary, excellent benefit package, and flexible full-time/part-time hours. Please send resume and salary requirements to: (734) 513-9077 or mail to: Personnel Department-A/R 31600 W. 12th, Suite 200, Livonia, MI 48150

CLERICAL HELP

Part-time Clerical Position. 20 hours per week. Knowledge of behavior issues not necessary. Please send resume to: Pel Education Center, 110 E. Avon, Rochester Hills, MI 48307

CLERICAL - LIVONIA AREA

HCC, The Premier Hospital Information Management Company is looking for field representatives to provide clinical support to our clients by copying and invoicing medical records in a Livonia hospital setting. Full-time 32 hours per week. Must have a minimum of 2 years of experience in medical records or doctor's office background. This is a plus. Data entry 40 wpm. You must be a high energy team player and customer service oriented.

Fax or send resume 847-759-8160 Mail to HCC, 1000 W. Higgins, #516 Rosemont, IL 60018 ATTN: KJ/2558

CLERICAL

Madonna University is seeking to fill a 30 hrs. wk. position. Must possess excellent clerical skills and have experience in WordPerfect 8. Exceptional communication skills and computer skills required. Full benefits package. To apply send resume & salary requirements to: Madonna University, 36600 Schoolcraft Rd, Livonia, MI 48150 EOE

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Part time leading to full time. Flexible hours. Pay commensurate with experience. Fax resume to: 734-455-1993

CLERICAL - PART TIME

High School diploma and experience for busy household health outpatient. For consideration please send resume to: J. Westland Counseling Center, Monday-Friday 9:30am to 5pm. 734-425-0636. Some evening hours. EOE

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CLERICAL (TEMPORARY)

Farmington Hills technical school 112 Mile & Haggerty) has occasional needs for temporary clerical help. Some duties include photocopying, collating, light typing, and assembling material. etc. If you are interested in occasional temporary clerical office help, please contact 248-648-3773. Office and PC experience (WordPerfect) very helpful.

CLERK

Clerical positions available for 2nd & 3rd shifts. GMA sequencing facility needs clerical help. Shipping & receiving experience. Good knowledge of MS Word and Excel needed. If interested mail resume with salary requirements to: 35 Corporate Rd., Auburn Hills, MI 48003

DATA ENTRY

Experienced Data Entry person. Must be dependable with good attendance. Excellent salary & benefits. Full-time position with benefits. Call Jan 4am Mon-Thurs. Fax resume to: (248) 543-5100

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Full time. Knowledge of TABS helpful but not necessary. Computer experience a must. Southfield law firm. Call Julie 248-355-5555

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For mental health clinic. Windows 95 helpful. Fax resume to: Diane Reab, 734-953-9636

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Wixom firm needs Contract/Lens Assistant. Previous experience helpful. Organized task charge detail person with strong communication skills. Problem solving. Job includes customer contact, data entry and accounts payable. Computer skills required. Competitive wages, full benefits. Call 248-360-6264 Ext. 640. Fax resume to 248-360-6268

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

Administrative assistant for busy department. Computer skills necessary. Windows 95, Word, Excel, WordPerfect, Lotus Organized, detail oriented, verbal and written communication skills a must. Full time, benefits. Send resume and cover letter with salary requirements to: D.O.C. Optics, 19800 W. 1 Mile Southfield, MI 48075, Attn: HR or fax to (248) 334-3917

CUSTOMER SERVICE REP

Westland, MI area company seeks a person to handle incoming phone calls, input orders and other general clerical duties. Some data entry, PC skills preferred. Dependability a must. Send resume to: Detroit CSR, P.O. Box 2480, Detroit, MI 48214

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Auburn Hills Facility. Requires a minimum of 55-60WPM keyboarding skills. The successful candidate will make calls, research and client contacting.

COORDINATOR

We offer competitive salaries & an excellent benefits package. For immediate consideration, please complete an application Monday, 11AM-3PM (please come prepared to discuss your qualifications). 4444 Giddings Rd., Auburn Hills, MI EOE M/F/D/V.

DEALER ACCOUNT COORDINATOR

Publisher seeking accounts person to handle dealer inquiries. File maintenance, computer, typing and phone skills required. Full time position. Call Jeanette at 248-477-6650 Ext. 104

EDUCATION SECRETARY

Wanted full-time in Farmington area. Computer skills, people skills, and phone sales experience necessary. Starting salary \$8.50/hr. Fax resume to: Vicki to schedule an appointment: (248) 478-1700

EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT

Position available with National Wine Importer. Candidate should have excellent communication & administrative skills with a positive attitude. Extensive PC skills required. Attractive salary and benefits package. Send resume in confidence with salary history/requirements to: Tyfield Importers, 2000 W. 14th, Allen Park, MI 48003

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Legal Secretary

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PART-TIME, FLEXIBLE HOURS

Send resume to: E.F. Nowak, 431 6th Street, Rochester, MI 48307

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Royal Oak law firm seeking secretary with family law and WordPerfect experience. Full benefits. Fax resume and salary requirements to: Hiring Partner, 248-599-1711

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Small Birmingham personal injury firm. Litigation experience required. Quick typing & organizational skills required. Ask for Melanie 248-258-1100

LEGAL SECRETARY

Seeking highly motivated and capable Legal Secretary with min. of 2 yrs. litigation experience. Practice primarily in personal injury. Resumes to: 36880 Woodward Ave., Ste. 103, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48304

LEGAL SECRETARY

Seeking for nine attorney defense firm. Seeking candidate with top notch skills interested in advancement. Great opportunity. Fax resume to: 248-547-5998 or mail to: Cardell Hebert, c/o Administrator, 222 W. Lincoln, Royal Oak, MI 48067

LEGAL SECRETARY

Southfield city, nice guy. Must have P.I. experience (auto is best). Full-time. Call Jason at 248-355-4701

LEGAL SECRETARY TO \$35,000

Real Estate/corporate experience. Full benefits package. Excellent salary & benefits. SNELLING PERSONNEL SERVICES 801 W. Big Beaver #500 Troy, MI 48064

LEGAL SECRETARY \$1000 SIGNING BONUS

Highly efficient, litigation/corporate attorney seeks legal secretary. Must be highly motivated, have excellent typing skills. Experience required. Can start immediately. Please submit resume to: Legal Administrator, 801 W. Big Beaver #500 Troy, MI 48064

LEGAL SECRETARY \$33,000

1 year property management or real estate experience. Work for a busy, successful, immediate opening. Benefits. Send resume to: SNELLING PERSONNEL SERVICES 801 W. Big Beaver #500 Troy, MI 48064

LITIGATION SECRETARY

Immediate opening for litigation secretary with 2-3 yrs experience for mid-size law firm in Southfield. Good benefits, pleasant working environment. Word and PC Docs. FAX resume & resume to: J. Pavlat, 248-357-7486

LOCKBOX CLERK

Old Kent has an immediate need to fill the position of Lockbox Clerk. This position is located in Southfield and is responsible for sorting and copying checks, making deposit slips and depositing funds into customer accounts, answering customer calls regarding lockbox deposits.

The qualified candidate will possess:

- Excellent customer relations skills
- Superior levels of initiative and attention to detail
- Excellent organizational and time management skills

Old Kent offers an excellent pay and benefits package. To be considered for this opportunity, please submit your resume to or complete an employment application at:

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Attn: JMW 26899 Northwestern Hwy #100 Southfield, MI 48034 An Equal Opportunity Employer

MEDICAL SECRETARY

Division of Cardiology University of Michigan Health System

The Division of Cardiology at the University of Michigan Health System is seeking a full-time Medical Secretary. This position will provide support to the physician. Responsibilities will include transcription of dictation, preparation of abstracts and research proposals, and coordination of medical records. The desired candidate will have a minimum of a high school diploma with 12 months of secretarial experience. Other qualifications include the ability to type at least 60wpm with accuracy, knowledge of medical terminology, experience with MACBIM, Microsoft Word, PowerPoint and Excel, excellent interpersonal skills and the ability to take initiative and work independently.

Interested candidates should submit their resume to:

- Yvonne Beers, University of Michigan Division of Cardiology, 3910 Taubman Center, 1500 E. Medical Center Drive, Ann Arbor, MI 48106-0386

A NON-DISCRIMINATION AFFIRMATIVE ACTION EMPLOYER

MOTIVATED INDIVIDUAL

needed for life insurance office to act as assistant to two agents. Must be a fast learner, computer literate, and be a proficient typist with transcribing skills. Salary commensurate with experience. Send resume to: 2701 Troy Center Dr., Ste 345, Troy, MI 48064 or Fax 248-244-6074

NATIONAL BROADCAST

monitoring company is seeking part-time transcriptionists. Must possess excellent spelling, grammar and typing skills. Available 20 to 30 hours a week. \$8 per hour. Excellent opportunity for students or second income. Please fax resume to: Production Manager, 248-352-9226

OFFICE ASSISTANT

Birmingham chiropractic clinic. Full-time. Some Saturday mornings. Benefits. Starting pay \$8.50/hr. (negotiable). Duties include: x-ray filing, to train. Reliability and friendliness a MUST. Call for more details. (248) 644-9462

502 Help Wanted-Office Clerical

REAL ESTATE ASSISTANT
Busy North Oakland office seeking team member with strong communication, organizational and computer skills. Full or part-time. Real estate background helpful. Call 888-255-1448 Ext. 9201 for a recorded message.

OFFICE ASSISTANT

Nationally known management firm is seeking an experienced office assistant for a fast-paced, growing company. Duties to include: typing, filing, telephone, people and organizational skills. Salary plus company benefits.

E.O.E.M.F.V.D.
For an interview call Mon-Fri. 9am-4pm. 248-652-3122

OFFICE ASSISTANT

Northville apartment community is seeking an experienced and responsible individual to assist Resident Manager with a variety of administrative tasks. Lessing experience necessary. I am looking for someone with great communication skills and an appetite for professional growth. Full-time position with competitive salary and benefits. Interested applicants fax resume to: 248-348-8486 or call 248-348-2823

OFFICE/CLERICAL-PT, 20-30 hrs/week

Personnel, payroll, and clerical person for A.P. A/R, general ledger, payroll & related tasks. Some administrative duties. Send resume with salary requirements to: 36701 7 Mile Rd., Suite 105, Livonia, MI 48152

OFFICE CLERK

Excellent computer, organizational & people skills a must. Great hours & benefits. Fax resume to: Crystal, 17187 Leaning Rock, Attn: Crystal, Livonia, MI 48152 Fax: (734) 591-1217

OFFICE HELP

Fast paced steel service company is seeking a motivated individual to handle many clerical duties. These duties will include filing, data entry, and other clerical duties as needed. Selected candidates must have high school diploma, one to two years experience with multi-line phone system and familiarity with word processing and/or data entry. Please mail or fax your resume to: Acro Service Corp., Human Resources, 17187 Leaning Rock, Attn: Crystal, Livonia, MI 48152 Fax: (734) 591-1217

OFFICE MANAGER

Bookkeeping experience & computer knowledge for upscale apt. Full-time or part-time. Also, Receptionist opening with experience. Southfield area. 1-800-321-8660

OFFICE MANAGER/BOOKKEEPER

Full time position available for a Livonia based construction firm. An experienced receptionist with general office skills to work in our professional office environment. Successful candidate will be a self-starter with proven work processing skills, and willing to take initiative. We are an established manufacturing and engineering company with a strong growth record. Competitive wages and benefits. Fax resume to: 734-591-2522 or call 734-591-2522

RECEPTIONIST

Downtown Rochester, MI. Seeking full-time Receptionist. Must be motivated & team oriented. Will train the right person. Call (248) 651-8787

RECEPTIONIST

Experienced. Full time. Benefits. For suburban location. Receptionist in person or send resume to: Co-Op Optical, 2424 E. 8 Mile Rd., Detroit, MI 48224 Attn: LHM

RECEPTIONIST

Fast-paced, phone person specializing in weight loss. Full-time. Call 734-422-8040

RECEPTIONIST - FULL-TIME

Veterinary clinic. Please apply in person or send resume to: 880 W. Long Lake Rd., Farmington Hills, MI 48302 (248) 642-2050

RECEPTIONIST/GENERAL OFFICE

30-40 hours per week to answer phones, type documents & general office work. Basic bookkeeping a plus. Computer skills a plus. Must be enthusiastic & enjoy customer contact. Please call for appointment. Infirmary of Farmington Hills-Southfield Area. (248) 471-2220

RECEPTIONIST/GREETER

GREAT position opening with luxury auto dealer. Experienced individual to handle incoming calls and greet customers. Must be enthusiastic & enjoy customer contact. Please call for appointment. Infirmary of Farmington Hills-Southfield Area. (248) 471-2220

RECEPTIONIST

Insurance office. At Bourdeau Insurance. North Western Hwy near 13 Mile has an entry level opening for a Receptionist. Duties include directing phone calls & clients receiving payments, typing, and other clerical duties. Computer updating forms & supplies. No experience needed. Training provided. Advancement opportunities. Please send resume to: P.O. Box 2310 Farmington Hills, MI 48333-2310

RECEPTIONIST/MANAGER

National Property Management firm headquartered in North Oakland County is seeking a person with professional communication skills, attitude and ability to answer multi-line PBX hand incoming and outgoing phone calls. Must have a minimum of 2 years multi-line switchboard experience along with funds management skills. Position enjoys a generous benefit package and career growth opportunity. Qualified candidates send resume and salary history to: Infa Resources Dept., 1370 Pacific Drive, Auburn Hills, MI 48326 EOE

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OEM automotive supplier seeks primary receptionist for its headquarters in Auburn Hills. In addition to being professional, articulate and friendly, the successful candidate will have a minimum of 2 years multi-line switchboard experience along with funds management skills. Position enjoys a generous benefit package and career growth opportunity. Qualified candidates send resume and salary history to: Infa Resources Dept., 1370 Pacific Drive, Auburn Hills, MI 48326 EOE

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Provide office support to several professors. This includes student and outside client contact, preparing and tracking the many forms and transactions of a busy office, formatting and preparing various documents, including journal articles and other information on the Web, and maintaining various schedules. The more senior position includes setting up seminar schedules and transcribing of meeting minutes. If you are detail oriented, familiar with Microsoft Word, Excel, and FileMaker 3.0 with familiarity with electronic mail and have some secretarial experience, please send your resume and cover letter to: Laura Vespaziani, Ref. Secretaries, Mechanical Engineering & Applied Mechanics, 2250 Glick Blvd., University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI 48109-2125. Affirmative Action/Non-discrimination.

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Beaumont Hospital, recently named by Fortune Magazine as "One of the 100 Best Companies to Work for in America", has a Secretary position available in our Cardiology Department. Responsible for general secretarial duties, transcription of medical documents and manuscripts. Requires 60 wpm typing, MS Word, WP 6.1, and PowerPoint. Associates degree or business school preferred.

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Experienced secretary with good organizational skills and excellent grammar to initiate correspondence, organize meetings, maintain files and periodic switchboard support needed at suburban advertising agency. Must be 60 wpm on Mac using Microsoft Word, Excel and PowerPoint. Interaction with clients and vendors. Send resume and salary history to: Director of Human Resources, MARS Advertising, 24208 Northwestern Hwy, Southfield, MI 48075, Fax: (248) 354-1834. An Equal Opportunity Employer.

SECRETARY

Full time position available for sharp detail-oriented individual with Microsoft experience. Apply in person: Director of Sales, Holiday Inn Southfield, 26552 Telegraph Rd., Southfield, MI 48034.

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Full-time Secretary needed for small but busy dental land development office in Farmington Hills. Must be a reliable person, proficient in WordPerfect 6.1 for Windows and all around general office experience, and who enjoys the responsibility of a land development office. At least 3 years of secretarial experience and references required. Local area experience preferred. Good salary/benefits. Call Elaine at (248) 737-2288 between 9am-12pm.

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We offer a competitive base salary and a generous benefits package, which includes a 401(k) plan. Please mail your resume to: Symbol Technologies, Inc., Attn: Dept. FM, 33533 West Twelve Mile Road, Suite 134, Farmington Hills, Michigan 48331. Fax: (248) 553-8894.

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SECRETARY/WORD PROCESSOR. Fast paced professional office environment. Strong WordPerfect for Windows 6.1 or 8.0 skills required. Responsibilities include filing, errand running and other misc. tasks. Need self-starter with office and organizational experience. Office hours 9:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Some overtime may be required. Local area experience preferred. Good salary/benefits. Call Elaine at (248) 737-2288 between 9am-12pm.

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ASK THE EXPERT Porch roof need not drip, weep

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Q: I built a porch with a metal roof on it. We enclosed it in using storm windows, but have not installed heat. The problem is that in the summer with the windows open, condensation forms and runs off the inside of the roof. What is the best way to stop the condensation? Will installing plywood and shingles over the metal help?

A: The way to stop the condensation from developing is to prevent the vapor in the porch air from contacting the cold metal roof. Putting plywood and shingles on top of the roof will not help. Instead, you should put insulation under the roof and cover the insulation with a vapor barrier. With this installation, the vapor will not migrate beyond the vapor barrier. Also, because of the insulation, the vapor barrier will have a temperature that is above the dew point. Consequently, condensation will not develop. You can cover the insulation and vapor barrier with drywall or wood panels.

Q: I am looking for a replacement toilet tank cover for an American Standard Tank F409 in Regency Blue. Our local plumber claims the cover is not available and wants to sell me a complete toilet. Since the color of the new toilet will not match that of the other bathroom fixtures, I am reluctant to buy it. Do you have suggestions?

A: We called the American Standard Co. and inquired about the cover to your toilet tank. Although they no longer manufacture that model and color, they apparently still have some covers in stock. They suggest you contact the American Standard Wholesale distributor that covers your area.

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Meadows Village is your last chance

The model is up in the Meadows Village, the last of five phases at the Crossings of Oakland developed and built by Robertson Brothers, off Adams north of Silver Bell in Oakland Township.

About 65 lots is all that's left of the platted community, which was started four years ago and which will house 360 families when completely sold out. "Our biggest feature is our amenities package," said Paul Robertson. "There's a swim club and tennis courts, outdoor sand courts, basketball - all in outdoor open spaces. We have a pathway system that winds through all villages."

Plans call for the addition of a baseball and soccer field.

"We give all the advantages of living in the country. You're out, open space," Robertson said. "We give all the amenities of the city - sidewalks, swim club. We've got it all."

The Crossings backs up to Bald Mountain State Recreation Area on its western boundary and is just a few miles north of Oakland University and Meadow Brook. The community also is near the village of Goodison and the Paint Creek Trail.

Four floor plans are available.

They range from \$294,990 for a colonial of 2,782 square feet with four bedrooms and 2-1/2 baths to \$333,990 for a colonial of 3,515 square feet with four bedrooms and 3-1/2 baths.

All plans include at base price two-car garage, basement, first-floor laundry, fireplace, separate tub and shower in the master, range, microwave and dishwasher plus carpeting throughout.

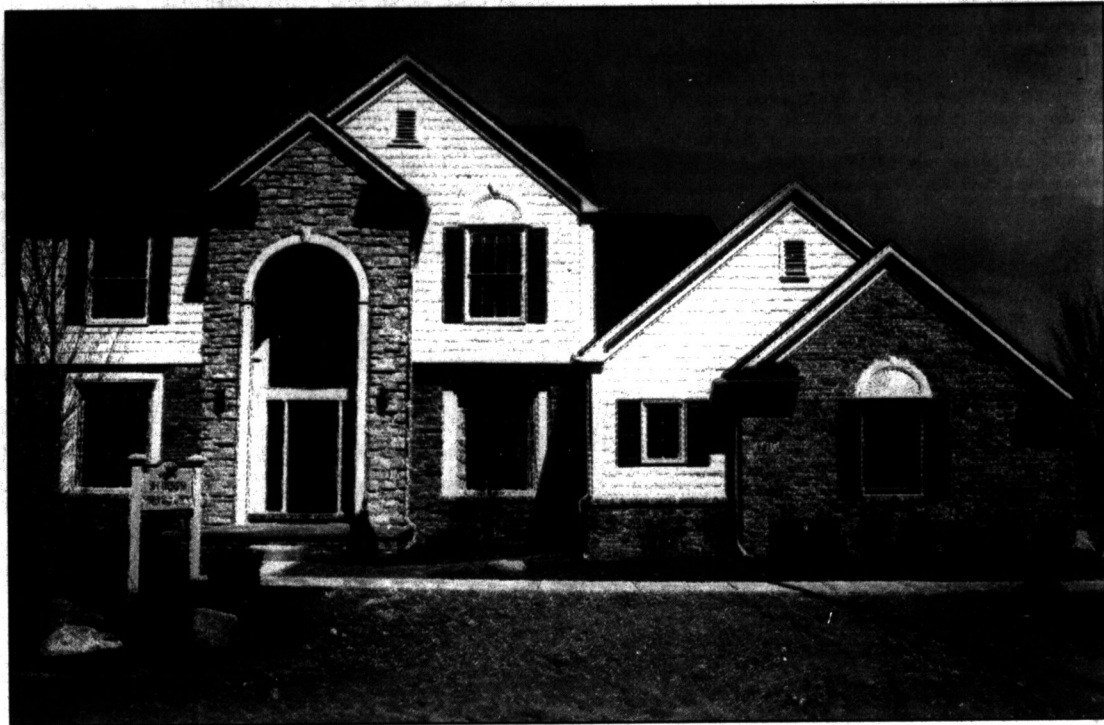
Popular upgrades include air conditioning (\$2,500), extended garage, (\$6,000) and a whirlpool tub (\$1,900).

"The community speaks for itself," said Karla Cronin, sales consultant. "They (visitors) are looking for open space. They look at the taxes, then they look at the Rochester schools. That's really important to them."

"One weekend I was here people were out biking, walking. They had 100 kids out here at Easter for an egg hunt," Cronin said.

The model, the St. Regis, is a near-duplication of a successful plan Robertson developed for Cherry Knoll in Canton.

The colonial of 3,082 square feet features a two-story foyer and a T-staircase with entrances off the foyer and kitchen.



Popular plan: This colonial of 3,082 square feet with four bedrooms and 2-1/2 baths has been modified for the Meadows after getting good reviews from buyers in Canton.

The plan also includes a living room, dining room, butler's pantry, kitchen/nook with built-in desk and island, a great room with volume ceiling and a den tucked between the living room and great room.

The master upstairs features a pair of walk-in closets, a two-sink vanity and cathedral ceiling. Three other bedrooms and a full bath are upstairs.

Base price of the model is \$305,990.

"They look at the columns in the foyer and their first impression is open space, an open feeling," Cronin said.

"It was such a strong floor plan and got such a good reception - it's a case of 'If it's not broke, don't fix it,'" Robertson said. "We decided to build it again."

Brick and vinyl siding are standard exterior materials on all plans. Most lots in the final phase at the Crossings will carry a price premium of \$5,000-\$6,000.

The Meadows Village is served by a

community water well and sewers. It's within the Rochester school boundaries.

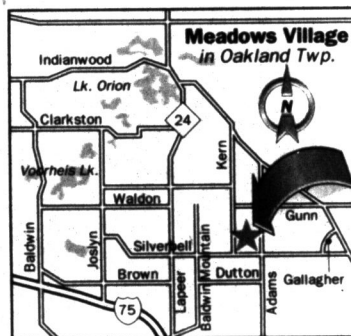
The property tax rate currently is \$23.62 per \$1,000 of state equalized valuation, half of market values. That means the owners of a \$300,000 house would pay about \$3,550 the first year.

The association fee to maintain the recreational amenities on site is \$106 per house every quarter.

John Prosser II, wife, Tessie, and children John III and Julian will be the first family into the Meadows Village.

"It's a wonderful area when you consider it's Rochester schools," John II said. "It's got close proximity to services and you feel you're in the country a little bit."

"It's a master-planned community, and Robertson Brothers has an excellent reputation," Prosser added. "My wife likes the open floor plan... the way the kitchen is planned. Certainly, the



master suite is very attractive."

The sales office at Meadows Village at the Crossings of Oakland, (248) 340-8920, is open noon to 6 p.m. daily.

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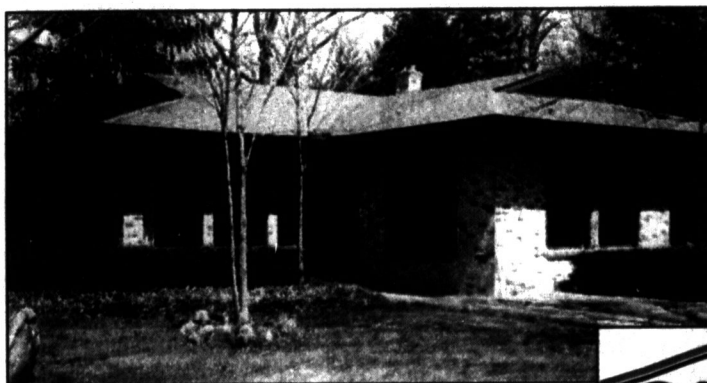
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Here are answers to pool chemical questions

By DAVE MICHAELS
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(NAPS) - When it comes to proper pool maintenance, all questions are important. These are some of the more commonly asked questions, with answers from the experts at Olin Corp.

Q: Is it dangerous to transport chemicals in the trunk of my car?

A: You can transport pool chemicals safely yourself, but you are smart to take the task seriously. Always follow simple precautions. Make sure the area

where you put chemicals in your car is clean. Place each chemical in a clean, separate box. Secure the chemicals so they don't shift in the boxes; avoid sudden stops and sharp turns. It is a good idea to transport in your trunk. However, it is important to take them out once you get home.

Q: How long after adding chlorine should people wait before going into the water?

A: If the chlorine residual is higher than 3.0 ppm, let the pool stand unused until the residual drops below 3.0 ppm. For proper sanitization, maintain 1.0-3.0 ppm free chlorine. When the

water tests in this range, your pool is in perfect shape for swimmers.

Q: Could chlorine cause my pool water to turn a definite blue/green color? It did this right after I added chlorine.

A: If the pool walls are not slippery, the probable cause of the blue/green colored water is the presence of metals (most likely copper) in the water. Well water can be a source of copper, iron or manganese. Other sources include copper pipes, heaters, heat exchangers, pennies, the ends of garden hoses, corrosion of metal nuts and

bolts, or rusty pool equipment. To restore water clarity, check it with a test kit and adjust pH to 7.2 to 7.4. Shock the pool by adding two ounces of HTH Granular or Sock It per 1,000 gallons of pool water. Filter until the pool water clears. Adding clarifier also may help.

Q: What does pH have to do with chlorine?

A: The efficiency of chlorine is greatly affected by pH. If pH rises above 7.8, chlorine becomes less effective in controlling algae and bacteria. If pH falls below 7.2, chlorine becomes more susceptible to ultraviolet degrada-

tion from sunlight.

Q: My family says the chlorine is burning their eyes. Am I adding too much?

A: Burning eyes often are caused by compounds known as chloramines, which are formed when nitrogen-containing compounds combine with chlorine. The burning eyes are actually caused by a lack of free available chlorine. Your pool needs more chlorine.

Q: I have a scum line around my pool. Can I use a kitchen/bath cleaning compound to remove it?

A: No. Household cleaning compounds are not recommended for swimming pools. The cleansers are likely to contain phosphates, which act as nutrients for algae. Your scum line is probably an accumulation of oils and dirt which can be removed with swimming pool tile or vinyl cleaner and scrubbing with a soft brush.

Q: Our pool is in a wooded area, and we have leaves in it constantly. Is it important to remove them every day?

A: Yes. Remove all debris, including leaves, before adding chlorine to your water. Leaves contain tannin, which can react with chlorine to produce reddish-brown stains. If your pool surface is stained, you can use stain controller.

Q: What do I do when I have an immediate question about my pool water?

A: Call the Olin Pool Care Hot line for a conversation with the water-care experts. They are available seven days a week from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. at 1-800-222-2348.

You can get more answers on the internet at <http://waterworks.olin.com>. Callers can also get a free pail guard, while supplies last, to protect toddlers from toppling into bucket.

Architect with area roots featured in tour showcase

Dean Kahremanis, AIA, an architect and Livonia native, designed a house that will appear in the Ann Arbor Home Builder's Association Showcase of Homes now through Saturday, June 21.

The 5,400-square-foot Fleming Ridge, with areas set aside for frequent entertaining, relaxation and recreation, was designed to fit the lifestyle of the owners and their family.

An outdoor courtyard serves as the home's exterior focal point and the base for the home's interior floor plan.

Kahremanis wrapped the house around the south-facing courtyard and included scores of windows to take advantage of the views.

The lower level, complete with guest quarters, golf practice area, wine cellar and recreation room for billiards and table tennis, also

encompasses the courtyard.

Kahremanis graduated from Livonia Bentley High School. He received both a bachelor of science degree in architecture and master of architecture degree from the University of Michigan.

He has his own firm in Ann Arbor.

Kahremanis is registered in Michigan, Ohio, Illinois and Indiana. He's affiliated with the American Institute of Architects, Michigan Society of Architects and the National Council of Architectural Registration Boards.

The Showcase of Homes Tour includes 32 houses. Hours are noon to 8 p.m. today, Wednesday and Saturday, 5-8 p.m. Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday.

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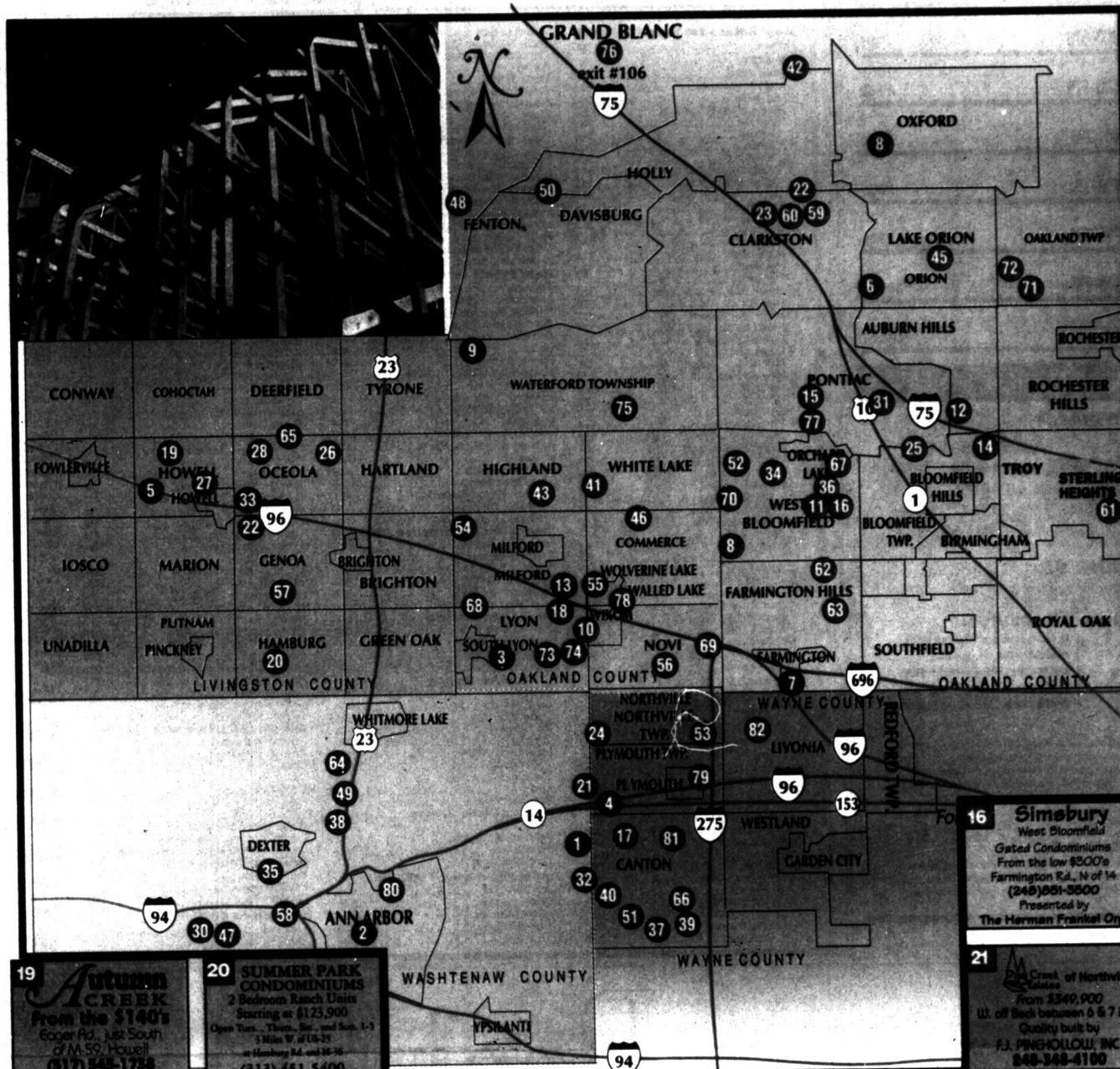
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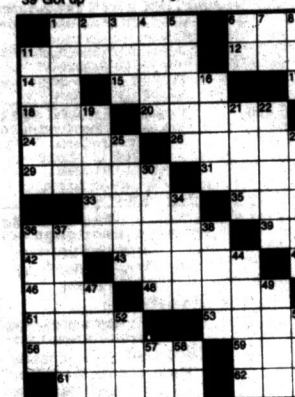
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