

# Grosse Pointe Farms Pier closes beach because of bacteria

**By Jim Stickleford**  
Staff Writer

Grosse Pointe Farms residents can take little comfort in the news that the E coli bacteria problems that have shut down several beaches in Macomb County will not come to Grosse Pointe.

"We test the lake water around Grosse Pointe every week," said Glen Brown of the Wayne County Health Department. "Last week's tests show that the water around Grosse Pointe's lakefront area is within safety limits, in contrast to what Macomb county officials have found. We are awaiting the results of water sample

tests taken on June 27."

But according to Farms director of parks and recreation Dick Huhn, Wayne County test results released to the Farms late Friday afternoon indicated a higher than normal bacteria count.

"Three water samples were tested," Huhn said. "Two of the three samples were within safety limits, the third wasn't so we decided to close down our beach, just to be safe."

Grosse Pointe Park parks and recreation director Terry Solomon said that the Park did not receive any information indicating that it was unsafe to windsurf, so it was allowed

*"We decided to close down our beach just to be safe."*

Dick Huhn  
Farms director of parks and recreation

over the weekend.

Brown believes there are three factors contributing to the good news for most of Wayne County. The first is the

path water takes on its way to the Detroit River.

"In general lake water ends up in the Detroit River," said Brown. "The way the water moves from the lake toward the river depends on such factors as wind patterns and currents. These factors can work to take contaminated water near Macomb County shores away from Grosse Pointe shores as the water works its way to the river."

The second factor, said Brown, is simple dilution. As contaminated water heads for the Detroit River, it mixes in with a lot of uncontaminated water. So if the amount of bacteria stays the same, and the

volume of water increases, there is a lot less bacteria in a given unit of water.

The third factor is that bacteria dies.

"Lake water is not the natural habitat for E coli bacteria," Brown said. "While the bacteria won't die in 10 minutes, it will die over time, so as the bacteria-contaminated water hits Grosse Pointe, much of the bacteria has had time to die."

Brown said that he did not know where the lake bacteria originated, and said he could not say whether several combined sewage-storm water discharges reported in The Detroit

News were responsible for the unusually high levels of E coli bacteria.

"There are two places where Grosse Pointe-generated combined sewage overflow is discharged into Lake St. Clair," Brown said. "One is at Milk River and the other is at Fox Creek. There was a discharge of 23.842 million gallons into Milk River on June 24."

"But the overflow was treated with chlorine before being discharged, and that usually kills almost all E coli bacteria. I have no information

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## WEEK AHEAD

**Monday, July 11**

The Grosse Pointe board of education holds an organizational meeting at 7 p.m. in South High School's Wicking Library. Officers will be elected and the meeting schedule for the 1994-95 school year will be set.

The Grosse Pointe Park Council holds its regular meeting at 7 p.m. at city hall, 15115 E. Jefferson.

The Grosse Pointe Farms Council holds its regular meeting at 7:30 p.m. at city hall, 90 Kerby.

A vote is scheduled to determine whether permanent lights will be installed at South High School's football field.

The Grosse Pointe Woods Council holds its regular meeting at 7:30 p.m. at city hall, 20025 Mack Plaza.

**Thursday, July 14**

The Grosse Pointe Historical Society hosts its second Bastille Day Party from 6 to 9 p.m. at the Provencal-Weir House, 376 Kercheval.

Tickets are \$30 and are available at the door. For more information, call 881-2286.

The Village Association hosts Music on the Plaza with jazz pianist Kenn Cox. Music begins at 7:30 p.m. at the corner of St. Clair and Kercheval.

## More delays likely as Gravel killers bid to reverse guilty pleas

**By Shirley A. McShane**  
Staff Writer

Twice in June convicted killers Kermit Haynes and Cortez Miller were due in court to be sentenced for first-degree murder and twice their cases were delayed.

Haynes and Miller both pleaded guilty to first-degree murder in 1990 for killing Grosse Pointe Farms businessman Benjamin Gravel. Sentenced as juveniles, the two were sent to the Maxey Training Center for serious juvenile offenders.

In the latest turn of events, the April 8 Michigan Supreme Court order that Haynes and Miller be sentenced as adults by Detroit Recorder's Chief Judge Dalton Roberson has been postponed until Aug. 24.

Both were scheduled to be sentenced by Roberson on June 8. Roberson was not available on that date and the case was rescheduled for June 27.

On that date, the attorney for both defendants, Susan Meinberg, an assistant defender in the state appellate defender's office, filed a motion for relief of judgment — in other words, she asked Roberson to withdraw Haynes' and Miller's guilty pleas.

"Under court rules, Roberson can summarily deny the motion if there is no basis for it," said

Tom Chambers, assistant Wayne County prosecuting attorney.

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## Prosecutor: 'They're adults'

**By Shirley A. McShane**  
Staff Writer

If the Wayne County prosecutor's office had its way, two more defendants involved in the 1990 fatal carjacking of Grosse Pointe Farms businessman Benjamin Gravel would be sentenced as adults.

The prosecutor's office, for the last three years, has been trying through the appeals process to have Kermit Haynes and Cortez Miller sentenced as adults for their direct involvement in Gravel's death.

Both defendants pleaded guilty to first-degree murder and were remanded to the custody of the Department of Social Services until their 21st birthdays.

Two other defendants, Gregory Brown and Willie Hobbs, also were sentenced as juveniles and they, along

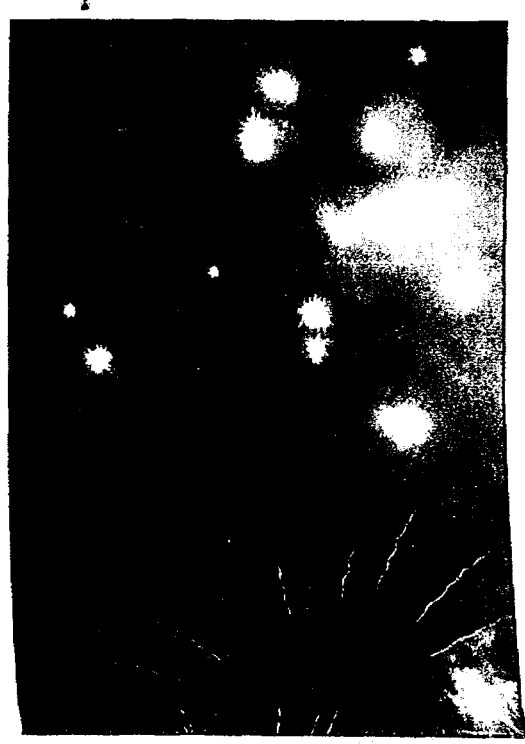
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## Rockets' red glare

Grosse Pointers were treated to a fireworks display courtesy of the Mack Avenue Business Association on Tuesday, June 28. The show was originally scheduled for Sunday, June 26, but rain forced the switch in dates.

Many fireworks fans were afraid that last Tuesday's bad weather might cause a cancellation, but were able to sit out the weather at Parcels Middle School and the show began at about 10:30 p.m. A cancellation of Tuesday's show would have meant cancelling the display for the year said association president Joyce Piasecki. But the show was a success and she said the association is looking forward to putting on next year's display.



## Shores OKs new cable pact

**By Chip Chapman**  
Staff Writer

Sometime late this year or early next year, Grosse Pointe Shores residents won't be able to complain that there's nothing on television.

The quality of programming may not change, but the quantity will.

The Shores will have 80 channels from which to choose and the village will have the ability to determine which channels to carry on its cable system.

The Village of Grosse Pointe Council June 22 capped nearly three years of negotiations by unanimously approving a new 15-year agreement with Comcast Cable Investors Inc.

The previous agreement, signed on June 19, 1979, expired this past June 19. The new agreement will run through June 19, 2009.

"This agreement will give Grosse Pointe Shores a good, state-of-the-art cable system," said Shores village attorney, Ralph Houghton, who handled much of the negotiations.

The new agreement ensures that the Shores will have an up-to-date system throughout the length of the contract.

According to the agreement, "at least once every five years, the parties (the Shores and Comcast) shall meet and review the status of the systems to evaluate any upgrades or changes that may be desirable

in order to keep the system up to date and 'state of the art.'" The franchise agreement is not exclusive, meaning that a competing carrier could provide cable service within the boundaries of the Shores.

To ensure the cable system remains up to date, cities where Comcast offers cable will serve as comparison communities. These are Sterling Heights, Warren, Mount Clemens, St. Clair Shores, Clinton Township and Waterford Township.

When Warren, alone, or any two comparison communities receive any upgrades exceeding

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## WE'RE CONCERNED ABOUT YESTERDAY'S NEWS.

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Photo by Leah Vartanian

## 'Tis the season

It is that time of year again — fishfly season. In the past, we've done the in-depth accounts of the messy species, but this year, let a picture tell 1,000 words. Uck!

## Lights find some support

**By Chip Chapman**  
Staff Writer

Not long after a resident of Lincoln Road, between St. Paul and Maumee, circulated a petition around the neighborhood opposing the installation of permanent lights at South High School's football field, a resident from the next block collected roughly 20 signatures in favor of the lights.

"We want the City Council to know that there are residents in favor of the lights," said Patricia Reynaert, who lives on Lincoln, between Kercheval and St. Paul.

She and four other support-

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## POINTER OF INTEREST

### Patricia A. Stewart

Home: Grosse Pointe Woods

Age: 42

Family: Married, one grown son

Occupation: Executive assistant

Claim to fame: Tours with vocal jazz band this month in England

Quote: "Life is not a dress rehearsal. Go for it!"

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Patricia A. Stewart

## Delay

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torney in the appellate division. "Roberson didn't do that. He ordered us to respond and our response is that we are appealing that order to the Court of Appeals. We feel that motion should have been summarily denied."

Chambers said he wasn't surprised by the latest development and that is what he figured the defense would do all along. The prosecutor's office has been ordered to respond by July 11.

Chambers filed an application for appeal on June 29 and said he is hoping to have a response from the appeals court sometime this week.

If the appeals court upholds Roberson's order, Haynes and Miller will appear in court on Aug. 24 for a hearing to determine whether they should be allowed to withdraw their guilty pleas.

If the appeals court vacates Roberson's order and the defense does not file any additional motions, Chambers said Roberson should sentence Haynes and Miller.

"It's the only thing they have left to do to get out from underneath their guilty pleas," Chambers said. "If their guilty pleas are removed, they will still be charged with first-degree murder."

And that, Chambers said, would put everything back to

## Gravel

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with Miller and Haynes, have been serving their sentences at the Maxey Training Center for serious juvenile offenders in Whitmore Lake.

Hobbs and Brown pleaded guilty to second-degree murder in a plea bargain arrangement under which they agreed to testify against two adults in the case; they were put on juvenile probation.

The two adult defendants, Christopher Sims, who was 18 at the time, and Rico Searcy, who was 17, were acquitted by a Wayne County jury in October 1991.

Searcy was found dead last year. Brown turned 21 on May 12 and has been released from Maxey. Hobbs will turn 21 on Aug. 28.

The prosecutor's office then asked the Appeals Court to reverse Roberson's sentence and order Hobbs and Brown to be sentenced as adults. While the prosecutor's office was awaiting an appeals court decision, Brown turned 21 and would have been released at that time by Roberson.

The prosecutor's office asked for and got an emergency order from the appeals court to send Brown to the Wayne County Jail until the appeals court decided their appeal.

On June 8, the appeals court affirmed Roberson's sentence and Roberson released Brown from the Wayne County Jail.

The prosecutor's office

immediately appealed to the Michigan Supreme Court, asking for another emergency order to reincarcerate Brown and to reverse Roberson's sentence and to sentence Hobbs and Brown as adults.

"Roberson should not have let Brown go while we have further appellate proceedings," said George Ward, Wayne County chief assistant prosecutor.

Ward said he is confident, based on the fact that his office was able to get Miller and Haynes' sentences reversed, that Hobbs and Brown will be ordered sentenced as adults.

"I think we've got a better than good chance," Ward said.

him to "resentence" Haynes and Miller as adults. The defendants then appealed to the Michigan Supreme Court, which in April denied their appeal and upheld the appeals court decision.

Haynes, Miller and four other youths ambushed Gravel as he was leaving the Bayview Yacht Club on Clairpointe in Detroit. Gravel's murder is regarded as Detroit's first fatal carjackings.

## Corrections

Corrections will be printed on this page every week. If there is an error of fact in any story, call the newsroom at 882-0294.

The article about the objections by City residents against lights at South High School's football field should have stated that the City of Grosse Pointe Council did not adopt the resolution proposed by Eugenie Durant.

"square one" as if the two defendants had just been charged with murder. And that, he said, could initiate a second round of convictions, sentences and appeals.

"A motion for relief from judgment is something a defendant can file after he has had one appeal from his conviction and sentence," Chambers said. "These guys haven't even been sentenced yet... That's why we see the motion as inap-

propriate and why we shouldn't have been ordered to respond."

Haynes and Miller were sentenced in August 1991 as juveniles and remanded to the custody of the Department of Social Services. Both would have been released upon their 21st birthdays. Haynes, who turns 21 this month, is now being held in the Wayne County Jail. Miller will turn 21 next April and is still at Maxey.

In May 1993, the Michigan Court of Appeals reversed Roberson's sentences and ordered

## Lakes

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indicating that there was a discharge into Fox Creek by the Park."

Elwin Coll, director of environmental services for Macomb County's Health Department, said the county is working with the DNR to discover the reason for the high bacteria count. Coll said that DNR records indicate that all the combined sewage overflow discharges in the county were treated with chlorine before being discharged.

"We believe a number of factors, like runoff from parking lots and farms and flood water from the Clinton River, along

with the combined sewage overflows have contributed to the problem," Coll said. "We so far, we have been unable to determine the exact cause, but will continue to seek an answer."

Brown said that the county will continue to closely monitor water conditions and will notify the public the moment they learn that the water might be unsafe.

City of **Grosse Pointe Woods**, Michigan

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in accordance with Section 5-3-19 (D) of the 1975 City Code of the City of Grosse Pointe Woods, the City Council will hold a public hearing in the Council Court Room of the Municipal Building, 20025 Mack Plaza, on Monday, July 11, 1994, at 7:30 p.m., to hear the request of George Rinaldi, 2016 Hunt Club Drive, Grosse Pointe Woods, who is requesting approval of a lot split for Lot 270 and the easterly 10 feet of Lot 271 of A.J. Scully's Eastmoreland Sub. (commonly described at 1421 Oxford). All interested parties are invited to attend.

Louise S. Warnke  
City Clerk

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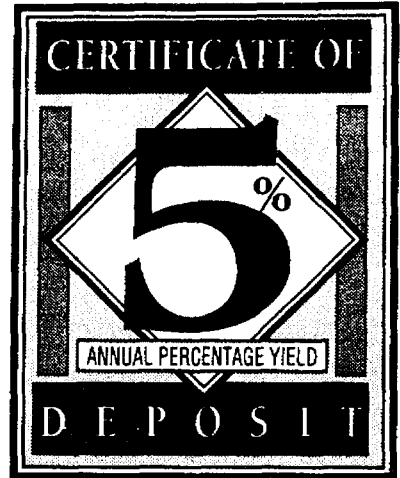
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## Cable

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the channel capabilities of the other communities by at least eight, the other communities must receive upgrades within six months of requesting the upgrade.

When Warren, alone, or two other communities receive interactive residential services, the others must receive the same within 12 months of requesting it.

Grosse Pointe Shores will be the second community in the country (St. Clair Shores is scheduled to be the first) with a 750 Megahertz frequency, according to a Comcast official. This will provide for the 80-channel capability.

The Shores will have the ability to set prices, based on a benchmark rate set by the Federal Communications Commission.

The new agreement provides that the Shores receive 5 percent of gross annual receipts from Comcast. In the past, this has amounted to between \$7,000 and \$8,000.

The new cable lines are scheduled to be installed toward the end of this summer.

## Lights

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ers of the lights took petitions to the neighborhoods in the City closest to the field.

"People we spoke with felt that since the lights would only be used a few times a year, it wouldn't be a big inconvenience," she said.

One person who signed a petition against the lights, said Reynaert, was told the field, if lighted, would be rented to Detroit schools for their athletic events.

The proposal by the High Lights, the committee proposing to install the lights, calls for use only by South athletic teams.

"We're not here to divide neighbors," said Tom Mertz, president of the High Lights. "We've presented our proposal on its merits."

At press time, the final total of signatures collected over the weekend was not available, but Reynaert said she plans to present them to the City of Grosse Pointe Council before the July 11 Farms council meeting.

The Farms Council, not the City of Grosse Pointe Council, will decide whether lights will be installed at South.



## Friends

Students in Christa Goldsmith's fifth-grade class at Maire Elementary School in the City of Grosse Pointe participated in the second-annual Fifth-Grade Friends program in which students develop a pen pal relationship with senior citizens. The children this year wrote letters and met seniors from Grosse Pointe Woods Presbyterian Church and the Food and Friendship Senior Program at Barnes school. Correspondents Brandon McRill, left, and Audrey Marr, met for the first time in June at a party held at Maire.

## They'll publish at North next fall

Grosse Pointe North's student newspaper, Northpointe, has appointed an editorial staff for the 1994-95 school year.

The editorial department includes Jason McKean as editor-in-chief; Scott Wilcox as business manager; Matthew Peabody as opinion and editorial editor; Paul Serilla as sports editor; Sean Stevenson as circulation and exchange editor; Chris DiCicco as humor and special feature editor; Anita Amini as feature editor and Samantha Sommer as news editor.

## She's artistic

Grosse Pointe Woods resident Molly Shaheen recently won the Northeast Guidance Center children's art contest.

Shaheen is a fourth-grader at Our Lady Star of the Sea school. She placed third in the county-wide competition. She received a certificate, a silver dollar and a T-shirt.

Her artwork was displayed in May at Eastland Center in Harper Woods.

## Back-to-Back is back again

The Grosse Pointe Public School System is again offering a French-American Back-to-Back Program for students who will be fifth-graders in the 1994-95 school year. This is the seventh year the school system has offered the program, which is sponsored by the Association of French-American Classes.

Students may apply for the Back-to-Back program, which includes hosting a French student for three weeks and traveling to France, or hosting only, which involves hosting without traveling to France. Late applications are still being accepted by the department of curriculum and evaluation and will be put on a waiting list until there is sufficient additional enrollment to form a second class.

For information and applications, call the department of curriculum and evaluation at 343-2022.

## Kids learn to stretch imaginations with writing

The Grosse Pointe Academy will host Harvey Ovshinsky's first week-long summer workshop for children titled, "Stretching Your Imagination with Creative Writing."

Students are encouraged to use their own poetry, short stories, and sketches to stretch their imagination and find out how they feel and what they think.

"Stretching Your Imagination with Creative Writing" is open to any incoming fifth and sixth graders from 9 to 11 a.m., July 25-29 on the grounds of Grosse Pointe Academy. Tuition is \$100. Parents can enroll their students by calling The Grosse Pointe Academy Summer Programs at (313) 886-1221. Enrollment is limited.

Ovshinsky has taught writing classes at The Grosse Pointe Academy, Cranbrook, Wayne State University, the Grosse Pointe War Memorial

and the Community House of Birmingham. His energetic, hands-on approach to creative writing stresses the process of writing and emphasizes that you don't have to know what you're talking about before you start writing.

## Power of hypnotherapy, meditation

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or Thursday, July 14, from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial.

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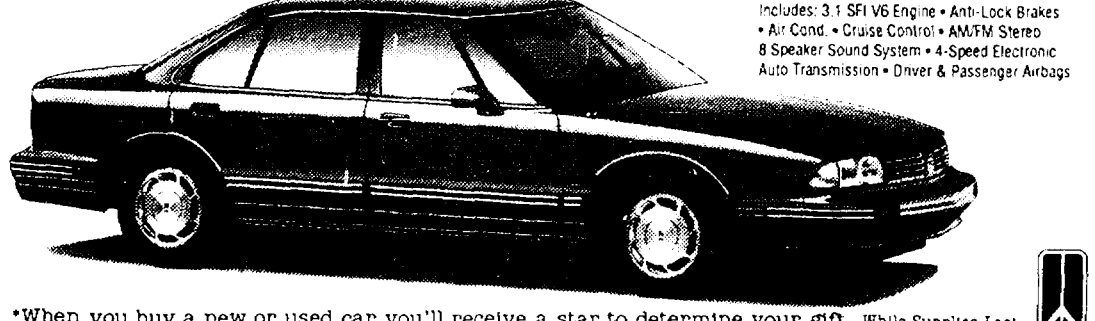
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## Board adopts '94-95 budget

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The \$70 million budget includes \$67.7 million for the general fund, \$1.7 million for the school service fund, \$935,658 for the debt fund, and \$400,000 for the building and site fund.

Development of the budget has been an ongoing process within the district over the past several months.

The adopted budget calls for a projected homestead tax decrease of 54.4 percent for the general and debt funds and a general unreserved fund equity of \$2 million.

Other highlights include a projected enrollment increase of 167 students; a SEV increase of 1.5 percent; a millage of 13.9 mills; and a library separated from the school system. Also, the school district is now paying the full bill for retirement and FICA.

## Woman arrested — 'suspicion' cited

By Shirley A. McShane  
Staff Writer

Police hope that the arrest of a Grosse Pointe Shores woman will put an end to any more "suspicious" activity originating from a house on Lakeshore.

Since last winter, Shores police have received a number of phone calls from residents living near the house in the 800 block of Lakeshore.

The callers expressed concern about what they described as "unusual activity at the house and the type of activity that is not in accordance with the character of the neighborhood," said Shores police chief Daniel Healy.

"The house has been under surveillance for four months for suspected illegal activity," Healy said. "We just want the community to know that we have been watching this and we have been keeping on top of it."

Healy said his department, along with the Michigan State Police, had been keeping watch

on the house, which was being rented by a woman named Monica Crillo.

A turn in the case came on May 23 when a man who owns a store in Grosse Pointe Park delivered groceries to the Lakeshore house. Crillo allegedly paid the man with a check drawn on a business account and signed with what police have determined to be a fictitious name.

When the check was returned to the Park store owner because it was written against a closed account, the store owner reported it to Shores police.

Police obtained bank records on the account and learned that Crillo's name was on the signature card, said Shores Lt. John Frasad.

Police obtained a photo of Crillo from another police agency and used it in a photo line-up viewed by the Park store owner, who identified Crillo as the person who gave him the check, Frasad said.

Shores police obtained an arrest warrant for Crillo and a search warrant for the Lakeshore house and on June 24 they arrested Crillo.

Healy said it appeared that Crillo was in the process of moving out of the house when police arrived to act on the warrant. Police also found "pornographic material" that was not significant enough to lead to additional charges, he noted.

Crillo pleaded not guilty to one count of uttering and publishing at her June 27 arraignment in Shores Municipal Court. Judge Lynne A. Pierce set bond at \$10,000 and remanded Crillo to the Wayne County Jail. Crillo later posted bond and was released.

A June 30 preliminary hearing was postponed until July 28. Judge Pierce granted the defense attorney's request to schedule a new line-up based on what the defense is calling a case of mistaken identification made by the Park store owner, Frasad said.



## Play area open

Above, Kristine and Kathleen Sholty and Katy Petz cut the ribbon June 11 to officially open the Neff play area at the City's Neff Park.

Present at the ceremony were Mayor Susan Wheeler and councilmembers Dale Scraec, Joseph Jennings, Peter LaFond, Patrick Petz and Stephen Sholty.

Plans for Phase II of the play area have already begun, which will bring in a new pirate ship and relocate some of the other equipment from the old play area to the new area.

Below, kids scramble down the pathway to be among the first ones to play on the new equipment.



## Farms man guilty in 1993 sexual assault

By Shirley A. McShane  
Staff Writer

After almost two days of deliberation, a Detroit Recorder's Court jury on July 1 delivered a guilty verdict against Robert K. Martindale, a Grosse Pointe Farms man accused of sexually assaulting a City of Grosse Pointe woman in April 1993.

Martindale, 29, was convicted on one count each of third-degree criminal sexual conduct and unlawfully driving away an automobile. The verdict came after a four-day trial in Recorder's Judge Craig Strong's courtroom.

Third-degree criminal sexual conduct is a felony with a maximum penalty of 15 years in prison; UDAA is a 5-year felony. Martindale is scheduled to be sentenced by Strong on Aug. 5. He is free on \$25,000 bond.

Martindale asked the woman for a ride home because he did not have a driver's license. The woman said she agreed to give him a ride after he told her he had to fix a broken water heater at his grandfather's house.

After arriving at the grandfather's house, the woman said Martindale asked her to come in for a minute. She agreed and

once inside the house, the woman said Martindale sexually assaulted her and then left the house with her car keys.

The woman said she walked about halfway home and stopped to call a friend for help at a Mack and Moross pay phone. Originally reluctant to report the incident, the woman said she decided to press charges at the urging of a friend.

Martindale's attorney, Dean Metry, could not be reached for comment at press time.

## Senior man at Normandy invasion

The Grosse Pointe Senior Men's Club will meet at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial, 32 Lakeshore, at 11 a.m. Tuesday, July 12.

The speaker will be Joseph M. Callahan. His topic will be "The Normandy Invasion, June 6, 1944 and June 6, 1994." The presenter will be Jerry Stotzer.



Callahan

At a Wednesday, Aug. 10, evening game, the Tigers take on the Milwaukee Brewers at 7:05.

Tickets are \$17.50 and include courtesy parking at Grosse Pointe Memorial Church, admission, bus transportation and tip. The bus departs at 5:30 sharp.

For reservations and information, call Bud Manion at 881-0654.



Photo by Peggy Andrzzejczyk

## Merit scholars

University Liggett School has chosen its Merit Scholars for 1994-95. The one-year, \$1,000 award recognizes excellence in citizenship and scholarship, as well as service to the school.

Students honored are, left to right, first row, Lauren Russell and Allie Fortune; seated, Owen Darr, Harrison Matthews, Hadley Brink, Tony Bologna and Jebby Boccaccio; standing, Brad Conko, Rebekah Camm, Leonard Sullivan, Becky Simpson, Darrin Tracy and Laura Chomiuk.

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Students are requested to schedule an enrollment appointment from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., to schedule an enrollment appointment.

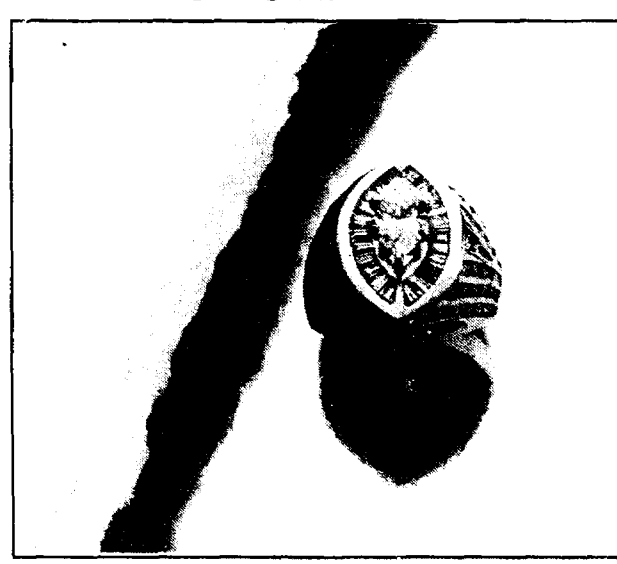
Those enrolling are requested to bring a birth certificate, the student's Social Security card, an updated immunization record and a copy of the previous school record. If a school record is not available, a copy of the most recent report card would be helpful in making the appropriate course selections.

Call the office of the assistant principal, Thomas Teartaert, at 343-2205, any day after Wednesday, July 27, from 8

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The Grosse Pointe News wants to help you publicize your events. To ensure that all items have an opportunity to get into the paper in a timely manner, deadlines for receipt of copy will be printed here each week.  
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All items for the Sports section must be in by 10 a.m. Monday for that week's paper.  
All items for the News section, including letters to the editor, must be in by 3 p.m. Monday for that week's paper.  
The Grosse Pointe News will try to get all items into the paper that are turned in by deadline, but sometimes space doesn't allow it.  
Any questions? Call the news department at 882-0294.

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# Exec mixes high-powered job with sweet 'gift of song'

By John Minnis  
Editor

Life hasn't always been on track for Patricia A. Stewart of Grosse Pointe Woods, but she's succeeded and found happiness — largely through music.

She began singing when she was 8 years old with her mother and sister at church. She remembers crying in elementary school because she was put in the alto section when she wanted to be a soprano.

She attended high school at Cass Tech, studying performing arts. She took private singing lessons, won roles in several plays and "absolutely loved being on stage."

But her promising future in singing and performing came to a halt when she married young and started a family.

"It put everything on hold," recalled Stewart, now 42. "I got married during Vietnam."

Her son Charles, now an adult, came along. The marriage didn't last and Stewart was left with a young child to raise.

## POINTER OF INTEREST



Patricia A. Stewart says she was lucky and blessed to become executive assistant to Glenn Wesselmann, president and CEO of St. John Health System.

throughout the world.

"It took a while to realize just how lucky I was to have such an opportunity," she said of her job with St. John. "I'm very thankful for this blessing."

A high-powered job and singing, however, did not preclude time for romance. In 1990 she married Archie Stewart, who had two sons and a daughter from a previous marriage.

"He is my biggest 'fan' and supporter and a wonderful man," she said about her husband.

Besides helping run a huge hospital and medical center, singing and performing and being a wife, Pat Stewart also found time to earn a college degree via an accelerated program through Concordia College, majoring in health care administration.

Right now, however, Stewart is most excited about an upcoming two-week, seven-city tour in England with her vocal jazz group, the Tradin' Fours. She leaves July 15.

"It's wonderful, peppy music; love songs, ballads," she said. "It's exciting and the group itself is excited." She said the music is uniquely American and she has found that the British love it.

In 1992, she traveled with The Langford Singers to Wales to compete in the International Musical Eisteddfod, where even her majesty the queen made an appearance.

Looking back over her life, Stewart said she always wanted to be a backup singer, but then again she likes the idea of a steady job.

"I'm so security oriented," she said. "I don't know if I

could deal with it. The grass is not always greener on the other side.

"I have a good job; I have a good family; and I have singing on the side. I just wish I had more time."

She lives her life as if the world were a stage. She gives her all. In fact, the inspirational quote on her refrigerator says: "Life is not a dress rehearsal. Go for it!"

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Patricia A. Stewart, left, is a member of the Tradin' Fours, a vocal jazz group that will tour England this month.

She's been fighting her way back to the stage ever since.

Before marriage, she wanted to go to New York to study and perform.

But Stewart doesn't dwell for long on what might have been. She looks optimistically to the future and prepares for it.

"Good things come to those who wait," she believes, "and if it's meant to be, it's going to happen."

Actually, she never stopped singing, even while working at General Motors for 11 years and EDS for four years. She continued to sing at church and at weddings and funerals for extra cash. She won an audition in 1974 with the Michigan Opera Theater chorus, but she had to drop out because she couldn't find a dependable babysitter.

She continued to sing solo for eight years before she connected with several singing groups. She also performed in Grosse Pointe Children's Theater's "Oliver" and Grosse Pointe Theater's "The Pirates of Penzance."

"God gave me this gift of song and I'm very grateful," she said. "I've always enjoyed doing solo work in my church because I can choose the style of music to perform."

While singing at Grosse Pointe United Methodist Church in 1988, Stewart experienced voice problems. She stopped singing, composed herself and started over. Afterward, she was approached by a fellow parishioner, Glenn Wesselmann, president and CEO of St. John Health System, who

was looking for an executive assistant.

Stewart said she thinks he was interested in her not only because she had the necessary office skills, but because she knew how to handle herself under pressure.

"Although I was very happy at EDS, then in a marketing support area with some wonderfully creative people, I decided it might be a good move for me, especially with its close proximity to my home," she recalled.

After three months of interviewing, she was offered the job, which has widened her worldview 360 degrees, she said. She is a member of Executive Women International, which is made up of executive assistants to top executives

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**Delmer L. Buttrey**  
Services were held Tuesday, June 14, at Grosse Pointe Baptist Church in Grosse Pointe Woods for Delmer L. Buttrey, 77, who died Friday, June 10, 1994, at the Bon Secours Nursing Care Center in St. Clair Shores.

Born in Burns, Tenn., Mr. Buttrey was a resident of Grosse Pointe Woods. He attended the University of Illinois and Wayne State University. He worked as a manufacturing manager for American Standard in Chicago from 1938-58. From 1958-61, he was vice president of manufacturing for R.C. Mahon in Warren.

Mr. Buttrey was manufacturing manager for Udyllite Corp. in Warren from 1961-74 and vice president of Reinke Manufacturing in Hebron, Neb., from 1977-81.

Mr. Buttrey was a member of the Grosse Pointe Senior Men's

Club, a past president of the Grosse Pointe Woods Lions Club and a scout master of the Grosse Pointe Woods Boy Scouts. He was also an active member and past trustee of Grosse Pointe Baptist Church. He enjoyed golf and gardening.

Mr. Buttrey is survived by his wife, Shirley (Crain); a daughter, Susan Thomas; a son, Brent Buttrey; three grandchildren; and three brothers.

Interment is at Cadillac Memorial Gardens East in Clinton Township.

Arrangements were made by the A.H. Peters Funeral Home in Grosse Pointe Woods.

**Dorothy (Keller) Miller**

Dorothy (Keller) Miller, of Westport Point, Mass., died Thursday, June 16, 1994, at her home. She was 82.

Born in Detroit, Mrs. Miller

was a former resident of Grosse Pointe.

She also lived in Washington, D.C., while her late husband, Gerald E. Miller, was a special assistant to the American ambassador in Rome.

She moved to Westport Point in 1971.

Mrs. Miller was a graduate of the Knox School in Coopers-town, N.Y., a former member of the Junior League of Detroit, a volunteer in occupational therapy in Washington during World War II, a volunteer at the Children's Museum in Dartmouth and a member of the Westport Point Art Group.

She was an avid bird watcher, a skilled artist and she enjoyed writing poetry.

She is survived by two daughters, Judith M. Beavan and Dorothy M. Lee; four grandchildren; and a sister, Virginia Milligan. In addition to her husband, she was prede-

ceased by a son, Gerald E. Miller Jr.

Arrangements were made by the Hathaway Home for Funerals in Fall River, Mass. Interment is at Beech Grove Cemetery in Westport.

**Fred J. Grosse**

Services were held Tuesday, July 5, at Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic Church in Grosse Pointe Woods for Fred J. Grosse, 84, who died Thursday, June 30, 1994, at his home in Grosse Pointe Woods.

Born in Germany, Mr. Grosse was the owner of Deubel Art, Tool & Machine Co. in Detroit.

He was a master sergeant in the U.S. Army during World War II.

Mr. Grosse was a member of the Grosse Pointe Woods Boat Club. He enjoyed boating, woodworking, travel and stamp and coin collecting.

He is survived by his wife, Andree; two daughters, Marlene Kunkel and Christine Grosse; a son, Norman; four grandchildren; and a sister, Johanna Pote. He was predeceased by two brothers, Kurt and Gerhard.

Interment is at Resurrection

Cemetery in Clinton Township. Arrangements were made by the A.H. Peters Funeral Home in Grosse Pointe Woods. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of South-eastern Michigan, 16250 Northland Drive, Suite 212, Southfield, Mich. 48075.

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City of **Grosse Pointe Woods**, Michigan  
**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING:** Notice is hereby given that the Planning Commission of the City of Grosse Pointe Woods, in accordance with Section 5-4-2 (C) Principal Uses Permitted of the 1975 City Code, will hold a public hearing at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, July 26, 1994, in the Council Room of the Municipal Building, 20025 Mack Plaza, Grosse Pointe Woods, to hear the request of the City of Grosse Pointe Woods to install an off-street parking lot at 1860 Hampton as indicated in Section 5-4-2 (F) of the 1975 City Code. All interested parties are invited to attend.  
**Louise S. Warnke**  
City Clerk  
GPN: 07/07/94

City of **Grosse Pointe Woods**, Michigan  
**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the City Council, meeting as a Board of Appeals under the provisions of Section 5-14-1 of the 1975 City Code will meet in the Council Court Room of the Municipal Building, 20025 Mack Plaza, on July 18, 1994, at 7:30 p.m., to hear the appeal of the Grosse Pointe Public School System, 389 St. Clair Avenue, for permission to install a lighting system at the Grosse Pointe North Athletic Field, 707 Vernier Road. The permit was denied due to the denial of the Planning Commission, a deficiency in the required fees and setback as set forth in Section 5-7-3 (D), and the poles exceeding the height allowed as set forth in Section 5-7-3 (A). Variances are therefore required. All interested parties are invited to attend.  
**Louise S. Warnke**  
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City of **Grosse Pointe Woods**, Michigan  
**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Planning Commission will hold a Public Hearing to consider the following proposed ordinance at its meeting scheduled for Tuesday, July 26, 1994, at 7:30 p.m., in the Council Room of the Municipal Building. The proposed ordinance is available for public inspection at the Municipal Building, 20025 Mack Plaza, between 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.  
**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND TITLE V OF THE CITY CODE OF THE CITY OF GROSSE POINTE WOODS OF 1975 (THE ZONING ORDINANCE) TO ADD A CHAPTER 21 TO PROVIDE THAT VACATED STREETS OR ALLEYS SHALL BE DEEMED TO BE INCLUDED WITHIN THE ZONING DISTRICTS TO WHICH THEY ACCRUE BY REASON OF THE VACATION.**  
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City of **Harper Woods** Michigan  
**ORDINANCE NO. 94-3**  
**AN ORDINANCE TO REPEAL ORDINANCE NO. 94-2 THEREBY ELIMINATING THE TEMPORARY MORATORIUM OF SIGNS**  
**THE CITY OF HARPER WOODS ORDAINS:**  
Section 1. That Ordinance No. 94-2 which imposed a temporary moratorium on permanent signs within the City of Harper Woods be and is hereby repealed in its entirety.  
Section 2. Repeal. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed only to the extent necessary to give this ordinance full force and effect.  
Section 3. **Severability.** If any article, section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or portion of this ordinance is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such portion shall be deemed a separate, distinct and independent provision, and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance, it being the intent of the Council of the City of Harper Woods that this ordinance shall stand, notwithstanding the invalidity of any article, section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or portion thereof.  
Section 4. **Effective Date.** That the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared necessary for the preservation of the peace, health, safety and welfare of the people of the City of Harper Woods and thereby given immediate effect.  
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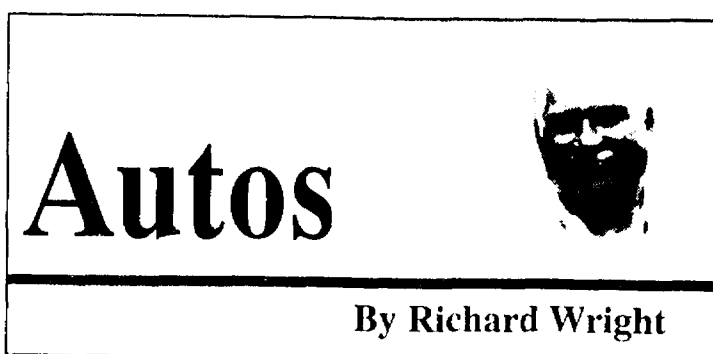
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The object of my latest professional venture sits in my driveway, its "arrest-me-red" finish (Chevrolet calls it "Torch

Like the morning I went into my bathroom to use the toilet. The toilet is next to the wall of my house which abuts the driveway. As I sat, I heard a slight "beep." A couple of minutes went by. Another "beep." Suddenly it dawns on me that I am close enough to the Corvette, even though I am in the house and it is outside, to activate its PKE system.

The key fob is the heart of the PKE system. It contains a battery-powered transmitter which sends a coded magnetic signal picked up by the car by means of an antenna in each door. This activates the interior lights, unlocks the door and disarms the theft alarm. Walk away from the antenna's lim-



# Autos

By Richard Wright

eight seconds, then the standard Corvette is suitable and you can have a convertible or a coupe. Our test car was a convertible and the joys of open-air driving far outweigh to me those couple of seconds longer it takes to get up to 60 mph.

stitution," and not just another automobile. It noted that more than a million Corvettes have been built since its introduction on June 30, 1953, and noted that more than half are believed to still be on the road. Life is crowded during a long trip in a Corvette, but not un-

comfortable. That first walk around the car apprised me of the fact there is no trunk. Luggage is stored behind the seats in a compartment which if you really jam will hold perhaps four bags of the size you might carry on an airliner.

This would seem to limit shopping at the factory outlet malls popular in the Chesapeake area, but in fact did not seem to have that effect. There are nooks and crannies here and there in which to stuff one more small package.

Seats are very comfortable and allow you to drive for hour after hour without getting a sore back. The instrument panel is very readable with white graphics that turn to tan-gerine when the lights are

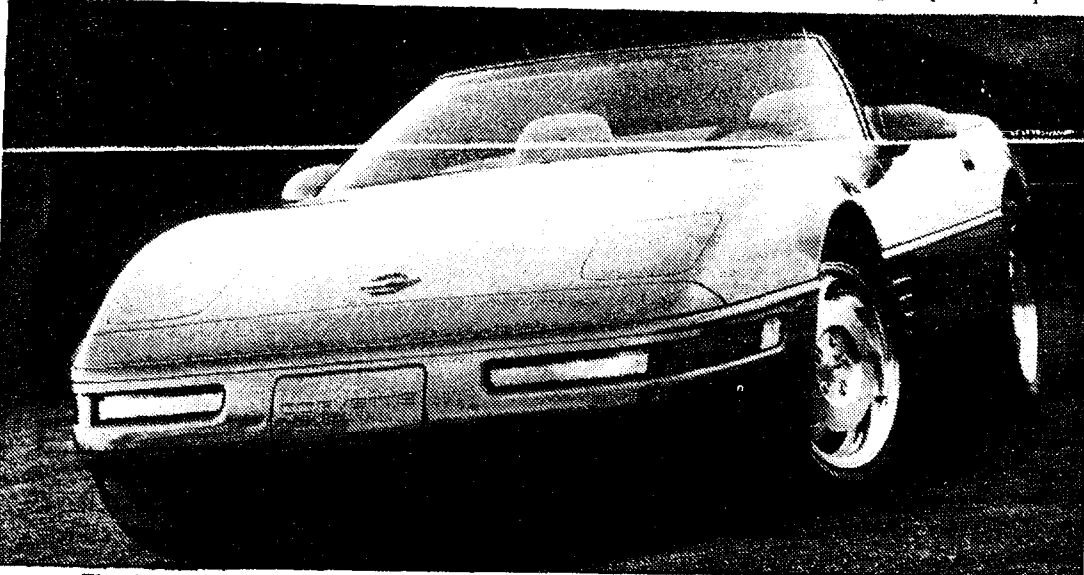
turned on at night.

You always win approval with a Corvette, because it is so very good looking, especially the convertible with the top down. Even people who don't know what it is think it is beautiful.

I got a haircut in Virginia and parked the car right outside. The barber commented on the Torch Red convertible and asked if it is as fast as it looks.

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The 1994 Chevrolet Corvette convertible — it doesn't get any sleeker than this.

Red") gleaming in the late afternoon sun. Often the best way to approach evaluation of a new car is to walk around it, examining its fit and finish, its styling, details that you might not otherwise notice. And just to get a feel for its nature, or its "soul."

This is particularly fun with this 1994 Corvette. I learn a lot about the car by walking around it. As I pass by the driver's side door, I hear the locks unlock and the interior lights turn on to reveal incredibly garish Torch Red leather upholstery and carpeting.

I am puzzled. I have the ignition key on an electronic fob in my pocket, but did not activate it in any way. As I circle behind the car, the interior light turns off, the doors lock and the horn gives a short, tentative "beep."

I approach the passenger door and once again the interior light comes on and the doors unlock, with nothing more from me than an omnipotent, god-like glance. I will come to love this feature, which Chevrolet calls its Passive Keyless Entry (or PKE) system, standard equipment on the '94 Corvette.

It will also give me an uneasy moment or two.

ited field and it locks the doors, turns out the interior lights and re-arms the theft alarm. And it gives you a little "beep" to let you know it did all this.

Usually I don't like cars to do things I don't tell them to do, but this system is wonderful. It only unlocks your car when you approach it and it locks it for you when you leave it. You can't lock your keys inside it, a feature with great appeal for fools who regularly lock their keys in the car. (This is especially humiliating when the engine is still running. I know.)

The Corvette gets you where you are going quickly and surprisingly comfortably. The ride is smooth, not marshmallow, but not jarring either, even with the optional electronic selective ride and handling switch set to "Sport" rather than "Tour." (In fact, I could not detect any difference, but I was just driving, not pushing the car to its limits — or mine, which would come much sooner.)

If you need to get to 60 miles per hour from a standstill in less than five seconds, then you will want the ZR-1 "ultimate performance option," available only on the coupe. But if you can wait until about seven or

In addition, you can save about \$22,000. Our test car, a very well-equipped standard Corvette convertible, had a manufacturer's suggested list price of \$48,239. Base price of the Corvette convertible was \$42,960, the electronic ride and handling selector was \$1,695, plus \$625 for the leather seats, \$305 for six-way power seats and \$1,333 for a "preferred equipment group" (I am not sure what it includes).

The ZR-1 has a price tag of \$70,511, which includes \$3,683 luxury tax, a definite status symbol. When you consider that this is a car that will do zero-to-60 in less than five seconds and has a top speed of close to 180 mph, that's cheap.

The Corvette has now turned 40, but there is no sense of middle age creeping up. In fact, this is a great car for a young man or woman, but here in real life, it is mainly older guys who can afford it, even if they do creak a little getting in and out.

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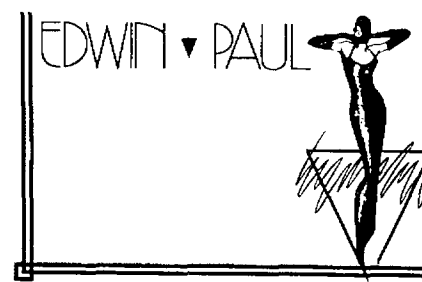
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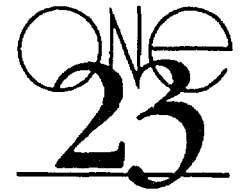
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# Features

## G.P. Historical Society plans Bastille Day benefit Party to feature French food, tour of Provencal-Weir House

By Margie Reins Smith  
Feature Editor

The big green sign has been firmly planted on the front lawn of the Provencal-Weir House for nearly a year: "Grosse Pointe Historical Society Restoration Project."

Gail Stroh, president of the society, is enthusiastic about the renovation and restoration of the 175-year-old French farmhouse that once faced Lake St. Clair near the intersection of Provencal and Lake Shore.

It's now at 376 Kercheval in Grosse Pointe Farms, across from Jerry's Party Store.

"Personally, I'm excited about the project," Stroh said. "So are many other people. We've made great strides in the last year. The house gives people a good feeling when they drive by."

For the curious — those who want to see what has been accomplished during the first year's restoration efforts — the perfect opportunity will come next Thursday, she said.

The Grosse Pointe Historical Society will hold its second Bastille Day Celebration, which will include tours of the historic house and grounds, French food, drink and entertainment.

The casual garden party and open house will be from 6 to 9 p.m. Thursday, July 14, rain or shine.

The French theme and the choice of Bastille Day are, of course, related to Grosse Pointe's French heritage. Its first European visitors were fur trappers and traders. In the early 1800s, French habitant farmers settled near Lake St. Clair and established long, narrow ribbon farms that stretched as far as a mile inland.

The Bastille Day party's purpose is twofold, said Lisa Gandelot of Grosse Pointe Farms, who shares the duties of co-chairman with Danielle DeFauw of Grosse Pointe Woods.

"This is an open house for neighbors and friends and people in the community," Gandelot said, "so they can see for themselves the progress we've made. And 100 percent of the funds raised — after expenses — will go toward the continuing restoration of the house."

Historical Society board member Al Moran is coordinating restoration of the exterior of the house. Honorary board member Dr. Tom Singelyn is coordinating the interior work.

Moran listed exterior improvements since the society took possession of the house in May 1993.

"The roof has been repaired, rotted wood has been replaced and the whole house has been repainted," he said.

"We've removed trees and bushes; we tore down a patio wall; we eliminated the parking space in front of the garage and reseeded the area; we upgraded the sprin-



Photos by Margie Reins Smith

Al Moran is coordinating the restoration of the exterior of the Grosse Pointe Historical Society's Provencal-Weir House. Dr. Tom Singelyn, at the left below, is coordinating the restoration of the house's interior.

kler system; and we're working with Greater Detroit Landscape Co. on a plan to restore the grounds to a style typical of the 1850s and 60s."

Historical society members did a good portion of the physical work, he said. Members generally gather on Saturday mornings at the house to pitch in with mops and pails, rakes and shovels.

Singelyn listed interior improvements since last May.

"The house has been completely scrubbed from stem to stern," he

said. "The basement walls and floor have been painted; the furnace has been checked; wiring was upgraded; the old kitchen was removed and we're in the process of installing new cabinets and appliances, which were donated."

"A lot of anachronistic shelving and inappropriate paneling has been removed. We plan to restore the interior of the house to the style of the years 1850-60.

"On the second floor, two adjacent bedrooms are now joined because we removed some closets.

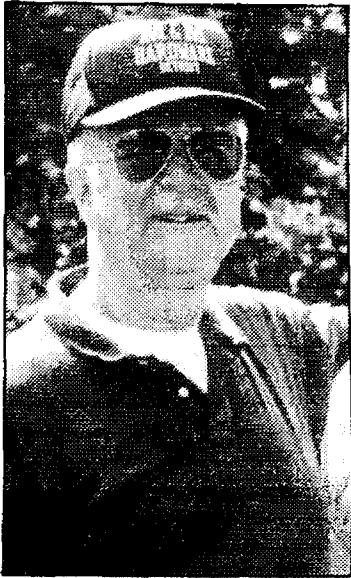
Some of the original structure's barn-type beams were exposed, to the delight of all. They're joined by mortise and tenon and peg construction that dates back to the 1820s.

"We plan to leave portions of these beams exposed for visitors to observe."

The Historical Society is consulting with experts on restoration and renovation, Singelyn said.

Stroh said the society plans to

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Dr. Tom Singelyn

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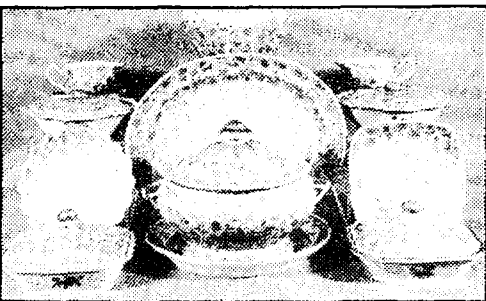
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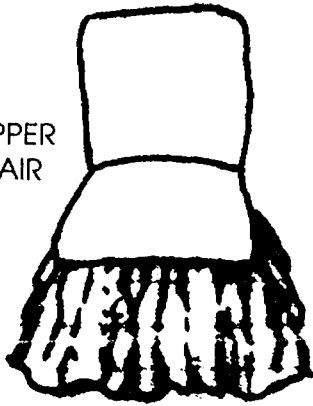
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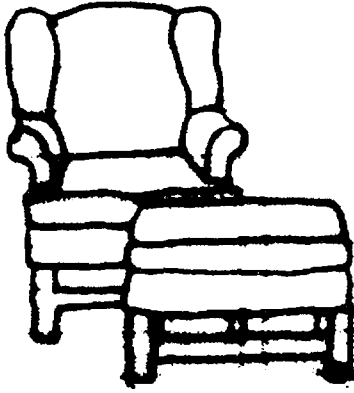
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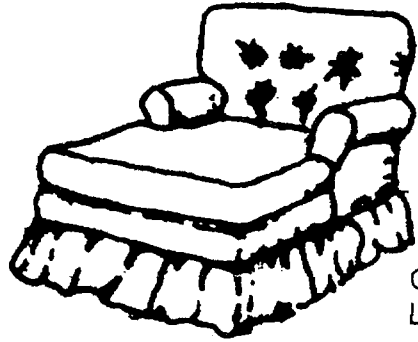
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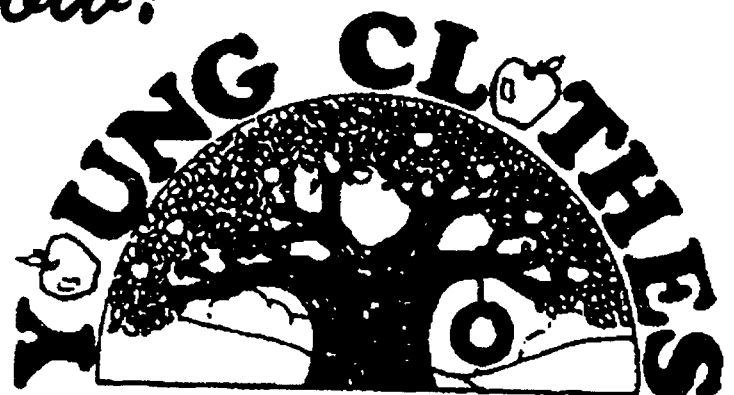
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Tara Lynai Cook and Blake Stanton Crawford

## Cook-Crawford

Robert Cook of Glen Ellyn, Ill., has announced the engagement of his daughter, Tara Lynai Cook, to Blake Stanton Crawford, son of Richard Crawford and Sandra Guiney of Grosse Pointe Farms. Cook is also the daughter of the late Penny Cook. A July wedding is planned.

Cook graduated from Hope College with a degree in elementary education. She is an elementary school teacher.

Crawford is a student at Hope College, working toward a bachelor's degree in business.



Christine Ann Nagy and Gregory Alexander Kort

## Nagy-Kort

William and Harriett Nagy of Windsor, Ontario, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Christine Ann Nagy, to Gregory Alexander Kort, son of Werner and Muriel Kort of Grosse Pointe Woods. An October wedding is planned.

Nagy graduated from F.J. Brennan High School and attended St. Clair College. She is a secretary.

Kort graduated from Walsh College, where he studied finance. He is an account executive.

## Tibbitts-Tucker

Mr. and Mrs. Loren J. Tibbitts of Grosse Pointe Farms have announced the engagement of their daughter, Cristina Michele (Shelly) Tibbitts, to Peter C. Tucker, son of Jeanie Tucker of Huntington Beach, Calif., and the late George Tucker. A July wedding is planned.

Tibbitts graduated from Occidental College with a bachelor of arts degree in Spanish. She will begin the doctoral program for Spanish literature at the University of Pennsylvania in the fall.

Tucker graduated from Occidental College with a bachelor of arts degree in English and comparative literature. He will attend medical school in Philadelphia.



Cristina Michele Tibbitts and Peter C. Tucker



Janet A. Scapini and Anthony C. Peters Jr.

## Scapini-Peters

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent E. Scapini of Grosse Pointe Woods have announced the engagement of their daughter, Janet A. Scapini, to Anthony C. Peters Jr., son of Anthony C. Peters Sr. of Warren and the late Kathleen A. Peters. An October wedding is planned.

Scapini earned a bachelor of science degree in nursing from the University of Michigan and a J.D. degree from the University of Detroit Mercy Law School.

Peters earned a B.B.A. degree from Walsh College and is currently pursuing a M.S.F. degree at Walsh. He works for Comerica Bank.



Suzanne Maury

## Maury-Klaasen

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Moran of Grosse Pointe Park have announced the engagement of their daughter, Suzanne L. Maury, to Michael D. Klaasen, son of Mr. and Mrs. David L. Klaasen of Grosse Pointe Park. A June 1995 wedding is planned.

Maury is a student at University of Detroit Mercy, pursuing a bachelor of science degree in nursing.

Klaasen graduated from Wayne State University with a bachelor of science degree in chemical engineering. He is working on a master's degree and is employed by Koch Automotive Products in Warren.

## Bauer-Wade

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald F. Bauer of Grosse Pointe Woods have announced the engagement of their daughter, Lisa Ann Bauer, to Bryant Edward Wade, son of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Wade of Cincinnati. A May wedding is planned.



Bryant Edward Wade and Lisa Ann Bauer

Bauer earned a bachelor of arts degree in psychology from Miami University, where she was affiliated with Phi Mu sorority. She is a psychologist's assistant at M.A. Orcutt, Ph.D. & Assoc.

Wade earned a bachelor of science degree in engineering physics from Miami University, where he was affiliated with Kappa Alpha fraternity. He is a third-year law student at Capital University Law School. He is working as a summer associate at Harness, Dickey & Pierce.



John William George III and Heidi Lynn Cartwright

## Cartwright-George

Mr. and Mrs. William Cartwright of Grosse Pointe Woods have announced the engagement of their daughter, Heidi Lynn Cartwright, to John William George III, son of Mr. and Mrs. John George Jr. of Grosse Pointe Woods. An October wedding is planned.

Cartwright is a student at Oakland University. She is corporate office manager for a paper and graphic supply center.

George attends Central Michigan University. He is an account representative for Zenith Industrial Corp.



Michael Gregory Marrs and Holli Jane Madden

## Madden-Marrs

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Madden of Benson, Minn., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Holli Jane Madden, to Michael Gregory Marrs, son of Michael and Donna Marrs of Grosse Pointe Park. A July wedding is planned.

Madden is a sales assistant for Meyers Printing Inc. in Brooklyn Park, Minn.

Marrs earned a bachelor of arts degree from Central Michigan University. He is a service director at Bloomington-Acura Inc.



Tara Lulis and Robert Karbowski

## Lulis-Karbowski

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lulis of Grosse Pointe Park have announced the engagement of their daughter, Tara Lulis, to Robert Karbowski, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Karbowski of Farmington Hills. A September wedding is planned.

Lulis earned a bachelor of arts degree in biochemistry from Olivet College.

Karbowski earned a bachelor of arts degree in business administration from Olivet.

## Attar-MacAskill

Paul and Carol Attar of Grosse Pointe Woods have announced the engagement of their daughter, Carol Ann Attar, to Douglas John MacAskill, D.O., son of Karen MacAskill of Houston. An October wedding is planned.

Attar graduated from Michigan State University with a bachelor of science degree in health agency specialization. She is a diving coach and a bookkeeper.

MacAskill earned a bachelor of arts degree in chemistry from Indiana University and a bachelor of arts degree in biology from Kirksville College of

Osteopathic Medicine. He is a physician specializing in emergency medicine. He is the United States Diving Team physician.



Douglas John MacAskill and Carol Ann Attar

## Eagle-Stanley

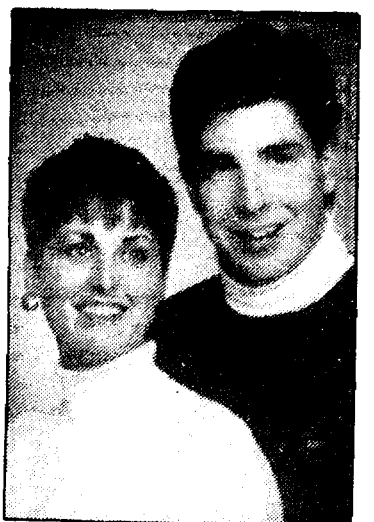
William and Susan Eagle of Grosse Pointe Woods have announced the engagement of their daughter, Heather Eagle, to Matthew Stanley, son of Lawrence and Diane Stanley of Destin, Fla. A September wedding is planned.

Eagle attended Northwood University. She is director of advertising and marketing for Wave 102 Radio in Destin.



Matthew Stanley and Heather Eagle

Stanley also attended Northwood and is vice president of Powell Sanitation in Destin.



Amy Lynn Autsema and Robert Rand Bennett


## Autsema-Bennett

Don and Jane Autsema of Sheridan have announced the engagement of their daughter, Amy Lynn Autsema, to Robert Rand Bennett, son of Margaret M. Bennett of Grosse Pointe Woods and Donald Bennett of Detroit. An October wedding is planned.

Autsema attended Grand Valley State University. She is a customer service representative for Wolverine Printing Co.

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## NARSAD golf classic to be Monday, July 18

The National Alliance for Research on Schizophrenia and Depression will hold its annual fundraiser, the Michigan NARSAD Golf Classic, on Monday, July 18, at Gowanie Golf Club in Mount Clemens.

Peppino Puleo of Grosse Pointe Woods is tournament director.

The day's activities will begin at 11 a.m. and include lunch, refreshments on the course, cocktails, a live auction, dinner and awards.

NARSAD is a private sector non-corporate fundraising group for mental illness research.

The cost of participation in the tournament is \$500 a team; \$500 for corporate sponsors; \$100 for tee sponsors; \$50 for dinner only. Call Puleo at 886 1727 for more information.

## Smith College Club meets

The annual meeting of the Detroit Smith College Club was held on June 19 at the home of Mrs. Hilary Micou. The officers for the coming year were announced. They are: Mrs. R. Stewart Wood, president; Mrs. Penelope W. Slough, secretary; Mrs. James Williams, treasurer; Dr. Deborah Stanitski, candidate chairperson; and Mrs. Gerard C. Mooney, chairperson in charge of the sale of pecans.

The group voted to send \$1,000 from the sale of pecans to Smith College to augment the club's endowed scholarship fund.

The Detroit Smith College Club is dedicated to supporting the college financially and to encouraging young women in local high schools to enroll in Smith's four-year bachelor of arts program.

## Bastille

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restore five rooms within the next five years. Eventually, the house will be open for school-children and public tours.

"We also plan to have a small shop with things for sale related to the Victorian era and to Grosse Pointe's French heritage," she said.

The Grosse Pointe Historical Society currently holds its monthly board meetings at the house.

Singelyn said he and Moran are at the Provencal-Weir House nearly every day.

"I want to infect everyone with the love I have for this house," he said. "I have an emotional attachment to this house and what it stands for."

The Bastille Day Celebration will feature French songs by Jeanette Lorente accompanied by Josephine Sinicatti and impromptu skits by Ernie McDaniel, a mime.

Sparky Herbert's, Nino Salvaggio's, the Mack Avenue Diner, Jerry's Party Store, Cindi Carlson and Joanne Zuchowski have donated French food and drinks. Grosse Pointe Florists will provide floral arrangements with a French flavor.

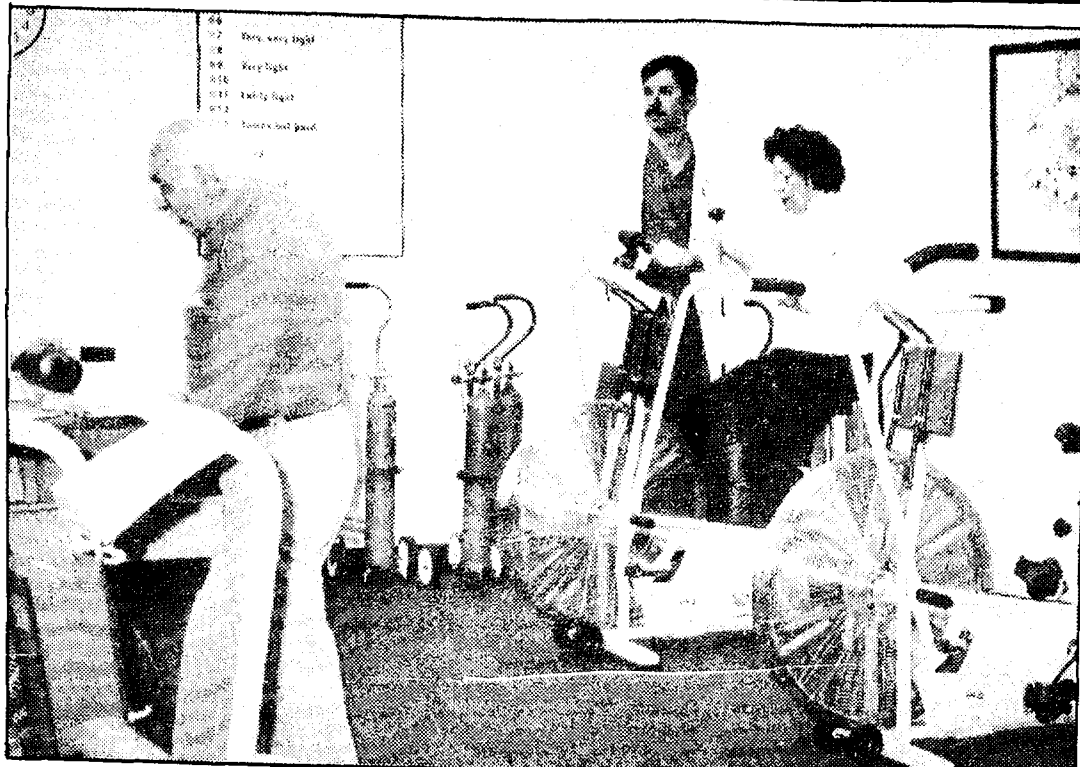
The evening also will feature guided tours of the Provencal-Weir House.

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Charles Bluhm of Detroit, at the far left, and Grosse Pointer Catherine Vermeulen at the far right, exercise at the new St. John Pulmonary Rehabilitation Center under the watchful eye of therapist Robert Roosen. The six-week program is for people with breathing problems and is aimed at improving the quality of their lives.

## Smoking may cause fractures

A recent study in the New England Journal of Medicine found that the more heavily a woman smokes, the more likely her bone density will decrease, increasing her risk of fractures.

"Women who smoke one package of cigarettes a day throughout adulthood will, by the time of menopause, have an average deficit of 5 to 10 per-

cent in bone density, which is sufficient to increase the risk of fracture," the researchers stated.

Since women, as they age, already are more prone than men to develop osteoporosis (thinning of the bones) these findings help identify further significant health risks for guarding against fractures.

Although the association between smoking and more frequent fractures of the hip, spine, and forearm had been noted in other studies, this research uncovered the difference in bone density among women smokers.

The study compared bone density in 41 pairs of female twins in which one twin smoked substantially more through the years. The twin with high tobacco use showed a significant decline in bone density in the lower spine, the upper leg, and in the area of the hip that is commonly fractured in older women. Furthermore, the greater the difference in the amount of smoking between the twins, the greater the difference in bone density.

Researchers also analyzed differences in hormonal levels between the sets of twins. Parathyroid hormone, which regulates calcium metabolism and bone density, was noted to be lower in women who smoked more. Also, the level of calcium, the main mineral in bone, usually measured lower in those twins who smoke.

## St. John Hospital opens new pulmonary rehab center

The St. John Hospital and Medical Center has opened a new Pulmonary Rehabilitation Center at 4849 Canyon, between Mack and E. Warren avenues.

"Our goal at the center is for patients to breathe easier and enjoy life more," says Jacqueline Croaker, a respiratory therapist and coordinator of the facility.

Pulmonary rehab is a six-week program for adults with breathing problems. These include chronic bronchitis, asthma, emphysema and other restrictive or environmental pulmonary problems. These respiratory diseases can limit a person's ability to perform everyday activities.

"The rehab program combines education and exercise to help people understand their disease; modify their daily routines and improve their health. The program seeks to maximize a patient's quality of life by reducing respiratory symptoms, anxiety and further illness," she says.

The first half of each class is spent with therapists and specialty speakers who educate patients about the respiratory sys-

tem, diet plans and nutrition, social services, medications and new treatments. Patients spend the second half of the class exercising under the supervision of a therapist who helps participants set their own pace.

"We stress personalized consultation and monitoring, so we work in groups of no more than six," Croaker says.

Each class meets three times a week for six weeks. Patients who complete the six weeks can participate in a maintenance program which allows them to use the rehab center three times a week for as long as they wish.

Individuals who would like to participate need a referral from their doctors. Once the doctor decides rehabilitation is beneficial, individuals can call the Pulmonary Rehabilitation Center at 343-8308 to set up an appointment. Anyone without a doctor should call the St. John physician referral and information service at 1-800-237-5646.

The center is located a few blocks from St. John Hospital and Medical Center. Parking and handicap access are available directly in front of the facility.

## Caregiver support group meets

A Helping Hand, a monthly support group for individuals caring for older adults at home, will meet from 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday, July 12, at A Friend's House Adult Day Care Center in Warren.

The group provides an opportunity for caregivers to share common problems and helpful

information about caring for family members at home.

A Friend's House is located in the Italian Cultural Center, 28111 Imperial in Warren, and is a program of Catholic Services of Macomb.

For information, call (810) 751-6260.

## Alzheimer's support group meets

"Dealing with Difficult Behaviors" is the topic of the Warren Area Alzheimer's Support Group meeting to be held at A Friend's House Adult Day Care Center from 10 a.m. to noon Monday, July 18.

Anne Lilla, family services director with the Detroit chap-

ter of the Alzheimers Association, will be the speaker.

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## Can cruising be for kids? It all depends

Should you take your children on a cruise? Despite a bombardment of advertising extolling all of the wonderful programs that ships offer to kids you should know that the answer is not necessarily "yes."

The essence of a ship — that it is isolated out in the sea — is one of the very reasons that taking kids along can be tricky. If they or you are unhappy for any reason, you can't just jump in the car and head off for home or another hotel.

This March my brother and his wife took their only child, my nephew Andy, on a cruise with a very well-known cruise company. Here are some of the comments from my brother's letter to the company after the trip:

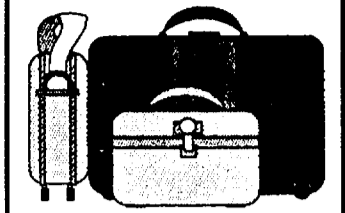
"On March 17-20, my wife and I took our 6-year-old son on the Excalibur (I have changed the name to protect the guilty) for a three-day cruise from Port Canaveral. We had read your literature and been told by the travel agent that there would be lots of family activity on board, especially "Camp X."

"We knew we were in trouble when we spotted the two rooms of spring break college kids across the hall. Shortly thereafter, during orientation, the cruise director informed the assembled passengers that 'you've paid far too much money to sleep on this trip, so just party all night. Look around. Do you see anybody you will see again? No? Well then just make a fool of yourself.'

"Clearly, those words were heeded because the Spring Breakers kept us awake with noise from their rooms every night past 3 a.m. And how could we complain? They were following directions...not to mention having their hormones supercharged by the 18-year-old drinking age.

"This general atmosphere of drinking, loud behavior and smoking in every location except the dining room pervaded the cruise, especially in the public areas that most interest

## TRAVEL TRENDS



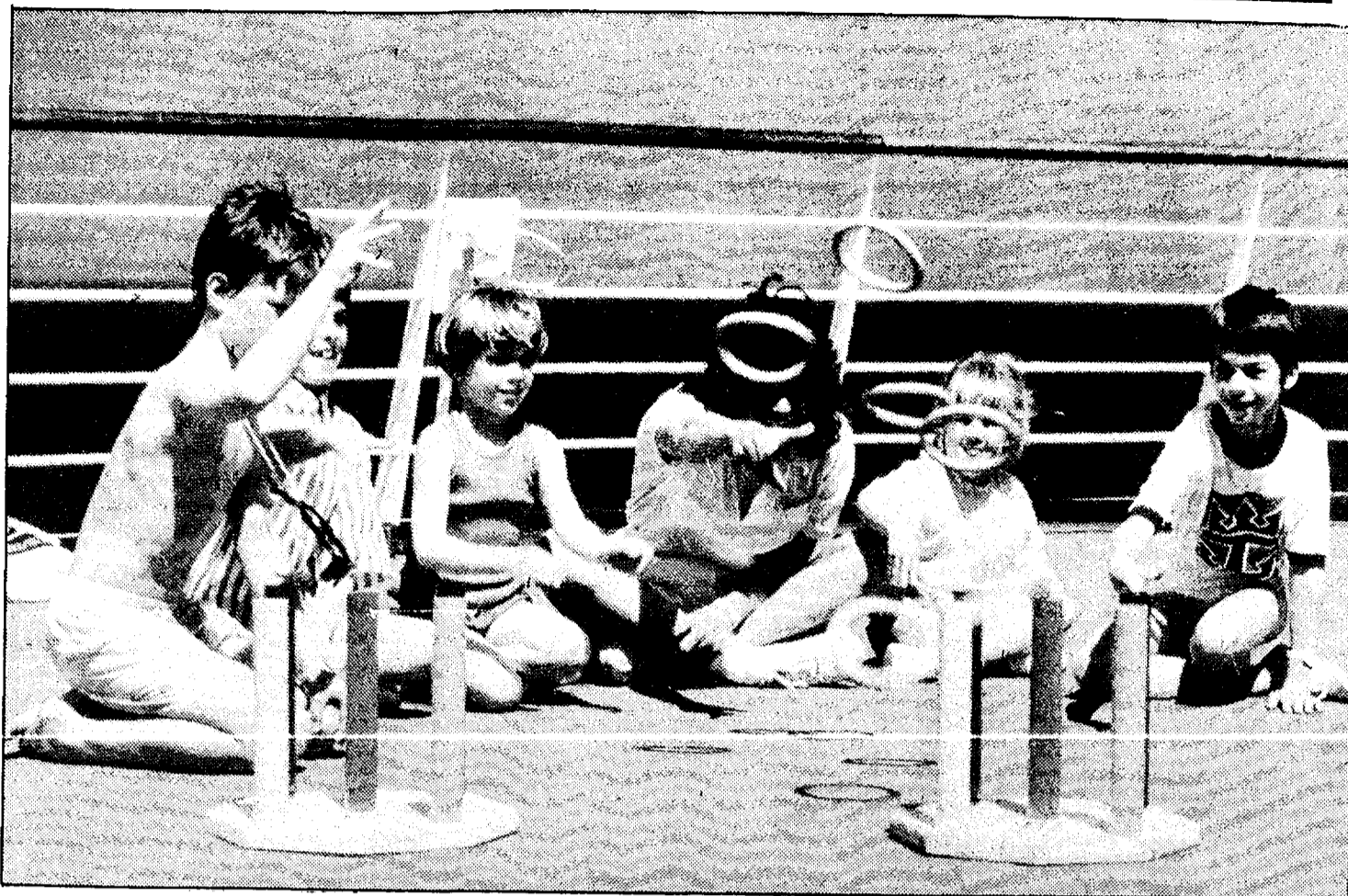
By Cynthia Boal Janssens

a 6-year-old in a warm climate, the swimming pools.

"Now let's describe Camp X. Does a 16x24 playroom on an 880-foot ship match any reasonable description of an activity area for 5- to 8-year-olds? Does a staff of two women out of a crew of 990 sound like a 'camp.' Does a typical day that starts out with eating breakfast with the counselor at 9:30 a.m. (what kid could wait that long?), followed by a half-hour of drawing a picture sound like 'activity.' Recreational equipment consisted of two ping pong tables (the only contest was for those over age 18) and shuffle boards with totally trashed sticks and pucks. Your advertising literature is a fraudulent misrepresentation of the actual activities provided on board.

"We also resented the constant commercial bombardment in Nassau where the only way you can have any activity other than walking around is at major extra expense. Most adults headed for the casinos. We understand the limitation of Bahamian law regarding retail operations and entertainment aboard ship. But why would it be unlawful to have a family activity on board in the evening under the supervision of the social staff? Also, explain your sense of judgment and values when the only movie on the in-room television is R-rated. How would you like to sit in your room for \$350 a night and play cards? That's all we could do.

"What's really so sad is that the Excalibur is a big, neat ship. It even has wasted space that could be converted for the little kids. We got great service from our room steward and pleasant service from the dining staff. Those parts really felt like a cruise. But the indifference to the needs of our son and the emphasis on over-in-



Cruising can be fun for kids, if you do your homework.

dulgence in alcohol were an affront to our purpose in selecting a cruise.

"We were trapped. We would have left such a land destination. We want our money back and will do our best to discourage anyone from taking their families aboard your vessels. If you want to run a Las Vegas junket on the water, fine. Just say so. But do not say that you cater to families."

I think you can get the point. I am not using the names of the ship or cruise line because I think the problems and issues aired here go far beyond that one company. Here is the gist of my response to him:

Dear Bill:

Sorry to hear of your bad experience. Had you asked, I would have recommended only American Family Cruises or Premier Cruise Lines for a trip with Andy. Really, they are the only lines that cater to young children in a significant and positive way. Most other lines

regard kids as a "necessary evil" for getting their parents aboard.

A notable exception is sailing on small ships (under 200 passengers) where everyone gets treated well. (On these ships there may not be many kids, but everyone, including the crew, usually indulges them.)

It concerns me that a travel agent would book you onto an X boat at spring break time with a child. X caters primarily to young folks, ages 20-40, without kids. They are known to be big-time party boats — nice accommodations, nice crews, but really not your style. You might consider finding another travel agent.

A friend of mine who once worked on a windjammer sailing ship in the Caribbean made a similar observation: "People have to be careful about bringing kids along. One woman brought her 14-year-old son, who looked older than his age, and he promptly got trashed at

the bar. The bartenders are not used to dealing with this; they don't card. Also, windjammer offers lots of singles cruises and you wouldn't want to get on one of these."

Which is not to say that you should never take children on a cruise, just make sure that you choose your ship very carefully. Most of the big ships offer elaborate activity programs for children during the holidays. Otherwise, be prepared to have your kids stick close to you.

Here is a somewhat more positive report: Another couple recently took their 13-year-old daughter and 9-year-old son on the inaugural cruise of the American Adventure, recently launched by American Family Cruises. They say that they participated in very few of the official activities and pretty much did their own thing as a family. "We had fun, but it was as if we'd been on a different ship than everyone else."

From their report in Travel

& Leisure magazine: "Experiences like ours seemed to be limited to close families with older children. These families tended to be urban, sophisticated and critical — of the dining room, the entertainment, the cabins, you name it.

"Families with younger children fared better. 'The coaches are really skilled,' said one mother. You can't beat the program."

Such gratitude, we suspect, was inspired by long days spent cooped up in suburbia with young children; these parents care more about an affordable, easygoing vacation than a luxurious one."

So what you need to decide is if your family can thrive in the environment provided by a particular ship. If you are confident of that, then by all means book it.

Cynthia Boal-Janssens' Travel Trends column runs on alternate weeks in this section.

## Short trips

**Women to Women Programs:** It is an interesting point of view: It is better to be married to a man with many wives than a man with one wife, because the more wives one's husband has, the more

women there are to share the burden of household chores, and farm work.

That sentiment is one many American women may hear from the Masai women of Tanzania when they participate in one of Overseas Adventure Travel's Women to Women programs.

These programs facilitate in-depth cultural exchanges between U.S. women travelers and their counterparts from remote regions of Tanzania, Tibet, Nepal and Bolivia... mostly the wives of nomadic herdsmen.

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homes. For information, call (800) 221-0814. Overseas Travel, which offers a wide range of adventure travel itineraries, is owned and operated by Judi Wineland.

**Scoring at the Cup:** Are you one of those golfers who drives pretty well but ends up amassing strokes around the cup? Apparently you are not alone. The Boca Raton Resort & Club is the new home for the world's only short game golf school.

According to owner Dave Pelz, the short game is the most neglected yet most critical component of golf as it com-

prises 65 percent of the total shots per round, with 43 percent of golf's final score attributed to putting alone. The Dave Pelz Short Game School consists of three-day sessions of ferred year round at the luxury resort. Instruction is packaged with deluxe rooms and rates start at \$1,785.

The golf school includes 24 hours of classroom and tutorial instruction with a maximum student/teacher ratio of 4:1. For more information, call (800) 833-7370.

—Cynthia Boal-Janssens



## Piano man

Kenn Cox, legendary Detroit pianist/composer, will perform at 7 p.m. Thursday, July 7, at the Plaza at the intersection of Kercheval and St. Clair in the Grosse Pointe Village shopping area as part of the Village's summer music program. Music on the Plaza. The concert is free.

## Trip info nights scheduled

A trip information night is scheduled for Tuesday, July 19, at 7 p.m. at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial for its upcoming visit to Iceland Sept. 26-30.

The meeting is open to anyone interested in traveling to Iceland to see its rich Viking heritage and terrain unlike any other country on Earth. Learn more about the nation's countryside which is hauntingly beautiful with an almost treeless landscape of stark lava fields, awesome glaciers, lakes, mountains and coastline.

Learn more about the Grosse Pointe War Memorial's Sept. 15-22 trip to Switzerland and

the French Vineyard Country on Tuesday, July 12, 7 p.m. at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial.

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## Ring

From page 7B

errupted two-hour performance.

Excitement peaks, however, in the climactic fight scene where Eddy, desperate for action, foolishly puts Vic in the ring against a much more experienced opponent.

The fight itself is off-stage. But it is viewed and reported by Eddy, Maurice, Coco and Mado from the arena locker room with such fervor and involvement that you find yourself ducking the brutal punches that Vic is taking even though they are evidenced only by lighting and sound effects.

How Vic survives that fight, and its impact on them all is a curious twist worthy of the great short story writer, O. Henry himself. It is also worth the trip.

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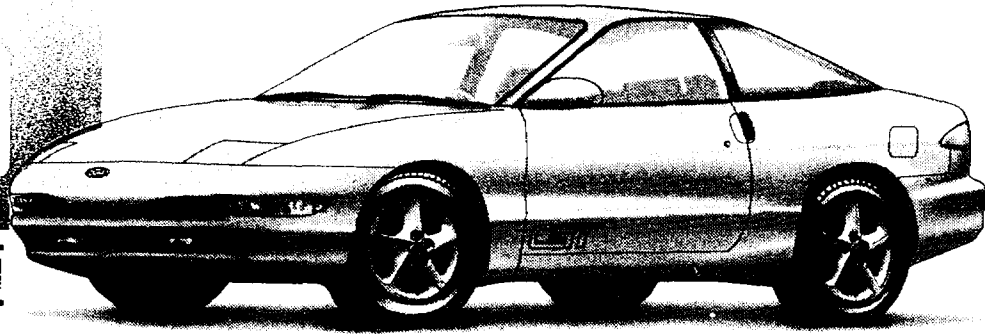
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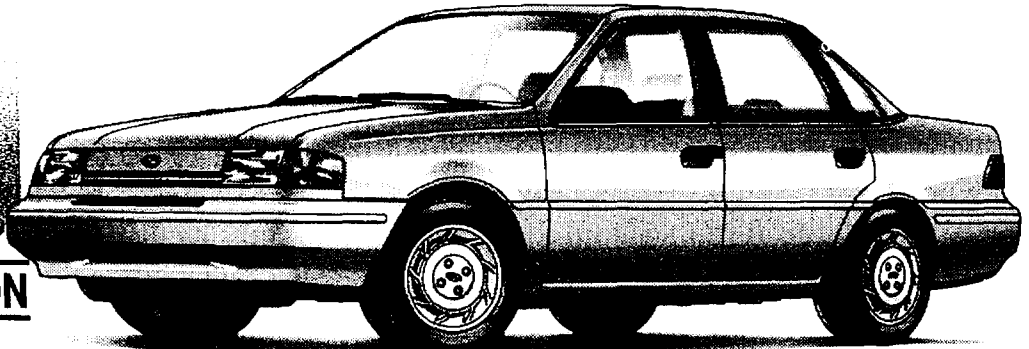


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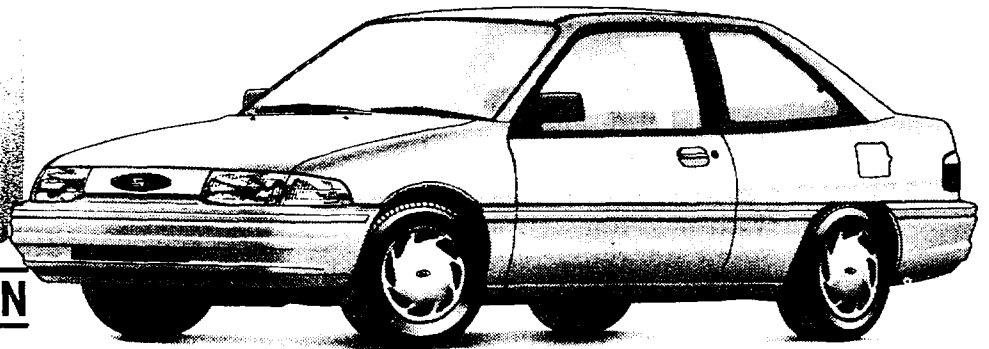


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## Soph scoring sensation is first-team All-State

By Chuck Klonke  
Sports Editor

One game was all University Liggett School soccer coach David Backhurst needed to find out he didn't like Shera Teitge getting lost in a crowd.

"She started the season playing center-forward, but that's the position that usually draws the other team's best defender; it's a crowded area and we couldn't find her," Backhurst said. "We quickly moved her to left wing and she thrived out there."

The ULS sophomore thrived so much that she was named to

the Class B-C-D all-state first team selected by the Michigan High School Soccer Coaches Association.

Three of Teitge's teammates also earned all-state honors. Junior Laura Haggarty made the second team and freshmen Abby Tompkins and Katy Spicer received honorable mention.

"The best part of it is that they're all underclassmen and will be back again next year," said Backhurst, who guided the Lady Knights to a 14-1-1 record and a ninth-place ranking in the final state poll.

Teitge showed scoring prowess as a freshman when she tallied 21 goals, but she was even better this season, notching 28.

"She was one of the best freshmen I've ever had and she improved her game a lot this season," Backhurst said. "Not only did she become more dangerous as a scorer, but she developed a crossing pass that resulted in 16 assists."

Teitge stepped up as a scorer when ULS needed her the most. She collected three goals and two assists in the Lady Knights' two victories against their toughest Metro Conference rival, Lutheran North.

Uls scored six goals in those two games. Teitge also scored both of the Lady Knights' goals in their 3-2 loss to Trenton in the state tournament.

"She scored in all our big games," Backhurst said. "That's why she was our MVP."

Teitge has the speed and quickness that makes her difficult to stop one-on-one.

"She can go around the defender and go head-to-head with the goalie or she can put on a spurt and make the crossing pass to a teammate," Backhurst said. "She's going to play on a very good travel team in the fall and that should bring her game up to another level. Before she's finished, she could be the best we've had."

Haggarty was to ULS' defense what Teitge was to the offense.

"She's always marked the other team's best forward," Backhurst said. "People just don't score against her. Lutheran North's Nikki Nosek had something like 26 goals this season, but she didn't score any against us. That testifies to Laura's tenacious marking."

Haggarty played outside defender as a freshman, but the last two seasons she's played the important stopper position for ULS.

"She never takes a mental break. That's how she's able to contain the good scorers," Backhurst said. "Her dribbling, kicking and heading have all improved."

Haggarty was one of the reasons the Lady Knights allowed an average of less than a goal a game. Opponents tallied only 14 goals against ULS in 16 games.

The two freshmen were a pleasant surprise for Backhurst.

"We knew they were both talented, but you always wonder how quickly they'll adjust to playing in high school, where they're no longer the go-to players who get the ball all the time," Backhurst said.

He didn't have to wonder for long. Tompkins became a fixture at center-midfield, while Spicer stepped right into the critical sweeper position.

"Abby learned to work with Shera in distributing the ball and she finished with 22

"She stepped in and did the job from Day One. You need somebody reliable as a sweeper and Katy's a good, heady player."

Spicer has a booming kick and most of her seven goals were a result of free kicks from 25 yards and beyond. Her strong leg helps her get the ball out of danger when there's pressure around the Lady Knights' net.

"If we could find somebody to replace Katy at sweeper, we might think about moving her to midfield," Backhurst said. "She could do more with her skills there."

Spicer's brothers Matt and Gary were also all-state performers at ULS and Katy seems to be following in their footsteps. An older sister, Vicky, was a fine athlete at Grosse Pointe South.

"She could be the best in the family," Backhurst said. "She has a lot of soccer blood and a wealth of potential."



University Liggett School placed four players on the Class B-C-D All-State girls soccer team selected by the Michigan High School Soccer Coaches Association. Junior Laura Haggarty, right, was a second-team selection, while freshmen Abby Tompkins, left, and Katy Spicer, center, received honorable mention. Sophomore Shera Teitge was named to the All-State first team.



Shera Teitge

## Farms kayaker on U.S. squad

Sarah Leith of Grosse Pointe Farms has earned a berth on the United States squad in the World Junior whitewater kayak championships this month in Wausau, Wis.

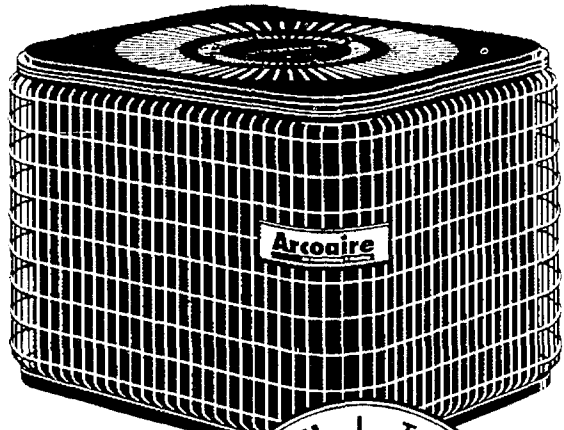
Leith, who is presently competing in the U.S. Olympic Festival in St. Louis, is one of three women kayakers chosen for the one-person kayakers at the World Championships, which are held biennially.

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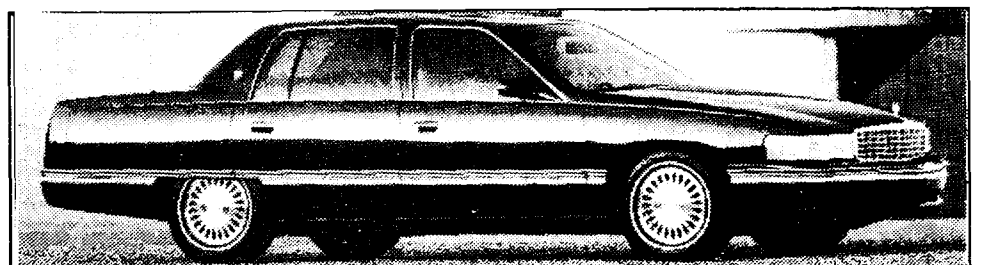
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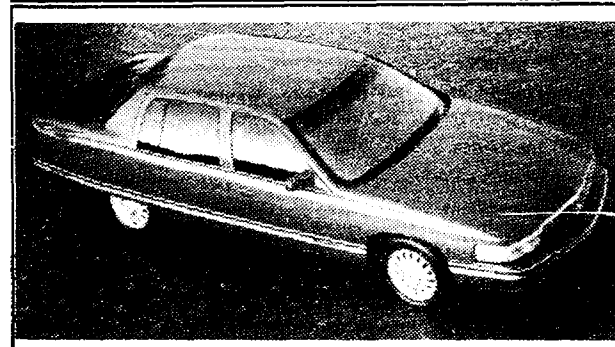
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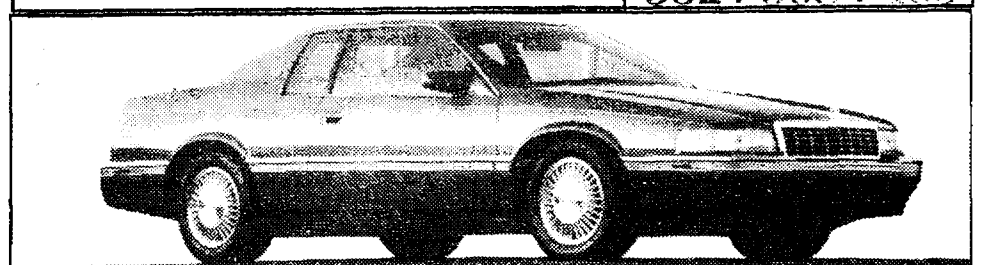
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**1626 LOCHMOOR, GPW** — LOCATION & SETTING... Beautiful park-like surroundings can be yours to enjoy along with this charming four bedroom, three and one half bath Tudor home which offers a lovely step-down family room, library, three natural fireplaces, cac, two and one half car garage, plus!

**773 TROMBLEY, GPP** — Near Windmill Pointe is this distinctive five bedroom, two and one half bath home that features a formal dining room, den, nice family room, large kitchen, lower level rec. room with ceramic tiled floor and natural fireplace.

**1260 ELFORD CT., GPW** — THREE bedroom, two bath ranch featuring two natural fireplaces, two and one half car garage, den and attractively priced for \$139,000.

**22210 11 MILE, SCS** — CONVENIENT freshly painted and carpeted (neutral colors) first floor Condominium with one bedroom, one bath, nice formal dining room, newer roof/fence, large living room, plus immediate occupancy!

**419 CHAMPINE PLACE, GPF** — QUIET & LOW traffic street is the location of this beautifully updated center entrance Colonial featuring three bedrooms, one and one half baths, new oak kitchen, lovely formal dining room, finished basement with a lot of storage closets, newer roof and mud room, two-car garage.

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**19608 RIDGEMONT, SCS** — WONDERFUL first floor unit with ceramic flooring in the kitchen and foyer, nicely decorated two bedroom condo, formal dining room, plus loads of storage space.

**879 LAKELAND, GPC** — AN APPEALING Private Cul-de-sac is home to this attractive brick center entrance Colonial with three bedrooms, two and one half baths, second floor office, enclosed porch off the dining room and living room, landscaping done by 'Pilorget', newer Pella windows and many more updates and improvements are offered with this beautiful home.

**688 BALFOUR, GPP** — PRESTIGIOUS Executive Colonial in premier Park Local. This home boasts of five bedrooms, four and one half baths, circular family room with fold down wet bar and natural fireplace, large kitchen with breakfast room, master bedroom with dressing room, second bedroom with natural fireplace, situated on stately grounds.

**1228 LAKEPOINTE, GPP** — A VERY NICE Colonial with loads of updates, new kitchen, roof, gas forced air, bathroom, plus newly painted interior, living room with natural fireplace, den, formal dining room, mud room on first floor exits to a wolmanized wood deck which overlooks the beautiful large deep backyard, all three bedrooms are spacious with walk-in closets, side drive and two-car garage.

**27220 LANE, SCS** — WATERFRONT living can be yours in this luxurious ultra modern home with a newer European kitchen, first floor master bedroom offering a gorgeous bathroom with whirlpool, second floor bedroom with new bath and sauna, living room with a beamed ceiling overlooking Lake St. Clair.

**30835 N. RIVER RD., HARR. TWP.** — THIS IS IT! Do you want to be away from the rif-raf? This home features 160' of canal frontage and is adjoined to the DNR wetlands, providing complete privacy. Priced right and offering four bedrooms, two and one half baths, updated kitchen, oak hardwood floors, family room, nice sitting room, balcony overlooking canal, two and one half car garage with work shop.

**22035 11 MILE, SCS** — THERE'S A LOT THIS Condo has to offer - balcony, carport, large closets, laundry and storage area, appliances, one bedroom, one bath.

**411 SADDLE LANE, GPW** — EXCELLENT MAINTAINED Tri-level situated in a quiet and hidden Sub. This lovely home offers four bedrooms, two and two half baths, family room with chestnut wood walls, beam ceiling and wet bar, large country kitchen, new sprinkling system, two car attached garage.

**20836 WALTON, SCS** — TASTEFUL decor is what you will find in this sharp three bedroom, one bath brick ranch. Many updates within the last two years, finished basement, Florida room, two-car garage.

**1623 SEVERN, GPW** — MANY UPDATES have been done to this sharp three bedroom, one bath, one and one half Colonial featuring a formal dining room, living room with a natural fireplace, updated kitchen and finished basement, plus!

**929 BERKSHIRE, GPP** — HAVE IT ALL — in this custom built Colonial with a built-in heated pool, situated on gorgeous and private grounds. The inside is meticulous, offering a huge family room, finished recreation room with natural fireplace, total of three fireplaces, four bedrooms, two and one half baths, library/den and more.

**1013 THREE MILE DR., GPP** — PRESTIGIOUS living can be yours in this five bedroom, three bath Georgian Pillared home providing you with modern construction and modular design, featuring a large open family room that joins to the modern kitchen, lovely living room/dining room combination, library/den, two and one half car garage.

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**72 MICHAUX CT., GPS** — A TRANQUIL setting is for you to enjoy in this luxury four bedroom, three and two half bath Colonial, featuring a fabulous kitchen, family room, library/den, first floor laundry, large master bedroom with a private bath and is situated on a secluded court location.

**829 HARCOURT, GPP** — CUSTOM BUILT Two-Family on Grosse Pointe's premium multi-family street offering separate basements/furnaces, natural fireplace in each unit, three-car garage and priced to sell at \$209,000.

**591 OXFORD, GPW** — WHISPERING TREES surround this sharp Colonial that boasts of six bedrooms, four and two half baths, cozy family room, four fireplaces, lighted tennis courts, indoor/outdoor pool, billiard room making it perfect for entertaining any and all your guest, plus situated on a double lot for privacy.

**1060 BEDFORD, GPP** — IRRESISTIBLE! This beautifully decorated four bedroom, three and one half bath home features a lovely new kitchen, den, new roof and furnace, recreation room in the basement, two-tiered deck.

**418 ST. CLAIR, GPC** — BEAUTIFUL three bedroom updated one and one half bath Dutch Colonial farmhouse features a new kitchen and family room, raised deck overlooking the deep yard, closets by 'Perfect Closet', loads of updates; electric, plumbing, heating system, etc...

**25039 LEHNER, E.POINTE** — COZY three bedroom, one bath brick ranch with new vinyl windows, completely updated kitchen, glass block windows in the basement, hardwood floors, 2-car garage and priced at \$74,900 with FHA terms available.

**19225 WOODMONT, H.W.** — This three bedroom maintenance-free brick ranch features an updated kitchen, finished recreation room, full bath, 2-car garage, situated on a quiet, private street, near Eastland.

**15515 WINDMILL POINTE, GPP** — FABULOUS Georgian Colonial features beauty and refinement to the fullest extent. You will enjoy entertaining in this five bedroom, four bath home with amenities such as a new kitchen with island counter/built-ins, master suite with walk-in closet/private bath, family room overlooking the private grounds which include a tennis court and built-in pool and outdoor pool house w/kitchen and baths, plus!

**2158 HAWTHORNE, GPW** — METICULOUSLY maintain Cape Cod home featuring a large family room with natural fireplace and eating area, natural wood cabinets in the kitchen, large first floor master bedroom two other bedrooms, on second floor, finished rec. room w/kitchen & lav., excellent home for children or entertaining.

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## NAR reports second highest condo sales on record

The 1994 first quarter annual sales rate for condominiums and co-operatives rose a healthy 14.1 percent to 438,000 units, compared to the first quarter of 1993, posting the second-highest rate since record-keeping began in 1981. The highest recorded condo and co-op sales activity was posted in the fourth quarter of 1993, when the annual sales rate totaled 445,000.

Sales of existing condos and co-ops rose in all regions across the nation between the first quarter of 1994 and the same period a year ago. The strongest increases were posted in the West and Northeast.

The robust sales across the board continue to indicate that consumer confidence in the real estate market is healthy, as many buyers are choosing to purchase now rather than chance higher interest rates later on, said NAR president Robert H. Elrod.

"The condo and co-op market is typically fed by first-time home buyers and the first-quarter figures indicate that this group is entering into home ownership at an incredible pace. Even bad weather didn't seem to halt the determination of buyers who chose to find their way into a first home via a condo or co-op," Elrod said.

According to the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp., the national average commitment rate for 30-year conventional, fixed-rate mortgages was 7.30 percent for the first quarter of 1994, compared to 7.72 percent a year ago.

The national median price for existing condominiums and cooperatives during the first quarter of 1994 rose 3.2 percent to \$85,000, compared to \$82,400 a year ago. The first quarter median price is 20.9 percent below the \$107,400 median price for single-family homes during the same period. The median is the midpoint of the price range — half the homes sell for more, half for less.

NAR chief economist John A. Tuccillo said that first-quarter performance in the condo and co-op market is "exceptional" given the adverse weather conditions that had dampened sales of existing homes and housing starts in most areas earlier this year.

"Even with all the bad weather experienced in many parts of the country during the first quarter, sales of condos and co-ops are healthy, indicating there is demand in the marketplace for these types of properties," Tuccillo said. "It's clear that a lot of young people are purchasing condos or co-ops as a first-purchase because they are an affordable way toward owning your own home."

Tuccillo noted that the 1994 first quarter price increase recorded in some areas, especially in the Midwest, could indicate a shortage of product in localized markets.

The West led sales of co-ops and condos in the first quarter of 1994, posting a rate of 124,000 units, up 18.1 percent compared to a year ago. The region's median condominium and co-

operative price, meanwhile, rose a slight 0.7 percent in the first quarter of 1994 to \$106,600 compared to a year ago. In contrast, the median price of an existing single-family home in the region during the first quarter was \$144,400.

In the Northeast, condominiums and co-operatives sold at a rate of 95,000 units during the first quarter of 1994, an increase of 17.3 percent compared to a year earlier. The Northeast's median condominium price was \$101,100, up 2.6 percent over the first quarter of 1993. The existing single-family home median sale price for the Northeast was \$139,300 for the first quarter.

The South's condominium/co-

operative resale rate rose by 15.2 percent to 144,000 units in the first quarter, compared to a year earlier. The median price rose 1.3 percent to \$68,800 compared to the previous year's first quarter. The existing single-family home median sale price for the South was \$95,200 for the first quarter.

In the Midwest, the condominium/co-operative resale rate of 75,000 units during the first quarter was up 4.2 percent compared to last year. The median resale price for condominiums and co-operatives in that region was \$84,800, up 7.8 percent from a year ago. This compares with \$85,400 for a single-family home in that region.

## Is it dishwasher safe?

Most glasses and dishes can be washed in the dishwasher with no problem. To make sure your items will come through the dishwashing process without harm, consult the instructions provided by the manufacturers of dishware, flatware and cookware.

Unless they are labeled "dishwasher safe," bone, bamboo, wood, horn and plastic handles may warp, discolor, crack, melt or split. Color on anodized aluminum pieces may fade or wear off. Cast iron will lose its seasoning and

may rust. Pewter may pit and lose its luster. Because plastic items may melt, they should be placed in the top rack, away from the most intense heat.

If instructions are not available or have been lost, consider the age and value (real or sentimental) of the items. Hot water, strong detergent and heat may damage delicate antique china, silver or crystal. Hand-painted motifs may fade or disappear. Antique milk glass may yellow. It may be best to wash these items by hand.

## ON THE COVER

### 1013 Three Mile Drive Grosse Pointe Park, Michigan

PRESTIGIOUS describes this beautiful Georgian Colonial that offers modern construction along with modular design! A list of amenities go along with this one of a kind home such as:

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## Ticking time bomb in 9 of 10 basements

The little plastic hose that vents the hot clothes dryer exhaust outside our house is a major fire hazard and should be replaced immediately according to appliance industry critic, Joe Gagnon. The information is reported in his book "FIRST AID From the Appliance Doctor."

"Nine out of ten dryers are vented by accordion type, slinky vinyl vent lines," Gagnon said. "According to the Consumer Safety Commission, these vent lines are associated with 13,000 dryer fires annually. Since most clothes dryers are in the basement, it is like having a ticking time bomb in the basement."

Gagnon, known as the Appliance Doctor, is a talk show host, appliance store owner, and special investigator for Detroit's Department of Consumer Affairs. Gagnon reports that slinky vinyl vent lines are not a factory-installed defect.

"All major dryer manufacturers

require rigid metal dryer vent lines and can nullify a homeowner's dryer warranty if they learn that an improper vent line has been installed," he said.

Installation of slinky vinyl vent lines is now outlawed in Canada and Michigan. Rigid metal vent lines are required by Underwriters Laboratories and the National B.O.C.A. Building Code, Gagnon said.

Despite the danger, slinky plastic vent lines continue to be used by many contractors, and uninformed home owners because they are cheap and easy to install, Gagnon said.

In a Jan. 11, 1994, article in The Detroit News, John Lauck, manager of product safety for Whirlpool Corp., described the danger of slinky vinyl vent lines.

"Lint can accumulate in a hose's accordion-like ridges and restrict flow of hot air out of the dryer," he said.

## The affordability of owning a new home

It's the first of the month and you're writing a check for your monthly rent. Have you ever wondered just how much money you lose every month by paying someone else's mortgage payment?

Perhaps you don't think you can afford to buy. Although the thought of loan applications and financing requirements may seem overwhelming, buying a new home is easier than you think.

"First, you need to review your financial situation and estimate how much you can spend on housing each month," said Robert R. Jones, president of the Builders Association of Southeastern Michigan and Robert R. Jones Associates in West Bloomfield. "Knowing what you can afford at the outset will save you time and frustration when you begin looking for a house. In today's market, you can find a home in almost any price range."

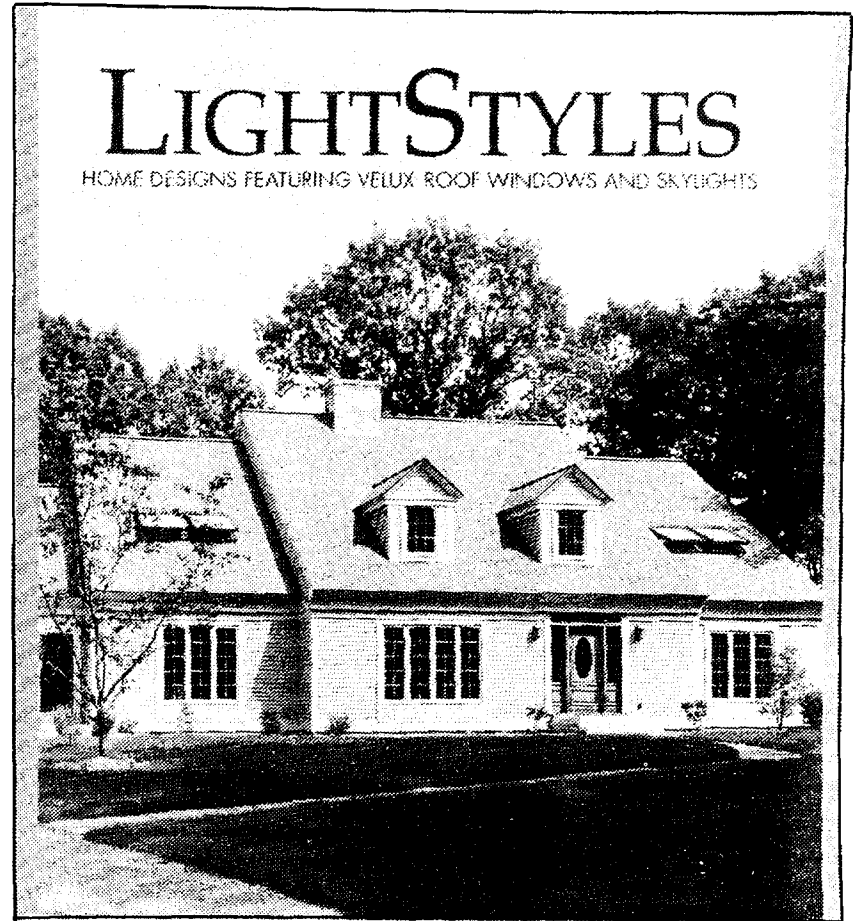
A general rule of thumb: You should spend not more than 28 percent of your monthly gross income on your monthly mortgage payment including principal,

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How much should you expect to spend on monthly mortgage payments? Your mortgage payment will be determined by your annual gross income, down payment, interest rates, and the size of your loan. Mortgage payments vary according to the type of loan you obtain.

"Down payments usually range from 5 to 30 percent of the total cost of the house. When setting aside money for your down payment, remember that you will also need cash for closing costs and possible 'points' on your mortgage," Jones said.

Closing costs are the expenses incurred when you transfer ownership of the real estate. A point is a one-time service charge levied by the lender. One point equals one percent of the mortgage amount. Paying the points may be negotiable between the buyer and the seller.



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# Rabbits in the garden, moss on the lawn; what to do

**Q.** The rabbits are eating everything in my yard, is there anything I can do to stop them?

**A.** In rural and rural-suburban areas where rabbits are abundant, the most cost-effective damage control is fencing using chicken wire, electric wire, or heavy duty plastic netting. Surround the garden with 36-inch widths of chicken wire attached to stakes. Bend the bottom six inches outward along the ground to prevent digging under the fence. By bending the top six inches outward, you can also prevent other animals from climbing the fence.

Plastic netting can be used in the same way as chicken wire. Use two layers if the netting is light gauge because rabbits will chew through netting.

"Hinder" is one of the more effective commercial rabbit repellents and will drive rabbits from all plants. Make the first application to all plants in the garden and to all vegetation immediately surrounding the garden within 10 feet. Thereafter, apply only to vulnerable plants with as little material as possible. Re-treat every 10-14 days or after rain. Thiram is another excellent repellent but can be used only on ornamental plants. Apply at 10-20 percent concentration. Re-treat new growth.

**Q.** What can I do about moss growing in the lawn?

**A.** Moss indicates that something — soil compaction, poor drainage, and/or shade, or high soil acidity — is preventing grass from growing well. A soil test will tell you whether the soil needs liming and how to fertilize the lawn. If soil compaction is the problem, aeration is the answer. (If you can't push a screwdriver into the soil, it is compacted.) If the lawn is too shady, removing or selectively pruning trees to let more sunlight in may help. Poor drainage may take some major work to correct, including leveling or filling low spots. If the lawn is in such bad shape that you need to start over, be sure to correct the underlying problems before you sod or seed in late

August or early September. Also, consider that in some situations the naturalizing effect of the moss can be appealing, at least it's green!

**Q.** I love petunias, but every year about midsummer, they get sort of long and straggly looking and aren't as attractive as I would like. Is there something I could do to keep them looking good?

**A.** When petunias start looking straggly (around July 5), take your garden scissors and cut them back to 3 to 4 inches tall. Leave some foliage and two to three stubs on the stem. Though it sounds drastic, it will rejuvenate them — they'll produce a surge of new growth, a lot of branches and after two to four weeks, you'll see lots of new flowers. Flowering should then continue until plants are killed by frost. Be sure to keep all of your annual plants well fertilized.

**Q.** There are white cottony masses on the twigs of my maple tree. They just showed up in the past week. Will they harm my tree? How can I get rid of them?

**A.** You are describing the adult female cottony maple scale. The white part is actually the egg mass. Whether you control such scale depends on its population and the number and size of the infested trees. When scale populations are low (fewer than five females per branch), chemical control is not necessary. Chemical controls are not recommended for large, mature trees. Regularly water and fertilize trees to promote vigorous growth and to lessen the impact of the scale. The ideal time to control scale is by use of dormant oils when the tree is dormant. The other time to control this scale is early July, when the young crawlers become active. One application of a foliar spray of insecticidal soap, Sevin, Malathion, Orthene or Isotox directed at leaf undersides should reduce the population.

**Q.** With all of the concern over chemical pest control use, I'm wondering if there is anything I can do to reduce it.



**A.** If you are a home gardener who routinely uses resistant varieties, garden sanitation, biological pest control and careful surveillance of your plants to minimize plant health problems and avoid use of chemical pesticides, you've been practicing integrated pest management. Integrated Pest Management (IPM) is both a philosophical and a practical approach to managing pests. With IPM pesticides are an option, but they're just one of the many methods the gardener can use. Call the Master Gardener Hotline for specific cultural information or problem diagnosis.

**Q.** Now that I have harvested the last of my strawberries, how should I care for them?

**A.** Strawberry plantings can be maintained for several fruiting seasons if they're properly managed and renovated after harvest. If plants are vigorous and relatively free of weeds, insects and diseases, a bed of June bearers may be renovated to prepare it for the next season. After the crop has been harvested, mow the foliage 1 inch above the plant crown, and narrow the rows with a hoe or cultivator to 8-10 inches wide. Thin the plants, leaving only the most vigorous and healthy specimens. Everbearers that are to be kept for another crop year do not need to be renovated.

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*Sandra Goeddeke-Richards is the home horticulturist for the Macomb MSU Extension. Write to her in care of the Macomb MSU Extension, 21885 Dunham Rd., Clinton Twp., Mich. 48036, or call the Master Gardener Hotline at 469-5063, Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.*

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## Cutting boards, flour substitutes and preparing mussels

**Q.** When preparing food at home, should I use a plastic or wood cutting board?

**A.** Though the advice for years has been to use plastic cutting surfaces instead of wood, there is discussion as to whether wooden surfaces may actually be better at preventing bacterial growth than plastic surfaces, which seem to harbor them. Whether you choose wood or plastic, use separate boards for raw and cooked foods, and make sure to clean and sanitize after each use. To sanitize cutting boards, wash with warm, soapy water, and then wash again with a solution of two to three teaspoons of household bleach in one quart of warm water. Rinse with plain hot water.

**Q.** Can whole wheat flour be used as a substitute in any recipe that calls for white all-purpose flour?

**A.** Technically speaking, some flours can be substituted for others, but you are not assured of the same results. Substituting whole wheat flour directly in a recipe that calls for white all purpose, will give less volume, a coarser texture, a different taste and a brownish color. Whole wheat flour,



however, can be incorporated into all-purpose flour recipes by using equal amounts of whole wheat and all-purpose flours.

**Q.** I like to prepare mussels but am not sure how to store them at home. Can you help?

**A.** The best way to store mussels is in a colander set over a bowl, covered with a damp towel, in the refrigerator; they can generally be kept for about three days. Before cooking, tap any opened mussels gently on the counter:

If they close tightly, they are still alive and safe to eat; if they don't close tightly, they are dead and should be discarded.

**Q.** What is the government doing to improve the safety of our food supply?

**A.** Though we have one of the safest food supplies in the world, there will always be risks of contamination, and efforts are under way to reduce those risks even further. The U.S. government is working to find more effective inspection methods and is investigating new technologies to improve our ability to detect foodborne pathogens.

**Q.** My child is in day care five days each week. How can I help protect him from foodborne illness when I'm not there?

**A.** Make sure that the people who run the day care center practice appropriate sanitation and food handling techniques. You and the care providers should teach children to wash hands with warm, soapy water before and after going to the bathroom. It's critical for child care providers and parents to remember to wash hands thoroughly after every

diaper check and change. Spread of disease does not require ingestion of food or beverage.

**Q.** Is it necessary to sift flour before using?

**A.** All flour is sifted many times during the milling process. The primary reason that older recipes called for sifting flour was to help ensure that the amount of flour measured in a cup was consistent from cup to cup, and from consumer to consumer so that recipes would turn out the same every time.

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*Marion E. Hubbard is a dietitian with a master's degree in nutrition and is on staff at the Macomb MSU Extension. Contact the food and Nutrition Hotline at 469-5060, Monday, Wednesday and Friday, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Limited income families with children interested in "stretching your food dollars" may call 469-6432 for free classes.*

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If your steps are constructed entirely of brick, look for mortar damage in the treads, where the treads meet the risers, and in joints between the steps and house or walk. Again, repoint if this is necessary.

To replace a broken brick, chisel out the mortar around it, chop out the pieces, and replace. If you need more room to maneuver, remove and replace bricks on either side of the broken one, too.

To repair concrete undercut old concrete so that the patch can make a secure hold. Use a cold chisel or brick chisel for this operation, then thoroughly flush away debris with a

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*Michael J. Kalkhoff is the owner of the HOMETEAM Inspection Service, a local residential inspection company. (810) 412-0165. Write to the Helpful Inspector with your questions. Grosse Pointe News, C/O The Helpful Inspector, 96 Kercheval Ave., Grosse Pointe Farms, Mich. 48236.*

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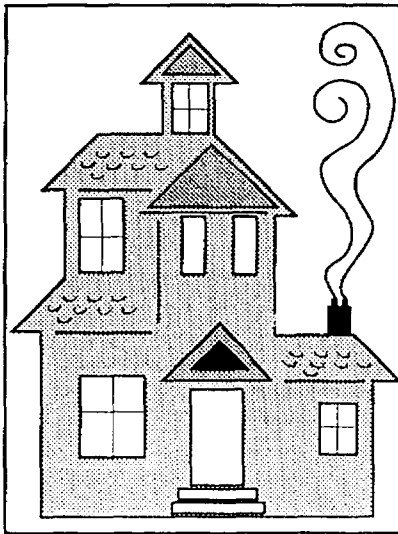
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# How to remodel your home without the headaches

With the summer months approaching, you may be among the many homeowners who are considering home improvements but are frightened by the horror stories of dishonest or unqualified contractors.

"The good news is that by asking the right questions and looking in the right places, you can find a professional, experienced remodeler to do a job that will not only raise your home's value, but also make the home more enjoyable for many years to come," said L. David Kellett, co-chairman of the Builders Association of Southeastern Michigan (BASM) remodelers council and president of Kellett Construction Co. in Bloomfield Hills.

The best places to find qualified contractors are friends, neighbors and local Realtors.

Many homeowners like their neighborhoods and don't relish the expense and trouble of moving, but want a change in space or ameni-

ties. Remodeling makes it possible to upgrade and expand without moving and often rewards the investment with a higher sales price when the house is later put on the market.

"The percentage of a remodeling investment which will be returned depends on the job and the number of years until the house is sold," said Thomas Kellett, co-chairman of BASM's Remodelers Council and vice president of Kellett Construction Co. "A minor kitchen remodeled can return 100 percent of the initial investment, while a new skylight illuminating a room could return even more. A rule of thumb is that any improvement which brings a home up to the level of similar houses in the same neighborhood is a good one."

In choosing a remodeler, the lowest price is not always the best criterion. No two remodelers will do a job exactly the same way. Be as specific as possible and ask the con-

tractor to list the materials and brand names on which he is basing the quote. Be especially wary of a quote significantly lower than the range indicated by the other bidders. With a remodeling project, the lowest price often comes with a sacrifice or compromise of quality workmanship or materials, professionalism, time, supervision, service and follow-up.

By the time you decide to hire a remodeler, you probably already have a fairly good idea of what you want the finished job to look like. A professional remodeler can take your ideas and recommend the most effective ways to achieve the results you are seeking while staying within your budget.

Like any important purchase, a remodeling project is not something to be undertaken spontaneously. Although it may take some time to find a remodeler with whom you feel comfortable and can communicate, it is well worth the effort.

One of the most important things that can be done to learn about a remodeler is to ask for a list of recent projects he's done that are similar to yours. He may have done kitchen remodeling, but that won't be much of an indication of how well he can add an additional level to your home.

Then call the references and visit the site if possible. To be protected from possible legal problems, it's important that you verify that the remodeler has the licenses and permits required to build in your city and is properly insured according to Michigan's regulations.

A good remodeler will want you to do your homework before you sign the contract. In fact, since so much of a remodeler's business comes from referrals, a good remodeler will do everything he can to ensure that the job will reflect well on his company and add one more customer to his list of satisfied clients.

## Study shows local broker ranks among nation's largest firms

A just-released research report produced by the real estate newsletter REAL Trends shows that the 250 largest residential real estate brokerage firms in the nation controlled more than 1.3 million residential sales transactions in 1993. The transactions represent 17 percent of all home sales completed by brokers during the year, yet the REAL Trends Top 250 Brokers represented less than one-twentieth of 1 percent of all

brokerage firms. The 250 megabrokers closed 1,352,082 home transactions during 1993 with a value of more than \$129.7 billion.

Coldwell Banker Residential Brokerage, headquartered in Mission Viejo, Calif., led the Big Brokers Report list as the largest residential brokerage company in the country. The firm, which has 336 company-owned offices and nearly 14,000 sales agents across the United States,

closed 113,221 transactions in 1993. Franchise organizations are not inclusive.

Franchise organization Coldwell Banker Schweitzer Real Estate, headquartered in Sterling Heights, ranked in the Top 100 along with six other franchise organizations across the country. Coldwell Banker Schweitzer ranked 69th in the Big Brokers Report with 4,775 residential transactions closed last year.

Paul R. Schweitzer, president and broker/owner of Coldwell Banker Schweitzer Real Estate, notes that the strength of the affiliate group fortifies the overall strength and market presence of the company. "The larger firms are outperforming the market. With 17 offices and approximately 500 agents, we anticipate a record-breaking year for 1994," Schweitzer said.

## Builders Association hosts seminar on loans for spec homes

The Builders Association of Southeastern Michigan (BASM) will host an educational seminar for "Loans on Specs" on Wednesday, July 13.

The seminar, conducted by Brad Bielfield of Great Lakes Mortgage Company in Birmingham and Sam Kreis of Sterling Bank & Trust in Southfield, will present the banking industry's view of what size spec home can be built, what's selling and where,

and how much capital is necessary for spec home loans.

The seminar will be held from 9 a.m. to noon at BASM Headquarters, 30375 Northwestern Highway, Suite 100, Farmington Hills.

Registration fee is \$20 for BASM members, \$10 for additional members of the same company and \$35 for non-members. For registration information, call (810) 737-4477.

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## I. GROSSE-POINTE SHORES

Address	Bedroom/Bath	Description	Price	Phone
721 Perrien Place	4/2.5	2,700 sq. ft. full Colonial, upgraded, beautifully dec., immac.	Call	881-0789

## II. GROSSE-POINTE WOODS

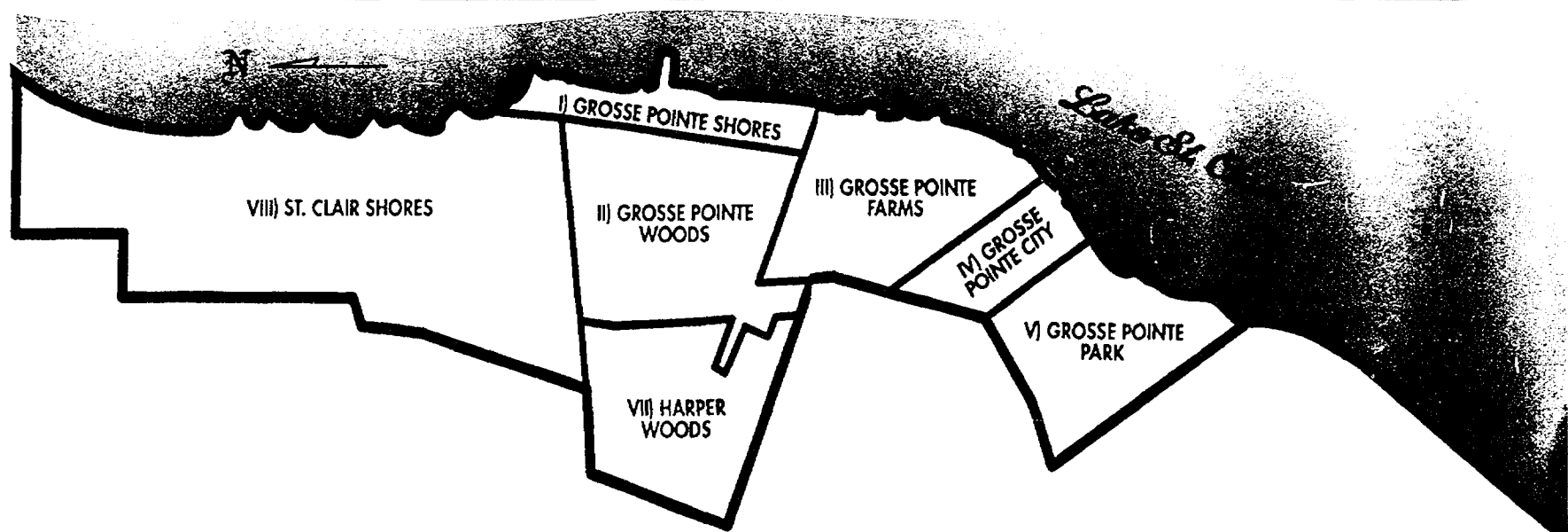
Address	Bedroom/Bath	Description	Price	Phone
803 N. Brys Dr.	5/2.5	Master bedroom with fireplace. Owner.	Reduced \$269,000	885-0990
658 S. Brys	4/2.5	Open Daily. Brick Colonial, lg. fam. rm., f/p, full fin. bsmt.	\$275,000	886-2396
1430 Yorktown	3/2.5	Open Sun. 2-5. By owner. Semi-cape cod, many features incl. 2 unfinished bonus-rooms.	\$199,500	885-5489
636 N. Rosedale Ct.	4/2.5	Open Sun. 1-4. Attractive Colonial in move in cond., many updates. Must See! By owner.	\$245,000	881-6932
356 Carver	3/3.5	By owner - custom villa, 3,200 sq. ft. assumable (See class 800).	Call	417-9521
1986 Stanhope	3/1.5	Brick ranch - Florida room. Must see!	\$105,000	881-9782
1992 VanAntwerp	3/2	Open Sun. 1-4. Colonial, new kit. addition, 1st flr. laundry.	Call	885-9120
19849 Holiday	3/1	Ranch, updated kit., enclosed porch.	\$154,900	881-4449
1549 Hampton	4/2	Award winn. home, 2 lots, large deck/fam. rm., new kit., bath, furnace, cen. air. By owner.	\$163,000	886-6761
969 Hollywood	4/2.5	Open Sun. 2-4. Family room! First floor laundry! Higbie Maxon.	\$245,500	886-3400
2180 Ridgemont	3/2.5	Open Sun. 1-4. Liv. rm. w/nfp, fin bsmt. w/fam. rm. Century 21 East.	\$115,900	886-5040
853 Moorland	4/2.5	Colon. w/fam. rm. w/nfp, lib., bath in mstr. bdrm. Century 21 East.	\$219,900	886-5040
1394 Aline	3/2	Reduced. Newer master suite and C.A.C. Patt Koller, Coldwell Banker Schweitzer Real Estate.	Reduced	886-4200
1291 S. Oxford	4/3.5	Open Sun. 1-5.	\$340,000	881-5201

## III. GROSSE-POINTE FARMS

Address	Bedroom/Bath	Description	Price	Phone
438 Fisher	3/2	Fantastic fam. rm., updated bath. Terms considered. (See Class 800).	\$138,900	882-5117
285 Moran	3/1.5	Open Sun. 2-5. Br. Colonial, fam. rm., newer furn. By owner. No Realtors.	\$189,000	886-4383
387 Mt. Vernon	4/2	Open Sun. 2-5. Charming (See class 800).	\$149,900	885-5074
285 Lothrop	4/2	Cape cod, new kit., furnace, roof, C/A. By owner.	\$229,000	885-5722
363 Hillcrest	3/1.5	Colonial w/nfp, Florida room, fin. bsmt. Century 21 East, Inc.	\$169,900	886-5040
454 Madison	3/1	OPEN SUN. 2-4. Bung. w/den, nfp, hrdwd. flrs. Century 21 East, Inc.	\$128,900	886-5040
310 Mt. Vernon	3/	Bungalow. Lg. rm. sizes. Excl. cond. Crt. location. Carol Pollina. Coldwell Banker Schweitzer Real Estate.	Call	886-5800
180 Hillcrest	3/2	OPEN SUN. 2-4. Spacious col. w/fam. rm. A/C, 2 car att. garage plus much more! Tappan & Associates.	\$280,000	884-6200

## IV. GROSSE-POINTE CITY

Address	Bedroom/Bath	Description	Price	Phone
856 Notre Dame	3/1.5	OPEN SUN. 2-4. The Prudential, Kathy Lenz.	\$149,900	886-3995
587 Lakeland	3/2.5	Prime location! New kit., air, porch & deck. Much more.	\$272,000	881-1359
315 Washington	7/5	Exquisite Renaissance - perfectly maintained. R.G. Edgar & Assoc.	Call	886-6010
354 Washington	4/4	Georgian Colonial with carriage house, pool, buildable lot. R.G. Edgar & Assoc.	Call	886-6010
593 St. Clair	3/1	Renovated home - new kitchen, den and bath. R.G. Edgar & Assoc.	\$120,000	886-6010
810 G.P. Court	3/2	OPEN SUN. 2-4. Family room! Great buy! Higbie Maxon.	\$134,000	886-3400



# RESOURCE

## GROSSE POINTE CITY (cont.)

Address	Bedroom/Bath	Description	Price	Phone
594-6 Neff	3/	Large income. 3 br. each flat - sep. bsmnts. Carol Polling, Coldwell Banker Schweitzer Real Estate.	Call	886-5800
738 Loraine	4/1.5	OPEN SUN. 2-5. Colonial. By owner.	\$189,000	886-6331

## VIII. ST. CLAIR SHORES (cont.)

Address	Bedroom/Bath	Description	Price	Phone
23036 Kipling	3/1.5	Br. Ranch, fam. rm., air, updated kit., new carpet, 2.5 gar.	\$89,500	774-2384
23269 Clairwood	2/2	Canal Home, 1,400 sq. ft. br. ranch. Modern kit.	Call	884-7533
24705 Greater Mack	2/1.5	Open Sun. 2-4. Townhouse condo, att. garage, includes appliances. Tappan & Associates.	\$76,000	884-6200
29138 Jefferson Court	2/2.5	OPEN SUN. 1-5. Reduced! Townhouse with lake access! Higbie Maxon.	\$285,000	886-3400
Windwood Pointe	2/2	Condo, librar, den, bsmt., att. gar., 2,000 sq. ft. 'Tom', Red Carpet Keim.	Page Call	308-3859 771-4000
1055 Woodbridge	2/2	Open Sun. 1-4. Popular dorset unit. Steiber Realty.	Call	775-4900

## V. GROSSE POINTE PARK

Address	Bedroom/Bath	Description	Price	Phone
8 Jefferson Ct.	4/2.5	Open Sun. 2-4. Large renovated home on a private lane, C/A, fam. rm. Tappan & Associates.	\$310,000	884-6200
1205 Whittier	3/1.5	OPEN SUN. 2-4. Reduced! Georgian Colonial with library! Higbie Maxon.	\$175,900	886-3400
830 Bedford	4/2.5	OPEN SUN. 2-4. Unique Tudor with library! Higbie Maxon.	\$267,000	886-3400
1418 Devonshire	5/2.5	OPEN SUN. 2-4. Family room! First floor laundry! Higbie Maxon.	\$184,900	886-3400
1222 Yorkshre	6/3.5	Colonial w/large rms., fam. rm., nfp. Century 21 East, Inc.	\$290,000	886-5040
1006 Buckingham	4/3.5	OPEN SUN. 1-4. Colon. w/fam. rm. nfp, fin. bsmt. Century 21 East, Inc.	Call	886-5040
740 Pemberton	4/2.5	OPEN SUN. 2-4. Fam rm., lib., 1st flr. laundry. Kristina Ziebron, Johnston & Johnstone.	\$239,000	881-6300

## ALL OTHER AREAS

Address	Bedroom/Bath	Description	Price	Phone
Bloomfield Hills The Heathers	2/2	Ranch condo, built 9/93. Club mem., designer decor.	Call	810-335-6581
18332 Stephens EASTPOINTE	3/1.5	Open Sun. 1-4. Owner, beautiful ranch, inground pool, 2 frplcs., excl. cond.	\$115,000	773-1090
Pine Ridge Villa FRASER	3/2.5	Condo. Exquisite! 1st floor laundry, 2 car attd. gar., fin. bsmt. Overlooking golf course. 17,036 sq. ft. Tom, Red Carpet Keim.	Page Call	308-3859 771-4000

## VI. DETROIT

Address	Bedroom/Bath	Description	Price	Phone
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## VII. HARPER WOODS

Address	Bedroom/Bath	Description	Price	Phone
20862 Beaufait	4/1	Br. Bung., many updates, G.P. Schools. Sue Vogel, Century 21 East.	\$89,500	886-5040
21199 Lochmoor	3/1.5	Brk. Colonial. G.P. Schools. Don, RE/MAX.	\$123,000	533-2800
20202 Lancaster	4/1	Open Sun. 1-4. Br., G.P. Schools, new kit., updated thruout, oversized lot. MJM Realty.	\$84,900	588-6400
20036 Damman Rd.	3/1	Open Sun. 12-4. Br. Bung., remld kit., nat. fp.	\$88,500	886-5014

## VIII. ST. CLAIR SHORES

Address	Bedroom/Bath	Description	Price	Phone
29132 Jefferson Ct.	2/2.5	Beautiful Water view from balconies, condo. R.G. Edgar & Assoc.	\$300,000	886-6010
33376 Jefferson	2/2	Lovely condo. Priced to sell! R.G. Edgar & Assoc.	\$139,900	886-6010



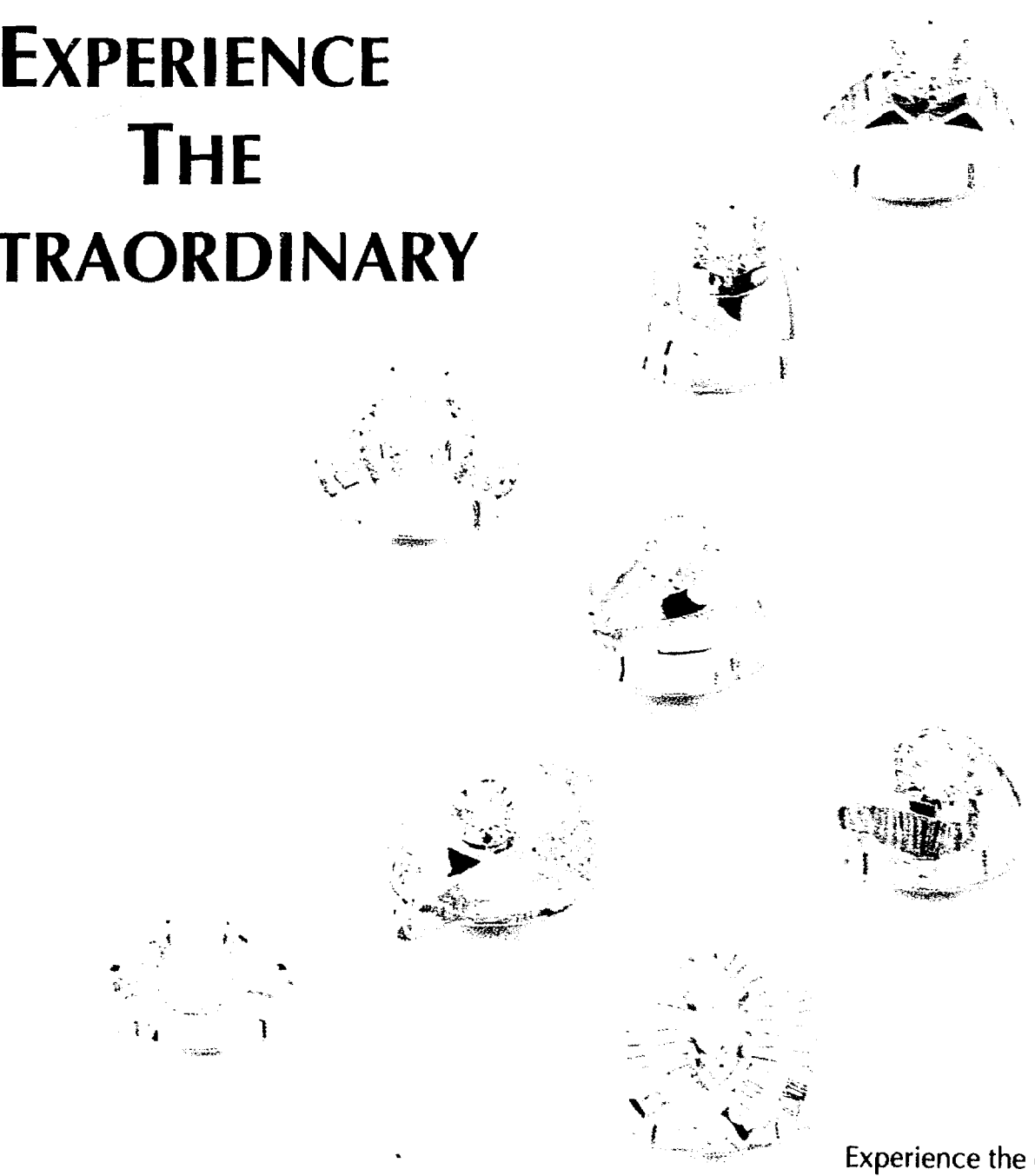
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# PEOPLE IN BUSINESS

GROSSE POINTE NEWS & THE CONNECTION

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## The excitement of art

For Robert and Jo Ann Barto, owners of the Grosse Pointe Gallery, 19869 Mack in Grosse Pointe Woods, the secret to providing Grosse Pointers with exciting and challenging art is simple — provide patrons with something that isn't found everywhere.

Since the Bartos opened their gallery last year, they have been well-received by art patrons and interior designers who have told them how much they appreciate the artworks and the quality of the framing that enhances the beauty of the art.

"We work with a number of interior designers," Robert Barto said. "Just last week, we sold two large works to a local designer who couldn't find them before she came to us. I located them in one day and the designer was thrilled. So was her client."

The Grosse Pointe Gallery specializes in Limited Editions serigraph, lithograph, sculpture and glass, all done by the best internationally known artists.

The Bartos are always looking for exciting new things. They recently started selling decorative dolls from Paris that have porcelain heads, arms and feet. The dolls are colorful, can be placed anywhere and make great conversation pieces. People love them.

"One day a woman came in and bought two dolls; then her husband came in later and bought two more for gifts because he liked them so much. He said, 'They're great. They just make you smile. They really do.'"

The gallery also has original oils, watercolors, bronze animal sculptures and fountains, hand-blown glass perfume bottles, vases, flowers and access to more than 100 icons from the 18th and 19th centuries.

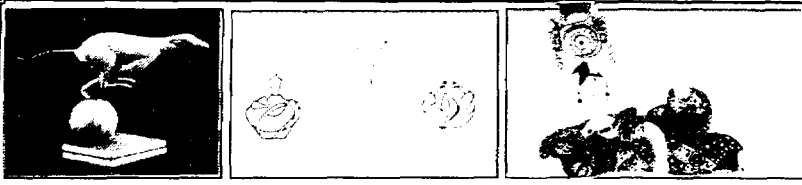
All items have unbelievable workmanship and quality.

The Grosse Pointe Gallery also has Peter Cooper, who has run large galleries in Chicago and Michigan for the last 25 years. Cooper's love of art comes naturally. His father was the official portrait painter in London for the royal family and for Winston Churchill.

The Grosse Pointe Gallery has artworks priced from \$350 to \$4,000.

The Bartos stress QUALITY, VALUE AND SERVICE. They offer NO COST financing and lay-away plans. And they encourage clients to feel comfortable browsing and looking around.

Interested art patrons are urged to visit the Grosse Pointe Gallery, 19869 Mack in Grosse Pointe Woods, next to the Cheesecake Shoppe.



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## Edmund T. Ahee Jewelers, a family tradition for nearly half a century



Edmund T. Ahee Jeweler's staff, from left to right, are: Jerry Heft, Sue Julian, John Ahee, Laura Boesiger, Pamela Ahee Thomas, Lisa Stavale, Peter Ahee, Andrea Arabia and Gary Fleming.

Edmund T. Ahee Jewelers has been a family tradition for the past 47 years.

They offer their customers exquisite design and quality. This award-winning jewelry store is believed to have one of the largest fine jewelry collections in the Midwest.

Customer service is (and has always been) most important to the Ahee family. Their atmosphere is unlike any other jewelry store — a pianist seated at a grand piano plays every Friday and Saturday and during the holiday season. They have a daily assortment of coffee, cider, candies and French pastries.

Edmund T. Ahee manufactures most of the Jewelry they carry right in their own workshop — made up of several master goldsmiths from around the world — right in the back of store. Their store is considered to be one of the most advanced in the Midwest.

Award-winning designer Pamela Ahee Thomas designs and creates world class quality jewelry items for display in Ahee's showcases or to their customer's satisfactions.

The Ahee family imports all of their own raw materials, including loose diamonds (purchased in Antwerp, Belgium), precious and semi-precious colored gemstones and pearls.

Fine collection quality gems are set into precious metals and sculpted into fine jewelry by world class craftsmen.

Importing their own stones and designing and manufacturing the jewelry right on the premises allows Ahee to offer exquisite quality masterpieces at very affordable prices. While the Edmund T. Ahee Jewelers make many breathtaking, one-of-a-kind masterpieces, they also carry items in a wide variety of price ranges with items starting well under \$100.

G.I.A. graduate gemologists are right on the premises and their trained sales professionals can assist you in understanding the qualities and varieties of fine jewelry.

Diamonds and diamond settings are a specialty at Edmund T. Ahee Jewelers. You can choose from the selection of hundreds of settings in their showrooms or create a setting to meet your individual wishes.

Their designs range from the most traditional to that which is very unique and progressive. Their loose diamond collection is most extensive — something to fit every budget and desire. Ahee's special working arrangement in Antwerp on the diamond market makes their prices most favorable.

From the prompt and courteous service to the personal attention and assistance to the terrific value and elegant packaging and wrapping, those who visit Edmund T. Ahee Jewelers in Grosse Pointe Woods are sure to have a most rewarding shopping experience. In addition to customers in the area, many drive in from distant places to do business with Ahee's sales professionals on Ahee's toll free line (1-800-987-AHEE). They can as-

sist you in making the best selection and ship your purchase to you overnight.

Edmund T. Ahee started his company in 1947. His first store was located in the lobby of his uncle's bowling alley — Harper Recreation.

Later, he moved around the corner to Harper and Van Dyke. In 1968, he moved to his current location. All of his children, Lowell, Edmund Jr., Pamela, Peter, Gregory, Christopher and John, work in the jewelry business.

Edmund T. Ahee Jewelers was awarded the first ever Landmark Award in Grosse Pointe Woods in 1987. They have also received numerous beautification awards, The Best of Detroit Award by Detroit Monthly, and, of course, awards in jewelry design.



The Ahee family has also been very active in philanthropies in the city. These include St. John Hospital, Casa Maria, Alsac-St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, the International Institute, Channel 56/WTVS, the Michigan Cancer Foundation, the Michigan Opera Theater, the Cardinal Club and the Capuchin Soup Kitchen and Community Center.

Each year, the family sponsors the Capuchin Souper Summer Celebration. The 13th annual event will be held at 7 p.m. Friday, July 22. Entertainment will be provided by Anthony Birchett and Company, the Johnny Trudell Orchestra, Royce and Tinilau and his Wahines.

Monies are raised during the event and in advance through raffle ticket sales. Last year, more than \$170,000 was raised. All food, entertainment and more than \$25,000 in jewelry prizes are donated by the Ahees and 100 percent of proceeds go directly to the Capuchin Community Center. The Center serves more than 100 hot meals daily, in addition to food packages, counseling, shelter and recreation for Detroit's less fortunate.

Edmund T. Ahee Jewelers is located at 20139 Mack Ave., between 7 & 8 Mile roads, at the corner of Oxford in Grosse Pointe Woods. Business hours are Monday through Saturday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Thursday hours are 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Edmund T. Ahee Jewelers has been a family tradition for nearly half a century. Why not make them part of your family tradition?

## Shores Home Design Center is committed to customer satisfaction

One of the most important decisions a homeowner can make is to remodel or add on to his or her home. That's why it's vitally important that when that decision is made that the homeowner picks the right company to do the work. Bill Karns, owner of the Shores Home Design Center knows that, and is willing to do what it takes to give the customer quality work at a reasonable price.

Shores Home Design Center consists of several businesses, including Pointe Windows and Motor City Modernization. These two companies are located at 22621 Harper in St. Clair Shores.

"Pointe Window is a store that specializes in windows, as well as doors," said Karns. "We're a distribution center for the Marvin and Pella custom wood window companies. We also carry fusion welded and solid vinyl windows,

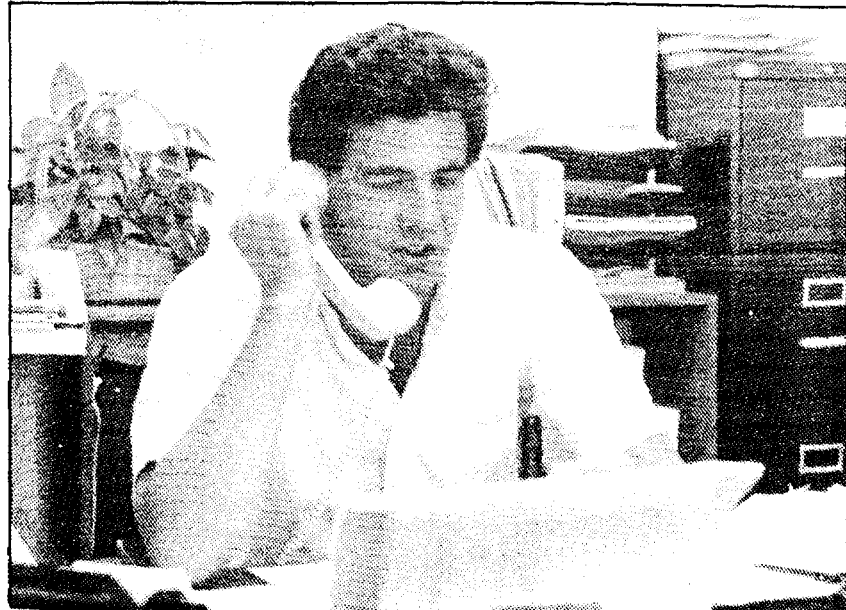
builders of quality remodeling projects.

"These days, more than ever, remodeling is a good idea," said Karns. "It adds value to the home, and with land scarce in Grosse Pointe, it makes a lot of sense to add a second floor, or build another room."

Motor City is a distributor for Quaker-Maid cabinet products, and is a certified Corian fabricator. Corian products are a special type of solid surface material made by Du Pont, said Karns.

"The advantage of Corian is that it is a solid color all the way through and it resists chips, scratches and cracking and comes with a 10-year warranty," Karns said.

Motor City also boasts a 7,000-square foot showroom full of kitchen and bath modeling ideas, as well as a large selection of ce-



Bill Karns, owner of Shore Home Design Center is hard at work assuring customer satisfaction.

and many of the windows we carry are made right here in Michigan."

Besides selling custom windows, Pointe Windows installs them. Karns said that window installation is as important as proper window selection. Pointe Window also sells and installs doors.

"We have IWP, Simpson and Perma-Door products," Karns said. "We carry wood, fiber glass and steel entry doors. We are also a dealer for Fox Aluminum products, which includes storm doors and storm windows. We have a staff of pros who want to serve the public."

Pointe Windows is open from 8:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Friday, said Karns. Saturday hours are from 9 a.m. to noon. Special evening appointments can be set up by calling 777-8200.

As for Motor City Modernizations, Karns says that they are

ramic tiles. They also carry plumbing fixtures from such companies as Kohler, Delta, Moen, Blanco and Artists Brass.

"We follow a project from concept to completion," said Karns. "We do in-home estimates for any remodeling project, and are eager to serve our customers."

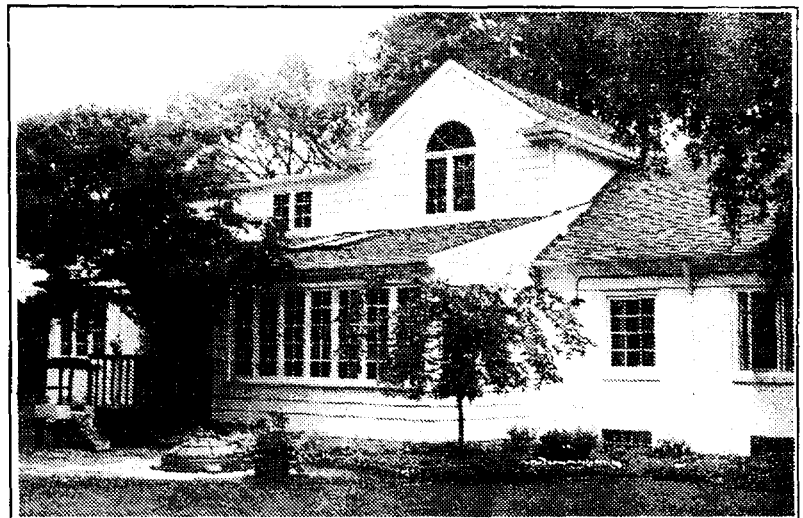
Motor City Modernization is open from 8:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Friday, and from 9 a.m. to noon on Saturdays. Anyone interested in an evening appointment should call 777-4160.

"We have over 20 years of experience in custom renovations from large and small projects," Karns said. "Personalized service is how we serve our customers and we have make sure that every project is one in a professional and timely manner."

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## Philip F. Greco Title Co. has grown during 22 years

The Philip F. Greco Title Co. started with three employees in one office in Mount Clemens 22 years ago. It opened its fifth office last summer, in the Farms, and may soon be opening a sixth. Greco Title now has 220 employees.

Philip F. Greco Title Co. provides a full complement of escrow services, from preparation of closing documents for real estate brokers to deed escrows and new construction servicing. They also close commercial loans and do mortgage closings.

"Most real estate purchase agreements require that property owners provide title insurance," said Farms office manager Sue Cowan. "This policy ensures that the new buyer is the only one who owns an interest in the property. If the buyer is purchasing the property via a mortgage, the lender usually requires a mortgage title policy as well."

Philip F. Greco Title Co. offers title insurance to real estate agencies, as well as taking care of the paperwork involved in closing the sale of a home or commercial property.

"There's a lot of paperwork involved in the selling of a house," Cowan said. "Once a house is sold, completing the paperwork to the satisfaction of all parties can take up to a month. It's easier for a real estate company to hire us, or a company like us to take care of business."

"By hiring us, we do the waiting and free them up to do what they do best — sell homes."

Philip F. Greco Title Co. has two Grosse Pointe offices, one in the Farms at 121 Kercheval, Suite B, and one in the Woods at 19455 Mack.

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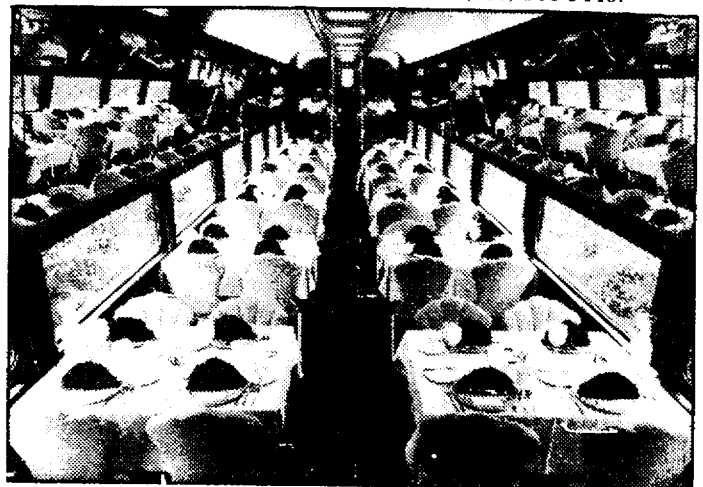
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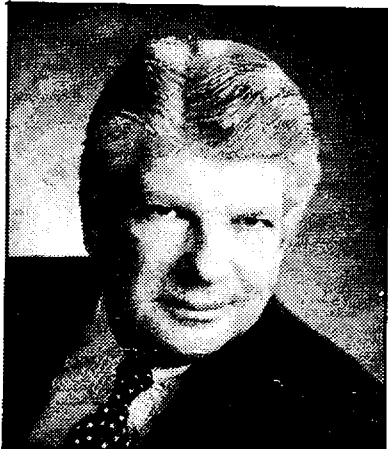




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If you're looking for a full-time real estate broker, go to Bolton-Johnston Associates of Grosse Pointe, where 32 full-time, experienced, professional Realtors are on staff.

"All of our sales people are full-time Realtors," said President Forman S. Johnston. "The business is very complex now."



**Forman S. Johnston**

Co-owner and Vice President Nanci Bolton agreed: "There is constantly changing legislation that affects the industry."

"The market changes constantly," Johnston added. "It's hard for a part-time person to keep up on it. We (Bolton-Johnston) are constantly educating our people."

In fact, Bolton-Johnston invests in its associates by paying for one-half the cost of advanced real estate courses. The firm was awarded by the Grosse Pointe Board of Realtors for having the highest percentage of agents with advanced real estate designations.

The company's roots in real estate go back 30 years and Bolton-Johnston Associates has files on nearly every home in the Pointes, making the histories of listed homes possible.

Between the two of them, Bolton and Johnston have more than three decades of real estate experience and are both past presidents of the Grosse Pointe Board of Realtors. Bolton is currently a Director of the Grosse Pointe Board, and Johnston is a Director of the National Association of Realtors, as well as the State Association.

They recently merged two Grosse Pointe offices into a single new building they constructed next to Village Foods on Mack in Grosse Pointe Farms.

Technology and state-of-the-art computerization are important to Bolton-Johnston and a necessity in the real estate industry today, says Johnston, whose computers have a direct link to the multilisting ser-

vice for up-to-the-minute listing data, color photographs of listed homes and market analyses.

Bolton-Johnston also is most proud of its relocation program and its accredited director, Dianna Smith.

"We've really focused on building our relocation department over the past five years and we've seen some real growth in that department," Bolton said.

Bolton-Johnston is a member of RELO, the oldest and largest executive relocation organization in the country, and is also affiliated with Associates Relocation Management Inc., which handles the relocation needs of the Ford Motor Co. and some federal government departments and major law firms, etc. Likewise, Bolton-Johnston is affiliated with Argonaut Realty, which handles General Motors transferees.

In an auto-related community such as the Pointes, the importance of Bolton-Johnston's relocation department is obvious.

"This gives us the ability to service our clients and customers here who are moving to another state or another country," Bolton said — not to mention those desiring to move into the Pointes. "Buyers from around the world," she said.



**Nanci Bolton**

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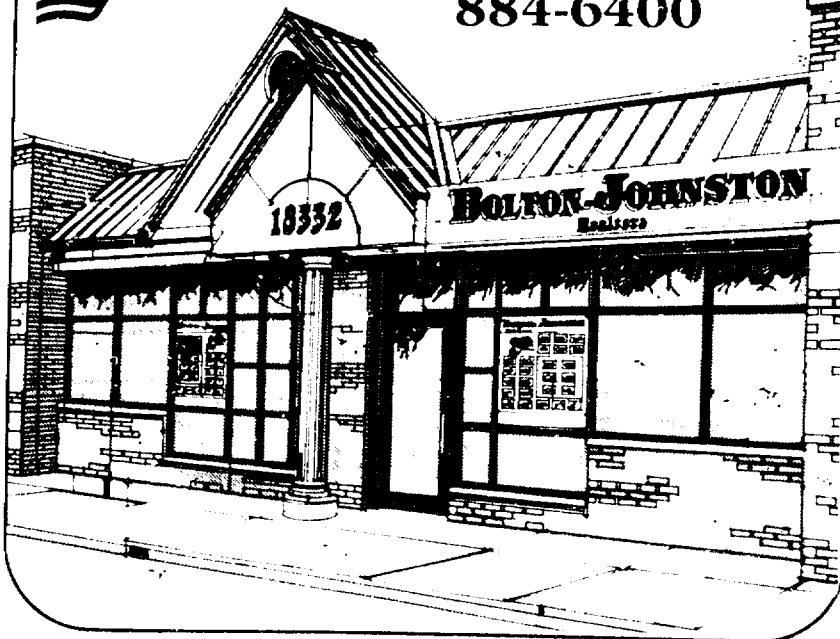
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# Woods Optical Studios offers complete care

Woods Optical Studios, 19599 Mack in Grosse Pointe Woods, is committed to complete vision care for its customers.

"We hope people come to see us when they want the best possible care," said Tim Wylie, vice president. "We help people understand the changes in their prescriptions, for instance. We don't just sell glasses. We understand the vision needs of our customers."

Robert R. Feldman, doctor of optometry, is on staff at Woods Optical.

"We also offer eye examinations and we fit eyeglasses and contact lenses," Wylie said. "And we fit special products such as Varilux progressive lenses, Transitions, reflection-free lenses, thin and light lenses, ultra-violet protection, computer glasses and special glasses for sports, golf and various occupations."

"We also have the area's largest selection of children's eyewear — even a special fitting room for children," he said.

"We don't have sales clerks who want to sell you the optical product 'du jour,'" Wylie said. "Instead, we have highly skilled, certified opticians who know the proper procedure for fitting eyeglasses."

And Woods Optical's laboratory is on the premises. The process of putting lenses and frames together is completed on-site.

"This finishing process means we have better quality control," Wylie said.

Cataract patients are special, he added.

"We order their lenses, which take a day or two to arrive. Then we call the patient, make an appointment. We fit their lenses while they wait."

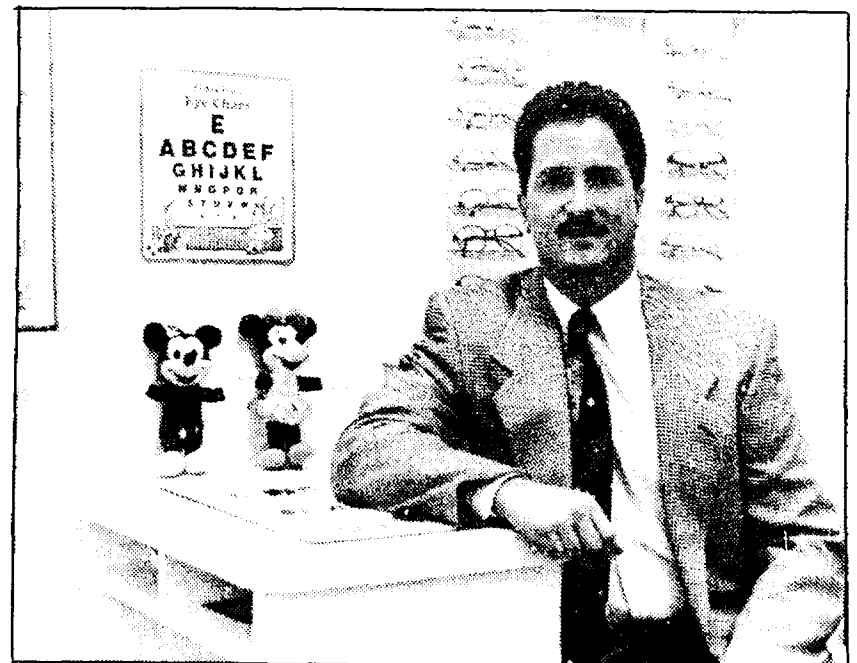
Woods Optical Studios has gotten involved in educating youngsters about the need for good eye care by providing brochures and teaching materials for parents and teachers in local schools. The company also sponsors T-ball and soccer teams at the Grosse Pointe Neighborhood Club.

In addition to regular business hours, Woods Optical Studios is open on Saturdays and Monday evenings. For information or an appointment, call 882-9711.



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Tim Wylie



# Eastside Eye Physicians think RK is OK

At Eastside Eye Physicians, Radial Keratotomy has become an integral part of the medical practice. Drs. Neal Krasnick and Anne Nachazel consider the surgery an "exciting" procedure.

"We evaluated it very thoroughly and made sure it was a safe and predictable procedure before we decided to add it to our practice," says Nachazel. "Although we don't exclusively do RK, we do a lot of RK because we're very interested in it and our patients are interested in having it done."

Radial Keratotomy falls under the category of refractive surgery. A refractive error means the eye doesn't see perfectly without corrective lenses. Some examples of refractive errors are nearsightedness, farsightedness and astigmatism.

RK is aimed at correcting nearsightedness. Krasnick said the procedure involves making between four and eight incisions in the clear surface of the eye called the cornea. The incisions are made in the configuration of wheel spokes and do not intersect at the center of the cornea.

"We alter the shape of the cornea, flattening it," he said. He added that the incisions are microscopic scars that are invisible to the naked eye.

Astigmatism can be corrected with two arc or transverse incisions. This is called Astigmatic Keratotomy.

The procedure from beginning to end, he said, takes about 10 minutes and starts with a non-injected topical anesthetic.

"No shots," Krasnick said.

A small amount of Valium is used to relax and sedate the patient. Once the eye is secured open, the cornea is measured for thickness. With a steady hand, the surgeon makes the incisions 90 percent into the thickness of the cornea.

"The patients don't feel the incisions at all. There's no pain," said Krasnick. He added that he talks to patients before the start of the procedure to calm and reassure them.

As with any surgery, there are potential risks and side effects, Nachazel said, but the surgery has a 96 percent success rate.

"A wise patient is well-informed prior to making the decision (to have the surgery), which is why we offer free seminars to the public twice a month.

"The reason we got into RK," Nachazel continued, "was that, number one, people who are nearsighted do not view their eyes as quite normal eyes. We look at their eyes and say, 'OK, there's no disease in the eye, there's no patholo-



Dr. Anne Nachazel prepares a patient for surgery. A small amount of valium is used to relax and sedate the patient.

gy' but the nearsighted folks don't view that as normal because they can't get up and drive and so forth without their glasses.

"Because these people are not happy, and there is a surgical treatment, we decided to look into it."

"We had extensive training in RK. Refractive surgery is a microsurgical procedure. We've had extensive training in microsurgery on the cornea and other parts of the eye," said Krasnick.

"When we started doing RK, we went to observe some of the masters in the field," he said. "In addition, we took courses and practiced in the laboratory, applying our knowledge and techniques that we had learned over the years. It was really just a natural progression to doing refractive surgery. We're very comfortable with it and getting excellent results."

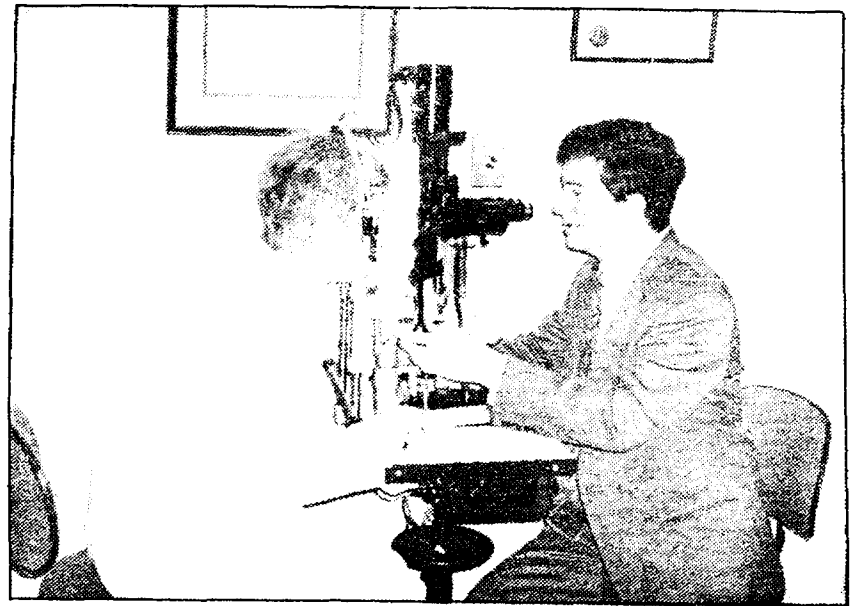
Both surgeons said two strong points of the surgery are its safety and predictability. But they also agreed that the procedure isn't for everyone.

"You have to meet certain criteria. If you are extremely nearsighted, it may be difficult to get as predictable a result and we advise those patients to consider other methods of corrections or keep their glasses or contacts," said Krasnick.

A candidate for RK must undergo a complete eye examination and must have no eye diseases, rheumatoid arthritis or lupus. A complete medical history is also taken.

Patients are asked to come in for follow-up visits the day after the surgery, two weeks after, one month, two months, six months and a year, said Nachazel.

"It's important to mention that we cannot guarantee that you're going to throw away your glasses and never need them again. We can tell you that you'll decrease your dependence on the glasses.



Dr. Neal Krasnick examines an RK patient at Eastside Eye Physicians.

*'We had extensive training in RK. Refractive surgery is a microsurgical procedure. We've had extensive training in microsurgery on the cornea and other parts of the eye.'*

Dr. Neal Krasnick  
Eastside Eye Physicians

But a small percentage of people will still need glasses for night driving but be able to get by during the day without glasses," Nachazel said.

And then there's the unavoidable phenomenon of needing reading glasses at age 45 whether you've had RK or not.

The personable doctors, along with associate Henri Bernard, practice comprehensive ophthalmology, treating a variety of eye ailments and stressing family eye care. Their patients are becoming younger, because more young people are becoming interested in eliminating the need for glasses and contacts.

They pride themselves on their access to the latest treatment technologies and, according to Nachazel, practice surgery frequently.

Krasnick, married with three children, attended the University of Michigan for his undergraduate degree and earned his medical degree at Wayne State University. Nachazel, also married, earned her undergraduate degree at the University of Notre Dame and her medical degree at the Medical College of Wisconsin.



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If you need service, whether living in the Grosse Pointe area or not, Grosse Pointe Auto Works and John Kupiec, owner, operator and manager, is there for you.

Kupiec has been the owner of the business for three years. He offers 40 years of all-around experience.

Grosse Pointe Auto Works is located on Kercheval at Maryland in Grosse Pointe Park, next door to Sparky Herbert's. The location of Kupiec's business is where an old car dealership stood until 1979. The art gallery on Kupiec's right used to be the showroom, while Sparky Herbert's was the parts department.

The proximity to a residential area makes Grosse Pointe Auto Works a corner store type of business in the model of the service stations of days gone by.

"I offer a personalized service," says Kupiec. "When it's auto-related, we do it all!"

Grosse Pointe Auto Works, Kupiec said, is Grosse Pointe's only full-service automotive maintenance facility. Ten thousand square feet of floor space (which includes 13 hoists) allows Kupiec to do it all when it comes to vehicle maintenance. Grosse Pointe Auto Works offers service on all makes of domestic and foreign cars, light trucks and recreation vehicles.

Kupiec will do everything he can to make certain the job you need done gets done.

Grosse Pointe Auto Works is open from 7:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Monday through Friday and 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday. Telephone: 822-3003.

## New help for snorers

For many people, snoring is more than just a minor annoyance, it is a major problem. These people snore habitually, often creating lack of adequate sleep and great stress for themselves and their partners.

Snoring is caused by the vibration of tissue at the back of the throat, often accompanied by the vibration of the uvula, the small fleshy piece hanging down from the soft palate above the back of the tongue. Snoring may also occur in people suffering from a condition known as sleep apnea, experienced with the collapse of the upper airway during sleep. People with sleep apnea literally stop breathing periodically during the night, and snore when fighting to breathe.

Traditionally, snoring has long been ignored by the medical community, considered a mere social problem. New studies show, however, that snoring may be a risk factor for more serious medical disorders, such as high blood pressure, angina and heart disease.

Treatment for these patients has included surgery, whereby the tonsils, uvula and soft palate edge have been removed. Done under general anesthesia in a hospital setting, this procedure poses some health risks (as do most surgeries),

can be painful and often causes patients to miss long periods of work. Also considered a cosmetic procedure, most insurance companies do not cover the treatment of snoring.

However, a new procedure has recently been developed called Laser Assisted Uvulo Palatoplasty (LAUP). Using a fiberoptic laser tool, the uvula is trimmed and two incisions are made on either side. As the incisions heal, scars form, pulling the palate up. Done as a series of three to five treatments, the process is complete when the patient no longer snores. This procedure is done in an outpatient setting under local anesthetic, the patient is given pain medication and mild antibiotics that enable him to return to work the next day. LAUP has a success rate of eighty-five to ninety percent.

People with serious snoring problems or suffering with sleep apnea have other options to try as well. For instance, keeping a healthy and appropriate weight, and avoiding alcohol and other sedatives will reduce the chances of experiencing these disorders. However, if the problem still exists and interferes with your ability to function on a daily basis, LAUP may be the solution for you.

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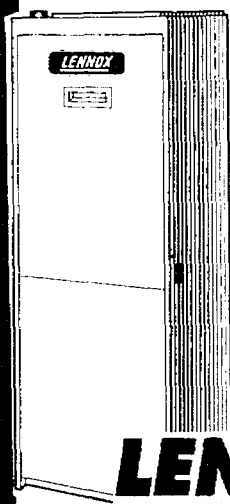
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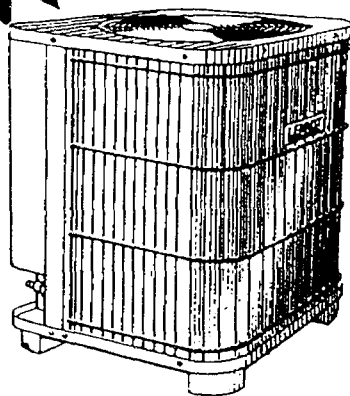


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## Sutton Maison

Unique.

That one word fully describes Sutton Maison, a home accessories shop located on Kercheval in the Village.

Since opening in 1989, Sutton Maison has provided the self-decorator with unusual, one-of-a-kind items like imported French tapestry pillows, lace tablecloths, and delicate porcelain pieces.

"Everything we sell is one-of-a-kind," said Ann Sutton, owner of Sutton Maison. "You won't see the same merchandise over and over. And we buy things you won't find anywhere else."

Customer Service is at the top of the list of what's important to Sutton.

"The most important aspect of our business is our customers," she said. "We wouldn't be here without them."

Things are always changing at Sutton Maison, always something new coming in.

"I always want people to walk by our window and wonder what we're up to," Sutton said.

And what's Sutton up to lately?

"We've added a furniture line, featuring hand-painted accessory pieces," she said. "We've also expanded our selection of art work, which we feature at competitive prices."

"We also feature a line of imported greeting cards, along with wrapping paper."

The newest addition to Sutton Maison is a catalog featuring custom gift baskets, ideal for personal and corporate gift-giving.

"We can put together a basket with any items the customer wants," Sutton said. "Our prices range from \$18 to \$150."

And while Sutton is excited over the new catalog venture, she still values the personal contact she has enjoyed over the years with her customers.

"It's nice to see customers return," she said. "We get to know each other on a first name basis. We love to have people come by to see what's new."

Sutton Maison is located at 17110 Kercheval, or call 886-3110.



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## Flame Furnace: A pilot in the business for 45 years

Every customer at Flame Furnace gets the same attention to quality and service.

Flame's management team consists of board chairman and founder Robert Marowske, his son, Gary, president, and son-in-law, Joseph Clor, vice president. A cousin, Tim Marowske, runs the installation department. But you won't find titles on their business cards — they all pitch in, do whatever it takes.

"Titles don't mean much around here. It's the customer that's important," says Gary Marowske.

The senior Marowske started the business in 1949 on Van Dyke and Lynch Road with \$200 and a truck that came without a heater because the company couldn't afford it.

Today, Flame Furnace has four locations, more than 65 vehicles and nearly 100 employees.

Bob is "retired," but he still goes in every day.

"I'm supposed to be retired," he said. "I only work 10 hours a day now."

Flame is the largest Lennox dealer in Michigan, as well as the largest residential and commercial heating and cooling contractor in the state. Flame's 17 uniformed servicemen make 80 to 140 calls a day. During the recent near 100-degree heat wave, Flame's phone rang off the wall with 500 to 800 calls.

"Business has been good," said Gary Marowske, who described Flame as the "best in the business" and "at moderate prices." Flame Furnace was named "1993 Contractor of the Year" nationwide by Contractor magazine.

"We do what we say we're going to do; we show up when we say we're going to show up," Marowske said.

Flame Furnace does a tremendous amount of work in the Grosse Pointes, where all the Marowskes live. The company has installed and serviced furnaces in the Pointes' largest homes, some requiring up to eight furnaces. In fact, Flame visits many homes monthly to clean dirty electronic air filters, sometimes four to a home. The company replaces the dirty filters with ones that have been cleaned in a commercial dishwasher back at the shop — just another service that keeps satisfied, loyal customers.

Flame Furnace is widely known for its "drop cloths." Every where a Flame serviceman or installer walks is first covered with drop cloths. In fact, the company had to purchase a commercial clothes washer and dryer just to handle the drop cloths.

"We're clean and we're neat,"



Flame Furnace management team: chairman and founder Robert Marowske, right, president Gary Marowske, left, and vice president Joseph Clor.

says Gary Marowske.

Flame is a complete commercial and residential furnace and air conditioning installer with 19 experienced installation crews supported by seven electricians and a CAD/CAM sheetmetal shop. The importance to the customer is that Flame can do the complete installation, including electrical hookup, without having to rely on outside contractors.

Furthermore, Flame Furnace carries an extensive inventory of parts, duct work, motors, etc., so that your service call isn't delayed due to a "part on order."

Flame Furnace also handles commercial refrigeration, and its servicemen are trained and licensed in refrigerant recovery, a \$50,000 investment for Flame.

The company has also given back to the community. Robert Marowske helped with the girls softball league at the Neighborhood Club when it started with only four teams, and Flame continues to support the programs there. Flame Furnace was also one of the sponsors of the Mack Avenue fireworks recently, which were doomed without business and individual donations.

Flame's good reputation is due in part to its longtime employees, many of whom have been with the company a decade or more. Flame is so proud of the longevity of its employees that their number of years with the company is stitched on their uniforms under their names.

"We have very little turnover," Gary Marowske said.

Flame Furnace's reputation also lands it some unique jobs, such as the William Clay Ford Pilot House at the Dossin Museum and the current one at the Manoojian Mansion in Detroit, where a large steam boiler system is being replaced with a five furnace/air conditioner forced-air system.

The bottom line for Flame is customer service by experienced, professional personnel.

"We're really service oriented," pledges Gary Marowske.

# Local radiology clinic offers diagnostic services

Grosse Pointe Physicians X-Ray Center, an outpatient radiology clinic at 21003 Mack in Grosse Pointe Woods, has announced that Dual Energy X-ray bone densitometry exams are now covered by Medicare and some Blue Cross/Blue Shield policies.

"Bone densitometry exams provide the earliest method for detecting osteoporosis," said Dr. Rojan Samudrala, section chief of ultrasonography.

The National Osteoporosis Foundation describes osteoporosis as a condition in which the skeleton becomes so weakened that the slightest injury can cause a broken bone. The painful, disfiguring and disabling condition affects 24 million people in the United States, most of them older women.

It's the most common cause of hip fractures, which can result in loss of independence, permanent disability, even death.

"Osteoporosis has been called the silent thief," Samudrala explained, "because there are no early warn-

ing signs and few indications of the disease until a fracture actually occurs."

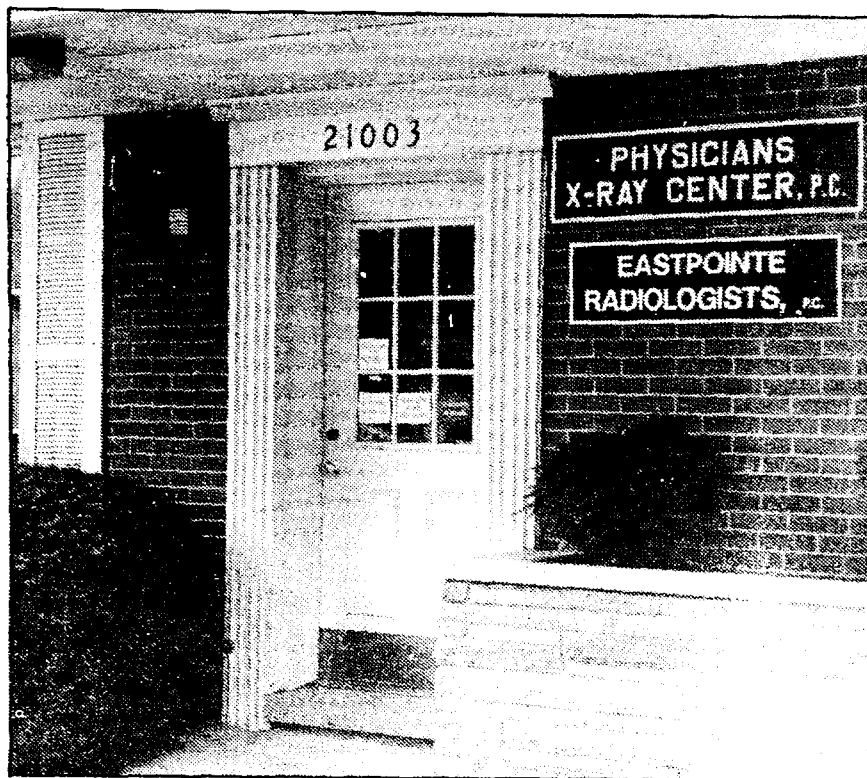
Grosse Pointe Physicians X-ray Center has been performing bone densitometry exams for approximately 10 years and currently uses Dual Energy X-ray absorptometry.

"Bone densitometry exams are painless and take about a half hour," said Renee DeSchutter, R.T., RDMS, a registered X-ray technologist with the clinic.

Grosse Pointe Physicians X-ray Center also offers diagnostic X-rays (general radiographs, gastrointestinal radiographs and miscellaneous studies); mammography; and ultrasound.

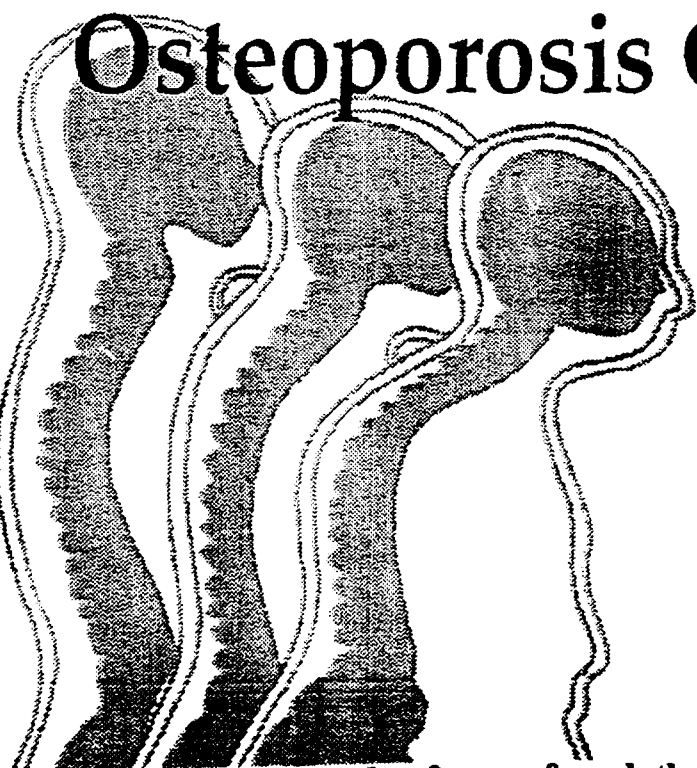
The clinic offers prompt appointment scheduling, quick reports, Saturday hours, a board certified radiologist on site, and a loyal, caring staff — along with its complete range of diagnostic services. Most patients are referred by their physicians.

For more information, call 881-0411.



Grosse Pointe Physicians X-ray Center has been located at 21003 Mack in Grosse Pointe Woods since 1957.

## Osteoporosis Can Be Prevented



### Risk Factors

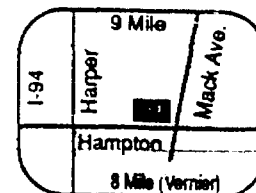
- Postmenopausal Women
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# Hadley Home Improvement Treasures under your feet

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Bill Hadley, President of Hadley Home Improvement, and his proficient craftsmen have many years combined experience in all areas of remodeling, and their sales staff are highly trained individuals who can offer expert advice on home improvement. With so many experts in-house, it enables them to ensure quality, professional service to each and every customer.

One other way to ensure customer satisfaction is through their recently developed "Customer's Roofing Expectation List." Most people replace their roof only once, and many people do not know what

to expect or how to prepare for it. Hadley Home Improvement provides their customers with a list of important points to be aware of to better prepare them for this renovation to their home. As with every job that Hadley Home Improvement does, they are honest and straightforward, and stand behind the work that they perform.

In addition to their home improvement company, Hadley also owns Grosse Pointe Painting for interior and exterior painting, and paper hanging. Using only the highest quality materials, Grosse Pointe Painters are just the people you need to finish your newly renovated living space, or provide that beautiful new look you've been dreaming of.

All jobs are inspected daily to ensure quality of service and complete customer satisfaction. All work comes with a five year warranty, as well as manufacturer's warranty. But Hadley does not hesitate to provide service and advice even after the warranty expires.

Hadley Home Improvement has been providing quality service to the Grosse Pointes and surrounding suburbs for almost twenty years, and fully stands behind their work. Honest and highly qualified, Hadley Home Improvement and Grosse Pointe Painters are fully licensed and insured.

For a free estimate, phone Hadley Home Improvement at 886-0520. Office hours are 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., but voice mail hours are twenty four hours a day, seven days. Grosse Pointe Painters can be reached by phoning 882-9234.



Kamran Karimpour

Woven Treasures, 269 S. Woodward in Birmingham, sells fine Persian and Oriental rugs. Owner Kamran Karimpour came to the United States 17 years, graduated from Oakland University and decided stay in the country that he had grown to love.

He's been in business for seven years, three years at the Birmingham location.

"Since I was a small child growing up in Iran, I've had a love affair with Oriental rugs, Karimpour said.

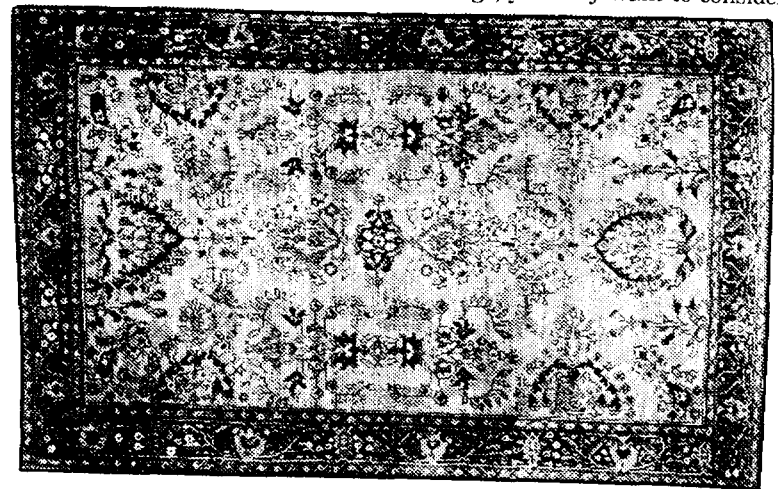
"I can still smell the aromas, hear the sounds and see the colors

cared for. If the rugs are being used, they must be kept in low-traffic areas and rotated frequently.

"Once they start to show low spots or other signs of wear, such as losing fringe on their sides, they will devalue quickly," he said.

"At this point, rugs should be appraised, repaired and stored properly to avoid further deterioration. If you want to keep the pieces for sentimental reasons, be sure to have them insured. Often this means adding them, individually, to your homeowner's policy.

"If you choose not to keep the rugs, you may want to consider



of the bazaar I used to visit with my father to see the newly woven Persian rugs.

"Whenever I see an older piece now, the memories of these rugs, which I adored, come flooding back.

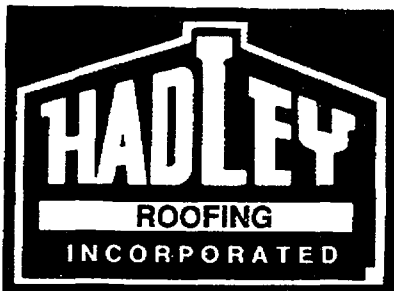
Unfortunately, a lot of people do not realize how valuable the rugs are — not only in monetary terms, but in terms of their aesthetic value as works of art.

"One of the most important aspects of the piece is its condition. If you want to keep an old rug, you must have it properly cleaned and

selling them. As with any merchandise, the full value is not realized until you find a buyer. Collectors pay tremendous sums for rugs in good condition.

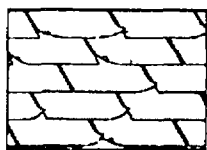
"Whatever you decide, please don't neglect your rugs. They are reflections of the art and culture of many generations and it would be a shame to destroy such valuable memories."

Questions about the care, cleaning, repair, appraisal or value of your rugs? Call Woven Treasures at 1-800-841-1181. Ask for Kamran.



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## 10 Roof Failure Warning Signs You Can't Afford to Ignore



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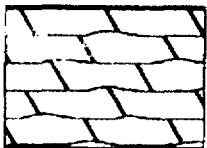
2. **AGE.** 15 years is the normal life expectancy of organic shingles - ones most commonly used in the 70's.

3. **CURLING EDGES.** Due to water absorption into the back of the shingle.

CURLING EDGES

4. **COLOR VARIATIONS** between areas of shingles.

5. **CUPPED SHINGLE TABS.** Abnormal shaped shingles.



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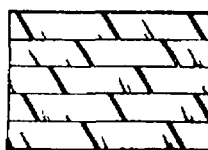
6. **CRACKED SHINGLES.** From cold weather and wind.

7. **DISCOLORED ROOF DECKING.** Water damage to the inside wall of attic.

8. **BLISTERING.** Caused by moisture within or under the shingles.

9. **INTERIOR CEILING STAINS.** From leakage through attic.

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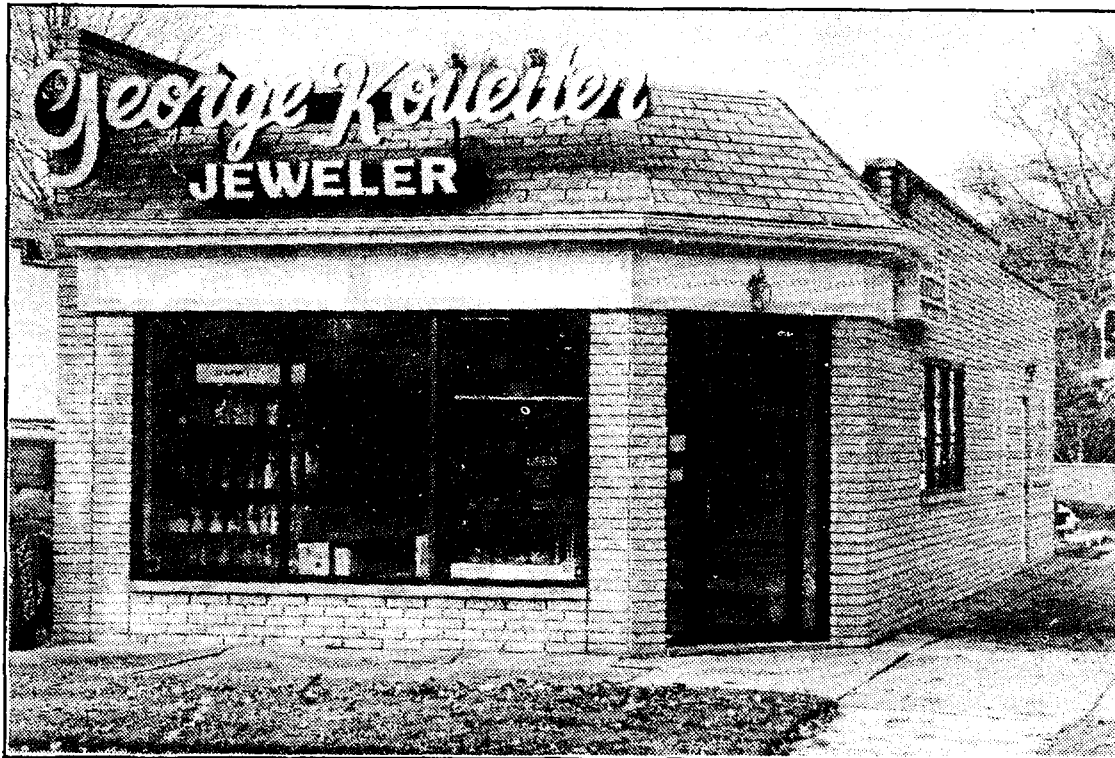
# George Koueiter & Sons Jewelers

George Koueiter entered the business world in 1950 in the city of New York. He made his way to the Motor City three years later where he worked in a manufacturing company in the old Michigan Theatre Building. Mr. Koueiter had a talent in the diamond setting field unsurpassed by anyone.

In 1968 He expanded his talent to fill his own jewelry store with unique designs and mounts, thus began the longstanding business of George Koueiter & Sons Jewelers.

That same craftsmanship and personal service that made Mr. Koueiter one of the finest jewelers in the trade is still evident in his sons George, Jr., and Robert.

Both have spent their youth watching and learning from a master craftsman that has now carried over to their own individual style. Robert is a graduate of the Gemological Institute of



America and is an expert at appraising diamonds and gemstones.

Upon entering the establishment on Roslyn and Mack it is obvious that the store is built on service and style.

A browse around the showcases will reveal a beauty and elegance unique only to George Koueiter & Sons. Not only are they a favorite among many in the five Grosse Pointes, their loyal

clientele come from all over the metro area.

With a large inventory of diamonds and gold too match any personal taste, the store also carries beautiful gift items including Lladro, Swarovski crystal and Lenox fine china and crystal.

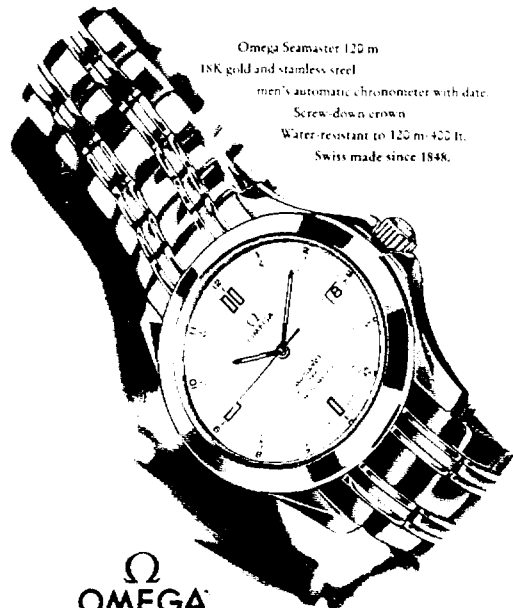
Omega and Raymond Weil have joined the George Koueiter & Sons watch selection along with Seiko, LaSalle, Longine and Tissot. There is also a large array of clocks on hand for your selection.

George Koueiter & Sons Jewelers is a store that prides itself on individuality and personal service unmatched by anyone in the area. Your personal jewelry selection are handled on premises

with care and concern. We are happy to have George Koueiter & Sons Jewelers around for 26 years and look forward to decades more of this wonderful store.

## George Koueiter & Sons Jewelers

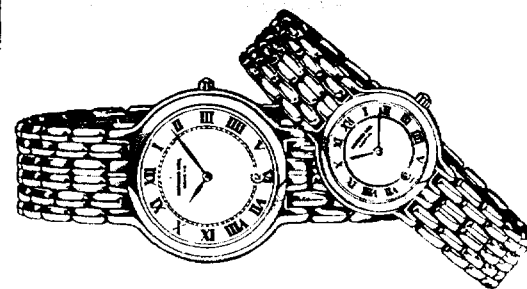
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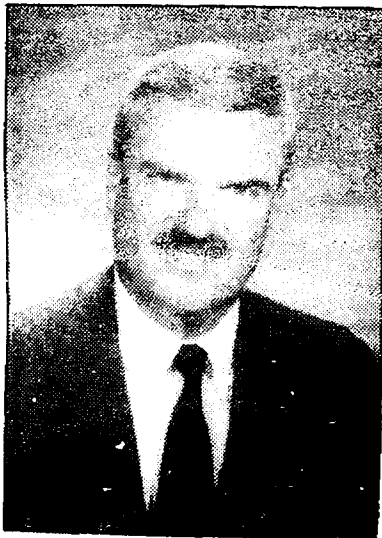
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# Prudential-Grosse Pointe Real Estate means success

Success can be measured in many different ways — financially, professionally, personally. True success, however, begins with a vision, a goal and a plan, and is achieved through hard work, determination and effort.

Success in real estate demands knowledge and understanding of the industry and a keen ability to anticipate and accept change. It requires skills that can only be developed through experience, education and training. The Prudential-Grosse Pointe Real Estate Company has the dynamic leadership experience to achieve true success. They are dedicated to providing quality, professional service with a commitment to helping you, the client, realize your vision.



J. Dennis Andrus

## History

The Prudential-Grosse Pointe Real Estate Company was founded when Dennis and Douglas Andrus purchased the Grosse Pointe Real Estate Company in September of 1987. Since the acquisition, the company has developed a reputation for excellence in their quality of service that is unsurpassed. The Prudential Company's respectability in the industry further enhanced their ability to produce results. The Prudential Company has long held a reputation for integrity and heritage that people have come to trust and appreciate. Coupled with the superior personal service and dedication that the Grosse Pointe Real Estate Company team had developed, the result was The Prudential-Grosse Pointe Real Estate Company, an association dedicated to providing exceptional results in a challenging real estate market.

## Experience

Douglas and Dennis Andrus have over 30 years combined experience as executives in the real estate industry. They have used their knowledge and expertise to the advantage of their customers and their associates. Offering a full range of real estate services, they have developed many unique marketing ideas that are unprecedented, and training programs that have enhanced the skills of their experienced staff. In an ever changing real estate market, this organization continues to meet these new challenges.

## Relocation and referral services

The Prudential-Grosse Pointe Real Estate Company also networks with extensive relocation and national referral services, helping them to better communicate a customer's needs when statewide or nationwide relocation is part of the agenda. Prudential Relocation Management represents over 400 national companies, with over 100 of these being Fortune 500 companies. Prudential Referral Services, Inc., networks with over 30,000 Realtors nationally, which empowers them with the ability to provide maximum assistance with nationwide support. It is all part of their commitment to superior personal service.



Douglas E. Andrus

## Specialized marketplace development

Although the Prudential-Grosse Pointe Real Estate Company specializes in the purchase and sale of residential properties throughout the Grosse Pointes, St. Clair Shores, Eastpointe, Harper Woods and Roseville, they also have developed an innovative Builder Services Division that consists of project managers and sales associate specialists who work exclusively with new development properties along the shoreline of Lake St. Clair. Current projects consists of Lakepointe Towers, Lakeview Village and Belle Maer Harbor.

## Unprecedented support

Using state-of-the-art computerized sales support, The Prudential-Grosse Pointe Real Estate Company has the ability to access information that enables them to have an acute perception of the market. They are able to use this information to the advantage of the customer, by educating them and giving them a better interpretation of the entire real estate process.


## Community involvement

Douglas and Dennis remain extremely active within the community of real estate, having held high-ranking positions within the Grosse Pointe Board of Realtors, the Michigan Board of Realtors, the Macomb Board of Realtors, the Michigan Multiple Listing Service and the National Association of Realtors. Dennis is an Associate Broker holding the GRI (Graduate Realtor Institute) designation; Douglas is an Associate Broker and holds the GRI and CRB (Certified Residential Broker) designations. In addition, the associates of the Prudential-Grosse Pointe Real Estate Company have the highest percentage of designations in the Grosse Pointe Board of Realtors, including GRI (Graduate Realtor Institute) and CRS (Certified Residential Specialist). The entire staff of The Prudential-Grosse Pointe Real Estate Company possesses first hand knowledge of the Grosse Pointes and surrounding communities.

## Reputation for excellence

The Prudential-Grosse Pointe Real Estate Company is dedicated to excellence. The entire staff works diligently to ensure complete customer satisfaction through superior personal service that produces extraordinary results. They take great pride in their company's reputation and integrity, and consistently remain a team of elite

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# The Original Pointe BBQ

Since January, the Original Pointe Bar B Q Restaurant, on East Warren, a favoured perennial haunt of area Detroiters as one of the state's finest places for ribs and chicken, has been under the management of long time restaurateur, Tom Zotos.

With the support of the experienced staff at the Pointe, Zotos is continuing the established tradition of excellence that won the restaurant acclaim in the 1994 AAA Michigan Living magazine when readers selected the Pointe as one of Michigan's best Bar B Q restaurants.

Tom brings his 45 years of restaurant experience to the Pointe.

His first venture was a tiny 12-stool coffee shop, in the popular Biff's chain, at 6 Mile and Wood-



ward. Not content with one establishment, Tom expanded to own 6 Biff outlets across Detroit and the suburbs. Always mindful of the need to change with the times, in the 70's Tom converted one of his coffee shops on Van Dyke, in Warren, to the Butcher Block Steak and Seafood House, which remained under his son's ownership until last year.

Tom planned an early retirement, but soon felt that he was not yet ready to give up the restaurant business he knew so well. To keep active, he purchased Wimpy's Bar and Grill on East Warren which he operated for several years.

Today, Tom, often wearing a long white apron, is busy greeting customers at the Pointe. Tom is maintaining the traditions for excellent food and service that has made the east side eatery such a popular dining spot that keeps folks coming back for years and from distant points.

The Pointe Bar B Q, at 17410 E. Warren is open daily for lunch and dinner. Patrons can dine in a rustic, intimate atmosphere or call 885-7222 for take out service. The Pointe also offers a dining room that can accommodate larger groups in friendly surroundings. Of course the popular item on the menu is ribs, freshly barbecued on the rotisserie and served with the Pointe's tantalizing sauce, but patrons can also find a wide variety of menu items as well as daily specials and fresh fish.

## Riverside Kitchen & Bath: A family-owned business known for service, quality

Gene Pindzia, founder and president of Riverside Kitchen & Bath, 20956 Mack in Grosse Pointe Woods, said he sympathizes with customers who are remodeling their homes.

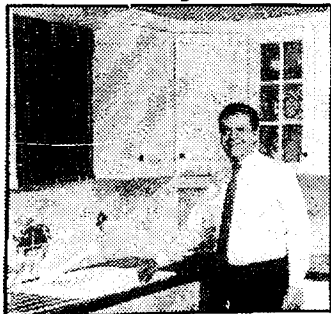
"Remodeling is difficult for homeowners," he said. "It's always a stressful situation. Especially for people who have never done it before."

Pindzia has nearly two decades of experience in the residential remodeling business. He's a licensed contractor and a member of the National Kitchen & Bath Association (NKBA), the National Association of Home Builders (NAHB) and the Builders' Association of Southeastern Michigan.

Riverside Kitchen & Bath is a family-owned business. Pindzia's daughter, Deborah, and his brother, Allan, are part of the firm's experienced team of remodeling professionals.

"Service is important to us," Pindzia said. "I'll often go the extra mile to help a customer out — even if the problem isn't mine."

Riverside offers complete remodel-



ing services, including Pella and Anderson windows and Stanley doors. Customers can choose from three full lines of custom cabinets — Custom Quality Kitchens Inc., Fieldstone and Handorn. Other cabinet choices include Amera, Lafata and Northplains.

"We have computer-aided design capabilities," he said, "so customers can see what their new kitchen or bathroom will look like. We have six cabinet lines to choose from. We have a reputation for good service. And we are known for our affordable quality."

Two examples of remodeled kitchens by Riverside Kitchen & Bath will be on Cottage Hospital Auxiliary's fall kitchen tour.

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# It's no secret, people love dining and shopping at Victoria Place

In a world of franchise dining and generic food, Victoria Place in St. Clair Shores stands out.

Located in St. Clair Shore's oldest standing home, Victoria Place offers eastside diners elegant dining at reasonable prices.

Victoria Place, once known as Schnieder farm was built before the Civil War, once encompassed 640 acres. Purchased in 1986 by Ray Domke and Larry Berdasono, Victoria Place now is home to a delightful restaurant, as well as several interesting shops that should appeal to the discriminating shopper.

"We want this to be a casual and homey place where people will feel comfortable," said Domke. "This is a down to earth place that's not stuffy. We enjoy an friendly rapport with our customers, and that's nice."

While the dining atmosphere of Victoria Place may be laid back, the food isn't. Diners familiar with the restaurant's menu are pleased to talk about the delicious choices available on both the lunch and dinner menus.

"For lunch we offer diners a selection of salads, sandwiches, pasta dishes and hot entrees," said Domke. "We also have our blend of

the day coffee like hazelnut cream or raspberry.

Lunch is served from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday thru Saturday. Dinner begins at 4 p.m. and the last seating takes place at 8:30 p.m. Wednesday thru Saturday. Domke suggests that interested diners call ahead for reservations.

"Dinner features a number of different kinds of dishes," said Domke. "We have seafood, veal, poultry, pasta and beef dishes. It's a nice rounded selection. We original dishes that people can't get at other upscale restaurants like our pork tenderloin with apples, raisins and cheese. We have an array of open stuffed chicken dishes, wonderful pasta filled with a variety of seafoods."

Domke is also proud of the romantic atmosphere of Victoria Place.

"We offer light entertainment," said Domke. "We have a classical guitarist come in and play for the restaurant's Sunday brunch as well as on Friday and Saturday evenings."

"We're proud of our brunch," Domke said. "It's a four-course sit-down meal, begins at 10:30 a.m. and runs until 2 p.m."

Domke said the restaurant is also available for private parties and celebrations. We can handle up to 125 people and is perfect for wedding receptions, showers and any private function.

But dining is just a part of what Victoria Place has to offer. Besides being home to a first-rate restaurant, it's home to several shops that should delight and intrigue the discriminating shopper.

"We have shops where patrons can purchase all different kinds of cards appropriate for all occasions as well as a selection of gift books and knick-knacks. Our candle shop features Yankee candles and pot pourri. Yankee candles are specially made so that the scent is added during the entire candle making process, not just in the last phase. They're very popular."

There is a hair salon, a nail salon and an antique jewelry store at Victoria Place as well, said Domke.

"It's not unusual for people to drop off the kids somewhere and spend the whole day here. There's so much to see and do that it's hard to describe."

## Victoria Place



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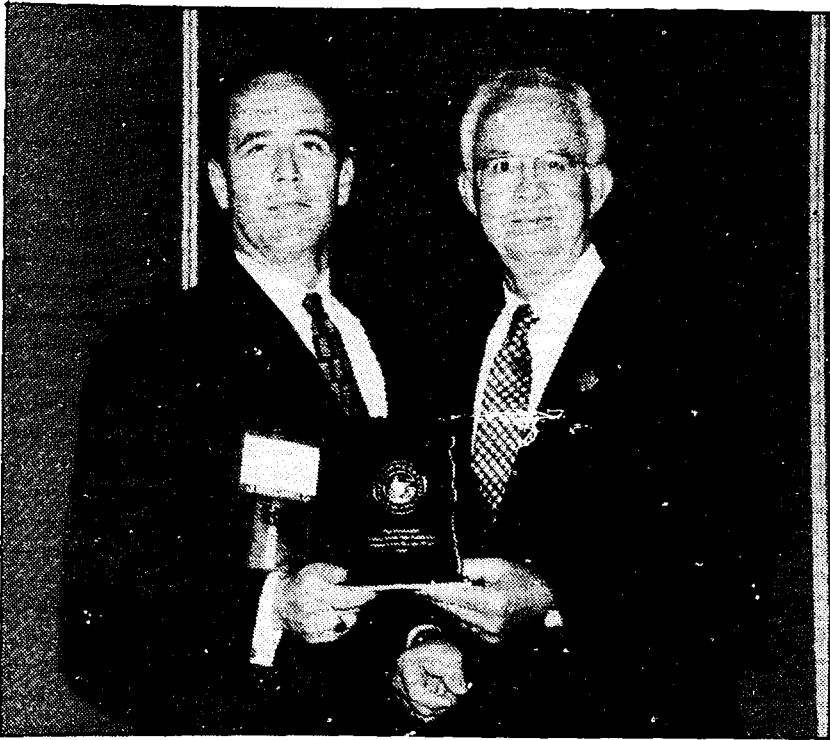
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The Cornerstone Award was presented to Andrus by Milan Johnson (right), Senior Vice President for Prudential Real Estate Affiliates in February 1994. This award is given to the top five percent of all firms in the country.

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## Dennison's specializes in moderately priced ladies apparel

Dennison's celebrated its 10th anniversary last October.

Opened by lifelong Grosse Pointe resident Bill Leonard, who had been a buyer and merchandise manager in ladies apparel at Hudson's and Crowley's, Dennison's offers ladies brandname sportswear and coats at moderate prices.

"I saw a void in Grosse Pointe ladies apparel stores of some of the more popular brands such as Alfred Dunner and Koret," Leonard said.

Dennison's took over the space that was once Fromm's hardware and the Little Store and converted it to a ladies apparel shop and was immediately successful.

Dennison's caters to the woman shopper 25 years or older in Misses and Petite merchandise sizes 8 to 18.

The entire family; wife, Mary; son, Bill; and daughter, Mary, have all been involved with the Dennison's operation at various times.

The sales staff — the key to success — have all been at Dennison's for a long time. Two on the staff, Row Rogers and Evelyn Rocheleau, have been with Dennison's since its opening.

Manager Nancy Bonneau has been on the scene since 1986.

The store has a casual atmosphere and everyone has a good time while doing their jobs. The group has golf outings and picnics and seems to thoroughly enjoy being together.

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*Bill Leonard of Dennison's*



The Dennison's staff celebrating their 10th Anniversary

Pictured left to right: Denise Cardaris, Margaret Alderton, Benita Loridon, Row Rogers, Theresa Havrilla, Delores Amori, Nancy Bonneau (manager), Evelyn Rocheleau (not pictured)

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## Beline Obeid's specialty: Grosse Pointe real estate

Beline Obeid is a strong believer in education. A native Grosse Pointe, she earned a bachelor's degree from the University of Detroit.

She hasn't stopped learning. Keeping up with the latest real estate marketing techniques and skills is important, she said.

"Real Estate is a simple business. But it takes a lot of discipline and special training. Things change. I have to keep up. This year, I'm not conducting business the same way I conducted business last year."

Obeid specializes in Grosse Pointe residential property, but often takes time off to travel to special training programs all over the country. She even listens to training tapes while she's driving.

Obeid is a certified residential specialist (CRS), a graduate of the Real Estate Institute (GRI) and a member of the Real Estate Alumni of Michigan (RAM).

"My goal is to be a professional, effective and productive person," she said. "And each day offers new challenges."

Obeid believes Grosse Pointe offers a quality of life and a sense of

*'I'm not conducting business the same way I conducted business last year.'*

Beline Obeid  
 Real estate agent

community that can't be found anywhere else.

"People move to Grosse Pointe for its safety and security, its schools and its casual, conservative, laid-back way of life," she said.

Obeid is also active in the Grosse Pointe community. She serves on the board of the Grosse Pointe War Memorial. She's involved in fundraising for The Leukemia Society of America. She's a member of a businesswomen's networking group, the Grosse Pointe Women's Breakfast Club. And she was one of the organizers of a recent Vernier School reunion.

For information about Grosse Pointe real estate, call Beline Obeid at 309-8666.

## Grosse Pointe Bagel Lunch is now served

Breakfast is served at Grosse Pointe Bagel.

And lunch, too.

After successfully introducing its bagel line last September, Grosse Pointe Bagel has now added deli sandwiches and pasta salads.

But bagels remain the specialty.

"We serve eight different kinds of fat-free bagels from the New York Bagel Company," said manager Matt Ruzzin. "They've been making bagels for 75 years, and you just can't compete with the best."

Customers can shop as early as 6:30 a.m. on weekdays, or 7 a.m. on weekends for bagels and all the fixings.

"We sell special cream cheeses to go with our bagels," Ruzzin said. "We have the standard fruit flavors like raspberry, but also have special ones like rum raisin and vegetable."

And for the adventuresome among bagel lovers?

"We even have a jalapeno cream cheese," Ruzzin said.

*'Our sandwiches are a most generous size.'*

Manager Matt Ruzzin

To round out breakfast, a full line of Paramount Gourmet Coffee is sold freshly brewed by the cup, or by the pound.

When you're ready for lunch, Grosse Pointe Bagel is ready for you, with a full-line of deli sandwiches and pasta salads.

"Our sandwiches are a most generous size," Ruzzin said. "And your satisfaction is guaranteed."

And for dessert, consider NatureIce, a no-fat, no cholesterol, 100 percent natural slush, made from the juice of dehydrated fruits.

Breakfast, lunch, or a quick refreshing snack, Grosse Pointe Bagel is at your service seven days a week until 6 p.m.



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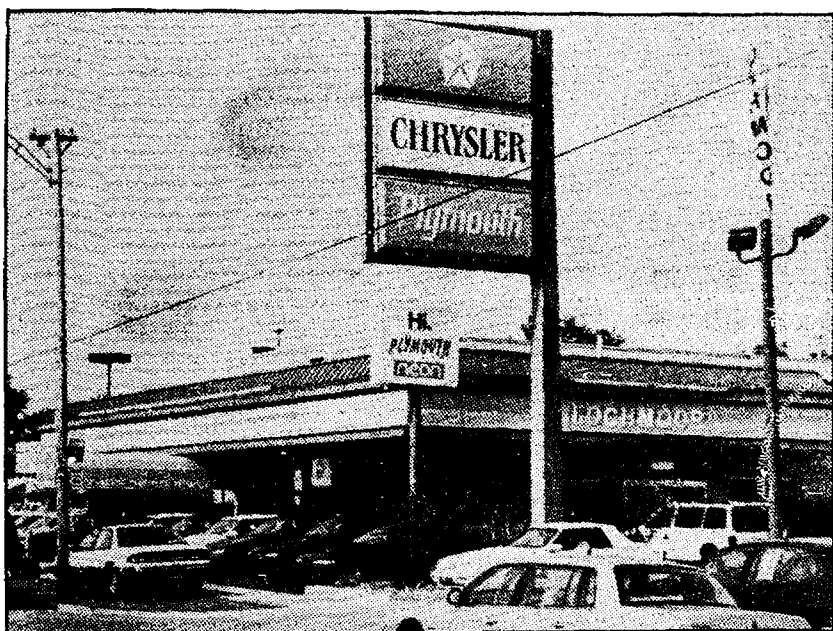
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A week or so after you've purchased a car from Lochmoor Chrysler-Plymouth, 18165 Mack in Detroit, you'll get a phone call. Expect it.

Every customer is contacted for feedback about the sales and service departments at the dealership.

"A person can buy a car anywhere," said Gus Russo, president of the dealership for the last 15 years. "Service is the main thing. We're a pretty service-oriented place."

Lochmoor Chrysler-Plymouth has achieved a five-star level of excellence in customer service and sales, he said, and the company is one of the 10 largest Chrysler-Plymouth dealers in the country.

"Neon is our hot seller now," Russo said. "Everyone wants it. Mini vans are also big sellers."

General sales manager Deborah DiSanti said, of the company's 82 employees, about 1/4 are sales representatives and 3/4 are in the service department.

"We have more than 300 new cars in stock; about 100 used cars in stock," she said. "That's a big selection."

Russo said he is building a new used car office and customer lounge and is expanding the body shop. Construction should be completed by September.

Lochmoor Chrysler-Plymouth has been involved in the community. It has sponsored the Grosse Pointe 10K Run for the last 14 years. This year, the run will be held on Saturday, Sept. 24, and is expected to attract more than 1,000 competitors.

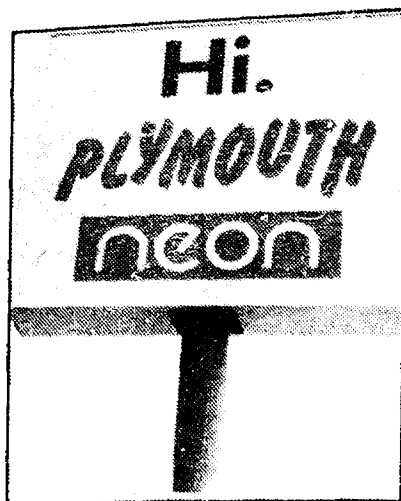
Lochmoor Chrysler-Plymouth is one of the largest donors to the Grosse Pointe's annual fireworks display. The dealership is also in-

involved in fundraising for Bon Secours Hospital, the Grosse Pointe schools and the Lakeshore Opticists.

*"Neon is our hot seller now."*

"We have lots of long-time employees," DiSanti said. "We have a good reputation for pleasing our customers."

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PRICE WAS \$18,970 **SALE PRICE \$17,295\***

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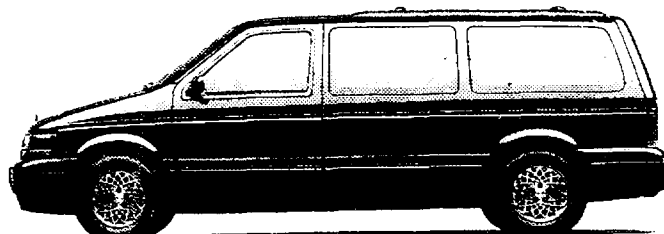


16" Wheel & touring group, 4 spd., elec. auto trans., 3.3L V6 eng., pwr. door locks, pwr windows w/driver touch down. Stk. #46242

PRICE WAS \$21,768 **SALE PRICE \$18,895\***

CHRYSLER EMP PRICE \$17,795\*  
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1994 CHRYSLER TOWN & COUNTRY FWD



Emerald green, leather, low back reclining seats, 4 spd. auto trans., 3.8L V6 eng., Stk. #49992

PRICE WAS \$28,141 **SALE PRICE \$24,495\***

CHRYSLER EMP PRICE \$23,089\*  
\* Plus tax, title, plates & dest. - all rebates to dealer

1994 CHRYSLER LHS 4 DR. SEDAN



Black cherry, premium leather bucket seats w/dual 8 way pwr, contoured r bench w ctr armrest, 4 spd elec. auto trans., 3.5L 24V OHC V6 eng., pwr moonroof, AM/FM case. Stk. #48292

PRICE WAS \$30,255 **SALE PRICE \$24,395\***

CHRYSLER EMP PRICE \$22,859\*  
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1994 CHRYSLER NEW YORKER 4 DR SEDAN



Bright white, 8-way pwr. seat, contoured r bench w/ctr armrest, traction control, 4 spd. elec. auto trans., 3.5L 24V OHC V6 eng., auto temp control, air cond., vehicle theft alarm, auto day/night mirror. Stk. #47062

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## Evola Music: Name says it all

Whether you're playing for the Detroit Symphony Orchestra, Guns and Roses or your own enjoyment, Evola Music is equipped to meet your needs.

This third generation family owned business has been serving the public since the early 1930s. They have everything in their store from sheet music to top of the line musical instruments.

On display in their Bloomfield Hills store is a Bosendorfer Imperial, "the world's most prestigious piano," said Paul Manners, the store's piano and organ specialist.

According to Paul, this piano was constructed in Vienna, Austria and took six years to make. This is the first time in 20 years the Imperial has been in Michigan, Paul said. Ironically, it was the only piano that the German composer List could play and not break. Pianos of this stature range in price from \$60,000 to \$140,000.

In addition to their Bloomfield Hills location Evola has stores in Plymouth, Utica and Waterford. They're ranked in the top 100 out of 6,000 dealers in the country.

"Service is an important part of business and keeping the customers happy," said store owner Ben Evola.

When asked by his father-in-law in 1957 to join the music business,

Ben was thrilled. He was even happier when his sons, Jim and Mike joined the company in 1975.

Because of their service record and quality merchandise the name Evola is well known throughout the Metropolitan area. In fact, Paul added, Evola is the only authorized dealer for the Baldwin pianos in South East Michigan.

"We offer rentals, sales, service, and education," he said.

In meeting their educational goals Evola offers private or group lessons and even has a specially designed class for children ages four to six. One of the joys of his job, Ben said, was watching children develop their musical abilities.

Evola also offers piano and organ classes for retired citizens.

"It is so nice to see people that finally get to fulfill a dream," Paul said.

Another one of the Evola families' goals has been to assist the community in enhancing their cultural needs. Which is why, within the last two years in the Bloomfield Hills music store has added additional class rooms, show rooms and a recital hall.

In the future the Evola family plans to get even more involved in the community and will continue to increase their educational involvement.

## Doll Hospital & Toy Soldier Shop specializes in traditional toys

The Doll Hospital and Toy Soldier Shop, 3947 W. 12 Mile in Berkley, is a 46-year-old third-generation family business dedicated to preserving traditional toys and learning activities.

The store appeals to parents who are concerned about the lack of play value associated with many modern "TV" toys. The Doll Hospital offers thousands of playthings characterized by desirable qualities (they're constructed of wood or metal; they're hand-crafted; durable; collectible; etc.) and by their ability to stimulate fantasy play derived from the child's own imagination.

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Good service also keeps customers coming back. Whether installing a large wooden play system, restoring a doll, repairing a train or assembling and painting a doll house, a genuine interest in customer satisfaction guides Doll Hospital employees.

If you can't come into the store, call 1-800-551-PLAY for an experi-



The Doll Hospital and Toy Soldier Shop is a 46-year-old family business. From left, are Stacey Parish, granddaughter and general manager; Jim Noettl, grandson-in-law and doll restorer; and Kay Parish, owner.

Since children often don't see traditional toys on TV, a summer field trip to The Doll Hospital can be an eye-opener. Children may discover "new" toys that just happened to have delighted their great-great grandparents when they were kids.

There are smartly dressed antique dolls from all periods and modern collectible dolls by Alexander, Gotz, Effanbee, Wendy Lawton, and more. Metal-based, hand-painted toy soldiers and castles stand alongside a doll house village and thousands of exquisite minia-

enced salesperson, who will suggest appropriate gifts and send them promptly. Catalogs are available in the fall and a regular newsletter will be sent to those who are interested in specialty toy trivia. Still, it's only a 20-minute trip for east siders via I-696. So why not treat yourself to a visit?

First-generation owners Kay or Roger, second-generation family members Jack and Ruth, and third-generation family Stacey, Cindy, Jim and Sara, are active in the day-to-day operation of the business.

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Established in 1950 by Alfred Provenzano, Sr., Supreme Heating is a family owned and operated business that is currently run by Mark S. Provenzano, President, Gary A. Provenzano, Vice President, Alfred Provenzano, Vice President and Carrie A. Provenzano, Director of Corporate Accounting. They have earned the respect of their customers throughout the Detroit and surrounding Metropolitan areas by providing honest, dependable workmanship.

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Pictured right: Vice President, Alfred Provenzano, President, Mark Provenzano, Director of Corporate Accounting, Carrie A. Provenzano and Gary A. Provenzano, Vice President

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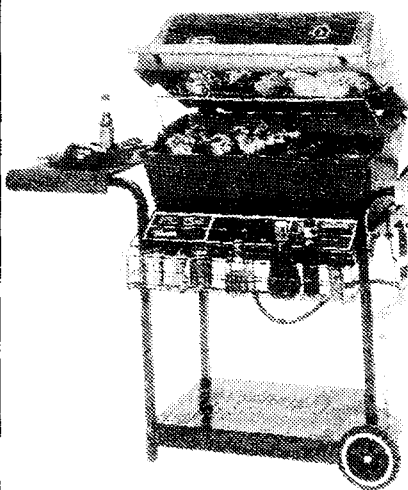
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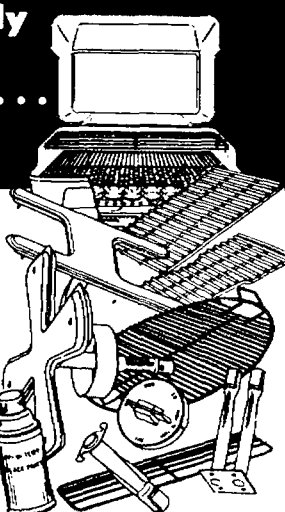
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