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## Man, 19, gets life in girl's death

By Tedd Schneider  
staff writer

A Westland man was sentenced to life in prison with no parole Thursday for the August beating death of a John Glenn High School girl. Ronald O'Neal Emerson, 19, was found guilty by a Wayne County Circuit Court jury Feb. 1 in the first-degree murder of Michelle Lynn Zimmerla, then 18. Circuit Judge Charles Farmer handed down the life sentence. Emerson had no previous criminal record. "I think he got what he deserved," said prosecuting attorney Kenneth Simon. "I realize having no chance of parole years down the road seems tough, but then somebody, a relative or friend, is always going to be thinking about Michelle Zimmerla," Simon

said. "And years down the road her status won't be changing either." Defense attorney Charles Campbell did not return phone calls to discuss the sentence. ZIMMERLA, WHO died from a skull fracture according to the Wayne County medical examiner, would have been a junior at John Glenn last fall. Emerson was arrested Aug. 25, the day after Zimmerla's partially decomposed, partially clothed body was found by police near the Rouge River in Wayne. Emerson admitted killing Zimmerla during testimony at his trial. But he said he had been under the influence of alcohol and mescaline, a hallucinogenic drug, and wasn't aware of his actions. Emerson's testimony contradicted previous statements given to police regarding Zimmer-

la's death and whether he sexually assaulted her while she was still alive. In an earlier statement, signed by the defendant and admitted as evidence in the trial, Emerson said he hit Zimmerla in the back of the head several times with a large rock while the two were arguing along the banks of the river. Emerson said Zimmerla was semiconscious after he hit her and that he had sexual intercourse with her after the first set of blows, according to the statement. When she threatened to tell police about the sexual assault he hit her again, apparently killing her, Emerson told police. In the statement, Emerson told police he threw the rock into the river and covered up Zimmerla's body with bushes, branches and a heavy iron beam.

Some of the victim's clothes were found in nearby bushes, and her purse was found hidden in brush about 115 yards from the body, court testimony revealed. EMERSON HAD known Zimmerla for about six weeks at the time of the murder, according to court records. The two were friendly but apparently not involved in a romantic relationship, testimony revealed. Emerson, who had returned to Michigan in January 1988 after living in the Tennessee for about a year, met Zimmerla through another acquaintance. He and Zimmerla spent the night of the murder visiting friends at several locations. Emerson testified that the couple had spent part of the time drinking whiskey and using illegal drugs.

### places and faces

**IT'S GOING to be** "Carnegie 20" in Westland. The Wayne County school board has approved the purchase of new curtains for the stage in the school gym. Estimated students, teachers and parents received \$3,000 through various pledges to pay for the curtains.

**THE STINGERS** hockey team pulled another big boost for their rehabilitation trip to Pennsylvania and the Soviet Union last week. The team's fund-raising effort and donations from friends each raised \$100 to the team, which will leave for the trip in late March. The presentation came during a city council meeting. The fund-raising effort was more than \$10,000, nearly one-third of the team's goal.

**DOES ANYONE** have any old copies of the *Michigan Hill* showing the water wheel? If so, contact the Friends of the Michigan Hill, c/o Westland Public Library, 20000 Westland Ave., Westland, Michigan 48186. The Friends of the Wayne County Historical Society's *Michigan Hill* is a "Friends" organization. Persons with information please contact Chris West at 481-0764.

**U.S. REP. William Ford, D-Texas**, has announced the 1989 Model of Man Program. There will be given in each of the 100 Congressional Districts, including Westland, at a ceremony on May 7.

The models are designed to reward high school students, young adults and youth groups for their volunteer activities. The models are shown by a committee of district residents. The models are shown by a committee of district residents. The models are shown by a committee of district residents.

**WAYNE** County Board of Health has announced that it will be holding a health fair at the Westland Public Library on March 16, 1989. The fair will feature a variety of health services, including blood pressure checks, vision screenings, and dental exams. The fair is free and open to the public. For more information, contact the Westland Public Library at 20000 Westland Ave., Westland, Michigan 48186.

## Wider access given in case

By Leonard Poger  
editor

Attorneys representing three Wayne-Westland school employees charged with falsifying adult education enrollments won their fight Friday to get more specific information from the Wayne County prosecutor's office.

Gall McKnight, 18th District Court judge, ordered assistant prosecuting attorney Robert Sheiko to provide more detailed information for the attorneys and the defendants so that they better prepare their defenses. But McKnight, ruling on a series of preliminary motions from the bench Friday morning, rejected a motion by the defense attorneys that the charges be dropped.

A four-day preliminary exam is scheduled to begin Thursday, March 9.

In pressing for more specific information be given the defendants, the judge said:

"The key questions in the case are 'when was the agreement (to conspire) made and by whom and what documents were falsified and by whom?'"

She and several defense attorneys cited the volume of information relating to the case — including 12 boxes of records, more than 1,000 pages of testimony given to the Wayne County citizens' grand jury last year more than 200 pages of notes of the state police during the investigation.

THE THREE charged in November on two counts of conspiring to falsify records and then falsifying the records are Kathleen Lyons, director of special projects and Tinkham Center's executive director; Holbert (Rick) Hamrick, assistant principal at the Ford vocational-technical training center; and Barbara Blanton, a part-time adult and community education teacher.

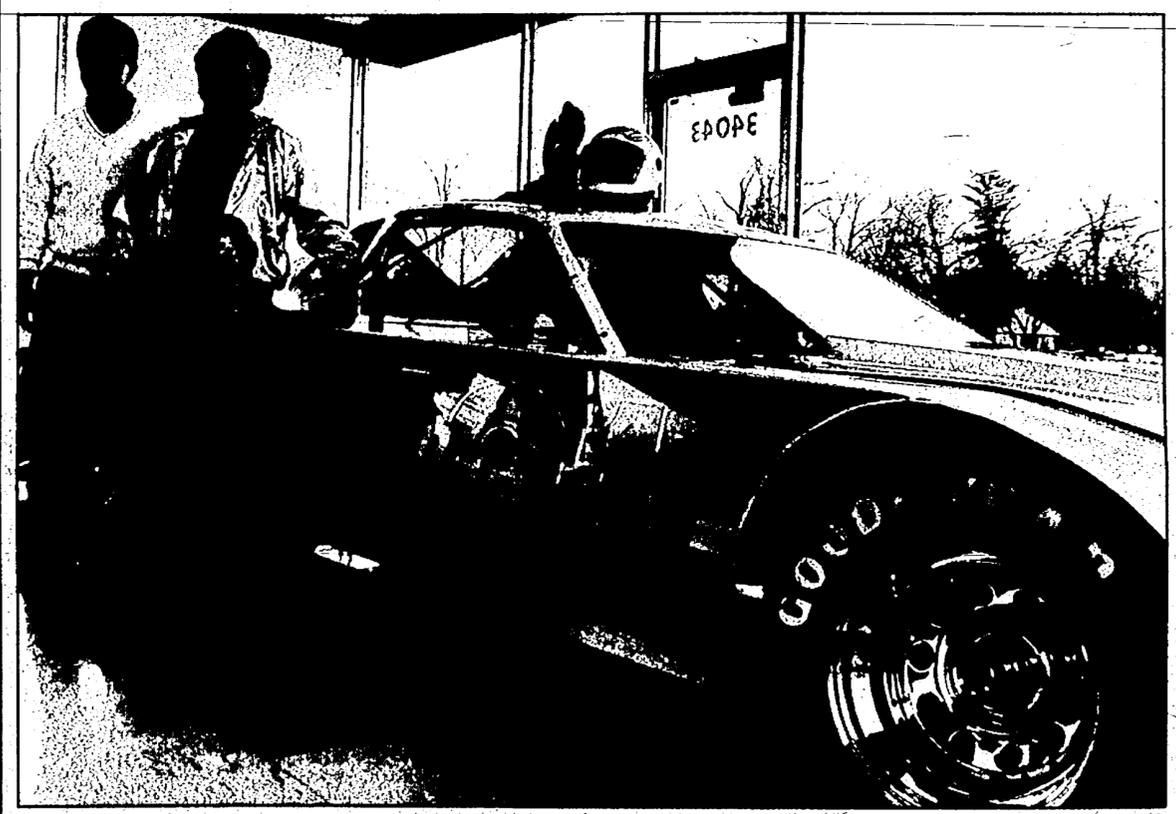
A fourth person, who was an adult education department employee at the time of the enrollment dispute, is being referred to in court documents and proceedings as "Jane Doe" because she hasn't been formally charged or arraigned. That is expected to be done when the preliminary exam starts March 9.

Representing Hamrick and Blanton is attorney Richard Clark while Neil Fink represents Lyons and Marvin Blake is defending "Jane Doe." Kimberly Stout, representing Lyons at Friday's proceeding, wanted the case for her client adjourned and technically separated from the other defendants because of her client's poor health. But McKnight delayed her decision on the request until at least the March 9 exam.

Lyons was found to have bone cancer last fall and is now undergoing chemotherapy.

Blake suggested to the judge that he may ask the charges against his client be reduced or amended because of a statute of limitations question.

According to court documents and



ART EMANUELE/staff photographer

## Winner — again

Jon Okopski (kneeling), his father, LaVerne (right), both of Garden City, and Westland Auto-One owner Jim Ward show off the 1989 IROC-Z car with which the Okopskis won first place honors in the recent Autorama exhibition in Detroit's Cobo Hall. Ward's auto accessory business on Ford near Wild-

wood was sponsor of the car, built by Jon and raced by LaVerne. The Okopskis also won an Autorama first place trophy several years ago with their 1985 Thunderbird. The IROC-Z, a race version of the Chevrolet Camaro, will be on display at the Auto-One showroom through Thursday.

## Retail/office plan marks return of 2-story projects

By Tedd Schneider  
staff writer

A two-story retail/office complex, the first development of its kind in Westland in this decade, will be built on the southwest corner of Yale and Hunter.

The site plan for the 40,000-square-foot building was approved by the Westland City Council last week.

"I don't know if combined commercial-office developments are returning as a trend, but this is the first building of this type for Westland in some time," said George Wilhelmi, city planning director.

The project developer is Yale Investments of Farmington Hills.

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— George Wilhelmi  
city planning director

Wilhelmi said the building will fit in well in its neighborhood, which feature new residential developments as well as established single-family homes.

Directly adjacent to the office/retail complex will be the Castle Woods Condominiums, now under construction. The Westland Towers apartment complex is across Hunter to

the north and a subdivision is across Yale, east of the planned building.

WILHELMI SAID the developer is hoping to attract service-oriented tenants for both floors of the building.

"It should attract the kind of com-

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## 2 studied in arson probe

By C. L. Ruzenstain  
staff writer

Two men were questioned and released as part of an arson investigation into the fire that destroyed five businesses on Warren Road east of Middlebelt Feb. 18, said Westland police Lt. John Reddy. The men, aged 17 and 28, are residents of Dearborn, Reddy said. Po-

lice said they plan to get warrants and formally charge them early next week, according to Reddy.

The lieutenant said the warrants are based on an investigation conducted by Fire Marshal Robert Perry. Perry is conducting the investigation of what police believe may have been an arson-for-insurance incident. Dominic's Pizzeria was the origi-

nal target, Reddy said.

Police said it is likely that a pilot light on the shop's hot water heater ignited fumes from gasoline reportedly used to start the fire. It led to an explosion that destroyed three other businesses and a fourth, which was scheduled to open last week.

A man injured in the blast is being treated for burns at Henry Ford Hospital, Detroit.

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Joe Randazzo (center) and sons Pete (left) and Sam took part in the ribbon-cutting ceremony at the newly-opened fruit and produce business.

# Owner tastes success with fruits, vegetables

By C. L. Rugenstein  
staff writer

Joe Randazzo, owner of the new Randazzo's fruit and vegetable market in Westland, wanted to come to America so badly he did it twice.

The new market, a measure of his success, is his fourth and largest. Built at a cost of about \$2 million, the 25,000-square-foot building will also have three acres for nursery stock in two months.

Randazzo talked about his business and family after a ribbon-cutting ceremony at his new store on the northwest corner of Warren Road and Newburgh Tuesday morning.

Randazzo, who owned a piece of land near the new shopping center at Warren and Yale, had intended to build there. But Westland Center wanted the land, so Randazzo sold it at a profit and relocated to the present site.

The profit made from the land sale reflects the success of Randazzo's life since he made his first trip to America in 1953. A native of Sicily, Randazzo said he "wanted to come to America so badly," he got a job on a boat and worked his way over. But he did it without first getting required passport and visas and was deported, he said.

Two years later, he returned with the required paperwork and stayed.

Once here, he left the boat and took a train to Detroit, where he had an uncle he had never seen.

The uncle helped him get started in his newly adopted land, including finding Randazzo a wife.

Besides being a mother to their four children — two boys and two girls — Ann Randazzo was invaluable to him when he first started out in business, Joe Randazzo said.

"It was very, very hard," he said of those early days when he didn't speak English well.

HE HAD been a produce peddler in Sicily, so what he did here what was familiar. He would go out early in the morning and "sell from the back of the truck" in neighborhoods, he said.

Because he did not understand English well, he often couldn't find his way back home after work. So, Randazzo said, "I called my wife and said, 'I'm at such-and-such a street — come pick me up.'"

He bought his first piece of property — 35 years ago — on Detroit's east side, at Seven Mile and Outer Drive.

"I built the foundation myself, dug it with a shovel," he recalled. With the help of a friend he built the 20 by 90 foot building that houses the original Randazzo's fruit market. With hard work, the business "grew and grew," Randazzo said.

He added a second east side location, and seven years ago expanded to the west side in Dearborn Heights. But the heart of his operation and main warehouse is still the Seven Mile market. He has a cooler there that can hold "100 rail cars of food," he said, and it's full now.

Over the years he's added five trucks to move the produce from the main warehouse, and 350 employees to staff all four locations.

Although the business is getting "bigger and bigger, and better," Randazzo said he "can't stop now."

The three acres for nursery stock will be a first.

"We've had flowers, perennials, every year," said his son, Sam. But by April, they will have a stock of trees and other needs for gardening and landscaping.

BEYOND THAT, he has no desire to diversify. There'll be no specialty meat counters or delis in the Randazzo future.

"We like to stay away from that," Sam said. "We like to do a good job in produce, and don't want to take away from that."

All four Randazzo children, sons Sam and Pete and daughters Pat Bergamo and Maria Urbani, are active in the business. His wife prefers to leave the business to them, Randazzo said.

Randazzo said he gets calls from other states where dealers will be looking for produce, or looking for someone to buy surplus.

The key to it all, Randazzo said, is hard work and liking what he does. After all, "It's what I've been doing all my life," he said.

# 3 in adult ed case get wider access to data

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the formal charges, the three defendants are accused of falsifying adult enrollment records from Sept. 6, 1982 through Aug. 31, 1984.

The charges came out of a long-standing public controversy in which school employees and administrators were said to have boosted adult enrollment figures so the school district would have received more state aid revenues, based in part on enrollments.

Since then, the school district agreed it made honest errors in computations and agreed to pay back the monies received for the higher enrollments. The payback was done through the state reducing the district's subsequent aid payments.

SHEIKO said he expects to have

up to 60 witnesses testify in the examination, scheduled March 9-10 and 13-14 to determine if the crimes as charged were committed and if there is probable cause that the defendants committed the crimes.

Clark was most vocal in arguing for more information needed to prepare any defense for his two clients.

The grand jury testimony that he reviewed makes "no suggestion of a conspiracy," Clark said.

"Who did they allegedly conspire with?" he asked.

Blake said the "vagueness of the charges preclude me" from adequately defending his client.

"I don't have the information," he stressed. "With the information, I can prepare for cross-examination and possibly call my own witnesses."

Sheiko argued against providing

the information at this stage of the court proceedings, saying that defense attorneys can ask for that data during the exam.

But Clark replied that he wants the more specific information now, saying he opposes the prosecutor's "shotgun approach — I prefer the rifle approach."

JUDGE McKnight agreed with Clark, noting that Sheiko and the defense attorneys have already discussed providing the requested information.

In a related decision, the judge said still and video cameras plus recording equipment will be allowed for the exam, based on new Michigan Supreme Court rules governing that equipment in court rooms.

But cameras were not allowed for Friday's proceeding because under the former rules the equipment could be forbidden if any of the attorneys involved in a case objected.

# Project plan approved

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munity businesses that will be a positive addition to the neighborhood," he said.

Types of office tenants could include attorneys, dentists, accountants or even doctors, he said. The first floor could be occupied by a beauty salon, shoe repair shop, pizzeria or similar business.

According to the site plan, the brick building will have a smooth-panel metal roof and exterior colors will blend-in with the environment. Dumpsters will be placed along the south property line and be enclosed

on three sides with a 5-foot masonry wall.

A second masonry wall, and a wood stockade fence, will screen the property from residential areas to the south and west, respectively.

The developer will plant 32 trees and at least 18 shrubs on the grounds.

A 232-space parking lot, including seven spaces for handicapped drivers, will be adjacent to the building. The parking area will be lighted, with illumination directed away from the adjacent residential areas and the street, according to the site plan.

# Liquor license delayed

The Westland City Council last week postponed approval of a beer and wine license for the Meijer store

at Warren Road and Newburgh after questions regarding the store's proximity to Patchin Elementary School.

The council is expected to vote on the license at its next regular meeting, 7:30 p.m. Monday, March 6.

The 212,000-square-foot general merchandise/grocery store is expected to open in March 1990 on the corner of Warren and Newburgh.

# clarification

A story about a Westland business explosion and fire in the Feb. 23 Observer should have said that the fire department didn't know anyone was injured in the blast until Fairlane Clinic in Dearborn called to say a teen-ager was being treated for burns.



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to pick up a pointer or two from five Wayne-Westland kids.

The five were winners of the annual city free-throw contest sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, Notre Dame Council Number 3021, Wayne.

The winners included Natasah Horne, Vandenberg Elementary School; David Mruk, Stevenson Junior High; Shawn Krause, Marshall Junior High; Jennifer Gorecki, Stevenson; and Karen Olack, Stevenson.

The five will compete in district competition in Garden City and could go to the state tournament next month.

THE WESTERN campus of Wayne County Community College will stage a Career Fair for high school students from 1-5 p.m. Thursday, March 9 at the Belleville building.

More than 50 employers from all sectors of the business community and government will be represented, including Ford Motor Co., Annapolis Hospital, Northwest Airlines, the Internal Revenue Service and the Michigan State Police.

For more information on attending the seminar call the college, 699-0200.

WESTLAND City Council member Charles Pickering has been named chairman of the Westland Chamber of Commerce Government Committee.

NICHOLAS Witkowski has retired after 35 years with the Westland post office.

Witkowski, a postal superintendent, never called in sick during his more than three decades of service, said Lloyd Wesley, Westland post master.

MERT LEGRAFF has been named employee of the month for February by the Westland Convalescent Center.

Legraff is a staff development instructor and has been employed at the center for eight years.

SEVERAL residents made a symbolic protest last week to voice their opposition to the proposed raises for the mayor and city council members.

A woman representing a group presented tea bags to the council, before they voted to let the raises take effect Wednesday. The bags were to represent the Boston Tea Party of 200 years earlier.

"Are the bags Lasada or Lipton?" Councilman Tom Artley quipped.

THE JUST-COMPLETED renovation of City Hall is drawing rave reviews from visitors.

But a new name plate for city department heads in the council chambers has the last name of Recreation Director George Gillies misspelled.

Gillies admitted he hadn't noticed the error until it was brought to his attention at last week's council session.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Garden City Council will hold a public hearing at the Civic Center, 6000 Middlebelt Road, Garden City, Michigan on March 6, 1989 at 7:30 p.m. concerning the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program. The following activities are being proposed for the use of these federal funds:

AMOUNT	PROJECT
\$90,000	Funding of Drain Improvement in the area known as the Mid East Leathers Drainage District (an area bounded by Beechwood on the North, Ford on the south, Carlwell on the West and Inkster on the East).
\$35,000	Funding of Housing Rehabilitation activities to owner-occupied single family residences City-wide.

Neighborhood groups or private non-profit groups may submit proposals at this time for consideration of funding.

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# Agency helps job seekers get to work



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Karina Landis, employment manager, displays the two brochures explaining the job training and placement agency.

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Showing off the new office for job seekers are SER officials Marino Scerpella (left), director of employment; Ramona Flores, special projects liaison; and Rafael Alcala, recruiter.

By Leonard Poger  
 staff writer

Jim Brink is a satisfied client of a newly expanded job training and placement agency that offers free services for local low-income residents.

Brink, personnel manager for Kroger's Michigan dairy division in Livonia, said he sometimes interviews 10 to 15 job candidates to fill one opening. Sometimes he interviews 50 and doesn't find anyone for a vacancy, Brink said.

But when he contacts SER (an acronym which stands for Service, Employment, Redevelopment), Brink gets a much faster response. "On Thursday, Feb. 16, I called SER to fill two or three positions," Brink recalled. "I got one person the next day, a second the following Wednesday and two others scheduled to come in Monday."

Of those sent to him by SER, Brink hired two.

SER HELD an open house Thursday afternoon at its newly expanded office on Ford, one-half mile west of Inkster Road, in Garden

City. The new office combines two other locations in Garden City and Dearborn Heights.

Since opening in January, the office is typically busy — lined up with job seekers.

The agency, organized 17 years ago with branches in Detroit and suburbs, handles 4,000 people a year, said Marino Scerpella, director of employment for SER.

Nearly all are placed in jobs "if they aren't too choosy," he said.

BUT THERE are some problems, Scerpella said.

One is that many fail a drug test given by companies to prospective employees.

Many firms are complaining that many candidates — from Detroit and suburbs — are flunking the drug test, he said.

Another problem is that some people receive more money in jobless benefits than they would if they took a new job, Scerpella said.

SER, FINANCED by the U.S. Labor Department, provides free job training and placement and, in some cases, free adult education

classes in computer training, computer repairs, washer and dryer repairs and optical dispensing.

Those courses are open to people without a high school diploma, those with a GED certificate, and high school graduates between 17 and 19.

The courses are held at the new Marquette Adult Education Center in Garden City.

"(SER) has plenty of jobs available in shipping and receiving, assembly, clerical, warehouse jobs, general labor and quality control," Scerpella said.

Some positions pay from \$7 to \$9 per hour.

AS PART of its training mission, SER is helping a newly opened hotel in Dearborn prepare 300 new employees for their jobs.

SER can find jobs for "anyone who is willing to work and has a good record," Scerpella said.

Karina Landis, employment manager at the new office, said that the agency works with the Michigan Employment Security Commission and Michigan Department of Social Services, in addition

to sending out fliers in the area.

SER specifically recruited students for the four new classes at the Marquette Center, a former elementary school that was vacant for several years before being renovated into an adult education center last fall.

Approximately 275 people were recruited for those classes, Landis said.

EXAMPLES OF financial standards for eligibility are an income of a maximum \$5,717 over six months for a single person and \$5,120 over six months for a single parent with two children, Scerpella and Landis said.

The organization is open not only to jobless people, but also to those who are underemployed, such as those with part-time jobs who want full-time work.

SER, which can be contacted at 522-5627, will provide detailed eligibility rules for interested people.

Scerpella suggested an easier way to remember the number: 522-JOBS.

# Controversy of 'Verses' touches close to home

By Mary Rodrigue  
 staff writer

Death threats against "The Satanic Verses" author Salman Rushdie pit the Medieval-like Islamic religious fervor against the cherished Western value of freedom of speech, according to area scholars and Muslims who generally — but not universally — deplore its censorship.

"I'm reading it now. If it wasn't for this controversy, I would have left it long ago," said Aleya Rouchdy, a Muslim who lives in Bloomfield Hills and teaches Near Eastern and Asian studies at Wayne State University.

Rouchdy was one of 40 professors who signed a petition to boycott a university bookstore that had halted sales of the book. The bookstore has since ended that ban.

"Particularly at a university, you don't prevent someone from reading," she said.

The otherwise obscure book has enraged Islamic passions in countries such as Pakistan and Iran where the Ayatollah Khomeini has called for the death of Rushdie, the Indian-born British citizen who wrote the book.

The death threat doesn't surprise Noormiddin Yamani, a Muslim from Livonia, who said the author likely would have been put to death had he lived in a Muslim country. He feels the book should be pulled from area shelves.

"IT ATTACKS our faith — It attacks all faiths," said Yamani, a member of the Dawoodi Bohra sect of the Muslims which meets at a Farmington Hills mosque.

Yamani, who had not been able to get a copy of the book, said the work is a stinging attack on Islam. He bases his opinions on press coverage and word-of-mouth.

"It's the same thing as if someone had attacked the U.S.A., you'd want to defend it," he said.

Carlo Coppola, an Islamic authority and a linguistics professor at Oakland University in Rochester Hills, said that "we in the West cannot comprehend what is happening."

"When we want to condemn this as outrageous, we are dealing with a different mindset.

"The Islamic world has not gone through the Renaissance, the Reformation or the Enlightenment which

are three of the things we in the West have gone through. Life in medieval Europe is as life in most Muslim countries. If Salman Rushdie had written this book in the Middle Ages he'd be burned at the stake. He'd be a heretic."

Coppola also noted the political significance of this controversy as fundamentalist Muslims resist liberal movements such as the election of a female head of state in Pakistan. The Ayatollah also needs a rallying point to overcome his country's failure to conquer Iraq.

Coppola said Rushdie, who comes from a prominent, elite family of intellectuals, moved to England as a Muslim who did not want to be so provincial as to live in a Muslim state such as Pakistan but who was unwilling to live as a minority in Hindu India.

"He is an extremely fine writer," said Coppola who added, however, that he does not feel "Verses" is his best book. He gives that honor to "Midnight's Children" which he called "outrageously funny. So is 'Satanic Verses'."

## Library reception cool

The controversy over "The Satanic Verses" has brought such a flood of interest that it is hard to find at area bookstores.

But at libraries, where the book is available for free, the interest is more like a trickle.

"Not as much (interest) as you might imagine," said Jean Tabor, director of the Canton Public Library. Only three patrons have asked Canton librarians to buy the book, which is on order.

The book is available at the Dunning-Hough Library in Plymouth, although there's a waiting list.

"We do own the book and we do have reserves on it," said Pam Rawlinson, assistant director of the library, which serves Plymouth and Plymouth Township residents.

Rawlinson wasn't sure exactly how many people were on the waiting list.

Garden City Public Library's one copy of "The Satanic Verses" was borrowed this week by a reader who had signed a waiting list for the book, said Library Director Sofia Eloff.

The Carl Sandburg branch of the

WAYNE STATE'S Rouchdy agrees that Rushdie is a very good writer but says the book is tedious and requires an understanding of Islam.

"I've read 150 pages — a few each night — there are 546 pages. It's difficult reading."

She called the Ayatollah's decree a form of intellectual terrorism.

"You can agree or disagree with the context of the book. But to threaten death to the author is terrorism," she said.

Vincent Khapoya, who teaches international politics at Oakland University has his copy of "Satanic Verses" on order.

A Kenyan who specializes in South Africa, Khapoya cannot recall another book causing so much controversy.

"Muslims haven't had the challenge to orthodoxy that Christians have already gone through. Rushdie is not a devout Muslim. So now the criticism is coming from within."

Staff writer Rich Periberg contributed to this story.

Livonia Public Library has one copy of the book, and it's now checked out.

"But there's nobody on the waiting list," said Claudine Trenner, branch librarian.

Trenner said only one copy was bought for Livonia's three libraries because "the review wasn't that good."

"We don't have endless amounts of money to spend so we buy the ones we think people will be interested in," she said. "The book wasn't selling until this broke out."

CHIEF librarian Michael Dellér said the librarians also look at an author's track record as a writer before deciding many books to buy. Rushdie had a good track record, he said, with Livonia's library already owning four other books written by him.

Some area bookstores initially halted sale of the book, but many, including the national B. Dalton chain, have resumed selling the controversial tome.

Not one among a half dozen local bookstores surveyed had the book currently in stock.

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# 'Bifocals' columnist Delano dead at 72

An optimist, a lover of life and an adventurer.

"I can't imagine a finer epitaph," wrote Fred Delano in December, after receiving a letter from one of his many readers describing him so.

Delano, 72, longtime columnist for the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers died Friday of a heart attack while recuperating from surgery in Huntington Beach, Calif.

Delano was visiting family and friends in Nevada and the West Coast when he was admitted to the hospital. He died in the Care West Huntington Valley Nursing Center.

Author for more than two decades of the column "Through Bifocals," Delano charmed and entertained readers with his anecdotes about themselves, their neighbors, himself, his coterie of friends and his wife, Olga, who he affectionately referred to as Mother Goose in his column. She died on Feb. 11, 1988.

Never a pretentious person, Delano left political and social analysis to other columnists at the newspaper.

"I PREFER to compose para-

## obituarles

graphs that entertain, that tell of people and things, now and then relating something you didn't know," he wrote about his column in 1986.

Delano had a large following through the years, particularly in the Plymouth area where he could be seen often walking up and down mainstreet always in search of new material for his column. He also spent time working as a columnist for the Plymouth Community Crier.

He also was one of the original members of the Journalistic staff which helped to develop the community journalism philosophy along with Observer & Eccentric owner Philip H. Power.

"He was one of those who chose to devote themselves to community journalism. He was able to do anything he chose. And he was one of the early people who found community

journalism highly rewarding," said Power.

"Delano had a special emotional warmth and involvement," said Power. "That quality allowed him to put himself in the other guy's position."

"Fred Delano was very simply an inspiration, one of the best journalists I've ever known," said Steve Barnaby, managing editor of the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers.

"In his days here as a working editor, he helped to mold many careers. He would gently scold young reporters who were reluctant to get the entire story. But he also would reassuringly help those same young reporters who needed help in developing an angle.

"And although he expected a lot out of others, nobody ever worked harder than Fred."

Glenna Merrilat, of Plymouth,

who worked as women's editor of the Plymouth Observer under Delano, described him as "the consummate newsman."

After his son David was killed in an accident, Delano came to the office and wrote his obituary, said Merrilat.

In typical Delano journalistic fashion, before leaving for California in January, he left his family with a complete biography so that "we would be prepared in case anything happened," said son-in-law John Smith.

Born in Dowagiac, MI, he was a devoted Wolverine fan. Delano graduated from the University of Michigan in 1937 with a bachelor of arts degree. He majored in journalism and history.

While at the U-M, Delano was associate sports editor at the Michigan Daily. He was a member of the U-M

Marching Band, class treasurer and a member of the Druids, a senior honorary society. He also was a member of Sigma Delta Chi, a journalism society, and Sigma Nu, a social fraternity.

DELANO worked as an Ann Arbor correspondent for the Chicago Tribune while a student.

After graduating, Delano worked as Detroit Free Press Flint bureau chief. In those days, the Free Press published a special Flint edition.

He was a general assignment reporter at the twice-weekly News-Advertiser in Flint and a daily sports columnist for the Long Beach Press and Telegram in Long Beach, California. He also was a member of the sports staff of the Chicago Tribune.

He worked full-time at the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers from 1967 to 1979. During that time he was a reporter, editor of the Plymouth Observer, Wayne County editor, acting managing editor and administrative assistant to the executive editor.

From 1979 to 1982, Delano worked as a free-lance writer in public relations and promotion. He clients included the National Open Putting Championships, Bloomfield Hunt Club Horse Shows and Buesser, Buesser, Snyder and Blank, attorneys in Bloomfield Hills.

Delano was well-known among sports publicists. He was an associate member of the public relations staff of the Los Angeles Rams Football Club. In 1951-52, he was president of the Southern California Football Writers Association.

In the late '50s and '60s, Delano worked as a free-lance writer in public relations for the Detroit Olympic Committee, serving twice as coordinator for the U.S. Olympic Swimming and Diving Finals when it was in Detroit.



Fred Delano

DELANO WAS general manager of the Detroit Pistons from 1957-58, the year the franchise moved from Fort Wayne to Detroit.

From 1955-57, he worked as sports publicity director and director of community relations at the University of Detroit.

In the '40s, he worked as publicity director for the Detroit Lions and was executive secretary of the Michigan section of the PGA (Professional Golfers Association). He also worked as sports publicity director at U-M and at Northville Downs. In 1948, he was operations and promotion coordinator of a nine-day train tour for the U-M's first return to the Rose Bowl since 1902.

Delano is survived by his son, Robert of Reno, Nev.; daughter, Betty, of Plymouth Township, the girls volleyball coach at Plymouth-Salem High School; three grandchildren and three sisters, Martha Davis of Ann Arbor, Mary Rizzardi of Kalamazoo and Florence Gray of Florida.

Funeral arrangements are being made by Shradder Funeral Home, 453-3333.

## Tax aid available for eligible seniors

### TAX SERVICE

Through April 11 — Free income tax service will be offered to low-income seniors Mondays and Tuesdays 12-3 p.m. at the Friendship Center, 1119 N. Newburgh, Westland. For more information, call 722-7628.

### MORE TAX SERVICE

Through April 13 — Free income tax service will be offered to low-income seniors Tuesdays and Wednesdays 10 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the Maplewood Center, on Maplewood west of Merriman, Garden City. For appointments, call 525-8848.

### FISH FRIES

Fridays through March 24 — St. Raphael Catholic Church, Merriman north of Ford, will hold fish fry dinners 5-8 p.m. every Friday during Lent. Prices are \$3 for retirees, \$2.75 for children, and \$3.75 for adults. Hot dogs and fries will also be offered to children.

### FLOOR HOCKEY

Monday, Feb. 27 — Wayne Westland Family Y will begin registration for Adult Floor Hockey Leagues. You must be 16 to register. Teams of 8-10 players will play a 10-game schedule. Register at YMCA, 827 S. Wayne Road, Westland.

### ALUMNI

Monday, Feb. 27 — Bishop Borgess Alumni Association will hold its first meeting at 7 p.m. at Bishop Borgess Catholic High School, 11685 Appleton, Redford. For more information, call Candy at 255-1100.

### GC REPUBLICAN CLUB

Tuesday, Feb. 28 — The Garden City Republican Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. in room 5 of Maplewood Community Center, 31735 Maplewood. The agenda will focus on reports from the recent state GOP Convention in Grand Rapids. For more information, call Ric Maslarak at 422-4086 or Jerry Cox at 421-5728.

### CARD PARTY

Tuesday, Feb. 28 — The Garden City Ladies Auxiliary to VFW Post 7575, Garden City, will hold a card party at noon in the hall on Ford and Venoy. Admission is \$3 per person and includes lunch, raffle prizes, and door prizes.

### WWCS PINOCHLE

Tuesday, Feb. 28 — Wayne-West-

## community calendar

Non-profit groups should mail items for the calendar to the Observer, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150. The date, time and place of the event should be included, along with the name and phone number of someone who can be reached during business hours to clarify information.

land School District Senior Adults will hold its pinocle meeting at 6:30 p.m. in the Dyer Center, 36745 Marquette near Carlson.

### WWCS WEDNESDAY CLUB

Wednesday, March 1 — The Wayne-Westland School District Senior Adults Wednesday Club will meet at 1 p.m. in the Dyer Center, 36745 Marquette near Carlson.

### G.C. FINE ARTS

Wednesday, March 1 — The Garden City Fine Arts Association will meet at 7 p.m. at Maplewood Community Center, 31735 Maplewood, west of Merriman. The program will be drawing and sketching of a live model, who resembles Helga. The meeting is open to guests.

### GC JAYCEES MEET

Thursday, March 2 — The Garden City Jaycees general membership meeting will be held at 8 p.m. in the Silver Saloon, Middlebelt Road just north of Ford. For more information, call Laurie at 421-7892 or Debbie at 534-7359.

### DEPRESSION TALK

Thursday, March 2 — The Westland Friendship Center and Gadabouts Club will sponsor a program focusing on "recognizing and coping with depression" at 12:45 p.m. Sandra Plumer, who has a master's degree in social work and counseling sociology, will be the guest speaker.

### WWCS PINOCHLE

Friday, March 3 — The Wayne-Westland School District Senior Adults will hold a "progressive pinocle party" at 1 p.m. in the Dyer Center, 36745 Marquette near Carlson. Prizes and fun for all.

### BIG BAND EXPRESS

Saturday, March 4 — A dinner/dance will be held at the UAW Hall, Van Born Road, west of Middlebelt. Admission is \$25 per person and will include a full-course buffet dinner and open bar. Music will be provided

by the "Big Band Express." Make checks payable to "the Big Band Express" and mail to Richard Cywinski, 3506 McKittrich, Dearborn 48122.

### KITELINE

Wednesday, March 8 — KiteLine group will meet 9:30-11 a.m. in the principal's conference room, Franklin High School, 31000 Joy Road, Livonia. KiteLine is a parent/principal group that meets to discuss questions and concerns. There are no officers or formal agenda. For more information, call 523-9306.

### WWCS BINGO

Wednesday, March 8 — The Wayne-Westland School District Senior Adults will hold a bingo party at 1 p.m. in the Dyer Center, 36745 Marquette, near Carlson.

### LEGAL AID

Thursdays, March 9, 23 — Legal aid assistance will be provided in the Senior Friendship Center, 1119 North Newburgh Road. Services will be provided by Eric Colthurst, attorney at law, and Bockoff and Zamler, attorneys at law. Free consultation will be offered on workmen's compensation, wills and testaments, social security, all personal injuries, malpractice, and more. For appointments and more information, call 722-7632.

### NUTRITION CLASS

Friday, March 10 — Wayne-Westland Family Y will begin a nutrition class 7-8:30 p.m., at the Wayne-Westland YMCA, 827 South Wayne Road.

### \*SYNOPSIS OF MINUTES BOARD OF EDUCATION Livonia Public Schools 15125 Farmington Road February 6, 1989

\*The following is a summary, in synopsis form, of the Board of Education's regular meeting of February 6, 1989; the full text of the minutes is on file in the office of the Superintendent, 15125 Farmington Road, Livonia; and in the principal's office of each school, and is available on request.

President Thorderson convened the meeting at 8:00 p.m., in the Board Room, 15125 Farmington Road, Livonia. Present: Joseph Laura, Richard McKnight, Marjorie Roach, Patricia Sari, Pat Tancill, Richard Thorderson.

Golden Apple Awards: The Board presented Golden Apple Awards to staff members Norma Carey and Ronald Nowry.

Staff Recognition: The Livonia PTA Council presented a Distinguished Service Award to Jay Young, Community Relations Supervisor.

Audience Communications: The following individuals addressed the Board in regard to elementary attendance areas: D. Staffle, E. Quantz, J. Jackson, L. Lewis, P. Suzo, G. Williams, D. Lamont, S. Muccion, L. Singer, D. Kantzler, G. DiPonio, J. Lapenta and N. Forte.

Minutes: The minutes and synopsis of the regular meeting of January 16, 1989 were approved as corrected.

Presentations: S. LeVine, K. Martus and J. Young gave a brief overview of the Masterworks volunteer art appreciation program currently in place in Livonia elementary schools. The program has been in Livonia schools for three years and involves more than 80 volunteers.

Bills for Payment: Motion by Laura and Tancill to approve payment of General Fund checks Nos. 143612 through 144505 in the amount of \$4,700,734.33, except for check Nos. 143721 and 143729 which are void. Ayes: Laura, McKnight, Roach, Sari, Strom, Tancill, Thorderson. Nays: None.

Retirements: Board unanimously adopted resolutions of appreciation for the following employees who are retiring: Joe Ann Rice and Robert Titus.

Teacher Approvals: Motion by McKnight and Strom to offer employment for the 1988-89 school year to D. Redmond and D. Harbison. Ayes: Laura, McKnight, Roach, Sari, Strom, Tancill, Thorderson. Nays: None.

Removal from Recall List: Motion by Strom and Sari that Josephine Thompson be removed from any form of a recall list. Ayes: Laura, McKnight, Roach, Sari, Strom, Tancill, Thorderson. Nays: None.

Reports from the Superintendent: Superintendent Samples reported on the following topics: Introduction of Martine Bihlmeyer as Acting Director of Curriculum; Status of Project DARE. 3) Success of the Randolph and Webster combined camping trip.

Board Committee Reports: Committee reports were received from the following Board committees: Finance, Curriculum, Policy, Personnel, MAISL, Livonia Liaison and Westland Liaison.

Board Consultant: Motion by Strom and Sari that the Board of Education hire the consulting firm of Dr. Carol Johnson to assist the Board in the superintendent search process. Ayes: Laura, McKnight, Roach, Sari, Strom, Tancill, Thorderson. Nays: None.

Resign from Board: Board members commented on the following topics: request for synopsis of the meetings being held in regard to elementary attendance areas; Project DARE, commendation of staff involved in community meetings in regard to attendance areas, school finance proposals, MASB Mid-Winter Conference, and update Equal Partners meetings.

President Thorderson adjourned the meeting at 10:10 p.m.

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**CITY OF GARDEN CITY  
1989 - BOARD OF REVIEW DATES**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all property owners of the City of Garden City that the Board of Review will meet in session on the following dates and times to hear appeals on the 1989 assessment rolls.

Monday	March 13, 1989	1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Tuesday	March 14, 1989	9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Wednesday	March 15, 1989	1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Thursday	March 16, 1989	9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Friday	March 17, 1989	9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Tentative ratios and factors for the 1989 tax year:

Commercial Ratio	40.0%	Factor 1.0000
Industrial Ratio	50.0%	Factor 1.0000
Residential Ratio	40.0%	Factor 1.0000
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The 1989 assessment roll will be open for public inspection from March 6, 1989 through March 16 in the assessing office from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

RONALD D. SHOWALTER  
City Clerk-Treasurer

Published February 27, March 6, & 9, 1989

**LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
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The Livonia Public Schools Board of Education, Livonia, Michigan, hereby invites the submission of sealed bids on

**CARPETING FOR 3 MISC. SCHOOL SITES**

Bids will be received until 2:00 P.M. on the 10th day of March, 1989 at the office of the Board of Education, 15125 Farmington Road, Livonia, Michigan. At this time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read.

Specifications and bid forms may be obtained at the office of the Board of Education in the Purchasing Department.

The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any or all bids in whole or in part in the interests of uniformity, design, equipment, delivery time or preference, to waive any informality and to award to other than low bidder.

Any bid submitted will be binding for thirty (30) days subsequent to the date of bid opening.

Any questions regarding this bid may be directed to Mr. Arthur Howell, Director of Operations, 453-9154.

Published February 22 and 25, 1989

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  - (88-02-25) Edison Elementary  
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  - Bid will be for a single ply roof system.
  - Install new insulation and new EPDM fire-rated system, rating Class A on above roof area of approximately 36,000 square feet. (This includes alternate 61 roof area) Contractor to confirm roof area quantities and submit proposal accordingly. NOTE: One area of roof already re-roofed with single ply membrane.
  - (88-02-26) P. D. Graham Elementary  
a. Prepare portion of existing roof to receive new insulation and single ply roof system in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations at P. D. Graham School.  
b. Bid will be for single ply roof system.  
c. Install new insulation and new EPDM fire-rated system, rating Class A on above roof area of approximately 49,000 square feet. Contractor to confirm roof area quantities and submit proposal accordingly. NOTE: One area of roof already re-roofed with single ply membrane.
  - (88-02-28) Hoover Elementary  
a. Prepare portion of existing roof to receive new insulation and single ply roof system in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations at Hoover Elementary School.  
b. Bid will be for single ply roof system.  
c. Install new insulation and new EPDM fire-rated system, rating Class A on above roof area of approximately 36,000 square feet. (This includes alternate 61 roof area). Contractor to confirm roof area quantities and submit proposal accordingly.
  - (88-02-33) Walker Elementary  
a. Prepare portion of existing roof to receive new insulation and single ply roof system in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations at Walker Elementary School.  
b. Bid will be for a single ply roof system.  
c. Install new insulation and new EPDM fire-rated system, rating Class A (excluding wood deck) on above roof area of approximately 12,000 square feet. Contractor to confirm roof area quantities and submit proposal accordingly. Felt base flashing, replacement of existing edge flashings and repair of existing metal flashings also included.
  - (88-02-34) Kettering Elementary  
a. Prepare portion of existing roof to receive new insulation and single ply roof system in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations at Kettering Elementary School.  
b. Bid will be for a single ply roof system.  
c. Install new insulation and new EPDM fire-rated system, rating Class A (exceptions - wood and teatum decks) on above roof area of approximately 24,000 square feet. (This includes alternate 61 roof area). Contractor to confirm roof area quantities and submit proposal accordingly.
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33415 Myrtle Street  
Wayne, Michigan 48184
- ISSUE AND DEPOSIT OF DRAWINGS AND SPECIFICATIONS
  - Drawings and specifications may be obtained at the Architect's office after the date of February 20, 1989
  - Deposit: NONE
- LOCATION OF PLANS
  - Drawings and specifications will be on file for bidding reference at the following locations:  
Lane, Riebe, Welland - Architects - Farmington, MI.  
Dodge Reports - Dearborn, MI.  
Construction Association of Michigan - Detroit, MI.  
Daily Construction Reports - Sterling Hgls., MI.
- PROPOSAL GUARANTEE AND SECURITY BONDS
  - A certified check or satisfactory bid bond made payable to: Treasurer of the Board of Education - Wayne-Westland Community Schools and equal to five percent (5%) of the bid shall be submitted with each proposal. No bids may be withdrawn for at least sixty (60) days after bid opening.
- RIGHTS OF THE OWNER
  - The Owner reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any informality therein.

NOTE: PROPOSALS WILL BE OPENED ON MONDAY, MARCH 6, 1989 AT 6:00 P.M. AT BOARD OF EDUCATION BOARD ROOM LOCATED AT:

Timothy J. Dyer Building  
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Westland, Michigan 48185

Board of Education  
Wayne-Westland Community Schools  
Mrs. Sylvia A. Korozosky-Wiacek

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# McNamara: County's parks will be restored

By Wayne Peal  
staff writer

From new picnic tables to construction of a wave pool, Wayne County's long-neglected parks system would get a major boost under plans announced Thursday by County Executive Edward McNamara.

In his annual State of the County address, McNamara pledged to immediately "revitalize county parks by bringing in hundreds of picnic tables, fixing up rest stations and improving the ball fields."

Long-range plans call for paddle boats on Wilcox Lake, Plymouth Township, a water theme park with wave pool and water slide at an as-yet unannounced site and completion of a new county golf course in Inkster.

The executive also announced a county sponsored effort to boost volunteer Rouge River cleanup efforts.

By spring 1990, McNamara said, parts of the Rouge could be made clean enough to restore canoeing.

"AS A young boy, I spent many summer afternoons in Hines Park with my family canoeing down the Rouge River or picnicking on its



*'I have park land all throughout my district. So, naturally, I'm glad he's going to be doing something for parks.'*

— Susan Heintz  
R-Northville Township



*'He didn't propose too much, but then Wayne County doesn't have too much extra money to spend.'*

— Milton Mack  
D-Wayne

make the projects a reality. "We all have to link arms," Carter said. "No one man can do this alone."

Like Mack, western Wayne County commissioners were generally enthusiastic over McNamara's proposals.

"I have park land all throughout my district. So, naturally, I'm glad he's going to be doing something for parks," said commissioner Susan Heintz, R-Northville Township, whose district includes Livonia, Plymouth and Plymouth Township. "Parks are something we (the commission) are going to take a look at."

The neighborhood revitalization plan drew praise from commissioner Richard Manning, D-Redford Township.

"I've had neighborhood leaders come to me and say they'd like to see something done," he said.

Commissioner Kay Beard, who wasn't in attendance (see related story) nonetheless called the speech, "a positive, upbeat address." Beard added, however, that she believed the commission should have received more credit for its own contributions.

"We pushed him (McNamara) on the new jail tax and we've been trying to put money into parks," Beard said.

Community leaders who attended the speech were generally impressed, as well.

Redford Township Supervisor James Kelly said he hoped the neighborhood cleanup program would be as successful as a similar program that cleans area highways.

"I'd really like to thank the county executive for that," Kelly said. "The

banks," McNamara said. "We are going to bring those days back."

Full details on the park proposal, including financing, will be announced next month, deputy county executive Michael Duggan said.

In other new programs:

- Child care vans will bring programs to urban neighborhoods

through an \$800,000 Kellogg Foundation grant.

- Non-violent county prisoners will be assigned to a cleanup program for urban neighborhoods. The program, called Project GAIN, would also involve the Detroit Department of Public Works and UAW retirees.

(For more details on these and other county projects see related story.)

Most of McNamara's speech centered on financial improvements the executive said were made over the past two years.

"Two years ago, in my first state of the county address I summed up

our condition in a phrase that was widely quoted: the state of the county is a mess," McNamara said. "I am pleased to be able to stand before you today and tell you that after two years of hard work, the mess is being cleaned up."

While McNamara offered few new proposals, one area county commissioner said the lack of new programs was understandable.

"HE DIDN'T propose too much, but then Wayne County doesn't have too much extra money to spend," said commissioner Milton Mack, D-Wayne. "The best news is that the county is now on sound financial footing." Mack's district includes Canton Township.

Wayne County Commission Chairman Arthur Carter called the proposals McNamara unveiled "ambitious" but added cooperation from the commission was essential to

## Parks, jail, health plans are highlighted:

Here are highlights of new county projects announced Thursday in County Executive Edward McNamara's annual State of the County address:

- Parks — Widespread park improvements, from new picnic tables to creation of a county "water theme park," with wave pool and water slide were announced. In addition, the county will undertake a new effort to clean the Rouge River, add paddle boats to Wilcox Lake and

complete a new county golf course in Inkster.

McNamara will also "find a way to beef up" park police patrols.

- Jail — The long-running dispute with sheriff Robert Ficano aside, McNamara said plans are on target to break ground for a new jail in September. Space for an estimated 200 additional prisoners will be added at the current jail.

In addition, McNamara called for the sheriff to drop his appeal against

Chief Circuit Judge Richard Kaufman's ruling to place the jail under McNamara's control for one year.

- Metro Airport — Ground will be broken for a new runway and control tower. The airport will also be beautified by planting "more than one million flowers."

- Child care — New vans will bring health care programs to urban neighborhoods. Vans will be acquired through an \$800,000 Kellogg Foundation grant.

On-site day care will begin May 1 for county employees. McNamara reiterated his challenge to private industry to do likewise. "It is time for employers to stop talking about

the day care problem and start doing something about it," he said.

- Urban neighborhoods — A new program, Project GAIN: Getting Actively Involved in Neighborhoods, is being created through the offices of McNamara, Detroit Mayor Coleman Young and UAW vice president Mark Stepp.

The program would allow members of the county work force, UAW retirees and neighborhood volunteers to use Detroit DPW resources to remove trash, clean vacant lots, tow abandoned cars, clean playgrounds and board up abandoned homes, among other related projects.

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## other voices

# The last link

## Final freeway near completion

FOR BETTER OR worse, freeways define much of who we are and what we do. Like it or not, the last great freeway in Michigan is nearing completion.

The last link of I-696 across the northern suburbs should be completed this year. The saga of I-696 lasts longer than an NBC mini-series. In fact, when work first started on the expressway, there was no such thing as a mini-series.

For a quarter of a century, struggles over rights of way have prevented the completion of the last link of a Detroit freeway belt.

The delay is so long that unusual things have happened. Cracks were discovered last week in a bridge that will carry the freeway over the Rouge River in Southfield. The bridge cracked before the freeway was open to traffic, which is not so unusual as far as cracked bridges go. But the bridge was 23 years old. It's been sitting unused since the mid '60s waiting for expressway construction to get out of the slow lane.

During this time, east-west traffic across Oakland County has become a long-standing joke. Not everyone finds this offensive. There are communities along 14 Mile Road where traffic lights purposely work against the driver. The message is simple: If you are in a hurry, try another route.

There will be a faster way to cut across the county once I-696 is opened this fall. Planners say you



**Rich Perlberg**

will be able to go from Novi to St. Clair Shores in 30 minutes, which is probably worth doing once just to say you did it.

Many people are licking their chops over the possibilities. A national real estate consulting firm hired by Oakland County sees "dynamic" market possibilities for communities that straddle the highway.

Upscale condominiums, high-tech industrial space, and neighborhood and strip retail centers will be strong, according to the firm, Lavenholm and Horwath.

The easier access isn't the only reason for the outlook. Many outlying communities such as West Bloomfield, Rochester Hills and Troy are looking askance at uncontrolled growth. Their reluctance to cooperate with future projects may turn southward the gaze of some developers.

You don't have to look far to see how an expressway can change an area. Development along I-275 continues to change the scenery almost

daily. There is a difference. Most of I-275 used to be nothing but open field. The area along I-696 is a "mature" area, as a county press release delicately puts it. It will have to be redeveloped.

Not everyone is thrilled with the expressway. Some fear they will be left behind; others fear an increase in crime; some worry that the freeway will become a concrete barrier between the suburbs and Detroit; still others, in communities such as Lathrup Village, worry about the proliferation of billboards.

But for many the future is optimistic. Rebirth towns like Royal Oak think the expressway will add to their renaissance. A city like Southfield, where commercial development is already flourishing, sees the highway as an added impetus to promote a good residential community.

"The completed I-696 will give people more choices of where to live, shop, work and play," said Robert Block, city manager in Southfield and chair of the I-696 Committee. "As traffic barriers are lowered, real estate competition will increase."

Expressways are often known as ditches. For many communities, this new ditch might help them dig a path to prosperity.

Rich Perlberg is the assistant managing editor in charge of Oakland County editions of the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers.

## keeping up with government

Looking for information about state government? The League of Women Voters has a toll-free telephone service (1-800-292-5823) that may be helpful.

The league's Citizen Information Center in Lansing offers to help people find out about such things as pending legislation, the state consti-

tution, election laws, voting regulations or tax information.

The telephone is answered from 10:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. weekdays.

The telephone service is paid for by the league's education fund. The League of Women Voters is a non-profit organization that works to keep voters interested and informed about governmental issues.

# Blanchard program takes profit out of drug sales

GOV. BLANCHARD has upped the ante on drug dealers.

Blanchard is gambling on the Michigan Treasury Department's Drug Asset Recovery Team (DART) taking the profit out of drug dealing.

DART is Michigan's newest weapon in the war against drug dealers. Under the program, reported recently, treasury department agents will accompany police on drug raids and by portable computer will immediately calculate suspects' back taxes.

State treasurer Robert Bowman estimates that in a hypothetical case a drug dealer could owe up to \$1.1 million in sales tax, single business tax, income taxes and interest and penalties on \$18,000 in daily drug sales in 1988.

DART IS aimed at taking the profit out of drug sales by taking the money dealers make under current tax law provisions which allow the freezing or confiscation of assets. By



**Gary Kohut**

computing the tax liability when the suspects are arrested, treasury officials can freeze assets before money is removed from bank accounts or other personal property is lost.

A new twist on the traditional approach to drug interdiction, which is primarily aimed at seizing drugs at the nation's borders or on the streets or in the crack houses where sales are made, DART will allow the state to follow the money trail and determine how dealers got their wealth and if taxes have been paid.

By allowing the state to follow the money trail, Blanchard is banking on

not only taking the profit out of drug dealing, which is the same aim proponents of drug legalization advocate, but he will have taken a major step toward that goal without traveling down a dangerous and misguided avenue, like legalizing drugs.

HISTORY supports Blanchard. Chicago gangster Al Capone in the 1930s was brought down not for racketeering or for having his enemies murdered but for tax evasion. DART will help in following the trail to — and in bringing down — the drug king pins, our modern day Capones.

As an added benefit, DART will be a source of almost untapped tax revenues in this age of ever-tightening government budgets for tougher law enforcement and drug abuse treatment and education.

Incredibly, neither the Internal Revenue Service nor any other state has a program similar to DART. Perhaps they should take a cue from Blanchard.

DART is a sign that the state is getting even tougher on drug offenders.

MONEY has been the one part of the law enforcement equation that has generated the most controversy. State and federal budget revenues have been squeezed. Debate over priorities on the state level have centered on education and prison while on the federal level the military budget has had top priority for the past eight years. DART will draw the focus of tax collection on illegal activities and should use the revenues derived from those collections to continue prison expansion and expand the DART program to more drug dealers and other criminal enterprises.

For DART to be truly effective, however, the Blanchard Administration has to coordinate DART with local law enforcement agencies, creating a close network of cooperation with agencies and departments across the state.

Blanchard should continue to implement innovative approaches to fighting drug dealing. Bowman says DART will not solve the war on drugs. But DART clearly will go a long way toward eliminating the prime attraction of drug dealing: the profits.

Gary L. Kohut is an attorney based in Birmingham. He lives in Troy.

## Asthma summer camp's recruiting volunteer workers

Summer camp is a great American tradition and the American Lung Association of Southeast Michigan (ALASEM) need volunteers to help maintain that tradition for 70 Michigan boys and girls with severe asthma.

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Camp Sun Deer provides a traditional outdoor-camp setting for asthmatic children, ages nine through 12, who are normally restricted to a life indoors, in a controlled atmosphere.

"Sun Deer" campers participate in a variety of activities (swimming, archery, fishing, hiking and more) and are closely monitored by expert health care professionals from a variety of disciplines.

Volunteers who attend camp gain a wealth of personal and professional experiences; this program offers training in most aspects of asthma management.

FOR STUDENTS and professionals interested in respiratory problems, allergies, pediatrics and recreational therapy, attending camp will provide opportunities to experience "first-hand" the problems that young asthma sufferers encounter daily.

Staff volunteers are needed for the period Sunday, June 25 to Saturday, July 1 at the Battle Creek Outdoor Education Center.

Camp Sun Deer is 10 miles north of Battle Creek in Dowling. The center encompasses 144 acres of wooded land on Clear Lake.

The following staff positions need to be filled: physicians, nurses, pharmacists, recreational therapists, respiratory therapists, waterfront instructors, patrol leader, activities leader, and an enthusiastic, loving support crew.

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# Press complaint: public documents hidden

By Tim Richard  
staff writer

It's irrelevant whether reporters pursuing information have pure intentions. "If it's public, I have a right to view it," a newsman told a panel of public officials and media people.

Battles over use of Michigan's Freedom of Information Act came to a head last week when a panel of Detroit and state newspeople debated the growing tendency of some local officials to deny access to public documents.

The problem spreads across Detroit and the suburbs, but panelists said the city of Detroit and Detroit Public Schools are the most difficult sources.

"Your perspective is that reporters come in with halo in place and wings flapping," said Robert Berg, press secretary for Detroit Mayor Coleman Young.

Referring to newspeople as "the

pack," Berg said, "the intentions of reporters are not always pure." He cited a Detroit News memo instructing the staff to look for "horrors that can be discussed at suburban cocktail parties."

REPLIED NEWS reporter Fred Girard: "I don't buy it, but I'm glad to hear it (city's position) stated so baldly."

"The intentions of the reporter are no consideration," said Girard, who charged that public officials often ask the irrelevant question: "Why do you want it?"

The panel discussed a survey conducted by the Detroit Freedom of Information Committee, composed of newspaper, radio, television and public relations people, which showed that 55 of area journalists say they have been denied access to public records within the past two years, most of them more than twice.

Poll respondents said most denials came from city government officials, followed by state agencies and courts.

Many reporters said the 1976 law needs to be strengthened, perhaps by simplifying enforcement.

THE REPORTERS work at 26 newspaper, magazine, radio and television outlets in the tri-county area. They were surveyed last month by the FOI Committee.

One-fourth, or 108 of the 407 reporters targeted for the study, answered the surveys. At the 12 Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, half the 36 editors and reporters covering government responded.

At the state level, the Department of Corrections has the most requests under the Freedom of Information Act, according to deputy director Leo LaLonde. Nearly 25,000 are filed each year — 90 percent of them from prisoners.

"They want their files, and they have a right to their files," LaLonde said. "But one wanted a list of employees, another the architectural plans of all prisons. Many do it to harass us. They want to sue us."

STATE REP. Perry Bullard, D-Ann Arbor, sponsor of the law, suggested enforcement could be simplified by allowing district court rather than circuit court suits.

The chairman of the House Judiciary Committee, Bullard, rejected a suggestion that a non-governmental panel be an intermediary in press-government disputes. "The bureaucracy that creates the record controls the file," he said.

Bullard said impetus for open government came from the Watergate scandal that brought down President Richard Nixon.

He said the law, written in layman's language, covers films, tapes, microfilms, microfiches and com-

puter tapes as well as written documents.

Mike Wendland, former newspaper reporter and now with WDIV-TV, said governmental denials of documents occur because "they have something to hide and politics — everyone's afraid of the mayor (Young)."

Wendland said newspeople — and the public — should file FOI requests more often and "not let 'em get away with it."

ONE-FOURTH of the reporters who responded to the survey said they used the state law to gain access to public information only once or twice. Another quarter said they have used it at least 10 times.

Many said government officials censored documents and failed to comply with legal deadlines for producing records. One-third of the reporters said they had never filed an

FOIA request, either because they didn't need to or had obtained records in other ways.

Generally, the public is entitled to examine records of government bodies or agencies. Some records — such as police investigative files and records that would invade a person's privacy — are exempt from disclosure.

The Detroit FOI Committee was created last year.

Committee chair is John T. Wark, a Detroit News reporter.

Founding associations include the Detroit Press Club, Newspaper Guild Local 22 and the local chapters of the Society of Professional Journalists, the National Association of Black Journalists, the National Academy of Television Arts & Sciences, American Women in Radio & Television, Women in Communications, Inc., and the Public Relations Society of America.

## Ficano skips state of county speech

While more than 200 people attended Wayne County Executive Edward McNamara's annual State of the County address Thursday, Sheriff Robert Ficano wasn't among them.

Ficano, embroiled in a jail control dispute with McNamara, was a no show among the more than 700 invited guests.

"He was invited," Deputy County Executive Michael Duggan said. "We wouldn't be so petty as to not invite him."

Wayne County Commissioner Kay Beard, D-Inkster, also wasn't in attendance but said her absence wasn't related to the sheriff.

Beard said she chose to spend the time with her husband, who is ill. She added she would have attended had McNamara addressed commissioners in the commission chamber, as had been done in the past.

"It was a question of priorities," said Beard, who represents Garden City and Westland. "It's really not

that big a deal."

McNamara addressed guests in the county executive's conference room as part of a live broadcast to Wayne County cable television subscribers.

The speech was carried live over Pro-Am Sports Systems, a premium cable-channel usually devoted to area sporting events. The 25-minute

speech was delivered live to all Wayne County cable systems.

"He came to us and we agreed it was an important event," said William Wischman general manager of Ann Arbor-based PASS. "We're interested in public service programming." There was no charge to the county for the telecast, Wischman said.

## Exec draws praise from area officials

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highways are the first thing someone sees when they come to Redford."

Plymouth Township Trustee Ron Griffith said he agreed with most of McNamara's park ideas.

"HE'S RETURNING" the concept of family parks and that's good,"

Griffith said. "As for the boats on Wilcox Lake, we'll have to see how it fits in with the surroundings."

Canton Township Supervisor Thomas Yack also praised the park proposal.

"We don't have parks to the extent other communities do but people from Canton certainly use the parks," Yack said.

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# McNamara names new director for county jail

By Wayne Peal  
staff writer

Wayne County Executive Edward McNamara is moving ahead with plans to take over the county jail, while Sheriff Robert Ficano is mounting an effort to get the jail back.

McNamara, who will assume jail

## Ficano says he'll appeal to stop takeover

management duties March 16 under a circuit court ruling, announced his jail management team Friday.

At the same time, a spokeswoman for Ficano's office said the sheriff could file with the Michigan Court of

Appeals no later than Tuesday to block the ruling. Ficano seeks a stay of execution, allowing appeals court judges to review chief Wayne County Circuit Judge Richard Kaufman's ruling appointing McNamara jail receiver for the next 12 months.

UNLESS FICANO'S motion is granted, current county youth home director Peter Wilson will become director of jail operations and report directly to McNamara.

A former director of the now-closed Westland jail annex, Wilson is

also a former criminal justice department director at Madonna College, Livonia.

In his new duties, he will head a five member executive office task force on the jail. Other members will include county health and community services director Verlice Davis-Antony, deputy public services director Wilbourne Kelley, personnel director Tom Bednarski and deputy budget director Tom McCarthy.

The team would "make significant progress in cleaning up the mess at the jail in the first 90 days we are in

charge," McNamara said.

Members would see to it more prisoners were treated at the jail, eliminating expensive emergency room visits, McNamara said. Overtime for jail deputies would have to be authorized in advance, he added. At the same time, prisoners would be made responsible "for cleaning up their own messes," McNamara said.

Ficano has taken exception to statements by McNamara and chief Wayne County Circuit Judge Richard Kaufman that jail conditions

hadn't significantly improved since a 1971 prisoner lawsuit.

The sheriff plans to appeal Kaufman's Feb. 16 ruling appointing McNamara as jail receiver for the next year.

"It's a matter of getting the paperwork together, but we should file by Tuesday," department spokeswoman Nancy Mouradian said.

The county executive called on the sheriff to drop his appeal during Thursday's State of the County address.

"The sheriff has had his day in court, as I have, and the judge has ruled," McNamara said. "It is my sincere hope that the sheriff will drop his appeal."

## SC sponsors blood drive

An American Red Cross Bloodmobile will visit Schoolcraft College 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 28.

The blood drive will be conducted at the west end of the Waterman Campus Center.

The Red Cross needs about 1,000 pints of blood per day to meet area

hospital demands. Walk-in donors are welcome, though appointments can be made by calling 462-4400, Ext. 5050.

Schoolcraft is at 18600 Haggerty, between Six and Seven Mile, Livonia.

## Health care is seminar topic

A free seminar on long term health care is being presented by Spectrum Financial Corp. of Livonia, 7 p.m. Tuesday, March 7, in the Novi Hilton, 2111 Haggerty.

The seminar offers instruction in

avoiding the financial pitfalls of long term health care. Advance registration is required.

Reservations can be made by calling 462-2444.

## Red Cross offers rape prevention training

Prompted by the increasing number of sexual assaults in the metropolitan Detroit community, the American Red Cross is offering rape prevention training to residents of western Wayne County.

Two one-hour long rape prevention programs will be taught Saturday, March 4 at noon and 1 p.m. in the Livonia Red Cross Office in the Bell Creek Office Plaza, 29691 W. Six Mile. Individuals wishing to attend must call Trudy Davis at 422-2787 to register for the free class.

The rape prevention program is taught by the director of security for the southeastern Michigan Chapter of the American Red Cross, Albert L. Haywood Jr. A registered black belt in karate and former reserve police officer, Haywood uses a "hands-on" approach to teach women and children how to protect themselves from attackers.

Dr. A. William Shafer, executive director of the Southeastern Michigan Chapter of the American Red Cross, said that the Red Cross started the program to provide a needed service for its own paid and volunteer staff and to set an example for other Michigan organizations and businesses.

The Red Cross will provide assistance to organizations that are interested in setting up similar programs, according to Dr. Shafer. For more information, or for assistance in setting up a Rape Prevention Program, contact Haywood at 833-4440, Ext. 2511.

"The recent rash of attacks on schoolchildren constitute a really great tragedy for our community. All of us should make it a high priority to do something to stop these attacks," Shafer said. We want to show that this is something we can all do to help. If other business, church and community groups would do the same, we could accomplish a great deal."

So far, more than 1,500 Red Cross paid and volunteer staff and school children have attended the free series of "Guard Against Rape" classes

es sponsored by the Southeastern Michigan Chapter of the American Red Cross. More classes are being scheduled.

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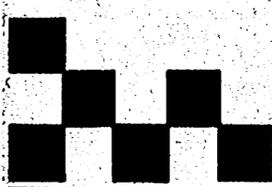
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I'll never forget that half of the freezer was always set aside for Baggies and Tupperware filled with salvaged vegetables and loads of meat trimmings and bones. What seemed to be a witch's cauldron that must have made about five gallons was brought up from the fruit cellar. It was a heavy cast-iron pot with a hinged handle that had seen many a day of hearty chills, thick sauces, medicinal chicken soups and nutritious stews.

Delicious soups rich in vitamins and minerals can be made by imitating the French, famous for their soups. Before fresh vegetables are added, stock rich in flavor should be prepared. The more vegetables and bones you use in making stock, the more delicious the soup will be.

By the way, after making the stock, strain the bones and vegetables and discard. The vegetables become very mushy and watery. I always keep an extra bag of onions, celery and carrots for the making of the soup. You can make stock from just about anything. All vegetable trimmings, tops of green onions, wilted and outer leaves of lettuce and cabbage and even the seeds from squash and peppers can be thrown in the pot for added flavor.

UNLESS YOUR final product must be of one identity (like beef stock) just throw a mish-mash of chicken bones, beef bones, veal bones, even the trimmings from blade cuts and roasts. Ham bones and hocks are additional treasures that can speak for themselves.

Purpose in making soup stock is to break down the connective tissues in the bones and thereby extract minerals, flavors and unrefined gelatin. All well-made soup stocks are rich in calcium. A healthy shot of vinegar added to the boiling melange will increase the calcium levels and hasten the breakdown of tissue and even aid in the withdrawal of more flavor from the bones in a shorter cooking time.

Don't worry about the taste because, as the stock is boiled, the calcium will combine with the acid and the taste of vinegar will disappear!

A frequent question that always pops up at my soup-making seminars is what causes the stock to turn a rich brown color. To achieve this, first dredge the bones and meat with flour and then sear in hot oil until brown.

Speaking of adding meat, it is desirable to add meat when making stock, but this will usually result in meat that becomes stringy and lacks flavor. Scraps and trimmings go into my stock and they are strained out at the end. Then, if needed, additional stew meat, pre-baked chicken or veal can be added about 30 minutes before serving.

I CAN THEN add my herbs, such as a bay leaf and crushed peppercorns. Be on the watch for the bay leaf. Safety alerts are out because people have been known to swallow them and lacerate their throat.

Fresh chopped parsley and pinches of marjoram, thyme, basil and savory make the final product even tastier and more aromatic. Just before the traditional laddling of the hot brew into the crocks, an optional splash of vermouth, burgundy or chianti adds a subtle richness that smells as good as it tastes.

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# Chasing the chill

## BLACK BEAN SOUP

- 1 pound turtle (black) beans, soaked
- 9 cups chicken stock
- 2 onions, chopped
- 4 medium carrots, chopped
- 3 cloves garlic put through press
- 2 bay leaves
- 1 tablespoon thyme
- 1 six-ounce can tomato paste
- 2 teaspoons ground cumin
- 1/4 teaspoon cayenne pepper
- 1 box frozen spinach, thawed

Place soaked beans in large pot. Add chicken stock, onion, carrots, garlic, bay leaves, thyme, tomato paste, cumin and cayenne pepper. Heat to boil then reduce heat and simmer for 2 hours. Add spinach and stir. Adjust seasonings. Let soup cool, then puree in a blender or food processor. Reheat to serve.

By Ethel Simmons  
staff writer

WINTERTIME entertainment needn't be a chore. One of the easiest ways to get together with friends is to invite them over for a soup party.

Almost any time of the day is great for serving soup, along with interesting breads, rolls and crackers. A colorful salad and/or a simple dessert completes the menu. To make the event even more fun, offer a selection of soups and use small bowls so that guests may sample a variety.

Vary the soups so that you have one cream-based soup, one with beans, another vegetable-based soup. If there are slim people on heart-healthy diets, cut out the calories from each soup.

Serve the soups in all kinds of containers. Turcens are always impressive, although they don't have to be fancy ones. The covered turcens keep the soup hot and the soup ladle handy.

CROCKPOTS ARE terrific for cooking soups and serving them easily in the same container, at the perfect temperature. Chafing dishes add a touch of elegance. Soups made, or poured into microwave-safe casseroles, can be popped back into the microwave for fast reheating.

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## MUSHROOM POTATO SOUP

- 5 tablespoons butter, divided
- 2 leeks (or onions), chopped
- 2 large carrots, chopped
- 6-8 cups chicken broth
- 1 tablespoon fresh dill, chopped
- or 2 teaspoons dill weed
- 2 teaspoons salt
- dash pepper
- 1 bay leaf
- 5 cups potatoes, peeled and diced
- 1 pound mushrooms, sliced
- 1 cup half and half or light cream
- 4 tablespoons flour

Saute leeks and carrots in 3 tablespoons butter until soft. Add remaining ingredients through potatoes. Simmer 20 minutes. Remove bay leaf. Melt remaining butter (use more if needed). Saute mushrooms until golden. Sprinkle flour over mushrooms 2 tablespoons at a time; blend well. Add cream, stir until thickened. Combine mushroom and potato mixture, blend well.

## 15-BEAN SOUP

- 20 ounce package 15-bean mixture
- 2 large onions, chopped
- 2 cloves garlic, chopped
- 2 teaspoons chili powder
- dash of oregano
- 1/2 lemon
- ham bone or smoked ham hock
- 1 large can tomatoes
- 2 teaspoons salt

Wash beans, place in pot. Cover with water, add 2 teaspoons salt. Soak overnight. Drain, add 2 quarts water. Add ham bone or hock. Bring to boil, simmer 3 hours. Add onions, tomatoes, chili powder, oregano and garlic. Simmer 1 hour. Just before serving squeeze lemon into soup.

Some prepared 15-bean mixtures come with a package of seasoning. It contains MSG and artificial smoke. It's not needed.

## CABBAGE SOUP

- 1 small red cabbage
- 2 cups celery, chopped
- 1 1/2 tablespoons onion flakes
- 2 packets artificial sweetener (4 teaspoons)
- 1 tablespoon lemon juice
- 46 ounces tomato juice
- 46 ounces water
- 4 beef or chicken bouillon cubes
- 4 carrots, sliced
- salt and pepper to taste

Combine all ingredients in a large pot; simmer 1 hour. Refrigerate at least 24 hours before heating to serve. (8 servings)

## CREAM OF MUSHROOM

- 1/2 pound fresh mushrooms, sliced
- 1 onion, chopped
- 1/4 cup butter
- 1/4 cup flour
- 4 cups chicken or beef stock
- 1/2 cup heavy cream
- 1/2 cup milk
- salt
- 1/2 teaspoon pepper
- 1/2 teaspoon nutmeg

Fry mushrooms with onions in butter 5 minutes. Add flour and blend. Cool slightly; add cream and milk. Season to taste with salt, pepper and nutmeg. Heat and serve immediately. (Serves 8 to 10)

Half and half can be used instead of the cream and milk.

Beef broth gives the soup a hearty taste. Chicken broth gives it a light taste.

(Above) Mushroom-Potato Soup is one of the soups featured at the Observer & Eccentric's second annual soup party. Recipes for five soups from the party are given on this page.

## Fresh baked: How sweet it is at Cozy Cafe

By Arlene Funke  
special writer

Follow your nose to the Cozy Cafe in Plymouth.

Loyal customers flock to devour the Cozy's mammoth walnut-raisin sweet rolls, succulent carrot cake and unusual quiches baked on the premises.

"It's always the freshest product, and I think that's the secret to our success," said co-owner Tina Ristich of Southfield.

Ristich strives for a "just-like-home" atmosphere for the Cozy Cafe, which she and her husband, Nick, took over seven years ago. Their philosophy — which has served them well — is to offer a limited selection of tasty, out-of-the-ordinary entrees.

"When people come from Grosse Ile, they're not looking for an egg salad sandwich," said Ristich. "They want something a little different."

The result is a mouth-watering array of crepes and quiches, interesting salads and generous servings of pies, cakes and other assorted sweets.

Step into the entrance of the

Cozy Cafe, in the Forest Place Mall off Ann Arbor Trail west of Main Street, and you will immediately inhale the cinnamon-laced aroma of the restaurant's famed walnut-raisin sweet rolls.

"We like to give our clients what they like," Ristich said, noting that it's first-come, first-served on the popular rolls.

THE RESTAURANT resists the pleadings of customers who want large takeout orders. She wants to make sure there is a sufficient quantity for customers who like to linger over a cup of coffee while enjoying the sweet rolls.

"I wouldn't want them to be disappointed," Ristich said.

Special takeout orders of whole pies, cakes and other items may be done by prior arrangement.

The name, Cozy Cafe, isn't a cute affectation. Before it was enlarged, a few years ago, the restaurant seated only 45 people and customers had to back out the door to pay during crowded times. Current seating capacity is 87.

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Walnut-raisin sweet roll is a customer favorite at the Cozy Cafe in Plymouth. Co-owner Tina Ristich of Southfield sometimes has to ration carry-out orders of the popular, gigantic rolls.

BILL BREGLER/staff photographer

## Try cafe's roll, pie recipes

### COZY CAFE WALNUT-RAISIN SWEET ROLLS

Melt together:  
1/4 cup butter  
1 cup milk

Mix in large bowl:  
3 eggs, beaten  
1/4 cup sugar  
1 teaspoon salt

Add to eggs:  
2 cups flour  
milk and batter

Soften in 1/4 cup warm water:  
1 (1/4 ounce) package yeast  
1 teaspoon sugar

Add yeast to flour, egg and milk mixture after yeast begins to bubble. Mix well and add two or more cups flour until a soft, sticky dough is formed. Allow to rise at least one hour. Bake at 350 degrees 15-20 minutes.

### Sweet Rolls

Roll dough into circle. Sprinkle with desired amount of cinnamon. Sprinkle with approximately two cups brown sugar. Cut into eight

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# How sweet it is at Cozy Cafe

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Decor is pure country. Homey curtains hang at the street-level windows. There is a rich, interesting potpourri of antique dolls, old-fashioned baskets, bowls and jars on display. Paintings of outdoor scenes fill the walls. Most of the artifacts have been lent by local galleries and gift shops.

The restaurant's smallness determines the menu choices. Desserts and daily soups are prepared in the kitchen and bakery upstairs and brought down for final heating before being served. Quiches and crepes are warmed in a microwave oven. There are no grills or deep fryers.

"Yet, we're not health food," Ristich said. "We have to be selective in what we prepare. We haven't changed our menu in seven years. Cozy people know what goes here and what doesn't."

**THE COZY CAFE**, a family operation, is a melding of talent, hard work and experience.

Nick Ristich grew up in the restaurant business and has been a caterer for many years. He toiled as banquet manager for several local

hotels. He also operates the new Plymouth Manor catering hall, which occupies the former Agape Christian Church in Plymouth.

Nick's father, 83-year-old Jordan Ristich of Livonia, prepares the Cozy's two daily soup offerings. He came to the United States from Macedonia, a part of Yugoslavia, as a young man and became a restaurateur. For many years he operated Jordan's on the River, so named because it was on Grand River Avenue in Detroit's Rosedale Park section.

"He's from the old school," Tina said of her father-in-law. "He only eats what he cooks. He doesn't use recipes."

Tina (real name Tili) was born in Estonia, a tiny Baltic country that now is part of the Soviet Union. She came to the United States as a young girl following World War II. The three grown daughters of Nick and Tina also work at the Cozy.

High-toned pastry chefs tend not to stay long at the Cozy. Many of the restaurant's recipes have been passed down by previous owners and former bakers.

**THE RISTICHS** want the baking to be done their way because, "We

know what works," Tina said.

Jordan, presiding over the soup pots, has expanded his repertoire from his old standbys, chicken noodle and vegetable beef. Over the years he has learned to prepare the popular cheesy, creamy soups.

Tina Ristich recalls a customer who became so fond of the Cozy's corn chowder that she asked to be phoned whenever it was to be on the menu. Recently Jordan Ristich successfully experimented with a chicken soup laced with wild rice and vegetables.

"We never had tried it," Ristich said. "The customers loved it."

The quiches are typically filled with the likes of broccoli, cauliflower, spinach or seafood. The generous portions are served with a 3/4 ounce, freshly baked dinner roll. Meals are in the \$5 range.

An eater-pleaser sandwich combines turkey, corned beef, Swiss and American cheese, lettuce and tomato, at \$4.65.

Desserts range in price from \$1.75 for several varieties of pie to \$2.25 for the walnut-raisin roll, which could serve two people. Bread pudding is made from leftover walnut-raisin sweet rolls.

"WE MAKE THINGS you would be used to having at home," Ristich said.

One favorite is the feathery, three-layer carrot cake studded with chunks of walnuts. Ozark apple pie, with the taste of a cake, combines walnuts and sliced apples in a pie shell, topped with a vanilla batter. It is served warm, with ice cream.

The walnut-raisin sweet rolls are in special demand weekends, when breakfast trade is brisk. Baker Tamara Dethloff, 22, of Plymouth, makes up to 100 sweet rolls per day, to be downed along with the omelettes, eggs benedict and corned beef hash.

"You know, the tables are so close, people sometimes end up sharing a dessert," Ristich said. "I think of this as entertaining in my home, but I have access to the staff, dishes and equipment."

*The Cozy Cafe is open from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Mondays-Thursdays and from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Fridays. Weekend hours are 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. Saturdays and 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Sundays.*

# Cauldron filled with soup stock

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Whatever your mood, soup can warm, nourish, soothe, fortify and add a loving touch to an afternoon of sledding, skating, shopping and fri-

volity. Pass the animal crackers, please.

*Chef Larry will be at the Geer School Preservation Gala on Sunday, March 6, at Don Massey Cadillac in Plymouth. For ticket information call 459-6896.*

**CREAM OF CHICKEN SOUP**  
(makes approximately 2 quarts)  
1 quart chicken stock  
pinch each of sage and thyme  
1/4 teaspoon crushed peppercorns  
1 teaspoon salt (optional)  
1/2 cup celery, chopped  
1 cup peas (fresh or frozen)  
2 carrots, diced  
1 cup chicken stock  
4 tablespoons flour  
1/2 cup powdered milk  
2 cups cooked, diced chicken

In a pot, add the stock, sage, thyme and peppercorns. Bring to a boil. Add celery, peas and carrots and cook for eight minutes. Combine 1 cup of chicken stock with milk and flour. Shake or mix well. Add to soup, cover and simmer for 10 minutes. Stir in chicken chunks, garnish with nutmeg or paprika and serve.

**NAVY BEAN SOUP**  
(makes 2 quarts)  
2 ham hocks or ham bones with plenty of meat  
2 quarts water  
2 cups white navy beans  
1/2 teaspoon crushed peppercorns  
1/2 cup flour mixed with 1 cup water or white wine  
1 crushed bay leaf  
1/2 teaspoon marjoram, savory and basil  
1 medium onion, chopped  
1 small hot pepper, pierced with a toothpick

Place ham in pot, cover with water and bring to a boil. Add beans (washed but not soaked). Cover, reduce heat and simmer for two hours. Add remaining ingredients, simmer 20 minutes longer or until beans are tender. Mash, taste for salt and add more if needed. Discard bones, skin, pepper. Add ham scraps and more chopped ham if needed. Enjoy.

**CANT MISS CHILI**  
(makes enough for four hearty appetites)  
1/4 cup vegetable oil  
1/2 cup onions, chopped  
1/2 cup green pepper, chopped  
2 small cloves garlic, minced  
2 cups cooked or canned kidney beans  
1 pound ground beef or ground turkey  
1 to 3 teaspoons chili powder  
1 teaspoon cumin  
1 cup beef stock, tomato puree or liquid from beans  
2 teaspoons salt (optional)  
1/2 teaspoon oregano, crushed  
1 hot chile pepper, pierced with a toothpick

In a large saucepan, heat oil and add onions, green pepper and garlic and saute until lightly soft. Add ground beef or ground turkey and cook throughout, breaking up meat while stirring. Add remaining ingredients, lower heat to a simmer and simmer for 30 minutes. Discard dried chile before serving.

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pie-shaped pieces. Put desired amount of raisins and walnut pieces on each piece of dough. Roll each piece into roll starting from wide end. Allow to rise one hour or until doubled. Bake at 350 degrees 15-20 minutes. Drizzle with powdered sugar glaze. Serve warm.

**Powdered Sugar Glaze**  
1 cup powdered sugar  
1-2 tablespoons milk

This recipe easily converts to dinner rolls.

## OZARK APPLE PIE

1 unbaked 9-inch pie shell  
Place three ounces crushed walnuts in bottom crust. Place two peeled and sliced apples on walnuts.

Mix well in blender  
3 eggs  
1/2 cup sugar  
3/4 cup flour  
1 1/2 teaspoons baking powder  
1/4 cup vegetable oil  
1 teaspoon vanilla

Pour over apple slices. Bake 10

minutes at 450 degrees, then reduce to 350 degrees for 35-45 minutes, or until golden brown. (If using a convection oven bake at 300 degrees for 35-40 minutes.) Serve warm and topped with vanilla ice cream.

**WALNUT-RAISIN PIE**  
(Makes three 9-inch pies)  
Three unbaked 9-inch pie shells

Place in large mixing bowl  
12 eggs  
1 cup sugar  
1 cup butter  
1 teaspoon cinnamon  
1 teaspoon nutmeg

1 teaspoon cloves  
1 teaspoon vanilla

Beat all of above. Add four cups dark Karo syrup.

Place in bottom of one unbaked pie shell  
1/4 cup raisins  
1 cup chopped walnuts  
1/2 cup batter (from above)

Bake 15 minutes at 400 degrees, then reduce to 300 degrees for 50 minutes, or until golden brown. (If using a convection oven bake one hour at 300 degrees.)

# Red potatoes good for cheesy dish

AP - Red potatoes are recommended for this dish; they hold their shape better than other types.

**CHEESY POTATOES WITH BACON**  
4 medium potatoes (about 1 1/2 pounds)  
1/4 cup chopped onion  
2 tablespoons margarine or butter  
2 tablespoons all-purpose flour  
1/2 teaspoon ground nutmeg  
1/2 teaspoon pepper  
1 1/2 cups milk  
3/4 cup process Swiss cheese (3 ounces)  
6 slices bacon, crisp-cooked, drained and crumbled

Wash and peel potatoes. In a large saucepan bring a moderate amount of lightly salted water to boiling.

Add whole potatoes. Return to boiling; reduce heat. Cook, covered, about 30 minutes or until tender. Drain and cool slightly. Cut potatoes into thin slices; return potatoes to saucepan.

Meanwhile, in a small saucepan

cook onion in hot margarine until tender but not brown. Stir in flour, nutmeg and pepper. Add milk all at once. Cook and stir until thickened and bubbly; cook and stir 1 minute more. Add cheese to sauce; stir until cheese is melted. Add cheese sauce

and half the bacon to potatoes; stir gently until potatoes are coated. Heat through. Transfer to a serving bowl. Sprinkle with remaining bacon. Makes 6 to 8 servings.

Nutrition Information per serving: 261 cal., 11 g pro., 24 g carb., 14 g fat, 22 mg chol., 232 mg sodium. U.S. RDA: 27 percent vit. C, 12 percent thiamine, 13 percent riboflavin, 11 percent niacin, 22 percent calcium.



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Or, roll a tender microwave omelet around leftovers for a lazy weekend brunch. One dish after another, eggs and the microwave add up to quick and easy meals with a minimum of clean up.

Despite all its attributes, though, the microwave oven doesn't do justice to airy souffles or puffy omelets — they need the dry heat of a conventional oven to puff beautifully.

**FOR SUCCESSFUL** eggs a la microwave keep these few points in mind:

- Egg yolk, because it contains fat, tends to cook more quickly than egg white. When you're microwaving unbeaten eggs, use 50 percent or 30 percent power.

- Omelets, scrambled eggs and poached eggs microwave well on full power (high).

However, if you need chopped hard-cooked eggs for salads, sandwich fillings, casseroles or garnishes, the microwave is a great time-saver. Simply separate yolks and whites into 2 lightly greased liquid measures or small bowls. Stir the yolks with a fork.

Cover each container with plastic wrap. Cook separately on 50 percent

or 30 percent power, stirring once or twice, allowing about 20-30 second per yolk and about 30 seconds to 1 minute per white. Remove them when they're slightly underdone and let them stand, covered, 2 minutes. Cool them long enough to handle comfortably, then chop or chill until ready to chop.

For a quick and easy dinner, try this strata which requires only about seven minutes "micro" time and very little pre-oven time.

### RAPID-FIRE STRATA ITALIANO

- 2 servings
- 1 tablespoon butter
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  - 2 cloves garlic, minced
  - ¼ teaspoon Italian seasoning, crushed
  - ¼ teaspoon salt
  - ½ cup milk
  - 4 eggs
  - 1½ cups unseasoned stuffing cubes
  - ½ cup (2 ounces) shredded mozzarella cheese
  - celery leaves, optional

In 1½-quart baking dish, stir together butter, onions, garlic and seasonings. Cook on high until butter is melted, about 1 minute. Add milk and eggs. Stir until thoroughly blended. Stir in stuffing cubes and cheese. Cook on high 3 minutes. Stir. Continue cooking on high until just set, about 1 minute. Let stand 2-3 minutes to complete cooking. Garnish with celery leaves if desired.

Cooking times are based on a full power output of about 850 watts. Consult your manufacturer's instructions book for cooking times if your oven has a higher or lower power wattage.

# Winter's time for garden-in-a-jar

Gardening in the winter with no dirt, no mess, no green thumb and no special equipment sounds almost too good to be true.

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Don't purchase garden seeds for sprouting. Never sprout seeds that have been treated chemically or dyed. Make sure the seeds you use are certified as edible. Use dried beans, lentils or peas purchased from the grocery store or a natural food store for sprouting. If none can be found, there are mail order houses that supply beans and seeds for sprouting gardens.

No need to purchase special equipment for sprouting. Use a wide-mouth fruit or mayonnaise jar, a square of cheesecloth or a piece of nylon stocking, a rubber band and, of course, the beans or seeds to sprout. Generally start with about ¼ cup of dry beans or seeds since a small amount will expand greatly.

Wash the beans or seeds in a strainer, picking out all the shriveled, broken or discolored ones. Put into a clean jar, and add two cups lukewarm water. Fasten the cheesecloth or nylon over the top of jar with the rubber band and let stand overnight or at least eight hours.

**THE NEXT DAY** turn jar upside down until all the water is drained out of the jar. Hold the jar on its side



**Lois Thleleke**

home economist, Cooperative Extension Service

and shake to distribute seeds along the one side of the jar. Lay the jar on its side in a dark place — a cupboard or closet will do nicely.

Each morning let lukewarm water run through the jar, rinsing the infant sprouts. Drain well again, spread seeds or beans on the side of jar and return to hiding place. Repeat this process in four to five days or until the sprouts are the size you desire.

Every day your little jar garden will look different. Sprouts are generally grown in the dark, resulting in a white sprout that lacks chlorophyll. To green them, on the last day, put the sprouting jar in the daylight. Usually let the sprouts grow to about ½ to two inches in length.

Sprouts are best eaten in two or three days but will keep in the refrigerator longer. Make sure there is no moisture in them or they will rot or become sour in the refrigerator.

Sprouts are good for you. The protein level generally remains high during the sprouting time. The vitamin C content is good. Also, many of the B vitamins and E remain. Sprouts also have dietary fiber and are easy to digest without the gas.

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**Use dried beans, lentils or peas bought from the grocery store or a natural food store for sprouting.**

Most sprouts are well worth the small investment and the little time it takes to produce them. Many books in the library are helpful and contain recipes for the use of sprouts. It's fun for you, and maybe, "your little sprouts" will have fun watching the garden-in-a-jar grow.

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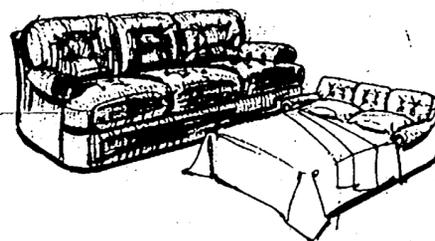
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## Rockets stalled in WLAA finals

By Dan O'Meara  
staff writer

Plymouth Salem applied its own version of the Marshall Plan to win the Western Lakes Activities Association basketball championship Saturday night.

Craig Marshall, a senior guard, scored a career-high 18 points and, generally, had an all-world performance as the Rocks defeated Westland John Glenn 80-73 on the Salem court. "Coach Bob Brodie just said to play with reckless abandon, and that's what I did," said Marshall, who also had 12 rebounds, eight assists and five steals.

"This was the last game here for the seniors on the team, and we wanted to play as hard as we could."

Intense described Marshall's play, as well as that of his teammates, who gave Salem its second league title in three years.

**MARSHALL WAS** instrumental in setting the fast-paced, aggressive style that characterized the game. His quick, assertive drives to the basket picked on flaws in the Glenn defense and netted 10 first-half points.

"My weakness is shooting the ball," Marshall said. "So I like to drive and tonight I took the ball to the hole."

"I took a lot of pressure off (leading scorer) Jeff Elliott. I wanted to look for (center) Jake (Baker) down low, but they really packed in the zone. They were letting me drive, and I took as much as I could."

Marshall certainly wasn't the only reason Salem finished the regular

season 19-2. Elliott scored a team-high 19 points, which included three triples, and Baker matched Marshall's numbers with 18 points and 12 rebounds.

"This season has been a tribute to the players," Brodie said. "Elliott has scored a lot for us, but down here at crunch time everybody is contributing."

But the source of Salem's drive and energy Saturday was Marshall, who pushed the ball on the break and went the length of the floor to score some of his layups.

**MARSHALL'S PLAY** in the championship game can be attributed to a recent conversation he had with Brodie in which his role was analyzed.

"I said, 'Craig, your game is being a slashing, hard-driving type of player,'" Brodie said. "You can't play a real control game as effectively. You're at your best when you play hard. So play hard, go to the hole and shoot the ball more."

"We don't specifically go to certain players," he added, "but I get to each individual and tell him what he has to do to make us a better team. And that's one of the things Craig has to do."

The Rockets, 11-9, also had balanced scoring with Greg Anderson pumping in a game-high 23 to lead the team. Bobby Lawrence, who also had three triples, and Casey Killingbeck scored 15 each, and Eric Spencer added 14.

Spencer who was a key to Glenn's drive to the WLAA final, scored 12 points in the first half when the Rockets went back and forth with Salem. However, he had only two in the second half.

"HE BASICALLY gets his points off other things — rebounds, loose balls, breaks," Glenn coach Bob Killingbeck said. "We didn't get any of those. Consequently, he wasn't in the offense enough."

"No one player got us going. We needed that spark and couldn't get it. We'd start something and then something bad would happen. We could never sustain that drive to keep something going."

The Rocks had a lot to do with that. They never let Glenn get too big a lead and always had a comeback for any surge by the Rockets.

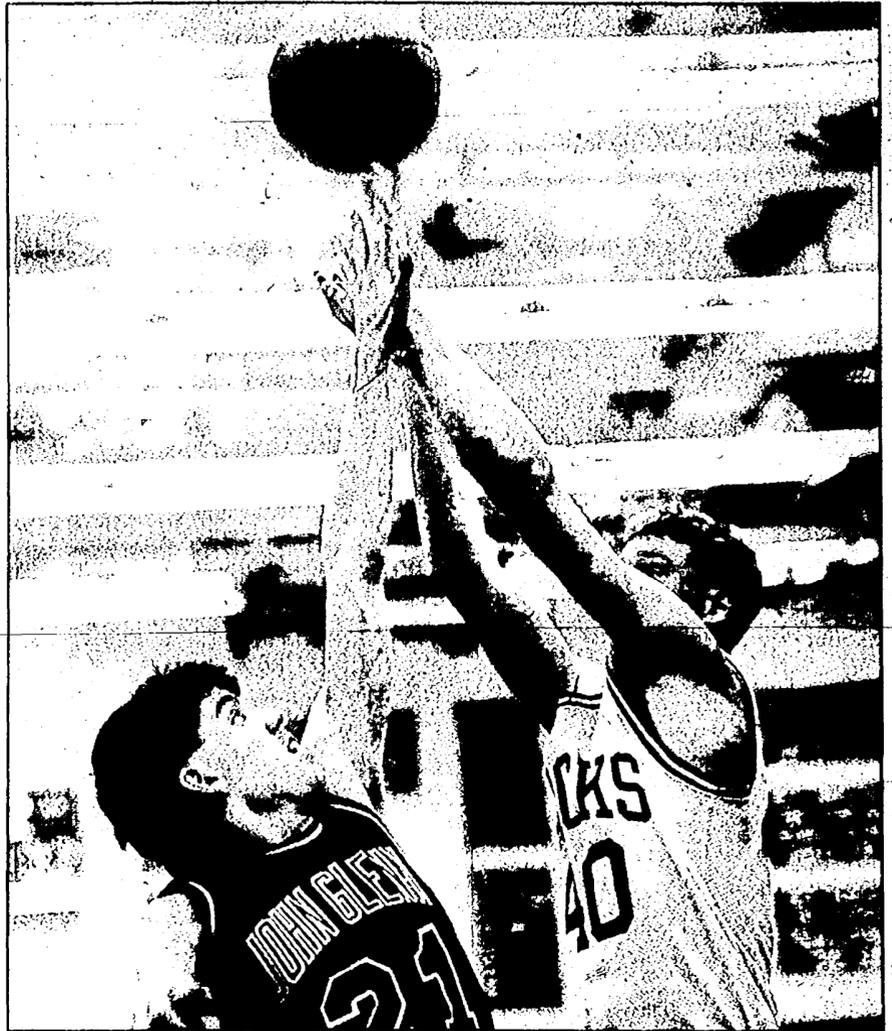
Salem outscored Glenn 11-2 in the last three minutes of the third quarter to build a 56-50 lead with five players scoring baskets.

Anderson's triple pulled the Rockets within 60-59 at which time the Rocks made a decisive move, and it will come as no surprise Marshall was the player lighting the fuse.

His drive to the basket started Salem on a 12-3 run that increased its lead to 10 points, 72-62, with less than three minutes to play. After pulling down a big defensive rebound and being fouled, he added a pair of free throws during that streak, also.

**MIKE ALBERTSON** capped the run of points with a pair of buckets, and his second was a layup off the break — the result of an assist by Marshall, who whipped the ball half the length of the court into Albertson's hands as he streaked to the hoop.

Salem's hard work on the boards was the reason the Rockets didn't have the opportunities of which Killingbeck spoke.



Glenn's Eric Spencer (left) gets a piece of a Jake Baker during Saturday's Western Lakes shot taken by Plymouth Salem sophomore Activities Association basketball final.



SHARON LEMIEUX/staff photographer

Terry Boykin (right) of Redford CC makes the pass against Detroit Southwestern defender Howard Eisley in the Operation-Friendship final.

## S'western wipes out CC

### Cooley edges Borgess in Operation-Friendship

By Brad Emons  
staff writer

The Catholic League got mixed reviews Friday in the annual Operation-Friendship basketball games at the University of Detroit's Calihan Hall.

In the championship game, Detroit Southwestern destroyed Redford Catholic Central, 85-44, in an impressive display of power.

But the consolation game proved to be the better of the two as two-time defending state Class A champion Detroit Cooley held off upset-minded Redford Bishop Borgess, 57-52.

Southwestern and Cooley were marked heavy favorites going into the matchups.

And Southwestern Prospectors lived up to their billing and appear ready to break their seven-year jinx in the state tournament in which they've dropped six straight championship games and one semifinal (last year to Cooley).

"They're a buzz saw of a team," said CC coach Bernie Holowicki of the Prospectors. "They're methodical, they cut you up like a surgeon. They move the ball well and get good shots. They're very selective and very well disciplined. When you break their game down, every part is good."

CC COULD HANG only for a quarter (trailing 14-10) before coach Perry

Watson's troops started laying down the hammer.

And to make matters worse, the Shamrocks couldn't throw the ball in the ocean.

They found themselves down 34-19 at the half and were outscored 25-6 in the third period.

"We missed a lot of shots early and then we went into a shell," said Holowicki, whose team fell to 12-8 overall. "We're not a powerful team. We have to play together or we're in trouble."

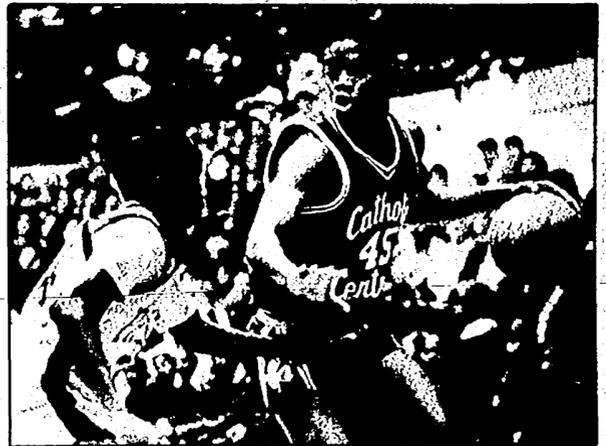
Fourteen of Southwestern's 16 players scored.

Two sophomores led the Prospectors in scoring — 6-foot-3 Voshon Lenard had 14 and 6-7 Jalen Rose added 13.

The scary part is that the Prospectors have only two seniors. Even freshman Kwesi Troutman looked like a future star, scoring six points in limited action.

"WE CAN PLAY 10 players, no matter what the score, whether it's a runaway or a tight game, even though we're young," said Southwestern coach Perry Watson. "That's three championships for us this season (holiday classic, PSL and Operation-Friendship) and we have one more to go (the state)."

"Some may feel it's old hat to win the championship, but it's a challenge. This is a great feeling. A lot of people out there spend a lot of money on psychedelic drugs to get the



SHARON LEMIEUX/staff photographer

Ray Richards (right) of Redford CC keeps the ball away from the Prospectors' Howard Eisley.

kind of high we feel on the court every year."

Senior point-guard Terry Boykin paced the Shamrocks with 18 points, while senior forward Scott Hauncher added 11 and sophomore forward Steve Whitlow 10.

But the Shamrocks' two other starters, Ray Richards (four points) and Jeff Schaner (scoreless) had a rough night.

"If we don't get the perimeter points from Jeff (Schaner) and Boykin, we're dead," said the CC coach. "I'm disappointed because we wanted to show that the Catholic League is not an inferior league, but I guess we took care of that."

**BUT THE NIGHT** was not a total loss for the Archdiocese, as Borgess coach Mike Fusco came up with a game plan to frustrate talented Cooley, which boasts a pair of major college recruits in 6-7, 225-pound Daniel Lyton (Missouri) and 6-foot point-guard Michael Talley (Michigan).

Fusco, as he had in the Catholic League playoffs, spread out the court in a four-corner delay-type attack with junior Shawn Respert (22 points) again triggering the offense.

And the strategy worked soundly throughout, only thwarted by the

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## Lake Orion upsets Shamrocks in dual

By Brad Emons  
staff writer

Redford Catholic Central's Mike Rodriguez was not a happy camper Friday night in Battle Creek.

The coach of the defending Class A wrestling champions watched his team suffer an upset 36-30 loss to Lake Orion in the semifinals of the state team dual tournament at the Kellogg Center.

CC bowed out with a 19-5 record, while Lake Orion (24-2) advanced to meet Temperance-Redford in Saturday's final.

Even though his team won the title last year, the CC coach is not

thrilled by the new tourney format, which was added two years ago by the Michigan High School Athletic Association to be held in conjunction with the state individual meet.

"We had a good year, and our kids wrestled well," Rodriguez said. "It's not going to change because of what I and a few other coaches say, but I'm not accustomed to this kind of wrestling."

"All it is is stall, delay, stall, delay. The bottom line is winning and hammering each other, not trying to avoid pins. But I guess you can't cry over spilled milk."

In team scoring, wrestlers get six points for a pin and three for a



decision.

Lake Orion won matches at 103, 113 and 119 pounds as Matt Henry dethroned CC's Rusty Fowler, 12-8; Jeff Baker pinned CC's Kevin Rowe, 0:59; and Greg Benninger pinned CC's Maunda Martin, 3:53.

**THE DRAGONS** also won in the 135-, 145-, 160- and 171-pound categories.

Aaron McDonald (171) wrapped

up the match for Lake Orion by pinning Jeff Pinto in 1:59.

Lake Orion then voided matches at 189 and heavyweight, as CC's Lou Yeager and state champ Lee Krueger each won by default.

But it was the 145-pound match in which Eric Zimmerman edged Brian Tulley, 11-10, that drew Rodriguez's ire.

The CC coach complained about the time keeper failing to react

tivate the clock after stoppages in the match.

"Tulley was ahead, but then they (Lake Orion) got some extra time and ended up winning the match," said the CC coach. "I saw the same guy screwing up during the (Class) D and C matches earlier in the day. It was operator error."

Scoring wins for CC were: Mike Gentile (125), a 9-4 decision over Kevin Kast; state champion Matt Helm (130), who pinned Jeff Wiscombe in 3:44; state champ Jay Helm (140), a 7-4 decision over Rick Vellucci; and Chris Rodriguez (162), who pinned Nick Agro in 2:22.

"We had a good year, and our kids wrestled well."

— Mike Rodriguez  
Redford CC coach

**ANOTHER AREA** school also bit the dust in semifinal action Friday.

In a Class D matchup, Lutheran Westland was ousted by Grass Lake, 54-18.

Meanwhile, Temperance-Redford advanced to the 'A' final by defeating Rockford, 51-12.

# Wayne, Chargers perfect in league season

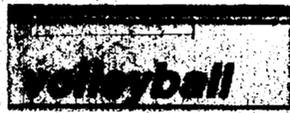
Juniors Evette Sluder and Tiffany Goodlow combined for 18 kills Wednesday, giving Wayne Memorial the Wolverine A League volleyball crown with a 15-10, 15-5 victory over host Trenton.

Wayne is now 30-0 overall and 13-0 in the Wolverine A. It was the second straight title for coach Ann Kolnitsy and the third straight for the Zebras.

The Zebras also received sterling defensive play from senior Angle Rudd and timely setting from Nicole Fisher.

"Everyone did a great job," said Kolnitsy, whose team will meet Belleville, beginning at 6:45 p.m. Tuesday at home in Class A pre-district action.

LIVONIA CHURCHILL travelled Wednesday to Plymouth Canton and wrapped up a perfect season in the Western Lakes Activities Association with a 15-6, 15-7 triumph.



Senior Jenny Sproul paced the Western Division champions with eight kills in the first game to go along with the timely setting of senior Christy Clark.

Seniors Julie Rieder and Carrie Blanchard also turned in outstanding games along with junior Alyssa Belaire and sophomore server Stephanie Speen.

In the second game, sophomore Amy Baron stood out along with seniors Vicki Sark and Karen Paciero. Other contributions came from junior Julie Johnson and sophomore Christina Garry, both filling in for junior Janice Polega, who could not play because of illness.

Churchill's JV and freshman squads also completed unbeaten league seasons with wins over Canton.

Members of the JV team, coached by Kelly Graham, include: Michelle Del Vigna, Jenny Goodsell, Kerl Hawkins, Jackie

Hebert, Jill Hutton, Laura Lamy, Kelly Musallam, Lori Place, Fran Priebe, Becky Sharrar, Janine Sproul, Heather Stevenson and Kathy Wira.

The freshman squad, coached by Dan Hardwidge, includes Julie Campau, Kim Eby, Paige Grossman, Shelly Hamby, Kristen Longway, Vicki Lucas, Trudi Luczak, Amy Rozelle, Susan Stiles, Jenette Swartout, Kristi Szymanski, Jill Timco and Sharon Usitolo. The freshman Chargers also captured the Schoolcraft Invitational (Feb. 18).

GARDEN CITY played its best match of the year Wednesday, according to coach John Groves, in knocking off Northwest Suburban League leader Dearborn (15-11, 15-12, 4-15, 15-2).

The host Cougars, 21-15 overall and 4-4 in the NSL, received outstanding hitting from: Stacy Felts, who recorded an 80 percent kill-ratio; Doreen Malone, 71 percent; Diane Allison, 65 percent; and Tracy Thompson, 45 percent.

Leading the way as top servers were: Colleen Owsley, 45 percent ace ratio; Al-

lison, 44 percent; and Carolyn Shanks, 40 percent.

REDFORD UNION registered its first NSL win of the season Wednesday, downing visiting Woodhaven on Seniors and Parents Night (15-9, 15-12, 15-9).

The spiking of seniors Lisa Fretter (five kills) and Debby Braunschdel (four kills) paced the winners.

Braunschdel also served 10 points, including four aces.

Other contributions came from seniors Karen Sitarski and Lisa Muth, along with junior Becky O'Leary.

RU will meet Farmington, 7 p.m. Wednesday at home, in Class A pre-district action.

LIVONIA CLARENCEVILLE, behind the outside hitting (seven kills in 14 attacks) by junior Kari Watson, downed Metro Conference foe Dearborn Heights Crestwood on Wednesday (15-11, 15-7).

Watson's passing and serving carried the host Trojans to their fifth Metro win in seven tries. Clarenceville is 9-6 overall.

## CLASS A REGIONAL HOCKEY PAIRINGS

at OAK PARK COMPUTWARE ARENA (hosted by Birmingham Brother Rice)

Monday, Feb. 27: (A) Redford Catholic Central vs. (B) Livonia Stevenson, 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Feb. 28: (C) Birmingham Brother Rice vs. (D) Bloomfield Hills Andover, 6:15 p.m.; (E) Bloomfield Hills Lahser vs. (F) Southfield, 8:30 p.m.

Thursday, March 1: Southfield-Lathrup vs. A-B winner, 6:15 p.m.; C-D winner vs. E-F winner, 8:30 p.m.

Saturday, March 3: Championship final, 8:15 p.m. (Winner advances to the Oak Park Computware Arena quarterfinal vs. St. Clair Shores Civic Arena regional champion.)

at ST. CLAIR SHORES CIVIC ARENA (hosted by Grosse Pointe North)

Monday, Feb. 27: (A) Trenton vs. (B) Grosse Pointe South, 8 p.m.

Tuesday, Feb. 28: (C) Livonia Franklin vs. (D) Southgate Anderson, 6 p.m.; (E) Grosse Pointe North vs. (F) Wyandotte Roosevelt, 8 p.m.

Thursday, March 1: Livonia Churchill vs. A-B winner, 6 p.m.; C-D winner vs. E-F winner, 8 p.m.

Saturday, March 3: Championship final, 7 p.m. (Winner advances to the Oak Park Computware quarterfinal, Wednesday, March 8, vs. Oak Park Computware Arena regional champion.)

# Patriots end year on winning note; Stevenson battles Rice to 2-2 draw

Livonia Franklin capped its most successful regular season in eight years with a pair of Suburban Prep Hockey League victories last week.

The Patriots, coached by Terry Jobbitt, finished 18-2 overall and 11-2-1 in the SPHL.

On Thursday, Franklin pelted host Southfield, 18-1, as defenseman Mike Zajdel had seven points on one goal and six assists.

Other point producers included Brian Stover, four goals and two assists; Charlie Olschanski, three goals and three assists; Rob Ingersoll and Matt Sharkey, one goal and four assists each; Bob Baffy, two goals and three assists; Bob Hayes, two goals and one assist; Darin Liptow, one goal and two assists; Scott Lorentz, one goal and one assist; Bryan Harris, two goals; and Justin Osman, two assists.

Goalie Greg Donnan made 18 saves against the winless Blue Jays.

On Wednesday, Franklin wrapped up third place in the SPHL with an 8-3 triumph over Wyandotte Roosevelt in a game played at Edgar Arena.

Goalie Dan Murray sparked in the Patriot nets, making 20 saves. Wyandotte tallied all three of its goals on power plays.

Offensively, Olschanski had four points on two goals and two assists, while Stover and Sharkey each contrib-



uted one goal and two assists. Jeff Garcia, Lorentz, Ingersoll and Harris also scored goals. Baffy contributed two assists.

STEVENSON 2, BROTHER RICE 2: Paul Rice was hot in the nets for Livonia Stevenson Friday at Edgar Arena, stopping 42 of 44 shots. But he couldn't stop Scott Lockwood, who got the game-tying goal for Birmingham Brother Rice with three minutes left.

The tie was partial vengeance for Stevenson (14-7-1 overall), which was belted 6-1 by the Warriors earlier in the season. Brother Rice is 14-6-2.

Mike Morrison and Brian O'Meara scored the Spartan goals, both coming in the second period. Kris Johnson assisted on O'Meara's score; Rice got the assist on O'Meara's goal.

Matt Green got Brother Rice's first goal, also in the second period.

CHURCHILL 8, LAHSER 3: Livonia Churchill ended its regular season with a win Thursday over Bloomfield Hills Lahser at the Detroit Skating Club. The Chargers finished 17-5 overall; their 12-2 mark in the SPHL was good for second place.

# Canton dunks Churchill, eyes WLAA conquest

By Brad Emons staff writer

It was merely a warmup, a stepping stone to bigger and better things.

Hooker Wellman, the Plymouth Canton boys swim coach, emptied his bench Thursday as his Chiefs stroked comfortably past host Livonia Churchill in the regular season finale for both schools, 114-58.

Canton, which finished the season unbeaten in the Western Division of the Western Lakes Activities Association, can now point to the big show, the WLAA meet, which begins Wednesday and finishes Friday at Plymouth Salem.

Defending champion Salem will be the favorite along with North Farmington to win the WLAA crown.

Wellman believes Salem is the team to beat, but Churchill coach Lawrence Hein likes Canton's chances.

"I like Canton because they have the most depth of any of the other teams in the league," said Hein, who honored seven seniors during a brief ceremony midway through the meet.

Canton won the WLAA Relays back in December, but Wellman is leery of Salem, even though the Rocks lost a dual meet earlier in the season to North Farmington.

"IT'S UP FOR grabs, but Salem has won it before and it's in their pool," said the Canton coach, whose team finished 9-3 overall in dual meets. "They can move Ron Orris (Salem's star) wherever they want. They have great flexibility."

"The fourth, fifth and sixth place teams will do the upsetting and determine how close the meet will be."

Canton also proved it had great flexibility in beating undermanned Churchill.

"We knew it wouldn't be a close meet, so a lot of our JV kids were able to swim because they won't be able to at the league meet," Wellman said. "We haven't shaved them yet. We've tapered them. They swim very well even though they were wearing (swim) caps and paper suits."

The Canton coach was most excited about three performances.



An all-freshman quartet of Matt Tertel, Mark Ealovega, Chris Peracchi and Kevin Veach set a ninth-grade school record with a third place finish in the 200-yard medley relay in 1:52.2. (Canton's Scott Swartzweller, Jeff Homan, Matt Levesque and Mitch Timberlake took first in 1:47.0).

BRAD FLOWERS also showed why he is a threat to win the league diving title, as he turned in his best score of the season with 248.6 points, edging Churchill senior Scott Stachurski, who scored 248.45.

And Jim Hartnett put another smile on Wellman's face with a personal best of 2:08.7 in the 200 individual medley. He finished second behind Churchill standout Mark Papierski, who was clocked in 2:05.3.

Papierski also swam the 500 freestyle, using the part of race as a training run by swimming the backstroke. (Canton's Steve Geddes won

the event in 5:18.4.)

Papierski is versatile in a number of events, including the 200 IM, freestyles (50, 100, 200 and 500) and 100 backstroke.

"He'll swim the 200 IM at league, but I'm not sure what the other event will be," said Hein, whose team finished 5-9 overall. "We're hoping at the state meet that he can be in the high 52's (seconds) to 54 in the backstroke. What we did tonight is try to build his endurance for the state meet."

Papierski scored his team's only win as Churchill's lack of experienced swimmers returning this year," Hein said. "We've done well numbers-wise, but we're inexperienced."

BRIAN KERT turned in a respectable 1:06.3 to finish second behind Canton's Homan in the 100

breaststroke (1:03.4). (Churchill's Neil Dryden added a second in the 100 butterfly in 1:01.7.)

"We've had some good matchups with Churchill in the past, but right now they're rebuilding," Wellman said. "But Larry Hein is a good coach and will rebuild the program. We lose 12 seniors this year and we'll be in the same boat next year."

Other Canton individual winners included: Geddes, 200 freestyle, 1:55.1; Timberlake, 50 freestyle, 23.7; Helmstadter, 100 butterfly, 57.7; Jeff Schwinn, 100 freestyle, 53.0; and Swartzweller, 100 backstroke, 1:02.1.

The Chiefs wrapped up the meet like they started it, rolling to a big win, this time in the 400 freestyle relay as Hartnett, Timberlake, Helmstadter and Bryce Anderson were clocked in 3:29.7.

They were almost 13 seconds better than the Chargers.

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**GYMNASTS SET MARK**  
 Livonia Clarenceville set a school record in its regular season finale Thursday, scoring a 134.6 to 120.85 victory over visiting Belleville.  
 The old record of 129.95 was shattered by the Trojans, who finished 11-6 during the dual meet season under coach Chuck Thompson.  
 Lisa Granfeldt was the all-around winner with a score of 34.55, finishing first on balance beam (8.95) and floor exercise (8.65). She was also second on uneven bars (8.65).  
 Jennifer Kaiplo, second in the all-around (32.4), finished first on bars (8.95) and fifth on floor exercise (8.2).  
 The Trojans swept the vault led by Colleen Wood (8.6), Roberta Wiggle (8.45) and Christy Nagorka (8.3).  
 On bars, Nagorka and Erin Maguire finished third and fourth, respectively, with scores of 8.3 and 8.25, while Wood and Wiggle added second and third on beam at 8.7 and 8.15, respectively. Wood also took second on floor (8.55).

**POM PON QUALIFIERS**  
 Livonia Franklin has qualified for the state Pom Pon finals Saturday, March 4, at Churchill High School.  
 The Patriots, along with Churchill and Stevenson, will be among 20 teams from around the state vying for the title.  
 Franklin qualified by earning high marks in regional competition, Feb. 18 at Wyoming Godwin Heights High School.  
 Members of the squad, coached by Delores Mohammad, include co-captains Kim Wlska and Joy Wrisch; also Lynne Brach, April Artuso, Renee Auge, Marianne Byrnes, Michele Cowan, Nicole Karapetian, Kristin Kegg, Amy Maciejewski, Allison Mittig, Leslie Orzechowski, Kami Peterson, Thia Pucci, Bonna Schultz and Amanda Szymula.  
 The Western Lakes Activities Association will hold its annual cheerleading competition beginning at 9 a.m. Saturday at old Bentley High School in Livonia. The cost is \$1 per person.

**BASEBALL SIGNUP**  
 The Westland Youth Athletic Association will hold its annual baseball (ages 8-16), softball (9-14) and T-ball (boys and girls 5-7) registration beginning Saturday at the WYAA Compound, 6050 Farmington Road, two blocks north of Ford Road in Westland.  
 Registration will be from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. March 4, 11, 18, 25 and

**DONKEY BASKETBALL**  
 The students and faculty from Redford Union High will square off in a donkey basketball game at 7:30 p.m. Friday, March 3 in the school's gym.  
 Tickets are \$4 at the door (\$3 for children under 14 and senior citizens). Advance tickets are \$3.50 and \$2.

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# Hawks nip Patriots; Spartans win easy

By Brad Emons  
staff writer

Jason Lichtman snapped Farmington Harrison's basketball team out of its doldrums Saturday.

Called the team's "unsung hero" by coach Mike Teachman, the 5-foot-10 senior guard hit two clutch shots to send the game into overtime. The Hawks then went on to defeat Livonia Franklin, 55-52, to gain third place in the Western Lakes Activities Association basketball playoffs at Plymouth Salem High.

Harrison finished the regular season at 17-3, while Franklin dipped to 11-9.

Lichtman's heroics were just what the doctor ordered for the Western Division-champion Hawks, who were stunned last Tuesday by Westland John Glenn in the semifinals, and then learned later in the week that senior forward Bryan Wauldron, the team's second leading scorer and rebounder, left the team for personal reasons, reportedly to take a job to earn spending money for spring vacation.

"We showed some character and overcame some tremendous adversity the past week," said Teachman, who had no comment on the Wauldron matter. "We had the stuffing knocked out of us and you could see we were a little down at the start. We hit only six of 33 shots from the floor in the first half, but then we kicked in a little of our pride and that brought us back. Hopefully this will get us pepped up for the districts."

THE PATRIOTS were well on their way to their second win in three tries over Harrison, but blew a seven-point lead in the final two minutes.

Mill Coleman made two straight shots and then Lichtman drilled a three-pointer with only 20 seconds to play to give the Hawks a 48-47 lead.

But Franklin's Roy Hall (13 points) nailed a three-pointer at the six-second mark to give the Patriots a 50-48 advantage.

"That was a heck of a shot by Hall because Lichtman had a hand right in his face," said the Harrison coach. But after a timeout, Lichtman took the ball the length of the floor and scored a layup as time expired, sending the game into OT.

Harrison then outscored the Patriots 6-2 in the three-minute session to clinch the win. Lichtman's two points with 13 seconds left iced it for the Hawks.

"There were six seconds on the clock and all we had to do was play defense," said Franklin coach Rod Hanna. "Lichtman went through us like knife in butter. It's disappointing. He went through all five of our players."

Marcus Mack paced the Hawks with 14 points. Three others scored in double figures including Coleman (12), Chad Burgess (11) and Lichtman (10).

Mark Donehue added 12 points and 12 rebounds for the Patriots. John Santl came off the bench to score 10 points.

In other WLAAC consolation games:

STEVENSON 87, CANTON 59: Senior forward Scott Kosikowski scored a game-high 23 points and helped hold Plymouth Canton's high-scoring forward Brian Paupore to 11 points, leading Livonia Stevenson (14-6) to a fifth place finish in the WLAAC.

Three other Spartans scored in double figures including Chris Nazell (17), Ron Baran (13) and Rick Laven (10).

Fernando Johnson led the Chiefs (11-9) with 14 points and Troy Wauldron added 11.

"We experimented a little with our defense and we were geared to stop Paupore and Wauldron," said Stevenson coach Jim McIntyre. "Kosikowski did a nice job and our defense did enough to turn off their offense. They never got into a flow."

Stevenson hit 23 of 35 free throws, while the Chiefs were only 11 of 24.

N. FARMINGTON 67, CHURCHILL 56: Brian Temple, a junior forward, had the hot hand, leading North Farmington (10-10) to a seventh-place finish with a victory over Livonia Churchill (5-15).

Temple tallied a game-high 25 points, hitting six shots from three-point range, to pace the Raiders. Matt Hoffman, a junior point-guard, played a strong floor game and added 16. (North made 11 three-pointers on the day.)

Three Chargers scored in double figures including Jason Belaire (12), Mike Judawikis (11) and Mike Picha (10).

W.L. CENTRAL 48, FARMINGTON 45: Derk Wallace tallied 16 points and Matt Smith contributed 13 as Walled Lake Central (1-19) avoided a winless season with a victory over the Falcons (3-17) in a loser's bracket game.

P.J. Green paced Farmington with 11 and Jason Brown contributed 10.

NORTHVILLE 57, W.L. WESTERN 52: Chris House (24) and Heath Meyers (23) combined for 47 points as the Mustangs (10-10) defeated Walled Lake Western (6-14) in a loser's bracket game.

Kevin White tallied 20 in a losing cause.

# Crown jewel

## Zebras seize Wolverine A League title

The scoring was spread around, and it was more than enough to bury Wyandotte Roosevelt Friday.

Wayne Memorial had five players reach double-figures in scoring in rolling to its 16th basketball win of the season, 75-42, at Roosevelt. The Zebras finished the regular season with four losses; Roosevelt was 2-18.

The first quarter was more than the Bears could handle. Wayne led 19-6 and, after Roosevelt trimmed the deficit by a point at the half (35-23), the Zebras iced the win by outscoring their foes 41-19 in the second half.

Pierre Hixon topped Wayne with 15 points. Larry Johnson added 12, Tony Rumphe had 11 and Kevin Hankerson and Chris Hebner got 10 apiece. Hankerson grabbed eight rebounds, while Hixon had seven. Wayne Jackson also made eight steals.

John Marshall's 11 points paced the Bears.

DEARBORN 69, GARDEN CITY 66: A three-point desperation heave at the final buzzer missed Friday, sending Garden City to its first-ever winless season in Northwest Suburban League play.

The homecourt defeat dropped the Cougars to 3-17 overall, 0-8 in the NSL. Dearborn is 9-11 overall, 3-5 in the NSL.

Free throws won the game for the Pioneers. They hit 18-of-22 in the fourth quarter alone, and were 27-of-35 for the game. GC was just seven-of-13 from the line for the game.

Still, the Cougars led 22-19 after one quarter before Dearborn rallied for a 34-29 halftime lead. GC pulled to within four after three quarters (47-43), but the Pioneers' foul shots — particularly from guards Rick Gostenik (six-of-six in the fourth) and Brian Merckens (six-of-seven) — kept them on top.

Gostenik's two free throws with :11 left gave Dearborn its final, three-point margin. He finished with 13 points. Tim Nalodka had 18 and Merckens 15.

Jason Wynn notched 10 of his 17 points in the fourth quarter for the Cougars, including three of GC's six three-pointers in the period. Bud Barnett added 16 points and Joe Gorak 12.

WOODHAVEN 87, RU 62: For a quarter of Friday's NSL game, Redford Union was able to hang with unbeaten Woodhaven. The homecourt Panthers led 20-19, thanks to three John Burdick triples. Even at the half they were still within range, trailing by just 41-34.

## basketball

But then the big guns started smoking for the Warriors. Eric Higgs scored eight, Dustlo Snell had seven and Anthony Hartman six to account for all but two of their team's third-quarter points in a 23-6 run.

"We had planned a few things for them because they're such a good man-to-man defensive team," said RU coach Tip Smathers, whose team finished the regular season 10-9, 3-5 in the NSL. "They adjusted to them, but we just couldn't stop them."

Free throw shooting further wrecked the Panther hopes. They converted just 18-of-31, and missed all five chances from the line in the third quarter.

"They just have an outstanding starting lineup," said Smathers of Woodhaven, which finished its regular season 19-0, 8-0 in the NSL. Burdick finished with 20 points for RU. Joe Delfago, Steve Nowak and Dan Lezotte added 10 apiece. Higgs led Woodhaven with 21. Vernon Crump chipped in 17 and Hartman had 16.

TEMPLE CHRISTIAN 73, FAIRLANE 43: Redford Temple Christian was never in jeopardy Friday at Dearborn Fairlane Christian, pushing ahead 15-8 after one quarter, 31-21 at the half and 52-30 after three periods. The win allowed Temple Christian to finish its regular season with a 10-10 mark.

Leading the scoring parade — four Patriots reached double figures — were Marlon Reed (21 points), Brennan Figurski (14), Roy Neal (12, all on three-pointers) and Maurice Little (10). Jeff Baker's 15 points paced Fairlane.

THURSTON 63, CENTER 54: The domination of Fernando Merida and Mike Lucy on the boards was more than Taylor-Center could handle as Thurston prevailed at Center Thursday.

Thurston took control in the second quarter, outscoring the Rams 21-14 to take a 38-27 halftime lead. The Eagles' (16-4 overall, 12-2 in the Tri-River League) upped their lead to 49-36 after three periods.

Lucy finished with 18 points and 15 rebounds, and Merida had 18 points and 12 boards. Matt Farris added 10 points. Pat Dorston led Center with 17 points.

LUTH. WESTLAND 58, GRAND BLANC VALLEY 55: Lutheran Westland pulled off a shocking upset Thursday, building a five-point lead after three quarters and holding on to jolt previously unbeat-

en Grand Blanc Valley School Thursday at Westland.

The first time the two teams met this season, Grand Blanc won by 20 points. It was different this time around, thanks to Westland's balanced scoring: Chris Habitz (15 points), Mike Hardies (13), and Brian O'Droski and Kevin Gearan (12 apiece). Hardies also had eight rebounds, while Gearan dished out six assists.

Westland led 16-9 after one quarter, but Grand Blanc tied it at 23 at the half. Westland took control again, going to front 42-37 after three quarters.

Defense was the difference, according to coach Scott Wiener. "Last time they had 12 three-pointers," he noted. "This time, they had five."

Andy McGarry's 18 points was best for Grand Blanc, which slipped to 12-1. Westland is 4-16.

CRANBROOK 80, C'VILLE 63: Tennyay Evans and Ivan Boyd combined for 35 points and 38 rebounds for Bloomfield Hills Cranbrook in Friday's homecourt rout of Livonia Clarenceville.

The Cranes (12-7 overall, 9-5 in the Metro Conference) led 16-9 after one quarter and 42-23 at the half. The Trojans (3-11 in the Metro, 4-15 overall) never got closer than 16 in the second half.

Kendrick Harrington's 23 points was best for Clarenceville. Derrick Herr added 13. Evans had 20 points and 18 boards and Boyd finished with 16 points and 20 rebounds for the Cranes.

FACTORYVILLE 66, GC UNITED 63 (OT): Chad Crotser and Dick Brubaker, Athens Factoryville Christian Academy's 6-foot-7 center, riddled Garden City United Christian for a combined 38 points Friday in the quarterfinals of the Michigan Association of Christian Schools tournament at the Inkster Recreation Center.

GC United, which ended its season 14-10, led 23-26 at the half and 47-40 after three quarters, but Factoryville (14-5) battled back to tie it and force overtime.

Crotser led Factoryville with 21 points. Brubaker had 17 and 16 rebounds. GC United got 14 points from Jason Cavin, 12 from Ted Dillow, 11 from Chad Presnell and 10 from both Tim Blatter and Chris Smith.

In the finals of the Metro Christian Conference tournament at Inkster Recreation Center Feb. 18, four of GC United's players accounted for all but seven of the team's points, but it wasn't enough, as Pontiac Greater Life Academy won the title 69-66.

Blatter had 20 points, Dillow 14, Smith 13 and Pat Nery 12. GC United was without three starters, but still battled back from a 40-28 halftime deficit to pull to within 54-50 after three quarters.

Greater Life got 22 points from Tim Reyes.

# PSL rules in Operation-Friendship

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steady play of Talley (23 points) and intimidating play of Lyton (15).

Borgess led 15-13 after one quarter, but Cooley forged ahead at the half, 29-26, as Talley scored eight second-quarter points.

The Spartans stayed close well into the third quarter, but couldn't take advantage of a break with only 11 seconds left in the period after Lyton and Cooley coach Ben Kelso were each assessed technical fouls.

Respert, given four free throw opportunities, made just two to pull the Spartans to within a basket, 44-42. Borgess was also awarded possession of the ball, but failed to get a shot off.

IN THE FOURTH quarter, Talley converted a three-point play with 4:13 to go, giving the Cardinals at 50-44 lead.

But Borgess refused to fold as Charles North (eight points) stole the

ball and Artie Brown (eight points) followed with a layup to cut the deficit to 53-50 with only 1:06 remaining.

Tally then answered with a pair of free throws, but 6-5 senior center Carl Woods (10 points) scored on a rebound with 33 seconds left.

With the clock winding down and Borgess forced to foul, Talley added two more free throws with 29 seconds to play, giving Cooley the victory.

"Talley's best quality is his ability to make great decisions on the floor," said Fusco. "He knows when to give the ball up and has a hidden quality as a good outside shooter. I can't say enough about him."

Cooley coach Ben Kelso also sang Talley's praises.

"We kept the ball in Talley's hands at the end," Kelso said. "If he's not the best guard in the state, he's very close. He's shooting 58 percent from three-point range and 82 percent at

the free throw line. He can do it all."

BUT RESPERT, a 6-2 junior guard, also turned in some quality minutes.

"Shawn did a good job of controlling the ball," said Fusco, whose team finished the regular season at 11-9. "And our forwards were more involved as far as the offense goes. And I thought we played great half-court defense."

"I'm happy the way the kids came out and prepared after losing the Catholic League championship game. We approached this game to win, but we also used it as preparation for the (state) tourney. We wanted to get our team on a roll going into the tourney."

Cooley will take a 19-1 record into the Detroit Cady District this week and Kelso is hoping a group of motivated Cardinals will show up.

## the week ahead

### STATE TOURNAMENT DISTRICT BASKETBALL PAIRINGS

#### CLASS A at WESTLAND JOHN GLENN

Monday, Feb. 27: (A) Westland John Glenn vs. (B) Wayne Memorial, 7 p.m.  
Wednesday, March 1: Garden City vs. Livonia Churchill, 6:30 p.m.; Livonia Franklin vs. A-B winner, 8 p.m.  
Friday, March 3: Championship final, 7 p.m. (Winner advances to the Southfield-Lathrup regional vs. Dearborn Fordson district champion.)

#### at REDFORD CATHOLIC CENTRAL

Monday, Feb. 27: (A) Redford Catholic Central vs. (B) Southfield, 7:30 p.m.  
Tuesday, Feb. 28: Redford Union vs. Detroit Redford, 7:30 p.m.  
Wednesday, March 1: Detroit Henry Ford vs. A-B winner, 7:30 p.m.  
Friday, March 3: Championship final, 7:30 p.m. (Winner advances to the Southfield-Lathrup regional vs. Detroit Cady district champion.)

#### at WALLED LAKE WESTERN

Tuesday, Feb. 28: (A) Walled Lake Western vs. (B) North Farmington, 7:30 p.m.  
Thursday, March 2: Walled Lake Central vs. West Bloomfield, 6:30 p.m.; Farmington vs. A-B winner, 8:30 p.m.  
Saturday, March 4: Championship final, 7:30 p.m. (Winner advances to the Ferndale regional vs. Southfield-Lathrup district champion.)

#### at PLYMOUTH CANTON

Monday, Feb. 27: (A) Plymouth Canton vs. (B) Plymouth Salem, 7:30 p.m.  
Wednesday, March 1: Livonia Stevenson vs. NovA, 6 p.m.; Northville vs. A-B winner, 7:30 p.m.  
Friday, March 3: Championship final, 7:30 p.m. (Winner advances to the Willow Run regional vs. Gibraltar Carlson district champion.)

#### CLASS B at REDFORD BISHOP BORGESS

Tuesday, Feb. 28: (A) Livonia Clarenceville vs. (B) Dearborn Heights Crestwood, 6 p.m.; (C) Redford Bishop Borgess vs. (D) Redford

Thurston, 7:30 p.m.  
Thursday, March 2: Detroit Renaissance vs. C-D winner, 6 p.m.; Farmington Harrison vs. A-B winner, 7:30 p.m.

#### CLASS C at ORCHARD LAKE ST. MARY'S

Monday, Feb. 27: (A) Redford St. Agatha vs. (B) Southfield Christian, 7:30 p.m.  
Tuesday, Feb. 28: (C) Orchard Lake St. Mary's vs. (D) Detroit DePorres, 7:30 p.m.  
Wednesday, March 1: Detroit-Redford St. Mary's vs. A-B winner, 7:30 p.m.  
Thursday, March 2: Dearborn St. Alphonsus vs. C-D winner, 7:30 p.m.  
Saturday, March 4: Championship final, 7:30 p.m. (Winner advances to the Dundee regional vs. Ida district champion.)

#### CLASS D at REDFORD TEMPLE CHRISTIAN

Monday, Feb. 27: (A) Bloomfield Hills Roeper vs. (A) Plymouth Christian, 6:30 p.m.  
Tuesday, Feb. 28: (C) Oakland Christian vs. (D) Oakland Catholic, 6:30 p.m.; (E) Lathrup Village Akiva Hebrew Day School vs. (E) Redford Temple Christian.  
Thursday, March 2: Detroit Lutheran West vs. A-B winner, 6:30 p.m.; C-D winner vs. E-F winner, 8 p.m.  
Friday, March 3: Championship final, 7 p.m. (Winner advances to the Ferndale regional vs. Detroit Holy Redeemer district champion.)

#### at ALLEN PARK INTER-CITY

Monday, Feb. 27: (A) Allen Park Inter-City Baptist vs. Wyandotte Mount Carmel, 7 p.m.  
Tuesday, Feb. 28: (C) Westland Huron Valley Lutheran vs. (D) Lutheran Westland, 6 p.m.; (E) Detroit Caldwell Baptist vs. (F) Taylor Baptist Park, 7:30 p.m.  
Thursday, March 2: Dearborn Fairlane Christian vs. A-B winner, 6 p.m.; C-D winner vs. E-F winner, 7:30 p.m.  
Saturday, March 4: Championship final, 7 p.m. (Winner advances to the Ferndale regional vs. Rochester Hills Lutheran Northwest district champion.)

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# Anglers measure up in Livonia club

**I**F YOU ALWAYS thought you needed years and years of experience to land that lunker you've dreamed about, you could probably learn something from Duane Zantop Jr.

Zantop and his family are members of the Four Seasons Fishing Club, based in Livonia. The club holds an annual fishing tournament with competition divided into three classes: panfish, bass, walleye, pike and muskie, and salmonoid.

John Lubinski, who runs the tournament, has developed a unique measuring system to determine the winner in each category. He uses the Department of Natural Resources Master Angler minimum for entry, then incorporates a handicap system so that bass, walleye, pike and muskie catches are compatible against each other in the same class.

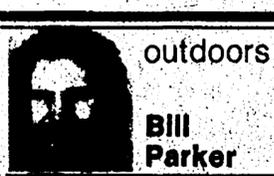
**ZANTOP CAUGHT** the biggest fish of the year, although it only earned him second place finish in the bass, pike, walleye, muskie division. The 13-year old Plymouth resident was fishing with his dad, Duane Sr., near the red barn on Lake St. Clair on July 5 when he hooked a 22-pound, 44-inch muskie. He caught it on a Believer (perch with a white belly) at 2:30 p.m.

Zantop was edged out for first place in the division by club president John Marks' 8-pound 8-ounce, 28-inch walleye. Marks also won the panfish division with a 12-ounce, 12-inch perch.

Experience does pay, but it isn't always a prerequisite to landing a trophy catch.

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• Having been called an "idiot box" for so long, it's hard to picture television as a learning tool. But



outdoors

Bill Parker

that's exactly what it has become, especially in Wayne County.

The Wayne County Sheriff's Marine Division is offering Wayne County residents, 12 years old and older, an opportunity to earn a boaters' safety certificate through classes conducted on television.

To earn a certificate, participants must complete six, 30-minute lessons, offered by local cable stations.

The instructions consist of studies in marine law, aids to navigation, required equipment, preparation and operation, and drinking and boating.

Interested individuals should contact their local cable companies for information regarding work assignment booklets and a schedule of broadcasts.

• So you think Michigan is dependent on the automobile industry. Well, thousands of residents of this state depend on something that has nothing to do with the building of automobiles: tourism.

Think about this. Michigan's 86 state parks attracted a record 25 million visitor's last year, according to officials from the Department of Natural Resources' Parks Division. And those visitors dumped an estimated \$407 million into the state's economy.

Of that \$407 million, park visitors spent \$15.8 million in fees directly within Michigan's 70-year-old state park system for camping and other park-user fees (\$10 million) and park

entry (\$5.8 million), up 6.4 percent from 1987.

Outside the parks, visitors spent another \$392 million at private Michigan businesses in preparation for, enroute to and during their daily or overnight park stay. Major spending involved gasoline, food, sporting equipment, entertainment and lodging en route to the parks.

• Short on money, but love being outdoors? You don't have to spend the entire summer indoors. Thirty-six Michigan campgrounds are among the several-hundred parks around the country that have been added to the newly revised fifth edition of the "Guide To Free Campgrounds". With the new listings, the total number of free campgrounds featured in the directory exceeds 6,300.

Michigan campgrounds that were added to the list are located throughout the state, but most are at off-the-beaten-track locations in the Upper Peninsula. In fact, half of the new listings in Michigan are rustic, family fishing camps, located within an hour of Manistique. Another new listing, Horseshoe Lake near Glenoc, is geared for touring motorists who may want to stop along the AuSable National Scenic River while touring Michigan.

The booklet is available in bookstores and at RV dealers or by sending \$12.95, including postage and handling, to: Cottage Publications, 24396 Pleasant View Drive, Elkhart, Ind. 46517.

*(Bill Parker is happy to answer questions, readers may have regarding the outdoors and is open to suggestions for topics to be covered in this space. Send your questions or comments to Outdoors, 1225 Bowers, Birmingham 48012.)*

# 'Slanguage' never a barrier when bowlers get together

**E**VERY SPORT SEEMS to develop a "Slanguage" of its own, and bowling is no exception.

Hang around the local lanes long enough and you will become familiar with the colorful expressions and nicknames used such as "Grandma's Teeth," which describes the 4-6-7-9-10 split, also affectionately known as "Greek Church."

There are the time-worn sayings like "Brooklyn" for a crossover strike and "Turkey," which indicates three consecutive strikes.

"Rocket-to-the-Pocket" would describe an exceptionally powerful shot, while the "Anchor Man" is the last man in the lineup (it could also be a woman).

The "Messenger" has nothing to do with "Western Union." This is a pin that takes a lucky bounce off the sidewall and rolls across the deck to take out other pins.

Slang terms for the unusual spare shots are "Snake Eyes" for the 7-10 split and "Double Pinocle" being the 4-6-7-10 split.

The "Dinner Bucket" is, of course, the 2-4-5-8 cluster, which is makeable. The "Mother-in-Law" is the 8-pin on the back row and the "Clothesline" is leave of the 1-2-4-7-9. The "Washout" would be the No. 1 and 2 pins with the 10-pin standing.

Every bowler gets "Tapped" now and then, even the best of the "Crankers."

Now you know why nobody speaks English around the bowling centers (they're not alleys), at least not the English we learned in school.

• The West Side Lutheran League, going strong for nearly 45 years, convenes at 7 p.m. each Thursday at Redford Lanes in Grand River.

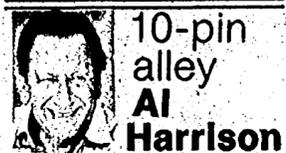
The bowling is very competitive. Among last week's highlights: Craig Tillman, 246 game and 699 series; Jarv Woelke, 649 set; Al Voss, 638; Don Stark, 633; Dave Neubauer, 625; John Heldt, 236 game and 624; "Little Bill" Kandilian, 609; Clark Stone, 244 game with a 608; Jim Hunt, 232 with a 604; Warren Teubert, 600; "Babe" Radtke, 615; and Bob Wissmuller, 232 game and 615 set. (Wissmuller, incidentally, is the American Bowling Congress Director for greater Detroit and the treasurer for the ABC Hall of Fame in St. Louis, Mo.)

• Lots of action at Town and Country Lanes in Westland as Frank Camilleri led the way with a 300 game and a 696 series, while bowling in the Men's Junior Classic League.

Brenda Harper shot a 608 series in the Fillies League, 152 over her average.

In the Birch Hill Mixed League, Roger Shepherd rolled a 651 series, 126 better than his average, while Gail Coleman of the Sunday Funnies League registered a 269 game, which was considerably over her 156 average, and Melba Hughes scored a 252 game in 602 in the Ladies Local 735 League.

Meanwhile, the Tuesday Doubles had



10-pin alley  
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Carol Jamison with a neat 275 game and in the Sunday night Guys and Dolls circuit, Dennis Gossett shot a 656 series. Among the younger set, leading the Town and Country Teenagers was Doug Ellison (222 in 599) and Terry Zelek with a 475 in the Prep League.

• The latest stop was at Plymouth Bowl for the Western Wayne Youth Traveling Class League as Julius Maisano led everybody with a 739 series on games of 228, 267 and 244. Brian Brandon was right behind with a 682 on games of 237, 245 and 200. Lisa Bishop led the young ladies with 183-217-203 for a 603 set.

Altogether, the league rolled 25, 200 games on Feb. 19. Team No. 1 has been red hot while taking over the top spot for high game at 882 and series at 2,486. The foursome consists of Kevin Trumbull, Nelson Kluska, Bishop and Maisano.

• The pins were falling in big numbers at Woodland Lanes in Livonia as the Senior House League featured: Chuck Myers, 258-718; Marty Rush, 248-705; Bernie Antonelli, 247-705; Greg Wazgird, 268-703; Dave Myers, 256-697; Mark Payne, 257-695; Bob Adamczyk, 253-690; Art Kapetansky, 264-683; Jerry Tomczak, 256-675; Jay Hunt, 256-672; Jeff Adamczyk, 663 (game); Jeff Morris, 242-663.

In the Morning Stars League, Judy MacDonald rolled a 233 game and a 622 series. In the Men's Trio (Wednesdays), the leaders were Gary Shiemke (683), Payne (681) and Joe Gumbis (674). In the Thursday Flyers, Becky Teeter pitched a 253 game, while in the Thursday Men's League, Tom Wilson Jr. rolled a 707 series. In the Midnights, Kevin O'Brien shot a 269 and Wayne Klester a 267.

Ed Malinowski shot a 245-66 in the St. Edith League ahead of Jack Mastan, 238-657; Dan Jenkins, 265-619; and Larry Smith, 616 (series). The Bators Bar League had Craig Demeo hit 237-687; Len Singer, 288-683; Howard Clark, 235-657; Mark Cumbo, 279-645; Marv Gadda, 238-643; Randy Smith, 235-632; John Yaros, 235-619; Al Richer, 221-612; and Eric Granfeldt, 223-604.

In the Keglettes, Sandy Niemi led with a 256-580, while Phyl Long added a 213-569. In the Junior House League, Dave Myers (248-641) and Keith Sanders (252-616) set the pace.

Pat Monge rolled a 257 in the first game, 98 pins over her average in the Tuesday night Jack and Jill's League. Teammate Pearl Diaz shot a cool 219 game to take totals over the Linda Filban team in a battle for first place.

• Merril-Bowl Lanes in Livonia was the scene of some fine bowling as Gene Cielinski rolled up a 279 game in the Tele-Comm Men's League. Garrett Nagle led with a 267 game and Tom Dudley added a 696 series in the Men's Senior House. Larry Haag had a 707 series with a 248 in the Tuesday night Men's League.

And here's one for the seniors as Vito Petrul, bowling in the Wing Dinglers League, slammed games of 238, 248 and 227 for a 733.

• In the Saturday youth leagues at Oak Lanes on Middlebelt, 18-year-old Mike Delahanty boasted a 703 series on games of 213, 276, 214. The impossible was proven possible when Tim Seog, 14, made the 7-10 "Snake Eyes" split.

Tony Dietz, 12, bagged a 222 game, 93 pins over her average.

Of course, grown-ups can still hit the pins as well, paced by John Singer (269 game), Gary Owen (276-743), Rick Lang (248), Jim Griffin (267) and Dan Vandercrook (237-670).

• Country Lanes in Farmington Hills was the scene of some nice scores from the ladies in the Noon Classics as Lucy Sosnowski rolled a 603 on games of 231, 179 and 193; Betty Harris, 215-595; Lori Anderson, 230-558; Peggy Stanton, a 563 on games of 214 and 207; and Gloria Mertz, 208-556.

• Also in Farmington, the Senior House League at Bel-Aire Lanes featured Bill Funke, 289-667; Ross Frasure, 738 series on games of 268 and 258; Ed Wright, 280 game; Bill Sostak, 268; Larry Kubert, 256-682; Lynn Lewis, 697 series; John Robertson, 693; Mike Sabo, 654; Bill Pietrzyk, 650. Also, the Chromatic Printing Team had a 3,244 series total score.

• In the Schaefer Beer-Michigan Majors Bowling Association stop Feb. 19 at 21st Century Bowl, Westland's Garrett Nagle took third and \$650 with a grand total of 2,723, while Livonian Dave Tome was sixth, taking home \$380 with a 2,669 total.

Also, Livonian Ron Gendjar took home \$200 after finishing fifth in the Domino's Pizza Mid-State Masters Stroh's 300 Open on Feb. 12 at 300 Bowl in Pontiac. Other prize winners included Rich Pactelis, Garden City (\$170); John Landuit, Livonia (\$120); Craig Demeo, Westland (\$60); Gary Demea, Livonia (\$60); Peggy Smitley, Garden City (\$60); and Mike Hasty, Redford (\$60).

*Bowling Tip of the Week:* A good push-away is essential for a good delivery. Generally, the higher you hold the ball at the start, the more speed the ball will generate. For less speed, hold the ball lower. Push straight out toward your target in order to keep a smooth and level arm-swing. Synchronize your push-away with your first step to maintain proper timing and rhythm.

## outdoors calendar

• March 1 - Smelt dipping season begins on waters south of M-72.

• March 1 - Monthly meeting of the Livonia-based Four Seasons Fishing Club, will be held at 7:30 p.m. at the Maplewood Center in Garden City. Guest speaker will be Scott Soucy, bass fisherman and field tester. The public is invited. For more information call Tony Breher at 477-3816.

• March 1 - Bobcat and fox hunting seasons ends.

• March 3-5 - Bass-O-Rama Fishing and Tackle Show will be held at the Waterford Community Center. Sponsored by the Michigan Bass Busters, the show features seminars with guest speakers, exhibits a casting pond and more. For details call 774-3210.

• March 16 - Birmingham, Bloomfield and Troy chapters of Ducks Unlimited will hold their annual sponsors' dinner at the Pike Street Restaurant in Pontiac. Call Tom Needs at 548-3260 for more information.

• March 17-19 - Deer Spectacular, featuring a trophy contest, a display of trophy Michigan whitetails, seminars and exhibits, will be held at the Lansing Center. For more information call 689-4750.

• March 19-25 - National Wildlife Week.

• March 30-April 1 - Sportfish-

ing Expo, featuring guest speakers including Babe Winkleman and Jerry McKinnis, along with factory exhibits, seminars and more, will be held at the Palace of Auburn Hills. Call 682-4079 for more information.

• April 1-2 - Midwest Fly Fishing Expo, featuring guest speakers, exhibitors seminars and more, will be held at the Southfield Civic Center.

**OAKLAND COUNTY PARKS**

• Tuning Your Tot Into Winter, a nature program for children ages 3-6, which includes stories, songs, a nature hike and a craft, will be held at 10 a.m. Wednesday, March 1, at Independence Oaks.

• Maple Magic, a nature program in which participants will learn the process of old-time maple syrup production, will be held at 1 p.m., Saturday, March 4, at Independence Oaks.

• Most events at the Oakland County Parks require pre-registration. A park vehicle entry permit is always required. For more information on any of the events call 858-0906.

**METROPARKS**

• Saturday Morning Stuff, a monthly nature program for chil-

dren ages 6-10, will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday, March 4, at Stony Creek.

• Tots-N-Things, a monthly nature program for children ages 3-5, will be offered at 11 a.m. Sunday, March 5, at Stony Creek.

• Pioneer Chores, a nature program about our ancestors' way of life, will be offered at 2 p.m. Sunday, March 5, at Kensington.

• Travels With a Naturalist, one in a series of slide programs designed for people interested in viewing faraway places, will be offered at 1 p.m. Tuesday, March 7, at Stony Creek.

• Maple Sugaring, a naturalist-led hike and a maple syrup making demonstration, will be held at 10 a.m., 11 a.m., noon and 1 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday, March 4 and 5, at Indian Springs.

• Most Metropark programs are free but all require advanced registration and a motor vehicle permit. For registration and additional information, call the Metroparks at 1-800-24-PARKS.

• The 1989 Metropark annual vehicle entry permits are on sale now at all of the Huron-Clinton Metropark offices. Cost is \$10. For more information call the Metroparks at 1-800-24-PARKS.

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9:30 A.M.	Saturday, March 18, 1989	Ringside (Rows 1-9)	\$900	\$700
Morning	Saturday, March 25, 1989	Reserved (Rows 10-18)	\$900	\$600
		Ringside Ends (Rows 1-9)	\$900	\$475
7:30 P.M.	Sunday, March 12, 1989	Ringside (Rows 1-9)	\$900	\$700
Evening	Sunday, March 19, 1989	Reserved (Rows 10-18)	\$900	\$600
		Ringside Ends (Rows 1-9)	\$900	\$475
7:30 P.M.	Wednesday, March 15, 1989	Ringside (Rows 1-9)	\$900	\$600
Evening	Thursday, March 16, 1989	Reserved (Rows 10-18)	\$900	\$500
	Wednesday, March 22, 1989	Ringside Ends (Rows 1-9)	\$900	\$425
1:30 P.M.	Sunday, March 26, 1989	Ringside (Rows 1-9)	\$900	\$700
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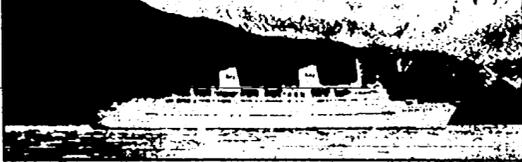
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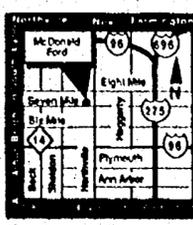
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# STREET SCENE

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## An open 'Book'

Book of Love is one book you won't find on a library shelf. The four-member rock group out of New York appears to be bucking the banality of dance floor music with its own brand of thoughtful songs. Street Beats introduces you to the group on Page 3D.

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Phillip Handleman not only photographs Stearmans, he flies them.

JEAN LANNEN

By Rich Perlberg  
staff writer

Fifty years ago, Phillip Handleman's mother used to climb fences as a child in order to marvel at the derring-do of the world's greatest stunt pilots. Today, Phillip climbs into the clouds for an even closer look.

Handleman, 37, is an independent filmmaker from Birmingham who has produced a short movie and published a book about the swashbuckling world of stunt pilots.

Waldo Pepper's barnstorming spirit is embodied in Handleman's 128 pages of color photographs that chronicle the loops, barrel rolls, twists and dives in 30 air shows across the country, culminating with the granddaddy of them all in Oshkosh, Wis.

Handleman, himself a patron of the skies with perpetually windswept black hair, followed the air show circuit for a year to produce the book.

"After years of patronizing air shows, even flying in some, I decided the time had come to compile a permanent record of an American airshow season," Handleman writes in the introduction to "Airshow USA" (\$14.95 from Motorbooks In-

ternational, P.O. Box 2-Rev, 729 Prospect Avenue, Oshkosh, Wis.)

Handleman's effort was a high-flying labor of love. He didn't have a publisher when he began shooting in early 1987. But as the owner and pilot of a fabled Stearman biplane, which was the plane of choice for training World War II pilots, Handleman was eager to get closer to the men and women who fly.

"PILOTS, AT least good pilots, understand that when they pilot a ship in the sky, there is no fooling around. There is no bluffing Mother Nature," said Handleman from his apartment, a collection of books and photos 13 floors above Woodward Avenue.

"What I think that means is that you have to be honest."

Handleman comes upon his passion for aviation honestly. His mother, Marion, fascinated him with stories of Eddie Rickenbacker, Charles Lindbergh, Amelia Earhart and other legendary pilots who performed at the Cleveland Air Races.

"This was all so new to the world," said Handleman. "Can you imagine little kids watching airplanes at 200 mph? Today we take it all for granted."

As a child in the late '50s and '60s, his heroes had names like Shepard and Glenn. To this day he can recite

## Flight of fancy goes sky high



DAN DEAN/staff photographer

An artist's version of flight fittingly fills a wall in the 13th-floor Birmingham apartment where filmmaker Phillip Handleman gets a pilot's view of his adopted hometown.

the names of the original seven astronauts. His impressive personal library has more than 200 autographed books, many from historic aviation figures.

He had his pilot's license at age 20. The film interest came later, but Handleman thinks he prepared for it all his life.

"When someone is interested in a film career and asks me what to do, I tell them to accumulate a diverse life," he said. "That's been my life experience. I'm sensitive for what would be a good topic."

"I've never gotten a bad review from a critic. The worst is lukewarm. I think that's due to my selection of subject."

ONE OF HIS topics is the Holocaust, a subject he fears is trivialized by commercial television specials that capitalize on the public's "macabre interest in the horror. In the middle of their sex and violence, they will put on a Holocaust story."

"There's more than just the violence and the ugliness." Handleman hopes to better cover the topic in "Remembering the Holocaust" which will start airing on PBS stations in April. He's not sure when and if it will be telecast locally.

"I haven't had much luck with Channel 56," he said.

Handleman said that even though his films are distributed nationally through the Central Educational Network, he can't get his foot in the door at the Detroit's PBS outlet.

"I won't be bitter," he said. "If I allow myself to be bitter, then those clowns will have succeeded. If they open their door, I'll welcome it."

He will not, he said, become one those people who "fritters away their lives consumed in their embitteredness."

Perhaps that explains why Handleman still makes his home in Birmingham, even though he feels he was cruelly taunted by prejudiced classmates when he went to high school there as one of the school's few Jewish students.

"I like to look at the times in my life that haven't been happy and think they have made me a stronger person," he said.

Today, he described himself as "one of the world's luckiest people." He has his health, and he has plenty of time to pursue his passions including airplanes, reading and filmmaking.

HE ALSO has time to contribute back to the community. Among many civic involvements is his membership on the board of trustees of the Friends of the Detroit Library. He co-chaired its recent, successful millage drive.

### Warp Factor

Karlos Barney



The long tongue of the law.

## Lure of South Padre: Sun, surf and Mexico

By Iris Sanderson Jones  
contributing travel editor

Q: A group of us would like to go south this spring, but we don't want to go to Florida. What about South Padre Island on the Texas Gulf Coast? Is it too late for this year? Should we start booking ahead for next year? Why do people go to South Padre Island?

A: Why do people go to South Padre? To lay on a deck chair on a sand beach and let the sun beat a tattoo on their face, to walk the beach at dawn and sunset, collecting shells, to carry yellow surfboards into the sea, to walk the jetty that protrudes into the Atlantic or to watch the shrimp boats come in to Port Isabel, across the causeway that connects South Padre Island to the mainland and the Rio Grande Valley.

They go because they are within 20 miles of the Mexican border and because they want to eat, drink and play with all the other people who eat, drink and play there.

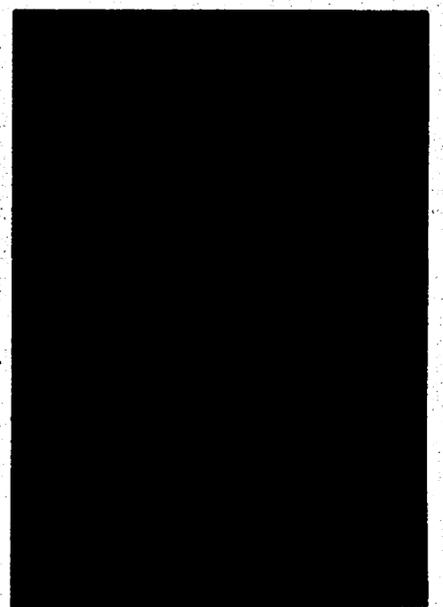
The month of March is pretty heavily booked on South Padre because of spring break, although the people who run the hotels

and condominium rentals all say the same thing: There are always a few rooms because of cancellations, so call before you give up on them.

(If you're not a college student, you may be able to find a room during spring break because there are more than 1,000 rooms that facilities won't rent to college students.)

April is a beautiful month in south Texas. Padre Island is one of the long, narrow barrier islands that line the Gulf Coast from the Mexican border all the way around the curve to Florida. North Padre Island, which includes the Padre Island National Seashore, has its "gateway" at Corpus Christi. The closest city to South Padre is Brownsville, right on the Texas/Mexican border.

Padre Island is separated from the mainland by a strip of water called the Laguna Madre — local people call it "the bay." Scientists say that barrier islands are always shifting, so this one will eventually become part of the mainland, but for the moment it is connected by a long causeway.



MICKY JONES

Castling for fish along the surf line is one way to pass the time on South Padre Island.

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## MOVING PICTURES

## 'The Chocolate War': It's a film worth seeing

Among the new films this week are two that don't hold enough promise to merit screenings.

"The Terror Within" stars George Kennedy and a bunch of scientists in a secret lab under the Mojave Desert striving to save the world from a deadly plague. Such diseases seem to attract screenwriters first.

Surprisingly, Donna Dixon is in a PG vehicle, "Lucky Stiff" that hasn't gotten much advance notice. Perhaps the story line is the problem as she meets a 300-pound man and takes him home to meet her cannibalistic family.

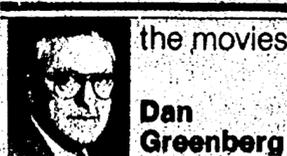
"The Chocolate War" (R, B+, 105 minutes) — It's a war about 20,000 boxes of chocolate. Sound funny? It's not. It's about man's infinite ability for cruelty to others.

Young teenage boys in a Washington state Catholic high school must sell 20,000 boxes of chocolate under pressure from Brother Leon (John Glover) for the profit and glory of Trinity High. There's also pressure from a school gang called "The Vigil" who, as most bullies do, crave personal power.

Jerry (Ian Mitchell-Smith) and his friend, "The Goober" (Corey Gunnes-tad) are innocent pawns in these cruel games.

The Vigil's leader Archie's (Wally Ward) idea of pranks are not the usual silly things boys do, they are cruel mind games. Archie likes to see people squirm and sweat, but plays one trick too many and the boys get even. Sadly, getting even makes them as cruel as Archie.

Beautiful photography, excellent acting and a thought-provoking story make "The Chocolate War" worth your viewing, but you'll never look quite the same at the young man at



the movies

Dan Greenberg

## Grading the movies

A+	Top marks - sure to please
A	Close behind - excellent
A-	Still in running for top honors
B+	Pretty good stuff, not perfect
B	Good
B-	Good but notable deficiencies
C+	Just a cut above average
C	Mediocre
C-	Not so hot and slipping fast
D+	The very best of the poor stuff
D	Poor
D-	It doesn't get much worse
F	Truly awful
Z	Reserved for the colossally bad
	No advanced screening

the door trying to sell you a box of chocolates. Reviewed by Kathy Guyor.

If you've never seen "Gone With The Wind," Turner Entertainment's finely restored print offers an opportunity to enjoy this MGM classic at



Brother Leon (John Glover) is the impassioned organizer of St. Trinity's annual chocolate sale in MCEG's "The Chocolate War."

area theaters.

Even if you have, here's a chance to see the unparalleled splendor of Technicolor, just like it was in the good old days.

In honor of the film's 50th anniversary, Turner restored it to mint condition for a special national theatrical tour.

STILL PLAYING:

"The Accidental Tourist" (C+) (PG) 120 minutes.

Slow-paced family melodrama.

"Beaches" (A+) (PG-13) 120 minutes.

Bette Midler and Barbara Hershey in fine show of friendship.

"Bill & Ted's Excellent Adventure" (B-) (PG-13)

George Carlin gives the boys the

key to a time-traveling, A-plus history project.

"The 'Burbs" (D) (PG) 95 minutes

Tom Hanks in slow-paced, absurd satire of horror films.

"Cousins" (A-) (PG-13) (115 minutes).

Charming romantic comedy about life, love and marriage.

"Dangerous Liaisons" (C+) (R) 115 minutes.

Even lush images and good acting can't overcome the non-cinematic quality of this boring story of pre-Revolutionary French decadence.

"Dirty Rotten Scoundrels" (B+) (PG) 100 minutes.

Super-slick con men on the Riviera are lots of fun.

"The Fly II" (C) (R).

Bad genes notwithstanding, our hero's still hovering.

"Her Alibi" (B-) (PG) 90 minutes.

This murder-mystery-spy-defect-or-detective-writer story is well-

## VIDEO VIEWING

By Dan Greenberg  
staff writer

Less than 20 years after Vietnam, the country is ready to cleanse the wound with movies of every sort. Someone even has written a book about Vietnam War movies.

Why then is there no similar cinematic interest in the Hollywood 10 (a group of movie writers and directors who refused to answer the questions of the House Un-American Activities Committee), the blacklist and the McCarthy era?

Streisand and Redford's "The Way We Were," Woody Allen's "The Front" and a documentary narrated by John Huston, "Hollywood on Trial," pretty much sums up what Hollywood has had to say about its bad old days under fire in the late '40s and early '50s.

Walter Bernstein, who scripted "The Front's" comic approach to those trying times when brother turned against brother, has attempted — much less successfully — to treat the anti-communist hysteria of 40 years ago in a serious, suspenseful film.

Last year's "The House of Carroll Street" (PG, B-, 101 minutes) is politically interesting and suspenseful but surprisingly enough got very little theatrical distribution when it was released. In fact, it was never exhibited in this market. Perhaps its availability on videocassette now will spark some interest in this touchy subject.

PICTURE A smoky Senate committee room in the summer of 1951 just after the U.S. Supreme Court upheld contempt of Congress citations against the Hollywood 10.

Emily Crane (Kelly McGillis), a picture editor at Life magazine, refuses to give membership lists to the Senate Committee. She is cited for contempt and Life magazine fires her.

To indicate just how sensitive the subject remains, the film carries a lengthy disclaimer of any intent to suggest that Life magazine, in reality, might have dismissed an employee for his or her political beliefs.

This Senate committee's chief counsel is a particularly unpleasant character, Ray Salwen (Mandy Pa-

inkin). The film is never quite clear whom he's supposed to represent historically, but he certainly is made up to look like Sen. Joseph McCarthy while he acts like Roy Cohn. He symbolizes the extreme rightist, irrational paranoia that discovers communist threats under every bed.

Well, Crane is out of work, but finds employment reading for the elderly Miss Venable (Jessica Tandy) and is surprised one day to see Salwen talking to strange folks in the house across the back garden. Just a bit too convenient.

HER CURIOSITY entangles her in Salwen's intrigues and, of course, in a minor romance with FBI agent Mike Cochran (Jeff Daniels).

Salwen, it turns out, is so rabidly anti-communist that he is smuggling Nazi war criminals into the United States simply because they are anti-communists. One of the film's problems is that the reasoning behind such activity is never explained in a cogent way.

And it should be, because there is a very important lesson here: Taking thine enemy's enemy to your bosom

isn't always a wise act. Of course, few in 1951 knew that such golongs-on were going on.

WELL, THE complications — suspenseful, romantic and routine — are pretty fair, but the film's representation of 1951 political realities is pretty farfetched. "The House on Carroll Street" suffers from trying too hard to resurrect those who suffered so much from blacklisting. The resurrection just doesn't work politically.

On the bright side, there's romance, suspense and some snappy repartee — particularly from Daniels and his partner-agent friend. The costuming has a nice nostalgic quality, as do the collection of old cars. You'll never see a Toyota in this film.

All this decor provides a credible veneer of a time long ago when New York's streets were relatively safe and committee rooms weren't.

While "The House on Carroll Street" is pretty decent entertainment, it lacks enough sly savvy to make it an important film.

## ALTERNATIVE VIEWING

## Ophuls deserves Oscar for 'Hotel'

By Anne Sharp  
special writer

It's said that poor Marcel Ophuls never wanted to be a documentary maker. He would much rather have followed in the footsteps of his father, Max, and made light, Hollywood-style entertainments.

But the overwhelming success of his epic non-fiction chronicle of Nazi-occupied France, "The Sorrow and the Pity," more or less forced him to continue in the same vein.

If "Hotel Terminus: The Life and Times of Klaus Barbie" serves to seal Ophuls' reputation as the guy who makes four-hour films about the Holocaust, it also offers a glimmer of what might have been had his career as a director taken a more frivolous turn. Ophuls is a first-rate cinema journalist; he's also a great storyteller.

The tale of former Gestapo chief-

tain Klaus Barbie, the "Butcher of Lyon," is a strange, outrageous, chilling one. Ophuls documents his case with great sensitivity and an unerring eye for the truth.

He also tactfully, skillfully transforms it into a rousing adventure tale. You marvel that all its multitude of characters, all its plot details, could be contained in a mere 4½-hour film.

BARBIE WAS a violent psychopath who did his part for Hitler's war effort by conducting an elaborate torture chamber for resistance leaders and other enemies of the Third Reich out of his headquarters at the Hotel Terminus in Lyon, France.

After the war, he was clever enough to pass himself off to American intelligence agents as a valuable anti-communist contact and so was smuggled safely to South America.

There he lent his talents to various dictatorships, advising them on the maiming and brutalizing of political prisoners, and aiding in the international arms and drug-smuggling trades.

Persistent Nazi hunters finally tracked him down and extradited him to France, where he was tried and convicted of crimes against humanity.

Through interviews with Barbie's victims as well as his relatives, comrades and sworn enemies, Ophuls recreates the progress of a very sick, dangerous man who was allowed to inflict untold damage on thousands of people, simply because it was useful for various politicians, government agents and other criminals for him to do so.

It's perilously easy in a film like this for the villain to become the hero, to acquire an aura of outlaw glamor. Ophuls wisely never allows

the audience to identify with Barbie. He remains a faceless entity, seen only in rare glimpses. It's the people whose lives he affected that take center stage.

ALTHOUGH IT'S a serious story, the great tradition of Jewish "gallows humor" is amply represented here. Ophuls maintains a running joke about the perverse pleasures of interviewing ex-Nazis and their families.

He delights in popping in on them unexpectedly, recording their inane, evasive reactions to his questions. "Whatever happened to human rights?" grumbles one as Ophuls gleefully pounces after him with his microphone and camera.

"Hotel Terminus" richly deserves its Oscar nomination for best documentary. I'm rooting for Ophuls. He's a scholar, a gentleman and a great entertainer.

## SCREEN SCENE

DETROIT FILM THEATER, Detroit Institute of Arts, Detroit. Call 623-3779 for information. (36 all seats)

"Hotel Terminus: The Life and Times of Klaus Barbie" (1988), 7 p.m. March 3-4, and 5 p.m. March 5. Marcel Ophuls' engrossing, graphic-length (207 minutes) chronicle of the rise and fall of a Nazi war criminal is a sure bet to win this year's Oscar for Best Documentary.

MICHIGAN THEATRE, 605 E. Liberty, Ann Arbor. Call 666-8997 for information. (\$4 regular, \$3.50 for students and seniors)

"Track 29" (1988), 8 p.m. Feb. 27, 7:10 p.m. Feb. 28, 9:15 p.m. March 1, 7:10 p.m. March 3-8. Director Nicolas Roeg and screenwriter Dennis Potter collaborated on this odd, haunting story of a woman's imaginary romance with her long-lost son. With Theresa Russell, Gary Oldman and Christopher Lloyd.

"A Handful of Dust" (1988), 9 p.m. Feb. 28, 7 p.m. March 1. Glamorous BBC-type adaptation of Evelyn Waugh novel about horrible things that happen when a bad, rich Englishwoman betrays her husband. Directed by Charles ("Bridonhead Revisited") Sturridge. With Kristen Scott Thomas and James Wilby.

"Creating Delaney" (1988), 9 p.m.

March 22. A holly-tolly New Yorker (Amy Irving) finds love with the proper pickle salesman (Peter Riegert).

"A Cry in the Dark" (1988), Meryl got another best actress nomination for this one, based on a true story about an Australian woman unjustly accused of doing away with her own child.

PARK THEATRE, 804 Erle St. E., Windsor. Call (519) 971-9983 for dates and time (\$4 regular and \$2.50 seniors, children and members).

"Terry Tricker and the Stamp Traveler" Canadian animated kid's feature by Rick Demers. Double-bill with "Abel," a

Dutch tale about a 83-year-old man who's never left his parents' home. (Hmm, got a few of those out where I live, too.)

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"Vampire in Havana" Detroit premiere of animated feature about an undead jazz saxophonist who really gets his teeth into Cuban nightlife. Double bill with "Noferatu" (1979), Werner Herzog's beautiful, funny, illiterate mutation of the Dracula legend, starring Klaus (the Louie) Kinski, Isabelle Adjani and Bruno Ganz.

done, but too much.

"I'm Gonna Get You Sucka" (C+) (R) 85 minutes.

Slow-paced satire of B-movies, from the black point of view.

"The Land Before Time" (A) (G) 75 minutes.

Touching story of a group of young dinosaurs. Excellent animation.

"The Mighty Quinn" (C-) (R) 90 minutes.

Murder, money and spies in the Caribbean.

"Mississippi Burning" (A+) (R) 130 minutes.

Brilliant political film about human greed, fear and cruelty. A must-see.

"My Stepmother Is an Alien" (B+) (PG-13) 108 minutes.

When extra-terrestrial Kim Basinger touches down, this comedy takes off.

"Naked Gun" (D) (PG-13) 90 minutes.

Overly broad farce never gets off the ground floor of the police squad room.

"Oliver and Company" (A) (G) 70 minutes.

Disney animation at its best.

"Physical Evidence" (C) (R).

Burt Reynolds is a cop with a nifty attorney, Theresa Russell.

"Rain Man" (A+) (R) 130 minutes.

Tom Cruise and Dustin Hoffman star as brothers in every sense.

"Tap" (C+) (PG-13) 105 minutes.

Nice dancing, but trite story with Sammy Davis Jr. and Gregory Hines.

"Three Fugitives" (A-) (PG-13) 95 minutes.

Touching comedy about a tough guy, a little misfit and his cute daughter.

"Torch Song Trilogy" (B) (R) 122 minutes.

Sensitive, touching but questionable look at homosexuality.

"Twins" (B+) (PG) 95 minutes.

Do you believe Danny DeVito and Arnold Schwarzenegger are twins?

"Who's Harry Crumb" (D+) (PG-13) 85 minutes.

John Candy is, but not very well, thank you, in this detective-comedy.

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# STREET BEATS

## Book overcomes techno label

By Larry O'Connor  
staff writer

Want well-written, clever lines? Go to the library. The dance floor is usually the last place to go.

Until now that is. Book of Love, a four-member group out of New York, appears to be bucking the sameness of today's dance floor music with its own brand of thoughtful songs. How many dance bands today include liner notes?

Well, Book of Loves does. And for good reason.

"I think they're witty in a way that few people tend not to notice," said lead singer Susan Ottaviano, who shares the songwriting duties with Ted Ottaviano (they are not related).

Witty, perhaps, but synthesizer for synthesizer, Book of Love certainly matches any of their European contemporaries. For one, they're multi-dimensional whereas many dance bands are repetitive.

Along with better-than-average lyrics, Book of Love features the seductive vocals of Susan Ottaviano.

On many of the songs featured on "Lullaby," the group's latest release on Sire, Susan Ottaviano breathes life into each note. Tiffany and Debbie Gibson could hold her microphone cord.

ALSO, MONTHS of touring has Book of Love's stage show functioning at its best. The band has ditched tape sequences, preferring to do everything live.

In club circles of New York and beyond, Book of Love has earned its fair share of kudos for providing a hypnotic beat.

Book of Love formed from the remains of Head Cheese, a group that came together at the Philadelphia College of Art. Ted Ottaviano and Susan Ottaviano (again, they are not related) performed in the band.

Book of Love signed a deal with Sire and hits such as "Boy" and "You Make Me Feel So Good" led to tours with Depeche Mode.



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This time out on "Lullaby," a follow-up to their self-titled debut LP, Book of Love was teamed up with producer Flood (U2 and Erasure). Flood was instrumental in bringing out the creative side of the group while keeping the rhythms quite danceable.

Nonetheless, Book of Love faces the problem of being segregated in the techno-dance category, known more for its fickleness than creativity.

"We didn't start out to be a synthesizer band," Susan Ottaviano said. "We happened to meet and more of us played keyboards and none of us played guitars. We were looking for a guitar player at first."

"So we got lumped into the category. I'd rather be considered an alter-

native band than a throwaway dance band."

THAT PRESENTS problems as well. Although their music is highly regarded for originality, radio play has been tough to come by.

The story is a familiar one: Too commercial for alternative radio and too alternative for commercial radio. "Which makes you angry," she said.

Too bad. "Lullaby" features some rather interesting cuts, including a cover of Mike Oldfield's "Tubular Bells" that was used in the film "The Exorcist." Book of Love made the somewhat eerie tune compatible for the dance floor.

Another number of interest is "Pretty Boys and Pretty Girls," which deals with love and the fear of AIDS.

"We did it in sort of a positive way," she said. "It's an issue we feel strongly about. Living in New York, the issue is something that has touched us. We wanted to do something to show we care."

The song brings awareness to a problem, but also flies in the face of what has become rather desensitized music. Ottaviano agrees.

"I think I've had it with house and the rest of the throwaway stuff," she said. "Maybe there's one or two songs I might like. But for the most part, I don't like what I'm hearing."

Book of Love will perform on Friday, March 3, at Saint Andrew's Hall, 430 E. Congress, Detroit. For information, call 961-MELT.

## IN CONCERT

### TANJENT IMAGE

Tanjent Image will perform on Monday, Feb. 27, at Blind Pig, 208 S. First, Ann Arbor. For information, call 996-8555.

### MARS NEEDS WOMEN

Mars Needs Women will perform on Monday, Feb. 27, at the Rick's Cafe, 611 Church, Ann Arbor. For information, call 996-2747.

### ARGOSY

Argosy will perform on Monday and Tuesday, Feb. 27-28, at the Studio Lounge, 6921 N. Wayne, south of Warren Road, Westland. For information, call 729-2540.

### IDYLL ROOMERS

Idyll Roomers will perform on Tuesday, Feb. 28, at Rick's Cafe, 611 Church, Ann Arbor. For information, call 996-2747.

### RHONE

Rhone and the Freedom Band will perform on Tuesday, Feb. 28, at Blind Pig, 208 S. First, Ann Arbor. For information, call 996-8555.

### MAP OF THE WORLD

Map of the World will perform on Wednesday, March 1, at Blind Pig, 208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. For information, call 996-8555.

### BOBBY EAST

Bobby East will perform at 11:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 1, at New York New York, 24800 Hoover, Warren. For information, call 756-6140.

### SOCIAL DISEASE

Social Disease will perform on Thursday, March 2, at Blondie's, 21139 W. Seven Mile, Detroit. For information, call 535-8108.

### DOG SOLDIER

Dog Soldier will perform on Thursday, March 2, at the Blind Pig, 208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. For information, call 996-8555.

### PRETTY ROTTEN

Pretty Rotten will perform with special guests, The Weeds, on Thursday, March 2, at Paycheck's Lounge, 2932 Caniff, Hamtramck. For information, call 872-8934.

### WALK THE DOGMA

Walk the Dogma will perform on Friday, March 3, at Lill's 21, 2930 Jacob, off Jos Campau, Hamtramck. For information, call 875-6555.

### ROBB ROY

Robb Roy will perform with special guests, Amber Slayte, on Friday, March 3, at Hamtramck Pub, 2048 Caniff, off I-75. For information, call 965-9760.

### BOOK OF LOVE

Book of Love will perform Friday, March 3, at Saint Andrew's Hall, 430 E. Congress, Detroit. For information, call 961-MELT.

### BOOTSEY X

Bootsey X will perform on Friday and Saturday, March 3-4, at Jameson's, 1812 N. Main, near 12 Mile Road, Royal Oak. For information, call 647-6470.

## COLLEGE

Here are the top 10 albums receiving airplay on WAYN-AM, campus station of Wayne State University.

1. "Disgraceland," Elvis Hilder.
2. "Tender Prey," Nick Cave and the Bad Seeds.
3. "Test Kit," Radon Acid.
4. "Vivid," Living Colour.
5. "Kick Out the Jelly," Junk Monkeys.
6. "Back with a Bong," Murphy's Law.
7. "Green," R.E.M.
8. "Under the Covers," Vertical Pillows.
9. "(demo tape)," Inside Out.
10. "(demo tape)," Almighty Lumberjacks of Death.

For information on Romance, call 528-1550.

### HIPPODROME

Hippodrome will perform with special guests, Plasma Bat, on Friday, March 3, at Paycheck's Lounge, 2932 Caniff, off Jos Campau, Hamtramck. For information, call 872-8934.

### SHOK PARIS

Shok Paris will perform along with special guests, Hades and Harlet, on Friday, March 3, at Blondie's, 21139 W. Seven Mile, Detroit. For information, call 535-8108.

### GEORGE BEDARD

George Bedard and the Bonneville's will perform on Friday, March 3, at Blind Pig, 208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. For information, call 996-8555.

### INDOOR BLUES FESTIVAL

More than 30 blues artists will perform from 4 p.m. to 2 a.m. Saturday through Monday, March 4-6, at Saint Andrew's Hall, 430 E. Congress, Detroit. Tickets are available through TicketMaster outlets. For information, call 423-6666.

### SEE DICK RUN

See Dick Run will perform on Saturday, March 4, at Paycheck's Lounge, 2932 Caniff, Hamtramck. For information, call 872-8934.

### VICTIMS OF CIRCUMSTANCE

Victims of Circumstance will perform with special guests, Forced Anger, on Saturday, March 4, at the Hamtramck Pub, 2048 Caniff, off I-75. For information, call 965-9760.

### ORANGE ROUGHIES

The Orange Roughies will perform on Saturday, March 4, at Lill's 21, 2930 Jacob, off Jos Campau, Hamtramck. For information, call 875-6555.

### DEAD MILKMEN

Dead Milkmen will perform at 10 p.m. Monday, March 6, at the Nectarine Ballroom, 510 E. Liberty, Ann Arbor. Tickets are \$10.50 in advance. For information, call 99-MUSIC.

### REPLACEMENTS

The Replacements will perform at 8 p.m. Friday, March 10, at the Michigan Theatre, 603 E. Liberty, Ann Arbor. Reserved tickets are \$16.50 in advance. For information, call 99-MUSIC.

### MICHELLE SHOCKED

Michelle Shocked will perform on Sunday, March 12, at Saint Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit. Tickets are \$12.50 in advance. For information, call 99-MUSIC.

### VIOLENT FEMMES

Violent Femmes will perform at 8 p.m. Saturday, March 18, at Hill Auditorium in Ann Arbor. Tickets are \$16.50. For information, call 99-MUSIC.

### BRUCE COCKBURN

Bruce Cockburn and His Band will perform at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, March 19, at the Power Center in Ann Arbor. Tickets are \$16.50 in advance. For information, call 99-MUSIC.

### R.E.M.

R.E.M. will perform at 8 p.m. Wednesday, April 5, at Cobo Arena in Detroit. Reserved seats are \$18.50. For information, call 99-MUSIC.

## CLASSICAL

Here are the top 10 classical selections on Dick Wallace's midday program on WQRS-FM.

1. "Light Cavalry Overture," Sappé.
2. "Symphony in C," Elzet.
3. "Norwegian Dances," Grieg.
4. "Rodeo," Copland.
5. "Winter Concerto," Vivaldi.
6. "Espansa," Chabrier.
7. "Symphony 28," Mozart.
8. "Unfinished Symphony," Schubert.
9. "New World Symphony," Dvorak.
10. "Mississippi Suite," Grofé.

## Romance 'tunes in' on success

By Larry O'Connor  
staff writer

Romance: A musical tango in the night, a lyrical liaison of extraordinary proportion?

Maybe. But that's kind of tough to showcase when you're constantly asked to play "Wild Thing." Romance is a five-member band whose problem is

not uncommon with Top 40 bands. They have to play other people's music at the expense of their own.

"We know what we don't like," said Kevin Holevar, who is a guitar player and one of the many singers in the multi-talented band. "We have to play it every night."

Of course, the obvious solution would be to front an all-original band. Then again, most people also

like to eat.

So Romance forges ahead with pop rock sensibilities garnished with a few tunes of their own. "We sneak them in when we can," said Gino Minchella, keyboard player and singer.

For more than six years, Romance has been quite successful as a Top 40 entity. That time has allowed them to hone their craft to a fine art, picking their spots carefully to insert their material.

On the surface, survival as a nightclub act for six years is astounding. Then talking to the rather articulate members of the band, it's obvious why that's no fluke.

"I THINK a lot of it has to do with the way we laid out our goals," Holevar said. "When we started the group, we didn't learn a bunch of songs and just go out and start playing."

"We sat down and said, 'These are the things we want to achieve and this is the way we have to do it.' We've stuck to the plan as much as we could."

The focus for Romance is developing more of their own material, which already shows considerable promise. The band has the luxury of having its own studio.

Already, the group has cut some tracks that will be featured on an upcoming compact disc, "Metro Masters," along with RH Factor, Teen Angels and Flash. At this point, the band knows what it wants to achieve in terms of song writing.

"We want to make music with guts to it," Minchella said.

THE ENGAGEMENT was a month-long one at this club, a testament to Romance's drawing power. The real challenge of playing the same club every night is staying fresh.

"Sometimes you can feel yourself getting into a rut," said Steve Perkins. "When we find ourselves doing that we pull out of it quick by doing something different."

Romance believes it has the difference to make it big.

"There's a tremendous void in music right now," Holevar said. "There's this homogenized style. There's this tremendous remake market where everyone is remaking hits from the past."

"One day, someone is going to waltz into that void. It would be real nice if it was us."

For information on Romance, call 528-1550.



Romance forges ahead with pop rock sensibilities, garnished with a few tunes of their own.

## REVIEWS

### DON'T TELL A SOUL

— The Replacements



Diéhard Replacements fans are screaming. Their favorite band has left them in the cold with this latest album.

A band, who has the image of being loose, loud, arrogant and childish, has sought to deviate from that by being — egads — mature. "Don't Tell A Soul" (Sire) reflects a band that has come of age.

How dare they. But to those who listened to the Minneapolis band's last album, "Pleased to Meet Me" (Sire), this shouldn't really come as a surprise. That disc featured the unbridled fury The Replacements possessed musically. In some of the finer moments, "Pleased to Meet Me" also displayed a group whose members weren't half bad songwriters to boot.

The Replacements have sought to capitalize on that talent this time. For the most part, they succeed. "Don't Tell A Soul" is the group's most accessible album to date.

And there are some nuggets to savor here. The rhythmic quality of opening songs such as "Talent Show" and "Back to Back" showcases a band that is in command of its craft.

Same can be said for "They're Blind," a stunning bit of guitar rock and vocals by lead singer and songwriting sergeant Paul Westerberg. Brief flashes of the band's past rambunctiousness can be heard in the guitar-gutted "Anywhere's Better Than Here." Perhaps the Prince influence is rubbing off on the Twin City group, as "Asking Me" certainly has a funky feel to it.

What The Replacements have done is taken away the mask of their punk-inspired craziness and bared their soul. They have a lot to show for it.

— Larry O'Connor

### FIGURES ON A BEACH

— Figures On A Beach



Here we have the second major label from Detroit ex-patriots and now Boston-based Figures On A Beach.

I would think that this LP is particularly make-or-break for the band as their debut for Sire didn't exactly make them a household name, despite containing the particularly radio suitable single, "No Stars."

I think a large order of the blame for that may be laid at the record company's feet as there did not seem to be much of a publicity campaign put behind them.

But enough of that. What about this LP. Well, Figures On A Beach are their own worst enemies. They deliberately aim their music to a dance club-oriented audience, which is enormously fickle in its choice of this year's models. To add further to Figures' problem is that their basic sound is that of a Duran Duran when even Duran Duran isn't doing Duran Duran anymore. Ehhhh... Do you follow me so far?

Throughout every song, Tony Kac-

zynski sounds strained and characterless, although I suspect they got Roger Rabbit in for their version of the B.T.O. song "You Ain't Seen Nothing Yet."

Their songs are well-constructed, but it seems as though producer, Ivan Ivan, has borrowed from any successful band in this vein, Frankie Goes To Huntington Woods, Simple Minds and the aforementioned Drone Drone, in his presentation of Figures.

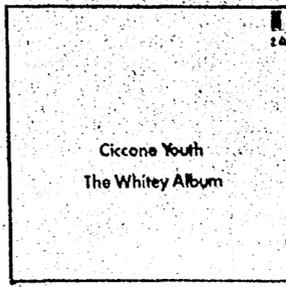
Unfortunately, in this case the results are very linear with nothing outstanding to grab your attention.

With all this said, everyone knows they deserve more attention than the likes of the Escape Club or Information Society who are operating with a lot less in reserve.

— Cormac Wright

### THE WHITEY ALBUM

— Ciccone Youth



Ciccone Youth's "Whitey Album" is the most stunning musical statement since the Beatles' "White Album."

That is, of course, only if you've been locked away since 1965 when the Fab Four released their great LP. Other than that, Ciccone Youth's "Whitey Album" is what one might come to expect from a group formed in the inspiration of pop idol Madonna herself.

A little history might be in order. Ciccone Youth is the alter-ego of the famed underground outfit Sonic Youth along with Firehouse member Mike Watt. Band members profess to be intrigued by this Madonna character, who is relatively the same age and emerged out of the same late '70s/early '80s New York scene they did. So, hence the name.

But if someone were to make the mistake of purchasing this disc with any hopes, aspirations or longings to hear any faint sounds resembling the Material Girl herself, you're out of

luck. This is far better. This album is a keeper, if only for two reasons. Those include the back-handed tributes to Madonna herself ("Into the Groovy") and "Burnin' Up." Then there is the slow moving cover "Addicted to Love." Indeed, great stuff. The singer sounds as inspired as one of the models in Robert Palmer's video.

Those who enjoy the scaring guitar work of Sonic Youth, take heart as it abounds, for example, in "MobyDik."

Ciccone Youth dives into a wide variety of musical genres, including rap ("Tuff Rap") and techno-beat ("March of the Ciccone Robots"). This album is a musical experience not to be missed.

— Larry O'Connor

street seen

**Charlene Mitchell**



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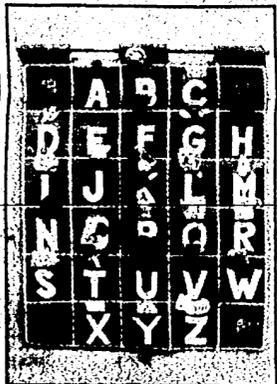


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**STREET SENSE**

**Wanted: A 'status free' woman**

Dear Barbara,

I saw your column in the Eccentric and was impressed by its frankness and straight-forward approach. My question has to do with dating. I'm a 28-year-old writer and grad student.

I'm a former "news bound" who is working toward a career in public relations. I'm working for a friend and interviewing when I can. The women I seem to be meeting (20s) are very career oriented and expect me to be making a lot of money right now. Shouldn't it be enough that I'm a good person, care about others and am working toward a goal? Why is "financial status," such a factor in dating these days? I'm a sensitive guy, kind of a Richard Dreyfuss type.

Also, where are the best places to try and meet women? I've tried ads in the local papers over the last few years and while that's somewhat successful, it's such a "shotgun" approach.

I just have trouble finding ways to meet women. I cannot be the only one who has this problem, can I?

I realize that I have accidentally given you two separate questions to answer. Do what you think best, but

It would probably be wisest to answer the question you feel will benefit the largest number of people.

I've never done this before and I thank you for your sensitivity.

Tom

Dear Tom,

You show how bright and sensitive you are by knowing that you have written too many questions for me to answer completely in a column of this size. A chapter could be written to answer adequately the question you ask.

In your letter, you bemoan the way things are, i.e., women more interested in money than in character, and seem to wish that reality were different. That attitude is counterproductive. One can't solve problems by wanting to change the reality of the givens. Problems are solved by using creative thinking to find solutions based on the way things are. If you address problems, whether in dating or other areas in this manner, you have a much better chance of success.

The return address on your letter was one of the wealthier suburbs. Could part of your difficulty in finding women with values more like yours be that you're looking in the



Barbara Schiff

wrong places? Women from wealthier areas could be accustomed to security and money and may not want to decrease their socio-economic level.

One of the most obvious places to meet single women and men are bars. However, I rarely heard of anyone who felt that they had a lasting relationship start there. Have you tried church groups or community center where they have singles parties?

ALSO, THERE are dating services in which you deliver a profile of yourself and they match you up with someone compatible.

Also, what attracts you to women? If "flash and dash" appeals to you, that could be another possibility why you are having little luck. Perhaps you have to look harder for the less noticeable types.

Most importantly, take enough opportunities and chance to find people with your same values, but don't criticize others without those values or with different ones. It is the prerogative of those that believe it to think that money and security are more important than sensitivity and companionship.

Thank you for your excellent letter. You are right in believing that you are not the only single having trouble finding that significant other. Your letter has given us all an opportunity to think about this subject. Should any readers write to me with valuable suggestions, I will forward them to you.

Barbara

If you have a question for Barbara Schiff, an experienced counselor and therapist, send it to Street Sense, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.

**Island fun attracts spring 'breakers'**

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A FLORIDA friend tells me that South Padre looks the way Florida's Sanibel Island once looked: There are still empty spaces and two-story wooden homes between the high rises. The main big hotels are the Sheraton, Holiday Inn and Hilton, all gathered near the island end of the causeway.

What may be of more interest to you are the many hotels that offer efficiency rooms and the many condominium complexes. To rent a condo, you can call Condo Rentals of Padre Island toll-free at (800) 53-PADRE. Some, like the Bahia Mar, don't take spring breakers unless accompanied by somebody over 21 years of age.

Most will take you during spring break or any other time, although spring breakers are often asked for a hefty deposit against possible damage.

There are 5,400 condos on South Padre, 60 percent of them available for rent. Book ahead for any major national holiday. Slow time is after Easter and before school gets out in mid-June. (Or between Labor Day and Christmas.)

The bay side is quieter and less expensive than the ocean side, because there isn't much beach there.

The major island development took place between 1978 and 1982, but it peaked in 1981, mostly because of the dramatic devaluation of the Mexican peso. Many condos in south Texas are owned by affluent Mexicans.

Some typical prices: A two-bedroom condo on the bay starts at \$50 a night or less than \$300 a week. Most condos have a two- or three-night minimum.

The Bahia Mar, a large oceanside hotel, will rent you a room with a queen-sized bed for \$50 March 28 through May 23 (\$70-\$75 in summer, \$85-90 in March), a one-bedroom suite for \$75, two-bedroom with gulf view for \$165 (maximum eight people.) Call toll-free (800) 531-7404.

THE THREE-STORY Best Western Fiesta Isles motel, which has kitchens, charges \$60 a night for a room with a bay view April and May. Prices are higher during Easter and some weeks of spring break. It goes up to \$80 in the summer and down to \$45 in the fall.

Another option: Rent a travel trailer for \$40 to \$50 a day, \$175 to \$300 a week. A sea cottage for \$100 a day, \$500 a week.

The way to explore all this is to call the Padre Island Convention and Visitors Bureau toll-free at (800) 992-7283 and find out what the options are for the time you choose.

What to do while you are there? Beach time, of course. Go see the Turtle Lady, who gives daily presentations about the sea turtles she has rescued. Visit the Coastal Studies Laboratory. Take a cruise on the Isabella Queen Paddlewheeler, or on the new cruise ship, the T.S. Mistral. Climb the Port Isabel Lighthouse across the causeway. Drive to the Laguna Atascosa Wildlife Refuge, 20 minutes drive northwest of the island, to Rio Grande Valley attractions, such as the Confederate Air Force Museum in Harlingen or the wonderful Gladys Porter Zoo in Brownsville.

Cross the border at Brownsville to Matamoros, Mexico, and shop for crafts at Garcia's. Or go further up the Rio Grande to smaller Mexican towns like Reynosa. Don't drive across the border because of car insurance problems. Park and walk or take a day or evening tour.

THE MOST popular casual restaurant on South Padre is probably Blackbeard's, on the water — fresh fish, reasonable prices. Bermuda's and Louis Backyard are popular. The old funky Yacht Club Hotel in Port Isabel is fun. A tiny cafe called Padre Cafe is popular. If you run out of bucks try the Italian food at Rosi's.

Sailors go to the Anchor's Aweigh Bar. The best views in town are from Brandi Renee's or from the Jetties Restaurant haunted by beach crowds during the day.

You can rent a trimarin or a wave-runner, go parasailing, walk the beach, collect shells (best shells are at the north end of the island). Most of all you will enjoy the sand, sand, glorious sand and the sunshine that goes with it.

If you have a travel question her at Street Scene, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.

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# STREET CRACKS

## Bolster is knocking 'em 'dead'

By Bob Sadler  
special writer

There probably aren't many comics who can claim that they once made a person laugh so hard she hyperventilated.

Joe Bolster can. "I just thought she had an unusual laugh," said Bolster, whose "victim" was part of an audience in San Antonio a few years ago. "Suddenly I noticed her boyfriend gesturing at me, and he looked very serious. She was hyperventilating.

"A waitress brought out a paper bag for her to blow into — to redistribute her carbon dioxide or something. But they had to lead her out."

Bolster admits he had mixed emotions at the time all this happened, but feels it reflects on his comedic talent.

"I'm sorry it happened, but I had to put a notch on my belt. I must really be killing people."

A native of Princeton, N.J., Bolster learned to grab attention early. He had to. Growing up as the oldest of 14 children, parental attention was often quite limited.

"We'd all sit at the dinner table," he said, "and it would be tough to get a word in."

AT SCHOOL, the young Bolster found a subtle way to channel his awakening sense of humor into laughs.

"I wasn't a class clown — the kind who puts dynamite in a toilet or something," he said. "I would just sit in the back and make remarks out of the side of my mouth that would only be heard by only two or three people. I had a remark for

everything, but was more a quiet kind of funny."

At Denison University in Ohio, Bolster realized he was too short to play pro basketball and decided that journalism would be a sound second career choice. That didn't work out either.

"Unfortunately, at that time, newspapers and graduate schools were inundated with applicants," he said. "It was the height of the Woodward and Bernstein (Watergate scandal) period."

Instead, he saw his future as a funny man come into focus watching David Brenner on "The Tonight Show" one night.

"I'd never thought about being a comedian one-tenth of a second prior to that. It never occurred to me that I could make a living at it."

It took Bolster awhile to get his bearings as a comic, but after claiming the top prize in Showtime's "National Laff-Off" in 1982, he got his own chance on "The Tonight Show."

He is in great demand, both on network and cable television and in frequent club appearances.

"IN RETROSPECT, I'm glad I didn't get anywhere in journalism because I ended up in comedy," he said. "It's similar to writing, though, in that the audience is an instant editor. You write something, perform it and you can tell by the laughter if it's a good joke. I like that immediately."

Bolster, 34, considers himself an observational comic in the mold of contemporaries Jay Leno and Jerry Seinfeld, whom he describes as "brilliantly funny and squeaky clean."

"My job as a comic is to take normal things and twist them in ways the audience doesn't normally

think about," he said. "Furthermore, we (observational comics) all work with similar subject matter, but what separates you from the rest is what you have to say about it."

Bolster is particularly outspoken about the lack of creativity shown by many current comedy stars, showcased in the widespread use of blue (dirty) humor.

"There's some guys out there who are gratuitously dirty — appealing to the lowest common denominator," he said. "I really cringe when I see that kind of thing. Regardless of how good what you're saying is, it's still an easier way to get a laugh because of shock value."

"I think the biggest challenge for a comic is to get a big laugh working clean. It's not easy to do."

Bolster would like to see himself on a television sit-com sometime in the future and has even started taking an acting course. However, he enjoys live performance too much to ever totally abandon it.

"I really deep down in my gut love it," he said. "It's a tough business. Anytime you go on stage, it's like your first day on the job. Every night, it's always a new crowd, a new city, and you're only as good as your last joke."

"But when a wave of laughter hits you, it's addictive. It's powerful."

Joe Bolster will appear Tuesday through Saturday, Feb. 28 to March 4, at Chaplin's West, 16890 Telegraph Road, south of Six Mile Road, Detroit. Showtimes are 8:30 p.m., with an additional 10:30 p.m. show Friday and Saturday. For reservations, call 533-8866.



Joe Bolster's brand of humor will be center stage at Chaplin's West, 16890 Telegraph Road, south of Six Mile Road, Detroit, Tuesday through Saturday, Feb. 28 to March 4.

## COMEDY CLUBS

Here are some listings of comedy clubs in our area. To let us know who is appearing at your club, send us the information: Comedy Listings, Observer & Eccentric, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.

● **BEA'S KITCHEN**  
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● **LOONEY BIN**  
Norm Stoltz will perform on Friday and Saturday, March 3-4, at The Looney Bin Comedy Club, The Wolverine Lounge, 1655 Glengary, Walled Lake. Showtimes are 9 p.m. Friday and 8 p.m. and 10 p.m. Saturday. Also appearing will be Mike Connell and Steve Cash. For information, call 669-9374.

● **MAINSTREET**  
Cyle Nape will appear at 8:30 p.m. and 11 p.m. on Friday through Saturday, March 3-4, at MainStreet Comedy Showcase, 314 E. Liberty, Ann

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● **COMEDY CASTLE**  
Steve and Leo will appear Tuesday through Saturday, Feb. 28 to March 4, at Mark Ridley's Comedy Castle, 2593 Woodward, Berkley. Showtimes are 8:30 p.m. Tuesday through Thursday and 8:30 p.m. and 11 p.m. Friday and Saturday. For reservations, call 542-9900.

● **SAM KINISON**  
Sam Kinison and the Outlaws of Comedy will perform at 8 p.m. Wednesday, March 8, at the Fox

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● **ROBERT TOWNSEND**  
Robert Townsend will perform at 8 p.m. Saturday, March 11, at The Fisher Theater in Detroit. Tickets are \$18.50 and \$21.50. For information, call 423-6666.

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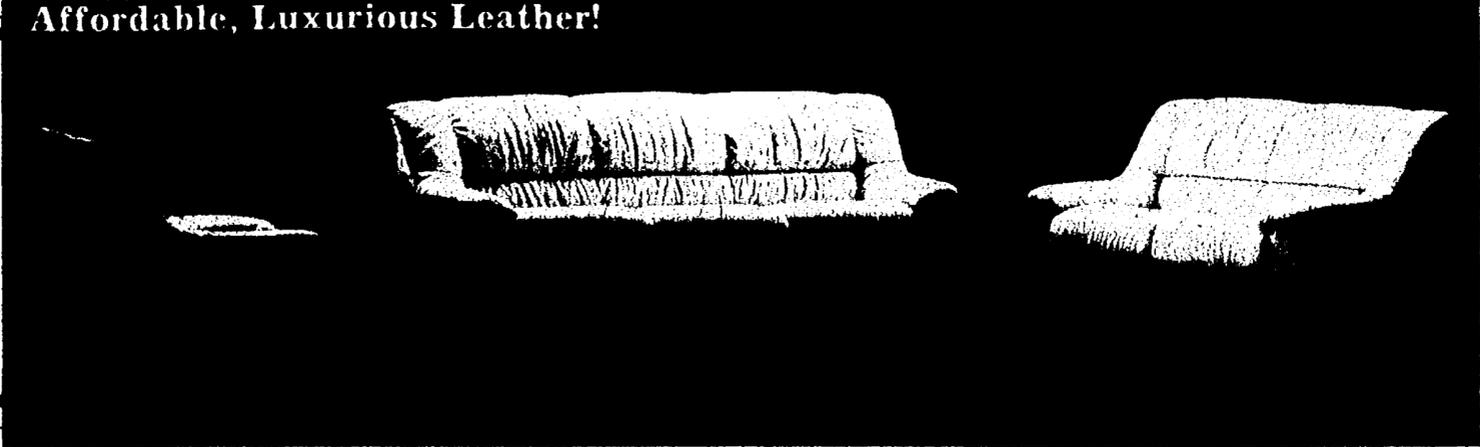
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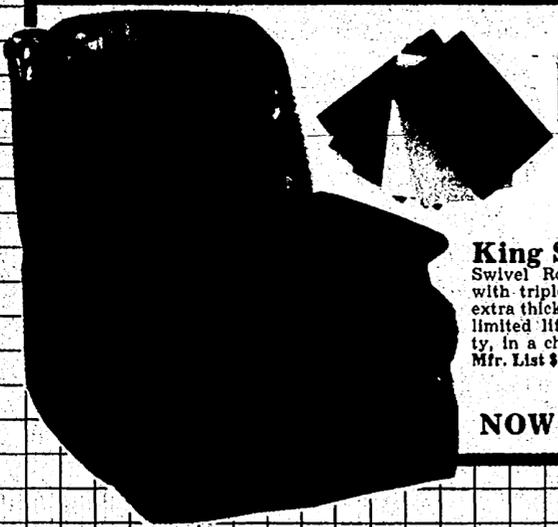
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**Dorothy  
Lehmkuhl**

**Q:** In response to your Jan. 23 article "Cut inane details," the next time a co-worker explains how he managed a big deal, a lawyer wants to tell you how he won a case, a friend describes a long sickness ending in death, or the president tries to explain averting a missile crisis, tell them to "cut to the bottom line" — did he get the deal, did he win the case, did the patient die, was the missile crisis averted. Give them a verbal pat on the back to "make their day" and explain that the general public has only two minutes to listen to others because we are so tied up in our lives that conversation is no longer a part of our lives. We don't really care what others are doing, going through or thinking.

We wonder what is happening to the people in the world today. The teen suicide who everyone thought was doing great, the rapist who lived next door and was just a regular guy, the gunman who randomly shot into a crowd, the drug users, the child abuse cases, the homeless, the high divorce rate, etc., etc., etc. Maybe no one had time to listen.

**A:** I'm listening, agree and thank you for a superlative letter. Because you've made your point so well, I'm printing your rebuttal verbatim.

However, the purpose of that article was to encourage readers to monitor their own speaking habits, not to discourage listening. The two-minute reference (research showing the time an average listener maintains interest without input) was directed toward interaction as an aid to facilitating meaningful conversation. It was not a suggestion to cut others off after listening only two minutes. I indicated people should concentrate on their own "bottom line," not others'. (Perhaps you should have "listened" to my points more carefully.)

Due to space limitations, the newspaper cut the last paragraph I submitted for that column. It concluded with a suggestion to be patient with talkative people and that "being a good listener is a talent and a virtue." Still, I'll submit to the wet noodle because I evidently did not express myself well enough.

P.S. I commend you for a concise letter, sans one inane detail. It was forceful, zoomed to the heart of the subject and was much more effective than if you had rambled on for several pages. (Don't you wish everyone did?) Thanks for making my day.



condo queries  
**Robert M.  
Meisner**

## Land contract: to build or not

**Q:** I am buying a lot on a land contract and plan to build a home on it. I have used a standard land contract agreement, although I, unfortunately, did not have legal counsel at the time of entering into the agreement. I want to sign a building contract now but the land contract vendor says I can't until I pay off the land contract. The land contract does not call for a balloon payment until two years from now. What can I do?

**A:** See an attorney. Under most land contracts, unless there is a specific provision in the land contract preventing you from building on the property, you are not precluded from doing so. Your land contract vendor may be bluffing, particularly since he realized that you do not have legal counsel. Get a legal opinion and then negotiate, if necessary.

Robert M. Meisner is a Birmingham attorney specializing in condominiums, real estate and corporate law. You are invited to submit topics which you would like to see discussed in this column, including questions about condominiums, by writing Robert M. Meisner, 30200 Telegraph Road, Suite 467, Birmingham 48010. This column provides general information and should not be construed as legal opinion.

# Folksy feeling

## Heathers 'villages' promote community ties

By Joan Boram  
special writer

**The Heathers condominium development has been awarded the "Eminent Conceptor Award" by the Consulting Engineers Council of Michigan. State winners will be entered in a national competition. Engineering firm for the Heathers was Giffels-Webster.**

**I**F MENTION of a gravel pit reminds you of Norman Rockwell and the ol' swimmin' hole, the Heathers will give you cause to reroute your train of thought.

Developed by Robertson Brothers, community builders on the site of the old Beardsley pit in Bloomfield Hills, the Heathers consists of four "villages": Braewyck, Southkirk, Cambridge, and the soon-to-be-completed Collinwood. Designed to encourage a neighborhood feel, the villages promote close community ties and a nostalgic small town charm.

A 170-ACRE, \$80 million development, located north of Square Lake between Adams and Opdyke roads, the Heathers required \$3.4 million in earth moving expenses to convert the area, which included 28 acres of designated, protected wetlands, into a resort community.

After complex negotiations with the Department of Natural Resources, the wetlands were integrated into the overall design of the project. In addition, some wetlands were relocated to make room for the

nine-hole golf course — making the Robertson Brothers experts in the development field on "How to Build a Wetlands." More than 2,000 hardwood and flowering trees have been planted to replace the scrub trees removed from the site.

The New England-style architecture of Collinwood Village is perfectly suited to the village's location, between the third and fourth holes of the Heathers golf course. The fourplex stacked ranch style buildings each have attached garages, private entries and covered decks.

GENEROUSLY proportioned Palladian windows allow sunlight to flood into the units, and provide residents full view of the lush natural countryside that surrounds them. Lavish use of mirrors by designers Perlmutter-Freiwald enhances the interplay of light and space.

The first level, 1,550-square-foot Courtney units, include a grand, master suite with king-sized walk-in closet, as well as a bedroom/den with guest bath. Cooking is a pleasure in a stepsaver kitchen with a corner pantry, state-of-the-art appliances and lots of extra storage. Ceilings soar over the living and dining rooms, while a wood-burning fire-



The living room in the Heathers' Courtney model.

place adds coziness to the spacious living area. And — washing over it all — lots of lovely, glorious, natural light.

On the second level, the 2,000-square-foot Windsor immediately strikes the visitor with its soaring ceilings and angled walls. Two complete and separate bedroom suites provide the ultimate in privacy and offer full baths and huge closets that any clothing maven would kill for. A pass-through kitchen allows the hostess to include her guests in party preparations, while a fire crackles in the living room fireplace.

More intimately, a cozy nook provides for breakfast a deux. There is a separate den convenient to all areas of the home. Floor-to-ceiling windows provide a full view of the manicured grounds and surrounding lakes.

Homeowners at the Heathers are entitled to the opportunity to enjoy all the recreational amenities included in the community. These include three regulation tennis courts, a swimming pool with generous decking with sunbathers and a clubhouse with informal dining facilities. A championship golf course designed by renowned golf course architect Willian Newcomb nestles among rolling green hills, extending past ponds and wooded parklands.

THE ENTIRE Heathers community is scheduled for completion in 1993. Cost of Collinwood units are: \$135,000-\$155,000. Prices at the other villages are: Braewyck, from \$180,000; Southkirk, from \$242,900; Cambridge, from \$259,000. For more information, call Kathy Dew, sales manager, at 644-3460.

A pass-through kitchen allows the hostess to include her guests in party preparations in the Windsor model in Collinwood village.

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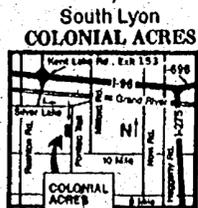
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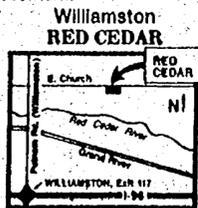
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**LIVONIA AREA**  
 HEAT INCLUDED \* SECURITY DEPOSIT \$150 RENT FROM \$455

Spacious 1 & 2 bedroom apts. with plush carpet, vertical blinds, self cleaning oven, frostfree refrigerator, dishwasher, ample storage, intercom, carport, club house, sauna, exercise room, tennis courts, heated pool.

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**400 Apts. For Rent**  
**LIVONIA'S FINEST LOCATION**  
 Merriman corner 7 mile  
 Large Deluxe  
 1 & 2 bedroom Units  
 • Adult community  
 • All appliances  
 • Vertical blinds  
 • Pool  
 • Nearby shopping  
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 Model open 9-5 except Thursday  
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**400 Apts. For Rent**  
**MAPLE TELEGRAPH AREA**  
 Beautiful spacious decorated apartments. Some of our amenities include:

- Intercoms
- Deluxe carpeting
- Den
- Dishwasher
- Disposal
- Parking
- Swimming Pool
- Storage Facilities
- Laundry Facilities

Birmingham Farms  
 Open Mon - Fri 9am-5pm  
 and by appointment  
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**LIVONIA - Wayne & Ann Arbor Trail**, spacious 1 & 2 bedroom apartments on beautiful grounds. Limited time. Selected 1 bedroom apartments start at \$435 heat included. Inquire about our senior citizen special. 455-5390

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 Royal Oak Area  
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**OAKBROOK VILLA**  
 2 and 3 bedroom townhouses ranging from \$399 to \$500  
 Includes all utilities  
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 near Telegraph. Beautiful wooded setting. 1 bedroom apts. Carpet, air conditioner, heat included.  
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**PLYMOUTH HILLCREST CLUB**  
 Free Heat SPECIAL  
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 Between 10 & 11 Mile  
 Now renting 1 & 2 Bedroom Units  
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**ASK ABOUT OUR SPECIAL PROGRAM FOR SENIOR CITIZENS**  
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**400 Apts. For Rent**  
**FIRST MONTH'S RENT FREE!**  
**CHEERY HILL MANOR**  
 APARTMENTS  
 "Apartment Living with Style"  
 Attractive One and Two Bedroom Apartments  
 from **\$460**  
 HEAT INCLUDED  
 • Modern Appliances  
 • Laundry Facilities  
 • Storage  
 • Air Conditioning  
 • Heated Swimming Pool  
 • Clubhouse  
 • Beautiful Grounds

167 Cherry Valley Dr. on Cherry Hill Rd. (between Beech Daley & Inaker Rd. Inaker)

OPEN 7 DAYS  
**277-1280**

Map showing location of Cheery Hill Manor Apartments.

**400 Apartments For Rent**  
**GRAND OPENING**  
**CANTERBURY PARK**  
 - Immediate Occupancy -  
 Brand new large deluxe 2 bedroom, 2 bath units.  
 Laundry hook-up within apartment, carpeting, vertical blinds, deluxe appliances, balcony or patio. Near shopping.  
 Limited time offer!  
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*Livonia's Finest Location*  
 7 Mile Road  
 Corner Mayfield  
 (3 blocks E. of Farmington Road)  
 East of I-275

**400 Apartments For Rent**  
**NEAR DOWNTOWN FARMINGTON**  
 Super Location  
 Small 60 unit complex  
 Very large 1 bedroom unit with patio - \$475  
 Includes: carport, all appliances, carpeting, verticals, sliding glass door. Adults. Shopping nearby.  
**STONERIDGE MANOR**  
 Freedom Rd. W. of Orchard Lake  
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**400 Apts. For Rent**  
**NINE MILE HOOVER AREA TOWNHOUSES**  
 Some of our amenities include the following  
**MAGARTHUR MANOR**  
 2 bedroom, central air, basement, parking, beautifully decorated. \$400 a month.  
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**400 Apts. For Rent**  
**PARKER HOUSE APTS.**  
 Beautiful spacious apts. Some of our amenities include the following  
 • Indian Village Area  
 • Built-in features  
 • Carpeted  
 • Decorated  
 Evening & weekend hours by appl  
**FROM \$340 PER MONTH**  
**824-3375**

**400 Apts. For Rent**  
**2000 TULIPS**  
 are what you will see this spring from your  
 Immaculate 1 Bedroom first floor apartment with patio.  
 QUIET ADULT COMMUNITY IN PARK SETTING  
 Features include:  
 • NEW CARPET  
 • DESIGNER KITCHEN FLOOR  
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 • Dishwasher & Disposal  
 • Walk-in storage  
 • Walking distance to shopping  
 • Easy access to I-275 & M-14  
 • No Pets  
**\$450 plus utilities**  
**Plymouth Square Apartments**  
 9421 Marguerite  
 Off Ann Arbor & Westland  
 Daily 9 to 5. Closed Sat., Sun.  
**455-6570**

**PLYMOUTH - A Desirable 1 bedroom apartment.** Carpeted appliances, utilities. \$450 month plus deposit. 455-1816

**PLYMOUTH - BROUGHAM MANOR APTS.**  
 1 bedroom \$435  
 2 bedroom \$475  
 Year Lease Heat & Water Paid  
 Adults No Pets  
**455-1215**

**PLYMOUTH - Efficiency & 1 bedroom units.** Uppers, washer/dryer available. \$90 & \$100/wk. Call 455-8559

**PLYMOUTH**  
 First floor, 2 bedroom apartment. Mill & Main Streets. Immediate occupancy. Private entrance. Balcony. Levolor blinds throughout, new carpeting, all appliances with free washer-dryer facilities, all new bath & fixtures, individual storage, separate furnace with central air, individually metered services, security intercom, ample parking & more! \$675 monthly. Leave message: 348-5554

**NOV: NORTHVILLE**  
 HEAT INCLUDED  
 Natural beauty surrounds these apartments with a view of the woods. Take the footbridge across the rolling brook to the open park area or just enjoy the tranquility of the adjacent woods. EHO/W  
 2 bedroom: \$515  
 2 bedroom, view of woods: \$535  
**348-9590 642-8888**  
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**NORTHVILLE - 1 bedroom apt.** in residential neighborhood. \$375/mo. plus security, heat included. 349-9958

**NORTHVILLE - 2 bedroom, 2 bath.** fireplace, appliances, garage, no pets. \$575. mo. plus security. Leave message: 348-5554

**NOVI-FARMINGTON**  
**Pavilion Court**  
 Luxury Beauty Fitness Health  
**Spacious 2 Bedroom Apts.**  
 Complete G.E. Kitchen Appliances  
 Window Treatments  
 Washer, Dryer in Unit  
 Abundant Storage  
 Carpeting, Ceiling Fans  
 Carpets included  
 Air Conditioning  
 Weight Room  
 Pool  
 Sauna  
 Fitness Trainers  
 Indoor Tanning Booth

**Ultimate Living Lifestyle**  
**\$200** Moves You In  
 Open Until 7 p.m.  
**348-1120**

**400 Apartments For Rent**  
**Lakefront Apartments**  
**NEW**  
 1 & 2 Bedroom Apartments  
 from **\$400**  
 • New Swimming Pool & Clubhouse  
 • thru-unit design for maximum privacy & cross unit ventilation  
 • Convenient to Westland Shopping Center  
 • Storage in apartment  
 • Balcony or patio  
 • Air conditioning  
 • Laundry in each building  
 • Dishwashers available

Map showing location of Lakefront Apartments.

**400 Apartments For Rent**  
**CANTON VILLAGE SQUIRE**  
 From \$440 - Free Heat  
**\$200 Moves You In**  
 Great Location • Park Setting  
 Spacious • Bike Trail • Pool  
 Sauna • Sound Conditioned  
 Cable & Tennis  
 On Ford Road, just E. of I-275  
 Open Until 7 P.M.  
**981-3891**  
 Daily 9-7 • Sat. 11-6 • Sun. 11-5

**400 Apts. For Rent**  
**NO GIMMICKS JUST VALUE GREAT LOCATION LEXINGTON VILLAGE**  
 1 BEDROOM APARTMENT INCLUDES  
 • Heat  
 • Stove & refrigerator  
 • Pool  
 • Newly decorated  
 • Smoke detectors  
 • FROM \$420  
 • Security deposit - Only \$200  
 1-75 and 14 Mile across from Oakland Mall 555-4010

**Northville Forest Apartments**  
 1 & 2 Bedrooms from...\$475  
**AVAILABLE NOW!**  
 Includes porch, balcony, swimming pool, community building, storage areas.  
 OPEN DAILY  
**420-0888**

**400 Apts. For Rent**  
**PLYMOUTH - BROUGHAM MANOR APTS.**  
 1 bedroom \$435  
 2 bedroom \$475  
 Year Lease Heat & Water Paid  
 Adults No Pets  
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 First floor, 2 bedroom apartment. Mill & Main Streets. Immediate occupancy. Private entrance. Balcony. Levolor blinds throughout, new carpeting, all appliances with free washer-dryer facilities, all new bath & fixtures, individual storage, separate furnace with central air, individually metered services, security intercom, ample parking & more! \$675 monthly. Leave message: 348-5554

**400 Apts. For Rent**  
**REBATE**  
 Enjoy lakeside living at its best & receive \$300 to help with your moving costs. We feature spacious 1 & 2 bedroom apartments with PAID heat, vertical blinds, separate dining area, patio or balcony & much more. Located on both Cass & Conant Lakes. Rent from \$470 (including heat). Open Daily.  
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**SYLVAN ON THE LAKES KEEGO HARBOR**  
**REDFORD AREA FROM \$365**  
 • Large 1 & 2 Bedrooms  
 • Walk-in Closet  
 • Lighted Parking  
 • 1 or 2 Year Lease  
 • Free Heat  
 • Discount for Seniors, City Police & Firemen  
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**Retired Couple Only**  
 Active couple to rent two bedroom apartment on golf course. \$650. 10475 mo. Adult flower beds and small clubhouse. Call Mr. Burgess at 628-4288

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 845 Ludlow. 1 & 2 Bedroom Apts. From \$400. Heat & Water Included. 651-7270

**ROCHESTER - ROCHESTER SQUARE SPECIAL**  
**\$200 Moves You In**  
 No Rent Until April 1, 1989  
 FROM \$495 FREE HEAT  
 Great Values Scenic View Walking distance to downtown  
 668 MAIN ST. 652-0543  
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**N. ROYAL OAK - 1 bedroom** includes swimming pool, all utilities except electric. Newly decorated & carpeted. \$475/mo. Adult complex. No pets. 583-9573

**ROYAL OAK, adjacent to Beaumont Hospital,** charming 1 bedroom, newly decorated, carpeted. \$425 month. 453-3492

**ROYAL OAK**  
 Ambassador East, 1 block S. of 13 Mile on Greenfield Rd. Lovely 1 and 2 bedroom apts, new carpeting, vertical blinds. from \$445, heat included. 288-6115 559-7220

**ROYAL OAK**  
**CAMELOT APARTMENTS**  
 QUIET, one & 2 bedroom, \$50 to 1200. 40 ft. Dishwasher, pantry, skylight, dining room, walk-in closets, deck, blinds, pool. Heat included. From \$560. 288-1544

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**Visit Our Newly Decorated Community**  
 Comfortable living.  
 Spacious 1 and 2 bedroom apartments. A community setting near downtown Plymouth.  
 Heat included. Full appliances.  
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 Located on Warren Rd. between Wayne & Newburg Rds. in Westland  
 Open Mon. - Sat. 10 - 6, Sun. 12 - 6  
**Phone: 729-5650**

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**1st Month's RENT FREE!**  
**WAYNEWOOD APARTMENTS**  
 Attractive 1 & 2 Bedroom Apartments from **\$460**  
**HEAT AND VERTICAL BLINDS INCLUDED**  
 • 2 Pools • Tennis Courts • Air Conditioning  
 6737 N. WAYNE RD. WESTLAND South of Westland Mall  
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Map showing location of Waynewood Apartments.

**400 Apts. For Rent**  
**NOVI FOUNTAIN PARK NOVI**  
**SEE IT! BELIEVE IT! LEASE IT!**  
 Our 1 bedroom, 1 bath; 2 bedroom, 1 bath; or 2 bedroom, 2 bath Apts. feature washer, dryer, microwave oven, self-detering refrigerator, self-cleaning oven, private entrances, carpeting, patio or balcony, pool. Carports available.  
**All From \$550 Mo.**  
**42101 Fountain Park**  
 Located on Grand River between Meadowbrook and Novi Roads.  
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**NOVILAKES AREA - WESTGATE VI**  
 from \$460  
**AREA'S BEST VALUE**  
 • Quiet • Spacious Apartments  
 • Attractively Landscaped • Lakes Area • Near Twelve Oaks • Central Air • Pool • Carport • Walk-in Closets • Patios and Balconies  
 Off Pontiac Trail bet. Back & Westland from 1-696, 1-98, 1-275  
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 Open Until 7pm  
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 2 Bedroom apartment, 2 and 3 bedroom townhouse, full basement, children & small pets welcome. Ask about our special. 349-8200

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**PLYMOUTH HERITAGE APTS**  
 has units available located conveniently at Sheldon & North Territorial, 1 mile S. of M-14. Immediate occupancy. Just stop by or call for a personal showing.  
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 now offering 1-3 year leases with no rent increases. Free basic cable subscription for the initial lease year, on all available 1 & 2 bedroom Apts. Call for personal showing.  
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**NEW TENANTS ONLY**

**NOW TAKING RESERVATIONS**  
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**Plymouth Hills Apartments**  
 768 S. Mill St.  
 Modern 1 and 2 Bedroom  
 • Washer-Dryer in Each Apt.  
 • Easy Access to I-275  
 • Air Conditioned  
 • Fully Carpeted  
 • Dishwasher & Disposal  
 • No Pets  
 • Vertical Blinds In Selective Units  
**From \$435**  
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 Receive a **\$350 Coupon** towards your rent\* plus the unsurpassed pleasure of residing in the area's finest community.  
 Spacious 1 & 2 bedroom apartments  
 Luxurious 2, 3 & 4 bedroom townhomes  
 19 floor plans to choose from  
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 Short term leases available  
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 Clubhouse consisting of indoor olympic pool, saunas, exercise room & ballroom  
 Open Monday-Friday 10-6; Saturday 10-5; Sunday 12-5  
 For further information please call 455-2424.  
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 Professionally managed by Dolben.  
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 As a new resident, when you sign a 12 month lease at one of our fine communities listed below, we'll give you:  
 A one week stay in a luxurious 2 bedroom furnished apartment, PLUS \$400 Move in CASH BONUS!  
**CALL FOR MORE DETAILS!**  
**WESTERN HILLS**  
 • Westland area  
 • 1 & 2 Bedrooms  
 • FREE HEAT  
 • Minutes from I-94 & I-275  
**729-6520**

**WAYNE FOREST**  
 • Wayne area  
 • Spacious 1, 2 & 3 Bedrooms  
 • FREE HEAT  
 • Walk-in closets  
**326-7800**  
 \*ON SELECT UNITS ONLY

**ONE MONTH'S FREE RENT**  
**Summer Is Never Over...**  
**at Westland Towers!**  
 Spacious one and two bedroom apartments offer high-rise living with:  
 • Spectacular balcony views  
 • Year round swimming in the indoor heated pool  
 • All new Club and Game Room  
 • Tennis courts  
 • TV-monitored secure entrances  
 • FREE private health club with exercise room and sauna  
 • An ideal location:  
 - One block from Westland Mall  
 - Senior citizens no security deposit  
 - Near I-275, I-94 and major surface streets  
**HEAT INCLUDED IN RENT**  
**WESTLAND TOWERS APARTMENTS**  
**721-2500**  
 Models open daily. Located one block west of Wayne Road, between Ford and Warren Roads. Presented by **THE HAYMEN COMPANY**

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**NORTHBRIDGE Prestigious Northville**  
**1-2 BEDROOM from \$480**  
 • Verticals • Eat-In Kitchen  
 • Walk-in Closets • Washer/Dryer Available • Carport Included  
 Open daily 9-5  
 Saturdays 10-4  
 One Mile West of I-275 off 7 Mile, Northville  
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**Novi/Lakes Area - WESTGATE VI**  
**460**  
**Area's Best Value**  
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**ROYAL OAK** - 1 bedroom, No Pets, no smoking, washer/dryer, large storage, air, \$450/ mo. 591-3535  
 An Equal Opportunity Employer  
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 Beautiful, spacious 1 & 2 bedroom apartments. Carpeted, decorated, storage & laundry facilities.  
 FROM \$430  
 Evening & weekend hours.  
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 Beautification Winner 3 years in a row.

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- Intercoms
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- Disposal
- Laundry Facilities
- Parking
- Deluxe carpeting
- Sr. Discounts

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 • 2 full baths  
 • Washer/dryer hook-up  
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 A Luxury Community for People Over 50  
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 • Laundry/Storage Each Apts.  
 • 3 Story w/Elevator  
 • Social Director  
**PARKCREST APTS.**  
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**HIDDEN OAKS APARTMENTS**  
 GE appliances, ceramic baths, central air, carports available, intercoms, patios/balconies and more... all in a beautiful wooded site. Handicap units available.  
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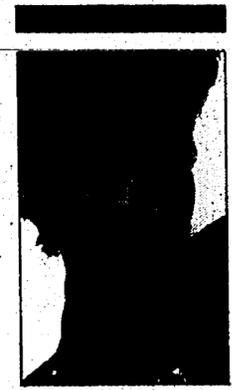
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 Basements. Washer & dryer hook-ups. Fully equipped kitchens, many tile & carpeted. On Haggerty. 10 of 10 Miles. 471-7470  
**ROCHESTER HILLS** - Luxury Condo/1st. Sublease from April thru Nov. 2 bedrooms/2 bath, carpet, many extras. \$770/mo. 852-9208  
**ROCHESTER HILLS** - 2 bedroom condo, near golf course. Fully furnished. Appliances, club house, pool, \$950 incl heat. 878-1150  
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**ROYAL OAK/BIRMINGHAM** - One bedroom condo, carpet, storage, covered balcony, pool. \$450/mo. 643-7458  
**ROYAL OAK CONDO** - 1 bedroom, small pets allowed except electricity. \$525/mo. 655-5456

### 414 Southern Rentals

**DISNEY/EPCOT** - Luxury 2 and 3 bedrooms. Full kitchen, washer, dryer, microwave, pool, jacuzzi, tennis. \$495 and \$525/week. Days, 474-5150. Eves. 471-0777

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**FORT MYERS** - 2 bedroom, 2 bath 1/2. 5 thru March 2. April 15 on. Amenities. 4459-5945

**FT MYERS BEACH** 2 bedroom, 2 bath luxury condo, 3 bedrooms, full kitchen, full bath, pool, tennis, golf, 15 minutes to beach. \$500/week. 477-7358

**HILTON HEAD CONDO** - Beach, golf, tennis, large 2 bedroom, 2 bath on Fazio Golf Course. \$775/week. 803-868-2378. 313-605-3563

**MARCO ISLAND** - beach front 2 bedroom condo available 1/21 thru Feb. 8 & after April 10 thru October. 1 week minimum. 652-2888

**MARCO ISLAND** - Lake cancellation option. My choice beachfront condo in South Beach during Easter, March 18-April 8. \$1,000 per week. Eves. 640-6351. Days. 352-5469

**MYRTLE BEACH**, S. C. - Luxurious 2-3 bedroom oceanfront condo, furnished. Pool/jacuzzi. From \$470 per week. 363-1266

**MYRTLE BEACH**, S. C. - Oceanfront 2 & 3 bedroom deluxe furnished condos. Private pool, ocean view. Spring rates. 1-813-988-5408

**SANIBEL ISLAND**, luxurious 2 bedroom, 2 bath condos, on ocean, all amenities including pool and tennis. Weekly. 352-2777

**VACATION CONDO FOR RENT** (Riviera World International) Kissimmee, Fla. 6 minutes to Disney World. 3 bedrooms, sleeps 8 max. Monthly. Available April 18 - \$1400. 383-5018. Days 621-5765. Ext. 310

**WINDWARD POINT** - Fort Meyers Beach. Monthly rental. \$1800. mo. Completely furnished 2 bedrooms, 2 baths. 655-8051

### 420 Rooms For Rent

**BLOOMFIELD HILLS** - Young professional, home-like atmosphere. \$55/week. Many extras. Lushly furnished. 642-8300 ext. 322. After 6: 358-7881

**BLOOMFIELD HILLS**, furnished room/bath, lovely home, no drinking/smoking. \$325/Mo. + deposit. Includes utilities & linen. 447-6822

**CANTON** - couple 29-22 looking for roommate to rent room in their home. 2 bedrooms, 2 1/2 bath and laundry privileges. \$325/mo. includes utilities, \$165 security. 455-4188

**COZY FURNISHED ROOM** in southwest, kitchen and laundry privileges. \$45/week. Security. 949-8189. Leave message. 559-6556

**FARMINGTON HILLS** - Female non-smoker, to rent room in furnished condo \$