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WEEK AHEAD

Saturday, March 4

The Grosse Pointe Board of Realtors Home and Garden Expo 2000 begins at 10 a.m. at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial in Grosse Pointe Farms. The expo ends at 4 p.m. and features great ideas on how to improve the interior and exterior of your home.

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Monday, March 6

The Grosse Pointe Farms City Council meets at 7:30 p.m. in the Farms city hall, 90 Kerby. Among the items under consideration are proposals to rezone certain areas of the city's residential districts and the Hill. The public is invited to attend.

The Grosse Pointe Woods City Council meets at 7:30 p.m. in the Woods city hall, 20025 Mack Plaza. The public is invited to attend.

The Grosse Pointe School Board meets at 8 p.m. in Grosse Pointe South's Wicking Library. The public is invited to attend.

Thursday, March 9

Grosse Pointe lawyer and author Jon Gandelot offers a free lecture on estate taxes at the central branch of the Grosse Pointe Public Library at 7:30 p.m.

To make the required reservations, call (313) 343-2074, ex. 220.

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G.P. News earns top awards in editorial contest

The Grosse Pointe News is pleased to announce it earned four top awards in the Suburban Newspapers of America's 1999 Editorial Contest.

The News, a Class B entrant based on circulation, was awarded First Place for "Best Editorial Writing." Editorials submitted included those on the Mack/Moross property and the Hill business district in the

Farms and on the Shores municipal election, titled "Endorsements Raise Questions." Assistant Editor Margie Smith took Second Place in "Best Column Writing" for her well-written and entertaining "I Say" columns.

Phil Hands, a Kenyon College freshman who began drawing editorial cartoons for

the Grosse Pointe News as a Grosse Pointe South High School student, earned Second Place for "Best Editorial Page Cartoon" for his submission about the Wayne County Juvenile Court.

Staff Writer Brad Lindberg was recognized in the "Best Breaking News Story" category with a Second Place award for his story, "Edison Pulls Plug on Farms, City Water Supply."

In the story, Lindberg reported that Detroit Edison repeatedly, following a June storm, deliberately turned off power to the Grosse Pointe Farms water plant, causing a water scare in which, for the first time in the city's history, residents had to boil water before consuming it. The lack of water also caused tremendous hardship for local hospitals and schools and could have been a

major firefighting hindrance. Editor and General Manager John Minnis congratulates Lindberg, Hands and Smith and the entire editorial staff at the Grosse Pointe News for a job well done.

"Week in and week out we strive to do our best," Minnis said, "but it's always nice to have an outside, unbiased source confirm our good efforts."

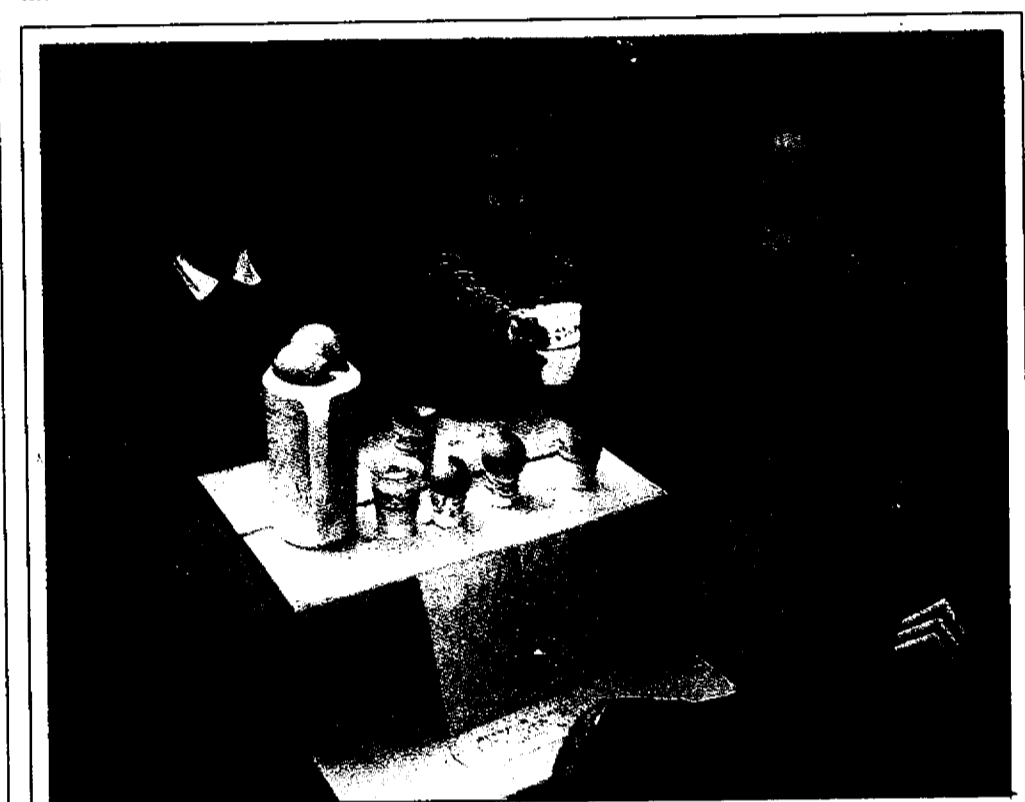


Photo by Brad Lindberg

Can spring be far behind?

Like flowers blooming, the Pedi-Dancy lemonade stand has opened for business in the 400 block of Fisher in the City of Grosse Pointe.

"We do this every spring and summer," said Elizabeth Pedi, 8, at left with her little sister, Katherine, 2, and neighbor, Emily Dancy, 8. During record warm temperatures last Saturday afternoon, Dancy sells a \$.25 cup of lemonade to Sgt. Ron Wiczorek, a regular customer.

"I stopped by a few times last year," said Wiczorek, the youth service officer with the City of Grosse Pointe department of public safety. "They're a really nice family. The girls do a good job. Their lemonade is fresh and cold. And the price is the same as last year."

The girls said the secret to making good lemonade is using fresh lemons and squeezing them "real hard."

As the girls serenaded the neighborhood with cries of "Lemonade, fresh-squeezed lemonade," the Pedi's thirsty older brother came home after goofing around with friends. He reached for a cool glass of his sisters' lemonade.

"No!" called Elizabeth, stomping her foot. "You have to pay!"



Photo by Brad Lindberg

Time for Girl Scout cookies

Girl Scout cookies are "a mandatory, 'must-have' at the house," Jessica Bassett, a resident of the City of Grosse Pointe, doesn't fool around when it comes to Girl Scout cookies. "You've got to have Girl Scout cookies," she said. Bassett, at center with her son, A.J. Pellegrino, buy a couple of boxes of thin mints and shortbread cookies Sunday afternoon from members of Girl Scout Troop 2907. During the cookie season, Girl Scouts set up temporary weekend outlets, such as this one at Borders Books in the Village.

Nancy Kosola, right, tallies up the sale. From left, Girl Scout Melanie Foley, 10, of the Park, reaches for an apple cinnamon cookie, her favorite. Jesse Kosola, 10, Nancy's daughter, likes thin mints. As of early Sunday afternoon, sales of thin mints were in the lead. There's some debate about whether thin mints are better eaten at room temperature or frozen. It doesn't matter, according to Nancy Kosola. "Thin mints are pretty tasty, even if you don't like mint."

Lake St. Clair down 4 feet since '86 high

Level may drop another 2 feet

By Brad Lindberg
Staff Writer

Short of a rain dance, there's little anyone can do to reverse declining water levels in Lake St. Clair.

Like the hydrological equivalent of a bear market, the lake has fallen from its modern high set nearly 15 years ago.

The bellwether came in April 1999 when Lake St. Clair dropped below its long-term average.

"In the stock market, that would be a sell sign," said Dr. Frank Quinn, senior research hydrologist with the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.

The lake is nearly four feet below its 1986 all-time high of 576.77 feet above sea level.

Quinn said the lake is headed for a fall, and he doesn't mean Niagara.

"I wouldn't be surprised if it fell another 1 1/2 to two feet," he said.

If that happens, Norman Silverman could become a reluctant landlubber. Silverman owns a sailboat with a nine-foot draft.

"If the lake drops another 1 1/2 feet," said Silverman, a resident of the City who docks his 46-foot sailboat at the Grosse Pointe Club, "I don't know if I'll be able to get into the harbor."

"Looking at Lake St. Clair, I don't think I'd want to be a boater," said Quinn.

Silverman's sloop has a swing keel, meaning he can raise it. With the keel in the up position, the boat still draws nearly five feet. That's not much room on a lake with an average depth of only 10 feet.

"If you have a boat, it is going to be difficult," said Quinn. "We're well below last year. The outlook is for lower lake levels through summer, fall and spring."

The lake is about seven inches below its long-term average. It could be worse.

A forecast by the Canadian Climate Center showed a

three-foot drop from current levels by 2030.

"If it drops that much," said Silverman, "we're going to have a non-usable lake."

The three-foot forecast is "an absolute worst-case scenario," said Adam Fox, a physical scientist and a meteorologist with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Detroit District.

Quinn and Fox said it won't do much good to worry about forecasts.

"Lower lake levels are the result of a lack of precipitation over most of the Great Lakes basin," said Quinn.

When it comes to the estimated 6 quadrillion (that's 6,000,000,000,000) gallons of water in the Great Lakes, there is no New Deal to shore-up dwindling supplies, no Great Society to redistribute the bounty of record highs to compensate for the hardship of drought.

In the calculus of nature, there is little hope of effective government intervention when dealing with a system of lakes up to 1,300 feet deep that covers more than 94,000 square miles.

"It's a natural process," said Quinn. "Low water levels are related directly to rainfall. It's not a conspiracy."

"We don't hide water," said Fox. Referring to the natural ebb and flow of lake levels, Fox said, "Sometimes the Great Lakes visit. Other times it leaves with no forwarding address."

Even at low levels, the Great Lakes are massive. They contain 95 percent of the fresh surface water in the country and 20 percent of the world's fresh surface water.

If the lakes were spread over an area the size of the contiguous United States, the water would be 9 1/2 feet deep, according to Quinn.

Water levels are tied directly to precipitation, mainly

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POINTER OF INTEREST

Donna DiSante

Home: Grosse Pointe Farms

Age: 50

Family: Single; 3 brothers; 1 sister; mother

Occupation: Director of development for PIME missionaries

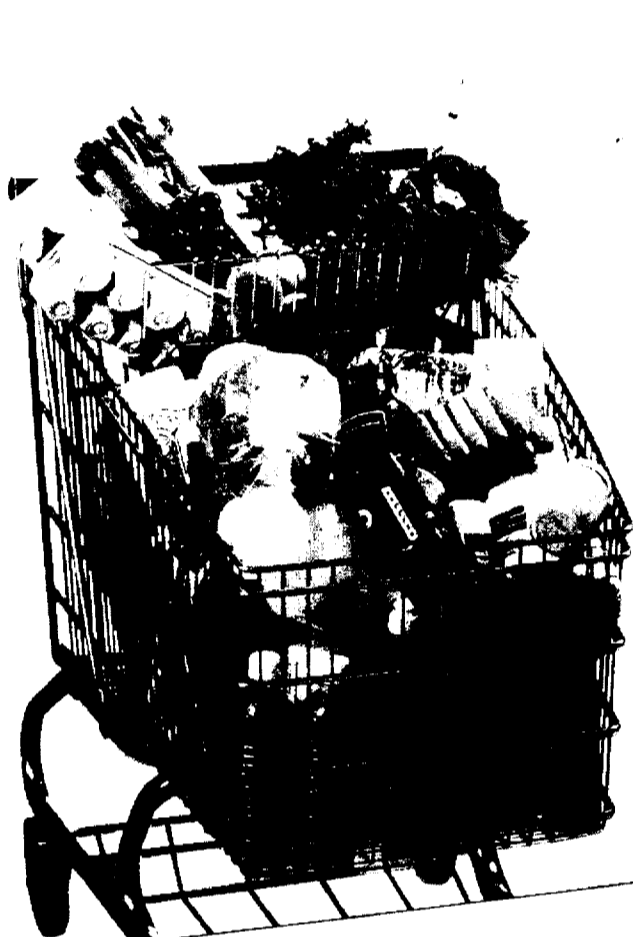
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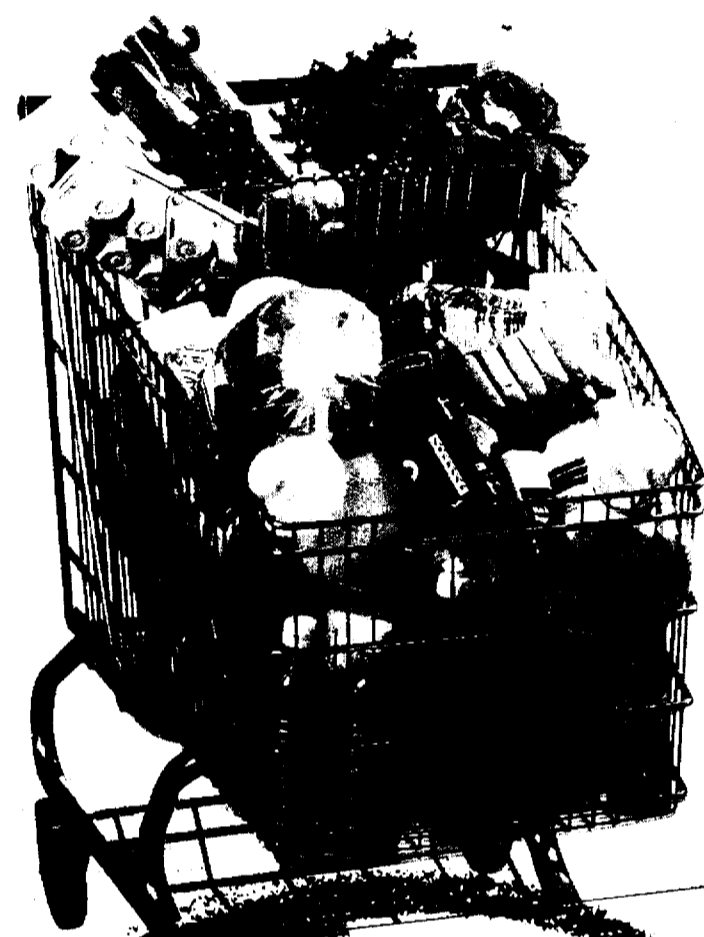


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Woods officials lap up YAP, say program is 'excellent'

By Brad Lindberg
Staff Writer

With the endorsement of its public safety director, the Grosse Pointe Woods City Council has agreed to continue funding its portion of the Grosse Pointe/Harper Woods Youth Assistance Program.

Contingent upon similar commitments by the other Pointes and Harper Woods, the council has agreed to set aside money for YAP. The funds will be in proportion to the number of Woods youths who took part in the program last year.

Mike Makowski, the Woods director of public safety, said YAP "provides the city with local control over juveniles involved in criminal behavior. The program offers Woods residents family counseling, parenting workshops, drug assessment and referral services without charge."

For 2001-2001, the Woods has pledged \$18,872 to the program. The offer is contingent upon neighboring cities coming through with their share of a \$56,400 funding request.

Ted Bidigare, the Woods city administrator, said Wayne County might reimburse the

city for a portion of its contribution.

YAP, which is run by the Children's Home of Detroit, offers Woods juveniles the "only alternative to (being referred to) Wayne County Juvenile Court," according to a report by Woods detective Raymond Yonkowski.

In 1999, Woods police referred 67 youths and their parents to YAP. Some 32 of the juveniles needed "chemical assessment," said Deborah Liedel, the Children's Home's director of community services.

Yonkowski said YAP's results were "excellent. The program gives personal attention to youths and their parents that cannot be duplicated by the Wayne County Juvenile System."

Although the program bypasses the county, it isn't a free ride for the teacup set.

Grosse Pointe police speak highly of YAP. They have said the program's requirement of parental involvement brings home the message that youthful troublemakers hurt not only themselves, but their families and community.

In addition, municipal

judges in the Pointes have said cases involving local juveniles risk being lost in the overburdened county courts. The county deals daily with a maelstrom of serious offenses, from sexual assault to hard drugs to murder.

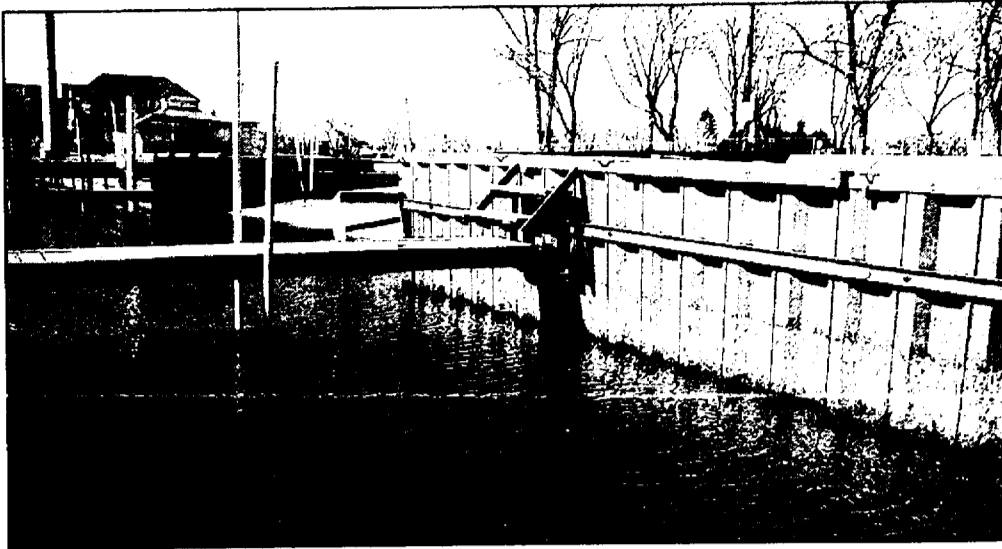
In comparison, offenses committed by Pointe youth, while serious within the context of local norms, often pale in comparison to what confronts other communities.

YAP receives only a portion of its funding from the Grosse Pointes and Harper Woods, according to Liedel. She said the organization rounds out its budget with "fundraising, voluntary contributions, and parental reimbursements."

Since 1991, YAP has served 1,087 youths, according to Liedel.

Of the 172 youths sent to YAP in 1999, 69 were there for chemical assessment and referral.

Last year's breakdown, in terms of individuals referred, chemical cases and percentages of the whole, is shown in the accompanying table.



Waterline marks and the seemingly exaggerated height of seawalls clearly show how far Lake St. Clair has dropped since its high in 1986.

Lake

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upstream.

Because Lake St. Clair is a "flashy lake," said Fox, its level can rise quickly following local rainstorms. But "Lake Superior is the feeder lake for the system," he said.

Lack of precipitation in the upper Great Lakes generated in 1998-99 the second largest one-year decline in Lake St. Clair since measuring gauges were installed in 1900, said Quinn.

The drop has combined with a subsequent drop to rate the second largest two-year decline in water levels.

"Under El Niño a couple years ago," said Quinn, "Lake Superior had hardly any snow. That's what started the trend toward lower lake levels."

During the winter of 1997-98, according to NOAA's remote sensing center, land around Lake Superior that normally averages more than eight inches of precipitation (in terms of water) received only 1/2 to four inches. The following year wasn't much better.

"Being a major feeder of the Great Lakes," said Fox, "if Lake Superior starts to go hungry, the other lakes will follow pretty soon."

Lack of precipitation last month in the upper Great Lakes hasn't brightened gloomy predictions on lake levels.

For February, precipitation around lakes Superior, Michigan and Huron was 35 percent of normal, according to data compiled by the Corps of Engineers.

"We've seen numbers like that on and on," said Fox. The

Great Lakes as a whole, including Erie and Ontario, have had only 47 percent of its normal precipitation.

"We're in near-drought conditions across the southern third of the Great Lakes," said Fox.

"Lake St. Clair is likely to stay below the long-term average," said Fox. "The duration of low water levels can last several months, and in some cases several years."

Flows from the St. Mary's River, which carries water from Lake Superior, are at rates not seen since around 1930, according to Quinn.

He said, "A year ago March, we had the lowest levels on Lake Superior that we've had since 1927."

Melting snow and a few big rains won't help.

"We tend to forget that melting snow percolates (into the ground) and helps recharge the water table," said Fox. "The water table is a huge supply of water that we never see, for the most part. It's very important because it is the long-term nutrition for Great Lakes water levels. It percolates into the lakes and rivers and keeps that supply going."

Fox, who has received numerous reports recently of wells running dry, called the water table, "our unseen lifeblood."

Attempts to shore-up the lakes by diverting water into Lake Superior from Canada

have been under way since the 1940s, said Quinn. But the influx is only enough to keep pace with water being diverted elsewhere, such as from Lake Michigan into the Chicago River.

"Lake St. Clair is affected by the diversions, but its not a major impact," said Quinn.

"In terms of providing more water, diversion (into the lakes) is not feasible. There's nothing we can do in the near-term," said Quinn. "We're governed by whatever comes in precipitation. And this year there's not a whole lot of it."

"There will be no quick-fixes," said Fox.

Before anything happens in the lakes, nature has to recharge the ground water.

"It's going to take a long period of wet weather to bring the lake back up again," Fox said.

Fox, a meteorologist, doesn't go in for the jazzed-up forecasts and guesswork of weathermen. When he knows, he knows, when he doesn't, he says so.

"We have some ideas about what we think is going to happen (with lake levels), but there are still a lot of questions. We don't know all the answers. It's going to be something we have to live through to see what's really going to happen."

"Maybe we'll learn something to help for the next time it happens, because it will."

1999 Youth Assistance Program tally

City	Total youths served	YAP youths	Chemical	City usage %
Grosse Pointe Shores	12	6	6	7
Grosse Pointe City	20	15	5	12
Grosse Pointe Park	20	14	6	12
Grosse Pointe Farms	22	16	6	13
Harper Woods	31	17	14	18
Grosse Pointe Woods	67	345	32	38

Pointe art fair to move location

By Jim Stickford
Staff Writer

The Grosse Pointe Artist Association's first art fair to be held away from the Grosse Pointe War Memorial is moving — from Elworthy Field to a parking lot behind the stores between Notre Dame and St. Clair.

Association president Chuck Bigelow said the idea was to have the fair in a new location, closer to where the action is. "When we held the fair in the War Memorial parking lot, there wasn't a lot of room for patrons to park," said Bigelow. "The War Memorial is located in a residential area and the side streets are filled. By having this year's fair near the Village, there will be more for people to see and there will be parking for patrons."

The original idea was to have the fair at Elworthy Field. But the scheduling conflicts with the start of the Babe Ruth Baseball season. In addition, the insurance costs of setting up on the field were higher than expected.

So the simple solution was to move the fair to a nearby location, said Bigelow. He credits assistant city manager Christine Bremer with working with the association to come up with the solution to the problem.

"We wanted to be located in a spot where there was parking and foot traffic," said Bigelow. "The parking lot between Kercheval and Waterloo and behind the stores located between Notre Dame and St. Clair is perfect. It has about 110 spots for booths. It's near

the Village and we can put up a 40 foot by 60 foot tent. The artists like the idea of having a covered area in case of rain."

The association will be charging a small entry fee for the first time as well, Bigelow said. Snow fencing will be set up around the parking lot. The fee will be \$2 for adults.

The GPAA will work with the Village Merchants Association to make sure the fair, scheduled to take place on June 3 and 4, is a success. By having it close to the Village, it should increase foot traffic for businesses.

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News

GP Theatre president to focus on long-range plans

By Margie Reins Smith
Assistant Editor

Donna DiSante won a small role in a Grosse Pointe Theatre production 25 years ago. Then she landed a part in the chorus of "The Music Man." Community theater has been an important part of DiSante's life ever since.

This year she is Grosse Pointe Theatre's president. She sings the praises of the unique community theater group and wants to work on long-range plans for the organization.

DiSante's family moved to Grosse Pointe when she was 4 years old. She graduated from Bishop Gallagher High School, then went to Wayne State University to study art history. She earned a bachelor of arts degree.

As part of her work at Wayne, she traveled to Italy to study Etruscan art and archeology.

"I spent a month at a villa near the city of Siena. I planned to earn a master's degree, but while I was in Italy, I met a lot of out-of-work people who had Ph.D.s in art history," she said. "I decided the field must be full."

After the study tour, DiSante decided to remain in Italy, travel a bit and look up some of her Italian relatives.

"My heritage is Italian so I visited some of my family who lived on the Adriatic coast. I kept saying to them that I had to go home to the United States. It was time to get a job. But they encouraged me to stay for a few more months."

"I thought, 'When will I ever

have another opportunity like this?'"

"I stayed. It was a wonderful experience. I learned a lot about Italian culture — about how they think and how they live. I learned to speak Italian. I quickly realized how 'American' I really was."

When she got home, DiSante got a job with the Italian consulate in Detroit. She was hired, in part, because she spoke Italian.

A few years later, she changed jobs. She has changed jobs eight or nine times in the last 25 years.

"I worked at Wayne State University as a research assistant for the medical school," she said. "Then I was a research assistant at the WSU College of Nursing."

"Then I did public relations for the Attic Theatre. I had to learn to make pitches to reporters and do PR releases. I learned how to schmooze and how to talk to editors and how important timing is. I learned the ups and downs of public relations. I also did some PR for the Italian-American Cultural Society."

"I was associate director of development for the Center for Creative Studies College of Art and Design. I also did some freelance PR work and some freelance fundraising."

"Then I got a job at Focus: HOPE. It started as a development position, but then I did PR too. I worked with two wonderful, dedicated people — Father Cunningham and Eleanor Josaitis."

DiSante worked her way up

POINTER OF INTEREST



Donna DiSante of Grosse Pointe Farms is director of development for the Pontifical Institute for Foreign Missions (PIME). "My faith means a lot to me," she said, "and it's a part of everything I do."

to media relations manager by the time she left Focus: HOPE.

"I heard about my present job at the Pontifical Institute for Foreign Missions (PIME). I decided it was time for a change."

DiSante is director of development for PIME, one of several Catholic pontifical societies.

"PIME is an international Catholic missionary organization that sponsors missions in Asia, Africa, Mexico and South America and the South Pacific," DiSante said.

PIME ministers to Catholic communities and develops spiritual leadership and vocations. Its goal is to make each mission community self-sup-

porting. "Missionaries are commissioned to set up a church, but they also take on the job of meeting other needs of the native people — like medical care, agricultural reforms, literacy programs, home-building, counseling and more. These are often some of the forgotten people of the world — often native people who have been left out of the mainstream and ignored by governments."

PIME will celebrate the 150th anniversary of its founding beginning in June, she said.

"I love meeting people of all cultures, backgrounds and religions," she said. "I really enjoy

feeling a sense of brotherhood with all people. I love listening and communicating with people. Sometimes (communication) requires creativity."

"My faith means a lot to me and it's part of everything I do. I try to remain positive and in all negotiations, I go for agreement without compromising my principles."

DiSante has always been interested in the theater. She got started by performing in several high school productions. When she was in her mid-20s, her brother and her sister got parts in a Grosse Pointe Theatre production.

"I wanted a part too," she said. "So I joined Grosse Pointe Theatre. I had to wait two years to get an acting part."

"Grosse Pointe Theatre is not just about acting. There are so many ways to get involved in this all-volunteer organization. We have a budget of more than \$200,000, which comes from ticket sales, membership dues and patrons. Membership is about 285 right now, but it is usually up to 300 by the end of the year. We're looking for new members, particularly younger members."

DiSante is president of GPT this year. Since 1972, when she joined, she has acted, danced in the chorus and worked on props, costumes, writing, public relations, stage managing and sets. She has also directed, sat on selection boards, chaired committees and served as vice president.

"Members are all ages, from all walks of life. We have members who are teachers, scientists, judges, secretaries, corporate executives, stay-at-home moms, college professors, salespeople, auto dealers,

retirees, printers, college students, graphic artists, Realtors, doctors and so on.

"Dues are only \$20 a year and membership is open to people 18 and older. (Younger people may be cast in GPT productions, but are not subject to membership dues.)"

DiSante's presidency will focus on long-range planning. "We needed to look at our future," she said. "It is getting harder and harder to get people who are willing to volunteer their time. Right now, the long-range planning committee is in a research mode. We're going to ask our audiences to rate the quality of our productions and tell us their preferences. We would also like to provide more programming for children as well as get children and their families involved."

DiSante has rheumatoid arthritis. "I've had three joint replacements and I've run the gamut of medications," she said. "It is often painful and can be crippling. There is no cure, so lifelong management is the key. Some people have remissions. It gets worse as people get older."

She has served as a volunteer and a spokesperson for the Arthritis Foundation.

The next GPT production is "Seven Keys to Baldpate." The play opens on Thursday, March 9, and runs for three weekends on Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings and Sunday afternoons. Tickets are \$13. Call (313) 881-4004 for tickets.

The theater's headquarters is at 315 Fisher Road. DiSante encourages anyone interested in joining the group to stop in on Saturday mornings to watch a rehearsal or to call (313) 886-8901.

AAA Michigan offers tips to cut cost of gasoline

To help ease sticker shock at the gas pumps — prices are 50 cents a gallon higher than a year ago — AAA Michigan offers a dozen easy-to-follow, money-saving suggestions:

1. Slow down. Even a five mph decrease in speed can affect your gas mileage. Watch your tachometer to gauge engine performance.

2. Keep tires properly inflated. Under-inflated tires can cut fuel economy by a half percent per pound of pressure below recommended levels.

3. Give your car a full tune-up, as recommended by the manufacturer, including a regular oil and oil filter change. A

poorly tuned engine can increase fuel consumption by up to 50 percent or more.

4. Do not purchase mid-grade or premium gasoline unless it is considered necessary by the vehicle's manufacturer. Using self-serve regular fuel compared to premium can save an average of 17 cents per gallon.

5. Don't let the vehicle idle for more than a minute. Idling consumes one-half to one gallon of gas per hour and wastes more fuel than restarting the engine.

6. Accelerate gently, brake gradually and avoid hard stops.

7. Combine errands into one trip or go to the one location to take care of as many errands as possible.

8. When traveling, avoid excess weight and reduce use of car top carriers and trailers. Additional weight and vehicle add-ons have a negative effect on aerodynamics, causing engines to work harder and burn more gas.

9. Car pool when possible.

10. Travel during off-peak

times, avoiding rush hour.

11. Check the engine oil level when buying gas to be sure the engine is lubricated properly.

12. Large trucks — which pull heavy loads and are less aerodynamic than cars — see even greater gains in fuel efficiency with decreased speed. For every one mph increase above 55 mph, fuel efficiency generally decreases 2.2 percent.

GROSSE POINTE PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM

NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY OF NOMINATING PETITIONS FOR BOARD OF EDUCATION

THE REGULAR ELECTION of the School District will be held on Monday, June 12, 2000. Two members of the Board of Education will be elected for a term of four (4) years (July 1, 2000 - June 30, 2004).

Nominating petitions for candidates seeking election to the Board of Education are available in the Personnel Office at 389 St. Clair, Grosse Pointe, Michigan, from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday, and 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Fridays.

Twenty (20) signatures of registered electors are required to become a candidate for the Board of Education.

Petitions must be filed with the Personnel Office no later than 4:00 p.m. on Monday, April 10, 2000.

Joan Dindoffer,
Secretary, Board of Education
G.P.N.: 03/02/00 & 03/09/00

City of Grosse Pointe Park, Michigan

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Review of the City of Grosse Pointe Park, Wayne County, Michigan will be in session in the Municipal Building, 15115 East Jefferson Avenue, Grosse Pointe Park, for the purpose of reviewing the 2000 assessment roll:

TUESDAY, MARCH 21, 2000
TUESDAY, MARCH 28, 2000

The board will meet from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. recessing from noon to 1:00 p.m. and again from 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Hearings are by appointment only. Contact the City of Grosse Pointe Park at 822-4365.

Resident taxpayers must appear in person or have a representative appear for them. Written appeals will be accepted postmarked no later than March 31, 2000.

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THE 2000 REAL PROPERTY ASSESSMENT ROLL is complete and will be available for public inspection at our Municipal Office, 17147 Maumee Avenue on:

MARCH 6, 2000 through MARCH 20, 2000
(Saturdays and Sundays excluded)
During the Hours of 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

The estimated State-Equalization factor for 2000 is 1.0000 Residential and 1.0000 Commercial. The Taxable value increase is limited to 1.9% unless the property was transferred in 1999.

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THOMAS W. KRESSBACH,
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G.P.N.: 02/17/2000, 02/24/2000, & 03/02/2000

City of Grosse Pointe Farms, Michigan

BOARD OF REVIEW

Meetings for the purpose of reviewing the 2000 Assessment Roll for the City of Grosse Pointe Farms, Wayne County, Michigan, will be held by the Board of Review on:

TUESDAY, MARCH 14, 2000
from 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.
and
1 p.m. - 5 p.m.

and

MONDAY, MARCH 27, 2000
from 1 p.m. - 5 p.m.
and
6 p.m. - 8 p.m.

at City Hall, 90 Kerby Road, Grosse Pointe Farms, Michigan 48236. Hearings will be scheduled by appointment. Please contact City of Grosse Pointe Farms at 885-6600, extension 252.

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Mickey D. Todd,
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City of Harper Woods, Michigan
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City of Grosse Pointe, Michigan
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BOARD OF REVIEW MEETING

The Property Assessment Roll of the City of Grosse Pointe, Wayne County, Michigan, for the year 2000 has been compiled. The estimated State-Equalization factor for 2000 is 1.0000 Residential and 1.0000 Commercial. The taxable value increase is limited to 1.9% unless ownership of the property was transferred in 1999. Therefore, in accordance with the General Property Tax laws of the State of Michigan and Section 35, of the City Charter, as amended:

The Board of Review will meet in
Tuesday, March 21, 2000
and
Wednesday, March 22, 2000

During the Hours of 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and 2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Such meeting will be held at the Municipal Offices, 17147 Maumee.

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Shores voters soundly reject activities bldg.

In last week's Village of Grosse Pointe Shores public vote, 61 percent of the 1,274 voters who turned out at the polls said no to the proposed activities building at Osius Municipal Park on Lakeshore across from the village hall and abutting the Grosse Pointe Yacht Club property.

Further, the voters there said even if the building had been approved, they would not want alcoholic beverages allowed to be served there.

Both questions — the activities building and alcohol — were advisory items on the Tuesday, Feb. 22, presidential primary ballot.

Though the vote was advisory only, Shores Village Council President John Huettelman III has said the council will abide by the voters' wishes.

But just why the voters rejected the activities building, which would have been 5,000 square feet in size and would

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not have required a tax increase, is not known since no exit poll was taken.

Perhaps Shores voters believed an activities building simply was not needed in their tiny community. Perhaps they did not wish to see park green space consumed. Maybe they just didn't want to spend the money. Or perhaps they were just sick and tired of all the mailings (both pro and con) with which they've been hounded. Or they may have been so disgusted with the nastiness and verbal assaults at recent council meetings that they just wanted the issue to go away.

We wouldn't blame Shores residents for being somewhat jaundiced. They've been subjected to viciousness and incivility ever since the yacht club announced plans a couple of years ago to modernize its harbor.

Opponents of the yacht club "expansion" won the day by convincing voters

via another advisory ballot to reject going along with the yacht club's plans, which would have included improving the village's municipal harbor.

But with the victory, the anti-yacht-club group didn't go away, but rather became an anti-village-administration faction. It appears to us that this group's sole purpose has become to topple the current administration and, ultimately, get its own people elected to the council.

In fact, the antis did run their own candidates in last May's village vote and were soundly defeated. The rebels (or freedom fighters, depending on your point of view) will most likely try again in May when President Huettelman and President Pro Tem Dr. Richard Mertz Jr., as well as two trustees, are up for re-election.

It's probably too much to expect civility to return to the Shores, especially at its

village council meetings, where even newspaper reporters, who are not part of the official process, are verbally attacked (at least by one resident) and village administrators are called names more appropriate to a bar fight.

Nevertheless, we ask the few residents who do not know how to conduct themselves at public meetings to find their misplaced manners and to adhere to Roberts Rules of Order. And we urge those sending out anti-administration mailers to give it a rest, or at least discontinue distorting the facts.

Let peace return to paradise, or what used to be as close to it as there can be this side of Eden.

On a more positive note, we applaud Shores voters for approving a village charter revision that would eliminate "plunking" in village council elections.

Under the old charter, if there were three seats open, voters had to select three candidates. If they only selected two candidates because they did not support the others running for the seats, then their ballots were voided. With the revision, Shores voters can now vote for only those candidates they personally support and are no longer forced to cast a vote for someone they would not have otherwise.

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Pointes lose 2 top cops

We are sad to announce that two of the Pointes' top public safety officers have retired.

Retiring are Grosse Pointe Shores Public Safety Chief Dan Healy and Grosse Pointe Park Public Safety Director William Furtaw.

Healy's retirement, effective April 1, comes after 34 1/2 years with the Shores department. He began his career in law enforcement with the Wayne County Sheriff's Department.

As a young recruit, Healy excelled as a public safety officer. The Shores was the first in the nation with a combined fire and police department, where officers are trained in both disciplines.

Healy served as chief since 1987. But Healy was not only a good cop and firefighter, he was also a good man and leader.

Furtaw, who wrote the history of the Park police department, was often referred to as a cop's cop, a "straight arrow." He was a professional through and through, and his attention to protocol and training reached every officer in the department.

He took his profession beyond basic training, earning a master's degree in criminology, and he taught part-time at the college level.

Furtaw was a good role model and inspiration to recruits as well as to everyone he met. (In fact, he inspired this writer to go on to earn a master's degree in his profession, journalism.)

The Pointes will selfishly miss both men and what they contributed to the community. But both have earned their retirements and we wish them many happy years to come.



Offering from the loft Different notes for different folks

They speak of marching to a different drummer, how about to a different orchestra?

Like many of us, music is a security blanket for me. It excites, enervates, soothes, but always elicits some kind of emotional reaction from us. Music can elevate heart rates and lower blood pressures. It can evoke tears and inspire us. It massages our souls, our aching hearts, our tired bodies.

Our responses to music were never more apparent to me than this past week, as I witnessed the myriad layers of and mysteries of music. Early in the week, the Grammys were televised and later in the week, we attended a cabaret concert at the War Memorial. The contrasts were staggering to this old gal.

First of all, there were no lavish costumes necessary as a prelude to the program. The setting was simple, with only a piano used as accompaniment. The music and the performers stood on their own. They were more than enough.

The Grammys, however, had gala staging, skimpy handkerchiefs that were to pass as dresses, long, swooping entrances and hi-tech lighting, all in addition to the orchestral backgrounds. The Grammys showcased "the best of the best," which in itself is scary. True, there was some incredible talent, such as the young Russian jazz pianist who can hold his own with his older peer, at age 13.

Even if I could understand a 10th of what the rappers are saying, I'm not sure I would want to hear the message. They can be pretty raw in the lyrics department. I remember when our children went to hear Santana at the Punch and Judy Theater in the mid '70s, so it was fun to see that some of the old fellas are still being appreciated.

I must confess, though, I like to be

eclectic in my musical tastes. I have special feelings for Ella, Frank, Tony and good jazz. A great vocalist and the Big Band era still rank first on my list of preferences.

And though there is considerable talent in the music world today, I doubt that their accomplishments will stand the test of time as well as the Gershwins, Rogers and Hammerstein, Cole Porter, Jerome Kern and Irving Berlin, to name a handful of those whose music we have been privileged to enjoy throughout our lives.

My husband and I are heartened that our children finally appreciate some of "our" music as well as having introduced us to some of their favorites.

Our choices are sadly limited on local radio programming. If it were not for Canadian broadcasting, there would be no classical choices available. What a tragedy for a metropolitan area of our size. Old folks can't even locate elevator music on their radio dials these days. Without our CDs and cassette tapes, we are extremely limited in our selections.

Unfortunately for some, though often I can't remember why I came into a room, I can remember most of the lyrics to most of the songs I've ever heard. This can be annoying to those who would rather hear the original artist perform. I can't help it, I tend to sing along. If they would bring back "Name That Tune," I could make my fortune, and I wouldn't need all those choices offered the potential millionaires by Regis.

Who among us can resist the romance of the lyrics of the great ones? They are intoxicating and, for sheer enjoyment, I'll choose the old-fashioned fare every time. Bring on Lionel Hampton, still tapping our feet to your beat.

Letters

A call to order

To the Editor:
I am writing to address a disturbing situation that has developed in recent months at our Village council meetings. This situation involves an increasing level of disruptive behavior on the part of certain residents who regularly attend the meetings. Initially, that behavior consisted mainly of occasional interruptions of trustees and other persons trying to address the meetings. Over the past several meetings, the remarks have become more intrusive and the interruptions more frequent.

This trend culminated at the Feb. 15 council meeting during which a resident directed loud verbal abuse toward the Village superintendent. As the meeting was breaking up, this resident continued his tirade with abusive remarks and profanities that were clearly audible to many people, including children who had come to watch the meeting.

At one point, the individual in question advanced toward the Village superintendent in what appeared to be an attempt to physically confront him. Then the resident began verbally harassing a local news reporter who was attempting to cover the meeting.

This type of behavior and other disorderly conduct will no longer be tolerated at our meetings. Elected officials, Village employees, residents and other persons with matters to discuss at the council are entitled to have Village business conducted in an atmosphere free

from interruptions, harassment and intimidation.

In future meetings, persons who disrupt that atmosphere will be asked to leave, and if necessary, escorted from the building.

I feel compelled to write this letter because of the seriousness of the problem. In the past, I have been proud of our residents' willingness to attend our meetings and offer suggestions and criticism in a rational, sincere and appropriate manner. It is essential that civility be restored to our meetings so that this tradition may continue.

John Huettelman III
Grosse Pointe Shores
Village President

A positive impact

To the Editor:
While "Lesson in Democracy" was a great caption for the photograph on page one of the Feb. 24 issue of your newspaper, I think that this also could have been used as a headline for the front-page article, "Shores voters reject recreation center," by Mr. Stickford, on the outcome of the Grosse Pointe Shores recreation center referendum.

Eighteen months ago, our village council held a groundbreaking ceremony for a nearly 8,000 square-foot building to be erected in Osius Park. After Mr. Huettelman and our council members planted their shovel in the ground and turned over the first spadeful of dirt, many Shores residents thought that this building was a done deal.

However, a petition drive insisting on better resident input was instituted, the issue

was subsequently placed on the ballot, and following the recent village election the voice of the Grosse Pointe Shores residents has been heard.

I found it most interesting that in doing the math on the raw numbers reported in your article that the 61 percent of the residents who voted against the building was exactly the percentage point as to what the village survey predicted when you added those opposed to any building to those who wanted one across the road from the park.

While the public debate over controversial issues, like this activities building, may lead to an unavoidable element of contentiousness, I find it most heartening now that the electoral process is over to reflect on the positive impact that citizens can achieve when actively exercising the sovereignty over government that our Founding Fathers had the vision to endow us with through our right of suffrage.

In my opinion, the culmination of this proposed activities building saga in the Shores really constitutes a valuable lesson in democracy, and a lesson that I hope both Shores citizens and our elected officials have learned from and will remember for a long time to come.

Pauline Lopiccolo
Grosse Pointe Shores

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on page 7A

Fax me to the Greek Islands

If I could travel back in time, to the early 1800s, it wouldn't take long before I'd start showing off, dazzling people with predictions about what to expect during the next two centuries.

I would amaze and delight them with tales of air travel. People will fly from New York City to San Francisco in just a few hours, I'd say. Then I would have to explain how they might spend a day and a half tracking down luggage, which got sidetracked to San Antonio; and how they'd have to spend several months accumulating frequent flier miles through car rentals, credit card purchases, grocery shopping trips and travel promotions so they could book another trip.

I would stun people with descriptions of television transmission of live events and VCR

recordings that can be played over and over. Then I'd try to explain Jerry Springer and Howard Stern and describe the frustrations of programming the VCR to actually record something that will be on TV next Thursday at 9 p.m.

I would predict Einstein's theory of relativity, Freud's Id, Ego and Superego, Dr. Spock's best-selling book, the sinking of the Titanic, and the phenomena of hula hoops and pet rocks and Cabbage Patch dolls. I would amaze everyone with tales of exploring the surface of the moon; of watching the annual Academy Awards extravaganza; of eating instant TV dinners and microwaved popcorn; and of wiping out polio and smallpox.

I would warn my listeners about the A-bomb and the Edsel and the dangers of borrowing money to buy stock and of breathing first- and second-hand smoke and filling dirigibles with hydrogen.

I would tell people not to buy 8-track tapes or leisure suits or go-go boots.

I would predict fax machines and mini skirts and chat rooms and e-mail and overnight deliveries and Madonna and



www.whatever.coms.

People would not be amazed. They would laugh. They would scoff. They would shake their heads sadly and call me eccentric.

But I would show them. I would write "The Sound and the Fury" before Faulkner did. And I'd invent cell phones and Jell-O and disposable diapers and bubble wrap and kitty litter and those mixed-green-salads-in-bags-with-cROUTONS-and-bacon bits. I would become rich.

So there. What if I told you I had just returned from the future and I predict both time travel and instant travel will be perfected within the next 200 years.

Would you laugh and scoff? Would you call me eccentric? Listen up.

Not only will we eventually be able to travel back and forth in time, but we'll be able to travel from place to place — instantly, in real time.

We will be able to select from such diverse vacations as a week witnessing closed-door debates at the 1787 Constitutional Convention — or a week on Mars. Either choice will be accomplished without the hassles of traveling to or from.

We will travel at the speed of faxes.

In 2250, I'll be able fax myself to New Orleans for Mardi Gras. My friend in Paris could fax herself to Grosse Pointe for a dinner party at my house. I could fax myself to ancient Athens for a question-and-answer interview with Socrates.

I could fax my dog to the vet; my clothes to the cleaners; my car to the dealer for service. L.L. Bean could fax me some fuzzy slippers.

Think about all the time and aggravation we could save by eliminating the tediousness of getting from here to there and back.

Suppose I decided to spend a weekend with a friend who lives in London. I'd skip the dithering about what I should pack and how I should get myself to the airport. I'd avoid dragging my overstuffed suitcase down the stairs and out to my car. I would not have to drive to the airport, find a parking lot, ride the shuttle to the terminal, stand in line for the pre-flight check-in, spend eight hours strapped into a space too small for a Lhasa apso, push mystery meat around a cardboard dish with a plastic fork, put up with the fussing babies and whiny children and chatty seat mates. I would not have to wait and wonder where my luggage went, queue up to convert dollars to pounds, find the train to the city, check into the hotel, etc. etc.

I would fax myself to

London.

I would fax the clothes I thought I'd need, too.

If I discovered that I had forgotten something — my toothbrush, for example, or my tiara or my humbershoot or my Wellingtons — one of my children could fax it to my hotel.

In the next few centuries, not only will we be able to fax ourselves wherever we want to go, but we'll also be able to make copies of ourselves to fax to events we don't want to attend in person.

I could fax a copy of my gall bladder into a hospital to be removed, while I cruised the Caribbean.

I could fax a copy of my teeth to my dentist for cleaning, a copy of my feet to a salon for a pedicure; a copy of myself decked out in a slinky drop-dead black sheath to a boring "gala," while the real me schlepps around the house in a bathrobe and fuzzy slippers, eating Chunky Monkey right out of the carton with a tablespoon and watching old Paul Newman movies on my VCR.

Laugh. Scoff. Call me eccentric.

But save this article for your great-great-grandchildren.

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The Op-Ed Page



'Green Mile' — on death row

"The Green Mile" is a movie that wrestles with serious controversy, with universal conflicts inherent in the human condition and with the dark side of human nature.

It is about good and evil, about the physical world and a spiritual world, about punishment and redemption, about how some people are basically good and others deeply bad.

At bottom, the film attempts to show that the struggle between Jehovah and Satan is ongoing, never resolved. As this struggle is reflected in everyday life, some people are depicted as being cruel and destructive, others kind and healing.

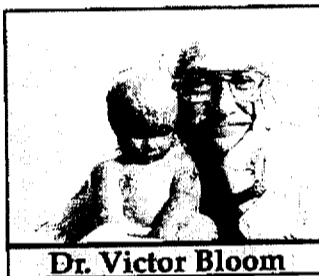
"The green mile" is prison-speak for death row in Louisiana back in the thirties, appropriately named for its antiseptically green floor. Tom Hanks is the kindhearted head guard who tries to run the death row like a doctor would run an intensive care ward. The prisoners are to be treated with the utmost respect and consideration for their feelings and their person.

Not only must he deal with one guard who is particularly cruel and sadistic, but he must also prepare for the arrival of two incoming death-row inmates, one a gigantic black man who was convicted for murdering two white girls, and another who is a wild and primitive Hannibal Lecter, evil incarnate.

Although the black man appears fearsome, he is actually childlike and exudes goodness of heart, ultimately manifesting amazing powers of healing. Hanks begins to doubt that such a man could have murdered the two girls. The audience is faced with the reality that sometimes innocent men are executed in the electric chair.

And in case anyone has any doubts that in our present sensibilities electrocution is cruel and unusual, there is a scene — giving the film an "R" rating — that shows in graphic detail what can happen in an actual execution gone wrong. It's a scene of horror that goes beyond what we have ever seen before on a silver screen. Still, it is a masterpiece of film making.

This motion picture is the strongest argument yet in recent movie history for dispensing with the death penalty. Among the horrors of the execution scene were the witnesses, family and friends of the murdered girls, thirsting for revenge. An eye for an eye...



Dr. Victor Bloom

The film carries forward the message of "Dead Man Walking." In fact, this expression is used liberally in "The Green Mile," providing a connection with the earlier work. Apparently it has been a phrase in common use, another horror in and of itself.

The director, Darabont, was the same as in "The Shawshank Redemption," another prison film, again about the relationship between a black and a white, again about an innocent person being convicted and imprisoned, and again taken from a novel by Stephen King.

While it is true that our criminal justice system is imperfect, especially so when an innocent man is convicted or a guilty man acquitted, the offense is critically greater when an innocent is executed because of the irreversible finality of death.

What gradually suffuses the film, forcing the audience to lose its bearings, is a mounting and pervasive occurrence of the supernatural or spiritual, which is magical and mysterious and elicits deep responses in each viewer, which cry out for understanding. It is as if we live in a world where the devil inhabits some humans while others are healers with God-given talents.

There is a fascinating and lovable tame mouse in death row that the prisoners, except for the evil prisoner and guard, come to love. The beauty of the mouse is that it is a living creature which can scurry under the prison bars, come and go, and still be faithful to one person.

This little subplot embodies the message that God loves the least of his creatures. Among the least of his creatures, according to some theologians, are death row inmates, including heinous murderers and rapists and the occasional innocent inhabitant of the green mile.

Roger Ebert, the famed movie critic, compared Stephen King to Charles Dickens. Considering Dickens' "A Christmas Carol," complete with magical trips to the past

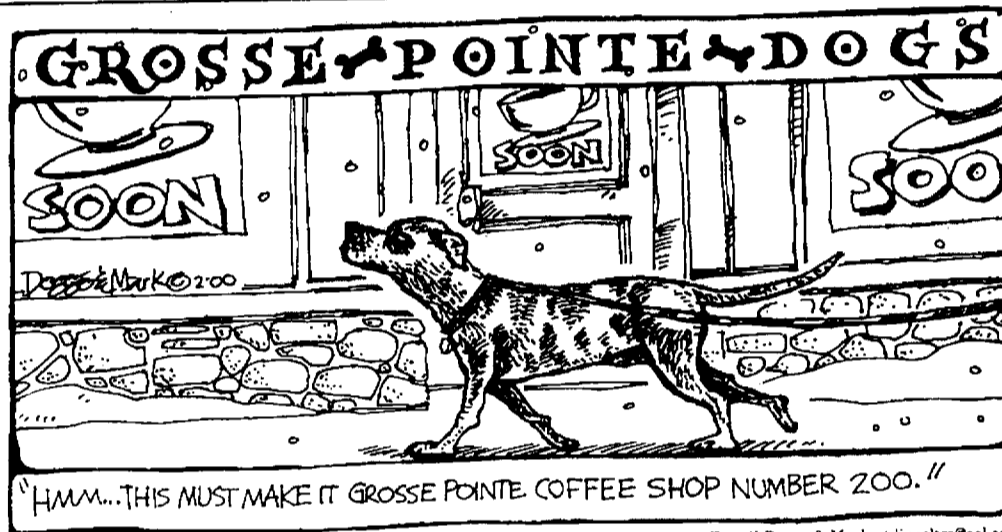
and future, revealing humanity's tendency toward good and evil and the need for compassion and redemption, "The Green Mile" is a 20th century echo of a 19th century theme, one that has evolved over the last two millennia.

To quote Ebert:

"The movie is a shade over three hours long. I appreciated the extra time, which allows us to feel the passage of prison months and years. Stephen King, sometimes dismissed as merely a bestseller, has in his best novels some of the power of Dickens, who created worlds that enveloped us, and populated them with colorful, peculiar, sharply seen characters. King in his strongest work is a storyteller likely to survive as Dickens has, despite the sniffs of the litcrit establishment.

"By taking the extra time, Darabont has made 'The Green Mile' into a story that develops and unfolds, which has detail and space. The movie would have been much diminished at two hours; it would have been a series of episodes without context. As Darabont directs it, it tells a story with beginning, middle, end, vivid characters, humor, outrage and emotional release. Dickensian."

Dr. Bloom is clinical associate professor of psychiatry, Wayne State University School of Medicine. He is a member of the American Academy of Psychoanalysis and on the editorial board of the Wayne County Medical Society. He welcomes comments at his e-mail address, vbloom@compuserve.com, and visits to his website, www.factotem.com/vbloom.



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Letters

Concerned official

To the Editor:

Just when you think you've seen and heard it all — this is my first letter to an editor of a newspaper. I write to ask you to personally review the tape of the Grosse Pointe Shores City Council meeting held Feb. 15 at the Grosse Pointe Shores Village Municipal building.

I am a Grosse Pointe Shores elected trustee who was taken aback by the questions and manner in which a Shores resident spoke in a public forum to a Grosse Pointe News reporter.

That resident was not happy with comments read by the Village manager, so he approached the microphone and said he would like to make a direct comment to the reporter from the Grosse Pointe News who attended the

meeting.

I write to ask that you and the publisher of the Grosse Pointe News review the tape. I also wanted you to know that I believe the reporter handled himself in a professional manner and in no way wanted any attention on himself that night. In fact, he answered in a low, well-modulated voice and tone.

My concern is that there will be a point when not only will Grosse Pointe Shores residents not want to serve their constituents, but that there will not be any newspaper reporters who will want to cover the Shores council meetings.

Thank you for considering my request for you to review the tape.

Barbara Willett
Grosse Pointe Shores
Trustee

Thanks

To the Editor:

Just a quick note to say "thanks" to the City of Grosse Pointe Department of Public Works employee who found my Shell credit card on the playground adjacent to Elworthy Field last week.

This honest person turned the card over to City police, who in turn called me to let me know they had the card in their possession.

With the high price of gas these days, that card could've been a license to steal if it had fallen into the wrong hands.

I didn't get the name of the City employee who found the card (you know who you are), but nevertheless would like to let them — and their superiors — know that their honesty is appreciated.

Kathy Dauphinais
City of Grosse Pointe

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Due to limited space, some letters, Yesterday's Headlines, Pet Pointer of Interest and the Autos column could not be printed. They should return next week.

Bernice O. Abbott

City of Grosse Pointe resident Bernice O. Abbott died at Bon Secours Hospital on Friday, Feb. 25, 2000. She was 88.

Mrs. Abbott was born in Joliet, Ill., and owned Abbott Acres Resort in Hackensack, Minn.

Mrs. Abbott is survived by a daughter, Kathleen M. Green; two sons, George and C. Richard; a sister, Pauline Ruddy; a brother, Robert Pubentz; eight grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by her husband, George.

A funeral service for Mrs. Abbott was held Wednesday, March 1, at Universalist-Unitarian Church in Joliet. Interment is at Elmhurst Cemetery in Joliet. Funeral arrangements were handled by Blackburn, Giegerich & Sonntag Funeral Home in Joliet.

Memorial gifts may be sent to the Michigan Cancer Fund.

Kathryn L. Brey

Grosse Pointe Farms resident Kathryn L. Brey died on Tuesday, Feb. 22, 2000, at St. John-Bon Secours Senior Community. She was 84.

Mrs. Brey was born in Detroit and was a member of the First English Lutheran Church.

Mrs. Brey is survived by six daughters, Shirley Gemmer, Sharon Weingartner, Susan Paventy, Bonnie Steketee, Laurie Mooney and Judie Gates; a brother, John Berling Jr.; 15 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

A funeral service for Mrs. Brey was held Tuesday, Feb. 29 at First English Lutheran Church. Interment is at Gethsemane Cemetery in Detroit. Funeral arrangements were handled by A.H. Peters Funeral Home in Grosse Pointe Woods.

Memorial gifts may be sent to the American Heart Association, Lutheran Social Services of Michigan or St. John-Bon Secours Senior Community.

Dennis William Kennedy, O.D.

Former Grosse Pointe Farms resident Dennis William Kennedy, O.D., of Plymouth, died of complications of cancer on Monday, Feb. 21, 2000. He was 57.

**Dennis W. Kennedy, O.D.**

Dr. Kennedy was born in Detroit and was a graduate of the Leelanau School for Boys in Glen Arbor, attended Detroit Institute of Technology and received his bachelor of science and doctor of optometry degrees from Illinois College of Optometry. He served as captain and chief of optometric services in the U.S. Air Force at the 170th USAF Hospital in Altus, Okla. He was also an adjunct professor for Ferris State College of Optometry and was an optometrist/adviser for the Veteran's Administration Hospital in Allen Park.

Dr. Kennedy had a private practice, Vision Associates of Westland, and served as a contact lens consultant to many area ophthalmologists. He was also an expert and lecturer on various forms of refractive surgery and dry eye syndrome.

Dr. Kennedy was past president of the Wayne County Optometric Association, a member of the American Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgeons, a past director of the Metropolitan Detroit Optometric Association, the Michigan Optometric Association and American Optometric Association. He was a national advisory board member of TLC Laser Eye Centers.

A lifelong baseball enthusiast and devoted father, Dr. Kennedy coached many years for the Plymouth-Canton Junior Baseball League and the Craiger Baseball Travel Team. He was also a Civil War buff and enjoyed attending reenactments of famous battles.

Dr. Kennedy is survived by his wife, Sandra; two sons, Christopher and Scott; and a sister, Carol Ruth Purdon.

A memorial service for Dr. Kennedy will be held Saturday, March 11, at 2 p.m. at Christ Church Grosse Pointe. Interment will be in Thamesford, Ontario.

Memorial gifts may be sent to the Michigan Humane Society or the Southfield Cancer Research Institute, 21751 W. 11 Mile, Southfield, MI 48076.

Quinten D. LaChapelle

Former Grosse Pointe Farms resident Quinten D. LaChapelle died in his St. Clair Shores home Sunday, Feb. 13, 2000. He was 81.

Mr. LaChapelle was born in Green Bay, Wis., and worked for Uniroyal Tire in Detroit and Allen Park. He also served as a sergeant in the U.S. Army during World War II.

Mr. LaChapelle was a member of the Senior Men's Club of Grosse Pointe and enjoyed golf.

Survivors include his wife, Doris; a daughter Suzanne Thomas; a son, Timothy; two sisters, Ruth English and Audry Henry; and three grandchildren. He was predeceased by a brother, Grant.

A funeral service for Mr. LaChapelle was held Friday, Feb. 18 at A.H. Peters Funeral Home in Grosse Pointe Woods.

Memorial gifts may be sent to First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth or Newtown Congregational Church of Newton (Connecticut).

**Adrienne Lambrecht****Adrienne DeBusschere Lambrecht**

Former City of Grosse Pointe resident Adrienne

DeBusschere Lambrecht, of Clinton Township, died Sunday, Feb. 27, 2000. She was 100.

Mrs. Lambrecht was born in Lokeren, Belgium and moved to Detroit in 1920. She was a member of the Belgian-American Association Auxiliary, the Queen Elizabeth Circle, the Roose-Vanker Auxiliary, the Belgian-American Card Club, the Genealogical Society of Flemish Americans, the Belgian-American Retirees, the Women's Century Club, the Flemish Family Circle, the Roose-Vanker Retirees, the Roose-Vanker American Legion and the Belgian-American Ladies Club.

Mrs. Lambrecht is survived by two sons, Gerard and Leon; a sister, Germaine; two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by her first husband, Leo DeBusschere and her second husband, Joseph Lambrecht.

A funeral Mass for Mrs. Lambrecht will be celebrated Thursday, March 2 at 10:30 a.m. at St. Paul of Tarsus in Clinton Township. Funeral arrangements are being handled by Verheyden Funeral Home.

Memorial gifts may be sent to Our Lady of Sorrows Catholic Church, the Capuchin Monastery or Beaumont Hospice.

Edward P. Letscher

Former Grosse Pointe Farms resident Edward P. Letscher, of Dearborn, died of congestive heart failure at Oakwood Common Skilled Nursing Center on Wednesday, Feb. 23.

DEATH NOTICES

PIERNO, Miles F.-Of South Lyon
Born 1925, age 74
Beloved husband of Dorothy, Father of Mark (Victoria), Miles, Lyn (Bryan) Foster, Tracy (Mark) Patios, and Amy. Grandfather of David, Natalie, Anthony, Stephanie, Dominic, Kyle, Tyler, Alec and Sara. Visitation and service was held at O'Brien/Sullivan Funeral Home. Service was held Tues. 2/22 at 11 a.m. South Lyon Cemetery. Mr. Pierno was retired from Leaseway Transportation after 30 years. He was a WWII veteran. He was a member of the VFW, DAV, and the Wildlife Federation. He enjoyed photography, model railroading, training and showing dogs, and his pipe club. Memorials are to be sent to The American Heart Association.

He was 87.

Mr. Letscher was a native of Sharon, Pa., and was a graduate of the Wharton School of Commerce at the University of Pennsylvania. He finished off his 30-year career in the automotive industry as the director of marketing investments for Chrysler International in Europe and Australia. During his retirement, Mr. Letscher spent 21 years organizing Senior Services, Inc., and served on the community council in Rancho Bernardo, Calif.

Mr. Letscher is survived by his wife of 64 years, Helen; a daughter, Joslen Moran; three sons, Richard, Michael and David; 10 grandchildren and one great-granddaughter.

A funeral Mass for Mr. Letscher was celebrated Saturday, Feb. 26 at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Dearborn. Funeral arrangements were handled by Howe-Peterson Funeral Home in Dearborn.

Memorial gifts may be sent to Arbor Hospice, 7445 Allen Road, Suite 230, Allen Park, MI 48101.

Phyllis Kennedy Moore

Grosse Pointe Park resident

Phyllis Kennedy Moore died after a brief illness Tuesday, Feb. 15, 2000, at St. John Hospital and Medical Center in Detroit. She was 80.

Mrs. Moore was born in Detroit, attended Miss Newman's School in Detroit, the University of Michigan and Penn Hall in Pennsylvania and was a housewife.

Mrs. Moore enjoyed spending time with her family and spent her summers at her family cottage in Pointe Aux Barques. She enjoyed gardening and playing piano.

Mrs. Moore is survived by three daughters, Patricia, Susan Weiss and Nancy; a son, James; two sisters, Edna MacDonald and Jane Miller; and two grandchildren. She was predeceased by her husband W. James.

A memorial service for Mrs. Moore was held Sunday, Feb. 20 at Grosse Pointe Memorial Church. Interment is at Woodlawn Cemetery. Funeral arrangements were handled by Verheyden Funeral Home.

Memorial gifts may be sent to the Salvation Army, 16130 Northland Dr., Southfield, MI

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Obituaries

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Daniel Joseph O'Loughlin

Former Grosse Pointe Shores resident Daniel Joseph O'Loughlin died in his Conyers, Ga., home on Monday, Jan. 10, 2000. He was 60.

Mr. O'Loughlin was born in Detroit and was a graduate of Catholic Central High School and the University of Notre Dame.

He was formerly the owner and president of J.L. O'Loughlin Co., a mechanical contractor, and was president of the Mechanical Contractors of America.

Mr. O'Loughlin is survived by his wife of 35 years, Shelia; two daughters, Maura Davis and Kiely Donaldson; a son, Corey; four sisters, Mary Ann Szydlowski, Lynne DeGrande, Margaret Campbell and Patricia Cecile; two brothers, John and William; and four grandchildren. He was predeceased by a sister, Merla, and a brother, James.

A memorial Mass for Mr. O'Loughlin was celebrated Saturday, Feb. 26 at St. Lucy Catholic Church in St. Clair Shores.

Memorial gifts may be sent to Hospice of Atlanta, Karamanos Cancer Institute or St. John Cancer Center.

Patricia Seibert

Lifelong Grosse Pointe Park resident Patricia Seibert died of heart failure at Bon Secours Nursing Center in St. Clair Shores on Sunday, Feb. 27, 2000. She was 72.

Miss Seibert was a graduate of Dominican High School and worked for Johnson Higgins Insurance Co.

She was a lifelong parishioner of St. Clare of Montefalco Catholic Church and enjoyed gardening, cooking and candy making.

Miss Seibert is survived by her sister, Rosemary.

A funeral service for Miss Seibert was held Wednesday, March 1 at Verheyden Funeral Home. Interment is at Mount Olivet Cemetery in Detroit.

Betty Boss Theuerkorn

A memorial service will be held Saturday, March 4 at 11 a.m. at Trinity Lutheran Church in Detroit for Grosse Pointe Woods resident Betty Boss Theuerkorn. Mrs. Theuerkorn died Wednesday, Feb. 23, 2000 at the age of 79.

Mrs. Theuerkorn was born in Detroit and worked at the Rubber Co. and the Detroit Free Press.

She was an active member of the Cottage Hospital Auxiliary for 38 years. For many years she was the toy buyer for the gift shop.

Survivors include a daughter, Karen Hamilton; a son, Richard; a brother, Ed Boss; and four grandchildren. She was predeceased by her husband, Otto, and a brother, Duane Boss.

Funeral arrangements were handled by Wm. Sullivan & Sons in Utica.

Memorial gifts may be sent to Cottage Hospital Auxiliary, 159 Kercheval, Grosse Pointe Farms, MI 48236 or Hospice of Michigan, 16520 Northland Dr., Suite 212, Southfield, MI 48075.

Phillip B. Zoufal Sr.

Grosse Pointe Woods resident Phillip B. Zoufal Sr., died of complications of leukemia at St. John-Bon Secours Senior Community on Saturday, Feb. 19, 2000. He was 89.

Mr. Zoufal was born in Sheboygan, Wis., was a 1933 University of Detroit graduate where he built the first ham radio station on campus, was editor of the U-D engineering college newspaper, was editor of the monthly engineering magazine and member of the men's glee club and Delta Pi Kappa fraternity.

He was also a 1948



Phillip B. Zoufal Sr.

University of Michigan Real Estate School graduate.

Mr. Zoufal was an engineer for Continental Motors, was president of the Zoufal Fund and Zee Building Co., and was an Amoco Oil Co. dealer for 60 years.

Mr. Zoufal was president of the Harper Business Association and served on the Detroit of Tomorrow Committee and the Eastern United States War Bond Committee. He was a member of the University of Detroit Alumni Association, University of Michigan Alumni Association and the Detroit Yacht Club. He enjoyed history, golf and reading.

Mr. Zoufal is survived by his wife, Rose J.; a daughter, Rose Z. Seyler; two sons, Phillip Jr. and William; seven grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

He was predeceased by a son, Robert; a sister, Margaret Squier; and a brother, Austin Bettac.

A memorial Mass was celebrated for Mr. Zoufal on Wednesday, Feb. 23 at St. Paul Catholic Church. Interment is at St. Paul Columbarium. Funeral arrangements were handled by Verheyden Funeral Home.

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Would school vouchers be a help or hindrance?

By Bonnie Caprara
Staff Writer

The proposal to amend the state constitution that would allow vouchers to select students and schools on the November state ballot has divided educators and education supporters around the state.

The sponsors of the ballot proposal, Kids First! Yes!, filed their petition with the Secretary of State on Thursday, Feb. 24. Kids First! Yes! says the proposal will guarantee per-pupil funding and require teacher testing in public schools and in independent schools that accept tuition vouchers.

Proponents also say the amendment will expand school choice. It will allow vouchers to parents of children in school districts that fail to graduate at least 2/3 of its students. The state will issue vouchers, valued at about \$3,100, to parents who wish to send their children to independent schools that accept vouchers. It will also allow voters and school boards to decide if they want to expand choice in their area.

"Petition signatures have come in from every county of Michigan," said Kids First! Yes! co-chair Dick DeVos of Grand

Rapids. "The overwhelming response we have received shows that support for this initiative cuts across all political and geographic boundaries. People throughout Michigan share our desire to assure equal educational opportunity now for all Michigan children, no matter where they live."

However, Julie Matuzak, spokesperson for All Kids First!, an anti-ballot proposal group, who spoke at a recent meeting of the League of Women Voters of Grosse Pointe, doubted the proposed amendment change would benefit all children.

"The only ones who have choices are the people running the private schools," said Matuzak. "They'll decide if they take vouchers and which kids they'll take."

Matuzak said the Grosse Pointe Public Schools would not be affected by the voucher initiative since 99 percent of its students graduate, but said state taxpayers could be affected since she was unsure where the money would come from to fund vouchers.

"The state could take money out of the state budget, but there are many parts of the budget that are mandated or you could raise taxes like they

did in Milwaukee where they have a voucher program," said Matuzak.

Matuzak said the State Fiscal Committee estimates the cost to be \$50-80 million in the first year although it is not clear how many schools and districts will participate in the voucher program. The state department of education estimates 220,000 students currently attend private and parochial schools.

St. Clare of Montefalco School principal Hank Burakowski said that the school is in support of the ballot initiative. "We take the stance in support of the Archdiocese of Detroit and Michigan Association of Non-public Schools," said Burakowski.

"People need to be willing to try new alternatives. The old ones aren't working and they probably won't work for another generation. Why should these students suffer?"

Over 80 percent of St. Clare's students are from Detroit and approximate tuition is about \$3,000.

"Even for a poor family who couldn't afford the tuition, this would pretty much cover the going rate," said Burakowski.

However, University Liggett

School headmaster and president of the Association of Independent Michigan Schools Matthew Hanly was wary to give support to the constitutional amendment.

"It's far too vague to give any support," said Hanly. "There are no real guidelines about how the process would be enacted. It is apparent in accepting vouchers that there would be strings attached."

"People choose a private school because of its mission and how the mission of that school fits their child. Most cities that have a voucher system accept students by lottery. It would be our understanding that the legislature would choose to do so."

Without knowing how the state legislature would act on the amendment change if it were to be passed, Hanly said ULS would be unlikely to participate in the voucher program. About 2/3 of ULS students come from the Grosse Pointes and about 12-13 percent of its students come from Detroit. The estimated \$3,100 voucher would only cover a portion of the \$10,000-13,000 tuition range.

The League of Women Voters of Grosse Pointe president

Proposed constitution language change on school funding

The ballot proposal that would allow indirect state aid to private schools reads as follows with italicized text signifying deletions from the current state constitution:

Article VIII, Section 2:

"The legislature shall maintain and support a system of free public elementary and secondary schools as defined by law. Every school district shall provide for the education of its pupils without discrimination as to religion, creed, race, color or national origin.

"No public monies or property shall be appropriated or paid or any public credit utilized, by the legislature or any other political subdivision or agency of the state directly or indirectly to aid or maintain any private, denominational or other nonpublic pre-elementary, elementary, or secondary school. *No payment, credit, tax benefit, exemption or deductions, tuition voucher, subsidy, grant or loan of public monies or property shall be provided, directly or indirectly, to support the attendance of any student or the employment of any person at any such nonpublic school or at any location or institution where instruction is offered in whole or in part to such nonpublic school students.* The legislature may provide for the transportation of students to and from any school.

Marybelle Sucek said that the Grosse Pointe chapter is following the state chapter's 25-year stance in supporting public funds for public education. See **VOUCHERS**, page 11A

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Parents scramble to find special ed summer camps

By Bonnie Caprara
Staff Writer

With the Grosse Pointe Public School System's special education summer recreational and social program scrapped for this summer, parents are scrambling to find replacement programs for their special needs kids.

Members of SEPAC (Special Education Parent Advisory Committee) met with program facilitators from the community to find out what programs are available and what programs could be developed.

However, SEPAC members found that existing programs are sparse and filling up fast and new programs would unlikely be developed this summer.

Debbie Moffat of the Foundation of Exceptional Children said the school runs a four-week summer day camp for special needs children. The program is licensed for 40 children ages 2-12 and usually fills up.

When asked by parents if she could expand the program Moffat said, "I can look into it. I'm willing to do it, my board would be willing to do it, but I don't know about my staff."

Other programs like the district's department of community education and the Neighborhood Club have some classes for special needs kids, but said that they would need time to consider and develop expanded programs.

Sally Rosberg from the district's summer day camp program, Camp-O-Fun, said that while that program wouldn't meet the needs of special needs kids they would also be open to looking into a specialized program in the future.

Grosse Pointe Woods Community Center director Terry Smith said that the city may be able to accommodate some informal programs for special needs kids and their families at the Lakefront Park. Smith was the only person at the meeting representing Harper Woods and the five

Grosse Pointe municipalities. District department of special education director Pam Lemerand also provided parents with information about special education programs outside of the Grosse Pointe area.

Still, the approximately 30 parents in attendance voiced a desire to develop a local center-based program.

"We have a lot of commitment on the part of people to help develop beyond what exists so we can move toward what we want the agencies to do," said Lemerand.



Candy for wildlife

Mason third-graders Nancy VanRaendonck, Jenna Simon, Catherine Frick, Megan McCutcheon, Raquel Burchett and Leah Maniaci sold candy on Valentine's Day to raise over \$75 for the National Wildlife Federation.

University Liggett sound system gets donation for upgrade

The sound system in several University Liggett School facilities were upgraded recently thanks to a significant donation of equipment by Harman International of Southfield.

More than \$20,000 in sound equipment, including wireless microphone systems and powered studio monitors, speakers, amplifiers and 24-channel mixing consoles, were donated to the school through the efforts of John H. Peracchio of Grosse Pointe Shores, vice president of business development at Harman International and a 1978 graduate of ULS.

The equipment has been installed in the main auditoriums on both the Cook Road and Briarcliff campuses as well as in the recently remodeled McCann Ice Arena.

"This equipment has allowed us to leapfrog from the 1970s technology to the year 2000 and beyond," said Phillip W. Mass, chairman of the creative and performing arts department at ULS. "We've gone from truly first-generation sound equipment to the latest in digital systems. We're thrilled to be the recipients of Harman International's very generous donation."

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Trying out some of the new sound equipment at University Liggett School are, from left, Joseph A. Pullin, director of worldwide marketing at Harman International; Phillip W. Mass, chairman of the creative and performing arts department at ULS; Cynthia N. Ford, president of the ULS board of trustees; and John R. Peracchio, vice president of business development at Harman International.

standing presentations in the performing arts," said Harman Peracchio. "ULS students, both on the stage and behind the scenes, will clearly benefit from this equipment and its technology. Harman International is very proud to assist the school in this undertaking."

Vouchers

From page 10A

"The League has had a position against vouchers for the last 20 years," said Sucezek. "We really need to make a commitment to our public schools. I think this ballot proposal is divisive and detrimental to public schools. I think people need to know this because they won't know it from the ballot language."

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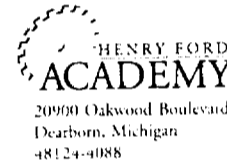
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For more information, please call 313.982.6100, x. 2912.
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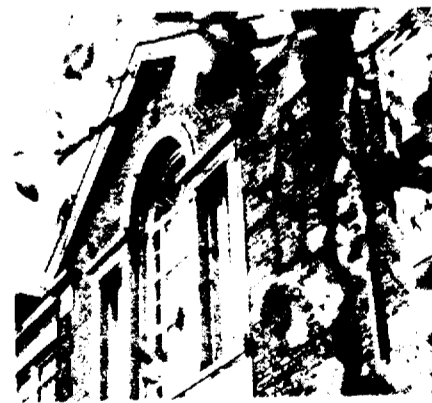
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Business

Slaughter of 'old economy' Dow stocks continues

Blue Fridays have turned into "black and blue" Fridays for most stocks. Momentum investing carries the market through mid-week, but someone whistles a "time-out" on Fridays, and the shake-out resumes!

The holiday-shortened week last week saw 4.2 million shares traded on the NYSE, maintaining its 1 million-plus shares volume per day. LTS remembers the summer of 1950, almost 50 years ago, when fewer than 1 million shares traded all week on the NYSE.

For last week, the DJI sank 357 points, or 3.5 percent, to close at 9,862, breaking the 10,000 level for the first time since April 6, 1999.

The Dow is now off 1,861 points from its all-time high last month. That 15.9 percent decline is more than a correction — it's a hemorrhage!

In a bull market, the momentum of rising prices attracts ever more buying. But in a bear market, declining prices accelerate additional selling.

It's obvious that "the stock market" has now split into two markets, which are fundamentally quite different. Market "A" has been predominately investment-oriented, with ownership probably about two-thirds institutional and one-third individual investors.

Analysts differ on that percentage, depending on how you split up the ownership of the 7,740 open-end mutual funds, as of last year-end.

Investment stocks are usually classified as those "held for

the long haul." That would include the "blue chips," the captains of industry and stocks you can sell, feel or eat around your home. Individuals are often more comfortable owning "local" stocks, companies they read about in the Free Press or Detroit News. The portfolios of retirees are often overweighted with local stocks: one or more local banks, the public utilities — both gas and electric — and major local industries.

The "local" syndrome is effective. Actually, investors might know the officers and directors of local companies, or at least follow them in the society pages of their local newspapers.

The other stock market — Market B — has been labeled the "TMT" market, representing technology, media and telecom stocks. And to think that financial analysts have searched for centuries for the Holy Grail of growth stocks in vain — until now!

Rocket growth of stock prices has been found in the Internet.com stocks. During the past five years, a whole new technique of investing has been developed. Financial analysis, developed over the past 70 years, is dismissed as "old economy."

Last Christmas at a cocktail party, a single, retired lady approached LTS, extolling the brilliance of her broker who knew all about the Internet.

She said she made a small fortune over the past six months. Why, one of her IPOs was priced at \$15 per share, and closed that first day at \$123 per share!

Let's talk...STOCKS

Miles of smiles

Frequent flyer miles (FFM) programs have come full circle recently. FFM is the millennium's replacement for the S&H "Green Stamps" that many of us collected in the 1950s and 1960s.

"Green Stamps" were given by certain grocers "to build customer loyalty." Kroger called theirs "TV Stamps," and someone else had "Red Stamps."

Here's how it worked: The merchant purchased the gummed, perforated sheets of stamps from the catalog vendor.

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Once or twice a year, the housewife would count the filled booklets in the kitchen drawer. The redemption catalog contained photos of items, with the number of booklets required to "purchase" same.

The redemption depot was always halfway across town. LTS remembers a Hoover vacuum cleaner acquired with stamps. Other friends got waffle irons, portable radios, etc.

What's the resemblance between FFM and Green Stamps? Most airlines, in addition to giving you FFM for airlines tickets purchased for cash, also sell their miles to participating hotels and rental car agencies for 2 cents per mile.

If your FFM account is slightly short of that required for a round-trip ticket to San Francisco, check your plan to see if your airline will sell you the "short" miles at their posted price, usually 2 or 2 1/2 cents per mile.

But the wise traveler would not waste FFM transcontinental round-trips to see Aunt Nell in Nashville. LTS checked ticket prices last Sunday on the Internet at travelocity.com.

This past Valentine's holiday proved fertile ground for House passage of the latest legislation to reform the irksome "marriage penalty" tax anomaly.

Among a handful of plans crafted by both Republicans and Democrats, the winning House GOP bill would cut income taxes for all married couples who file joint income tax returns, not just the estimated 25 million two-earner couples who pay a "marriage penalty."

Those penalized are deemed such because they pay more taxes together — at last count, an average of \$1,400 more than they would have if they had stayed single.

But don't go spending the extra money just yet. Senate passage is iffy at best, and President Clinton, who launched his own version of marriage penalty relief, is threatening a veto over the bill's cost and timing.

The marriage tax penalty will undoubtedly be the last thing on my colleague's mind when she exchanges wedding vows with her fiancé this weekend. But if some form of relief is not forthcoming, tax season 2001 may find the newlyweds unwrapping a tax penalty.

The marriage tax penalty enters the joint filer equation in a couple of ways. For example, the standard deduction this year for a single filer is \$4,300, but only \$7,200 for a couple filing jointly. So after marriage, a couple filing

jointly loses \$1,400 in standard deductions from their individual 1998 returns.

The tax brackets for married couples are also less than double those for singles.

The 28 percent tax bracket extends to \$62,450 for a single person but to only \$104,050 for a married couple; when two individuals whose earnings put them at the top of the bracket get married, more than \$20,000 of income gets pushed into the 31 percent bracket.

While far from eliminating the marriage penalty, the GOP plan marked for Senate consideration promises to provide some much needed relief over the next 10 years, according to the Joint Committee on Taxation.

The plan:

- Adjusts, for married couples, the bottom 15 percent income tax bracket upward to make it double that of single filers by 2008.

If it had been in place this year, couples would have paid a 15 percent rate on their first \$52,500 of taxable income, compared with \$43,850 with current law.

- Raises the standard income tax deduction for married couples who do not itemize to twice that of single filers beginning in 2001.

Using this year's numbers, the deduction would rise from \$7,351 to \$8,800.

- Raises the income cutoff for lower-income couples who claim the earned income tax credit by \$2,000 beginning in 2001.

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the airline insists on such to complete the transfer.

How much are your FFM plans worth? The miles represent "discounts that have value only when redeemed." If the total miles in your various FFM plans is 125,000 (that's not much for a frequent business traveler), the discount is \$25,000, well worth inheriting.

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Joseph Mengden is a resident of the City of Grosse Pointe and former chairman of First of Michigan. He is also a member of the Financial Analysis Society of Detroit, Inc.

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For better or for worse: Marriage and the federal income tax

Business People

John DeBoer has joined Crystallize Inc., a software company in Ann Arbor, as chief financial officer.

DeBoer has 15 years experience as a tax and financial executive. He joined Crystallize from Allied Domecq, where he was vice president of taxes.

A resident of the City of Grosse Pointe, DeBoer has an undergraduate degree from Central Michigan University and a masters degree in tax from Walsh College.

Gov. John Engler has appointed **Dietrich Bergmann** to the Transportation Citizens Advisory Committee.

The governor formed the committee in 1999 to recommend updated funding distribution formulas for state and local road agencies in Michigan.

Bergmann, a resident of Grosse Pointe Woods, is president of RSE Inc., a transportation consulting firm. He was appointed to represent the Michigan Association of Railroad Passengers.

Attorney **Robert Hudson** has joined the corporate and technology practice area at the law firm of Butzel Long.

Hudson, a resident of Grosse Pointe Farms, has 25 years legal experience. He has argued cases before the United States Supreme Court and Michigan Supreme Court.

A cum laude graduate of the Wayne State University Law School, Hudson belongs to the American Bar Association's committees on federal regulation of securities and international business law. Locally, he is a member of the Friends of the Grosse Pointe Public Library.

Ann Simmonds has joined Investment Counsel Inc. in the City of Grosse Pointe as vice president and counselor.

Simmonds joined Investment Counsel from Bank One, from which she retired recently as first vice president after a 35-year career.

She is a chartered financial analyst and former board member of the Investment Analysts Society of Detroit. A resident of the Farms, Simmonds is a trustee of the Southeastern Michigan Chapter of the American Red Cross.

Dean Richardson has been re-elected as a director of the Automobile Club of Michigan.

Richardson, a resident of Grosse Pointe Farms, has been a AAA Michigan board member since 1975. He will serve a three-year term.

Campbell moot court competition at the University of Michigan Law School.

Gracey is a graduate of the U of M Law School.

Gracey is an attorney with a general practice conducted from his home in Grosse Pointe Farms.

Ned Johnson has joined Internet Operations Center Inc., as project manager for Web development, communications and marketing development.

Johnson, a resident of the City of Grosse Pointe, worked previously as manager of information resources for Lear Corp., and as an information manager at United Technologies Automotive.

He has a master's degree in library and information science from Wayne State University.

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Peter Ulbrich Jr. of Harper Woods works in Grosse Pointe Woods. **Hal Smith**, a Farms resident who works in the Woods.

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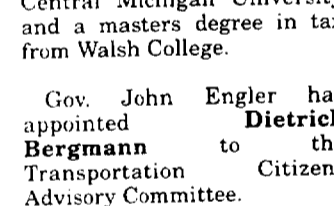
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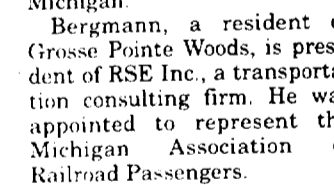
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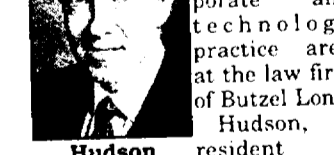
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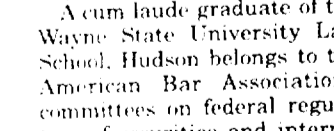
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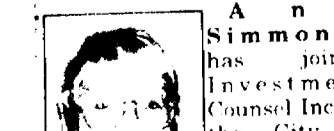
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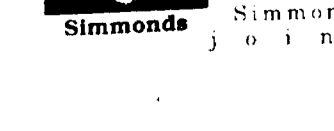
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Senior's social position has been a circle of change

Life in today's hurly-burly world can be confusing, making it almost a necessity to take time out to get a perspective on where we are going and where we have been.

We turn to the past not to recapture a world we have lost but to learn lessons in history. In "Old Age In a New Land," (John Hopkins Press) Andrew Achenbaum draws upon a wide range of social, intellectual and political history to sketch a surprising picture of the place accorded to the older generation in American history. We learn that it has come full circle from good to bad and back to better, if not as good as we would like it to be. Much has been accomplished — Social Security, private pension systems, Medicare, political activism and medical advances.

Yet much remains to be done, such as flexible scheduling and lightening the work load, rather than forced retirement, for those who want to continue working but not at the present pace.

While older Americans today

might look forward to shorter working hours or lighter work as a goal, Achenbaum finds a precedent for the problem in the past, due to the striking differences in the way Americans defined older people's place in society. They judged the assets and abilities of being older invaluable in shaping the cultural and social life of the new land. People who enjoyed a "ripe old age" were regarded with respect because they believed that living a long and fruitful life is in itself an achievement.

In a world where sickness, injury and death plagued all age groups, those who lived the Biblical three score and 10 seemed remarkable. In fact the number of elderly people in the United States became a powerful ideological weapon to demonstrate that the new world environment was beneficial.

Americans between the Revolutionary and Civil wars believed their infant republic depended upon the commitment and ability of men and women of all ages to work



Prime Time

By Marian Trainor

together in creating a new society.

It is interesting that today, as in 1790, many of the maxims maintaining health are still advocated: fresh air, regular exercise, moderate diet and sufficient sleep.

Older Americans also were emulated because they had demonstrated that temperance, industry and exercise contribute to longevity. That led to the belief that it was advantageous to rely on older men and women to help direct and safeguard the moral development of the young nation.

Since older Americans were deemed to be well-equipped to give sound advice, it was con-

cluded that youth and old age could benefit by association.

Older men and women were thought to serve the rising generation by warning against vanity and idleness and by instilling a sense of integrity, honesty and responsibility.

Youth repaid by offering companionship and sharing joys. Older people were expected to remain economically and socially useful as long as they were physically able to work. Early Americans considered it foolish to stop working because of age.

Between 1790 and 1860, older people worked mainly as farmers and were often appointed to high office. No

profession, industry, business, craft or trade organization prior to 1860 required people to leave the labor force because of age. However, the elderly were expected to know when it was time to let others assume some of their duties.

As one writer put it, "An old horse that trotted was respectable, but one that tried to speed was contemptible. The secret of preserving respect is the cultivating and showing to the best advantage the powers we possess and not going beyond them."

Older Americans before 1800 had problems, but these were used to call to the need to follow their example.

It was pointed out that years of sorrow and joy gave older people valuable insights into the nature of the human condition and they should be looked to for inspiration and consideration.

Above all, older people were considered the essential keys to the ultimate meaning of life.

Implicit in the earlier respect for older Americans was the idea that they were more similar to other age groups than they were different.

After the Civil War, the pic-

ture began to change; Americans began to challenge the usefulness and merits of age.

Scientific knowledge came to be more relied upon than common sense in dealing with life's problems.

Another factor in the declining of the influence of older citizens was the rise of big business in the late 19th century. As their image of being predictable decreased, so also did their place in society.

It was not until the 20th century that the actual place of older Americans in society became modernized. Due to the growth of the older population, the decreasing number of older workers and increased reliance on pensions, the senior citizen became a focus of national attention.

It took the Great Depression to bring about an improvement in the economic situation of seniors with the enactment of Social Security.

The act was more than financial ballast for older citizens — it returned to them independence and dignity that had been lost.

As the saying goes, "We've come a long way" but there are still roads to travel.

Farms public safety needs help checking for gas leaks

By Jim Stickford
Staff Writer

Grosse Pointe Farms officials want to let Farms residents know of the dangers of natural gas leaks that might occur during the current sewer separation construction project and how the Farms' handling of the leaks will affect residents.

"As construction workers dig up the streets to put in the sewer pipes, sometimes gas pipes are accidentally dam-

aged," said Lt. Robert Ireland of the Farms' public safety department. "As a result, those natural gas lines that feed the nearby houses have to be shut down so that Mich-Con can make the proper repairs."

"But once the repairs are made it may become necessary for repair crews, who are accompanied by a representative of the Farms, to enter the houses of residents who use natural gas."

But, said Ireland, sometimes

residents who use gas aren't home at the time of repairs. So the Farms' public safety department would like homeowners in areas where sewer separation construction is taking place to notify Farms officials if they plan to be away from their homes for any length of time.

"In the past it has been necessary for us to force entry into a home to check for a potentially dangerous gas

leak," said Ireland. "We were unable to get a hold of the resident or the key holder. So please feel free to contact the public safety department if you have any questions or concerns about this."

Ireland said that residents should not hesitate to demand to see proper identification before allowing anyone in their houses.

If there is any doubt, call the Farms public safety department right away.



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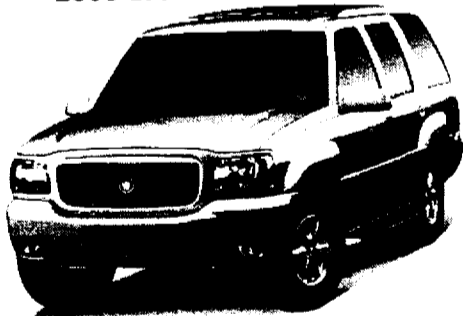
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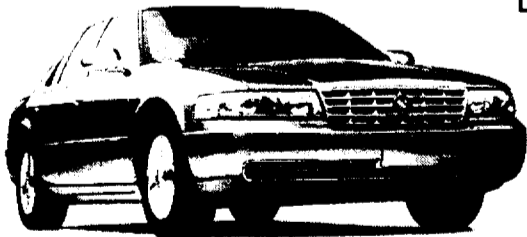
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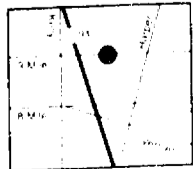
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Calling all cars

Grosse Pointe Shores public safety officers, while on patrol at about 12:30 a.m. on Saturday, Feb. 26, received a radio call from St. Clair Shores police warning them to be on the lookout for a 1985 gold Dodge that just left the scene of an accident at the corner of 10 Mile and Jefferson.

Shortly after receiving the call, officers spotted a vehicle that matched the description that was broadcast. The car was also weaving between lanes at a slow rate of speed. After officers pulled the vehicle over, they gave the 42-year-old Grosse Pointe Woods man a series of field sobriety tests, which he failed.

He agreed to take a preliminary breath test, which indicated a blood alcohol level of .20 percent. The suspect was taken to the Shores public safety station and later remanded to the custody of St. Clair Shores authorities.

It's my party

Grosse Pointe Farms public safety officers were called to a home in the 400 block of Belanger to investigate a report of noise at 10:55 p.m. on Saturday, Feb. 26. When officers arrived at the scene, they saw several juveniles in the backyard holding beer cans.

When they questioned the youths, one said the house was her father's, who was out of town. The occupant also admitted that there was more beer in the house. Officers went in and confiscated the remaining beer and contacted the parents of the juveniles. A citation was issued for holding an open house party.

Hit and Run

Grosse Pointe Farms public safety officers were called to the corner of Charlevoix and Stephens at 3:50 a.m. to investigate damage to a Detroit Edison utility pole.

When officers arrived at the scene, they discovered that the pole was struck by a vehicle, which had left the scene of the

accident. Wreckage at the site indicates the vehicle that knocked the pole over was a 1995 white Dodge. Nearby trees and a lawn were also damaged in the incident. Police are investigating.

Credit fraud

On Tuesday, Feb. 22, a resident of the 100 block of Lakeview in Grosse Pointe Farms contacted police to report that someone using his name and Social Security number attempted to open several charge accounts.

Meat madness

Grosse Pointe Farms public safety officers were called to a supermarket in the 18900 block of Mack, near Moresco, to investigate a report of shoplifting. It seems that store employees caught a 39-year-old Detroit woman stuffing meat, including a sirloin tip roast and a leg of lamb, into her purse. The suspect also was found with a bottle of vitamins.

As police were taking the suspect into custody she was told by store officials that if she ever returned to the store they would have her arrested for trespassing. The suspect is free on \$500 bond and was charged with retail fraud.

Give him credit

A resident of the 900 block of Rivard in the City of Grosse Pointe notified police on Friday, Feb. 25, that someone using his name had managed to obtain five credit cards from credit institutions across the country.

The victim learned of this when a credit company contacted him concerning some purchases made on one of the cards. The victim said he had no such card and made no such purchases. An investigation revealed several other cards were taken out in the victim's name. Once authorities were notified, the cards were canceled. Police continue to investigate.

— Jim Stickford

PUBLIC SAFETY REPORTS

Van vanishes

Sometime between 7:45 and 8:45 p.m. on Sunday, Feb. 27, someone stole a 1993 Dodge Caravan that was parked in the 15000 block of Mack in Grosse Pointe Park.

Zero tolerance

An underage male from Grosse Pointe Woods was arrested for violating alcohol laws on Saturday, Feb. 26, at 3:55 a.m.

Police stopped the youth after he sped through a red light on a heavily patrolled section of northbound Harper. While fumbling for his paperwork, the suspect admitted drinking.

A search of the driver's silver 1995 Dodge four-door revealed an empty 40-ounce bottle of malt liquor and a bottle of

brandy. The youth was released at 6:40 a.m. and assigned a May 24 court date.

Horsing around

An inquisitive man who is kind to animals prompted an investigation last week that turned up drug paraphernalia stashed at an address in the 600 block of Cook in Grosse Pointe Woods.

As the man washed his horse in a barn on Saturday, Feb. 26, at 11 p.m., he (the man) saw three or four teenagers in a nearby tennis lounge. Two of the youths were reported standing on a chair fiddling with ceiling tiles.

An employee of the club followed up on the horseman's report and found a "large plastic water bong used for smoking marijuana" in the ceiling. Police are investigating a

possible connection between the incident and the occupants of a red Ford Explorer or Expedition reported leaving the club shortly after the in-house investigation.

5 mutts in mud

Five teenage boys from St. Clair Shores were caught stuck in the mud after what pointed to a botched lawn job on Saturday, Feb. 26.

Woods police found the boys at 2:29 a.m., milling around a car stuck 50 feet up the lawn of a church in the 9900 block of Mack.

The driver, 16, told police he was looking for his dog, a black terrier. A passenger, 15, told police out of earshot of his buddy, the "missing" dog was a brown beagle.

The driver said he didn't know he had driven off the church driveway onto the lawn, made mushy by the recent thaw. Police pointed to a bright streetlight illuminating the

area. The 15-year-old passenger told police he owned a landscaping company and would repair the damaged turf.

Drinker caught

A man who said he drinks a half-pint of vodka a day has been arrested for drunken driving in Grosse Pointe Woods.

The man refused to cooperate with police during field sobriety tests and wouldn't take a breath test after being pulled over on southbound Mack near Lancaster on Thursday, Feb. 24, at 7:20 p.m.

Police said the man had bloodshot eyes. His clothes were "disheveled and soiled." A passenger told police of the man's drinking habits. Police obtained a search warrant from Municipal Judge Lynne Pierce before taking the man to a local hospital for a blood test. They also arrested him for drunken driving.

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Gambling addictions: Beating the odds

By Bonnie Caprara
 Staff Writer

For an estimated 4 percent of the population, gambling results in an addiction.

For that 4 percent of the population:

- One out of five will contemplate suicide, the highest suicide rate of any other group of addicts.

- There are only 18 mental health professionals in the metropolitan Detroit area specifically certified to treat them.

- Only 1 percent of those seeking help for a gambling addiction will follow through to seek treatment.

- There are no gambling support groups in the Grosse Pointes for area gamblers to join.

Gambling addictions know no socio-economic boundaries, although Denise Phillips, a social work therapist with Eastwood Clinics, said that there is a potential for it to increase within a 50-mile radius of any casino.

"Now you have more legalized venues," Phillips said. "You have the lottery and casinos — not only on reservations, but privately-owned casinos in the big cities. Before you had to fly to Atlantic City or Las Vegas. Now you can drive downtown. Lotteries used to be once a week. Now there are lotteries every day."

While gambling is not a new addiction, it has only been very recently that mental health professionals have become certified by the Michigan Council on Problem Gambling and the National Council on Problem Gambling.

Phillips was one of the



in gambling when I sought help in 1994 and there was a lack of understanding among professionals."

Phillips said she started gambling as a child; it was her family's form of entertainment.

"I learned to count with a deck of cards," she said. "After I got to 10, I said 'jack, queen, king.'"

As a therapist, Phillips said gamblers fall into two different categories: the

games like Bingo or slot machines, which give the gambler a numb feeling.

Phillips said there are four phases that a gambler will go through in the course of an addiction.

The first is the winning phase. Many gamblers experience a big win early in their progression which leads to a "high" they perpetually chase. Others may delay that gratification in hopes that a big win is just on the horizon.

"After that initial winning phase, it could be a long time or a short time before you win big again," Phillips said.

"Eventually you start to lose. That's what people need to realize. The longer you're in the game, the more you have to lose."

In the losing phase, the gambler chases his or her losses.

"They try to get back what they lose," Phillips said. "They may borrow from friends or family to cover their losses or just to stay in the action."

"Obviously, they're lying about the money — the amount they bet, the amount they lost. They're often in denial. They often become preoccupied with when they are going to play next, how they're going to play next. They often think about gambling at work. They might bet

more money or bet more often. They may even borrow from their 401Ks or mortgages. Loss of control is a key element to this disease."

When a gambler has tapped out his or her friends, family or resources, they enter what Phillips

calls the desperation stage.

"People who have been outstanding citizens may consider doing something they've never done before to

stay in the game — like stealing or embezzling."

Some gambling addicts fall further down the road into the hopeless-ness stage, usually after repeated unsuccessful attempts to stop gambling.

"That's when the gambler may consider suicide," Phillips said. "They may not see any other way out."

Some of the warning signs of problem gambling include:

- Wagering larger amounts to win back losses, believing they can get out of debt with a big win.

- Unhappy home life.
- Excessive time away from home.
- Feelings of remorse after gambling and/or changes in behavior like mood swings or depression.

- Borrowing from others or personal resources to finance gambling.

The effects of problem gambling have far-reaching and devastating effects on others as well.

"It causes a multitude of family problems," Phillips said. "Family members may become suspicious of the gambler and may even hide money. Divorce or the threat of divorce could happen."

Although help may be sparse — Phillips is the only mental health professional certified to treat problem gambling in the

Grosse Pointe area and there are no Gamblers Anonymous groups in the Grosse Pointes — it is available.

Phillips recommends problem gamblers call the Neighborhood Services Hotline for Problem Gamblers.

"We answer the statewide gambling help line," said hotline director Carla Sprite. "When a person calls, they can be assessed to see whether they need treatment and refer them to a therapist."

Sprite said that only 1 percent of problem gamblers follow through with getting help.

"It's a very hard group to get into treatment, but we're following the national norms for getting people into treatment. There's a lot of guilt and shame associated with this disease."

Both Phillips and Sprite agree there need to be more therapists and programs to address problem gambling. Phillips said she would like to be involved in training other mental health professionals to become certified gambling addiction counselors. Sprite said she would like to see more Gamblers Anonymous groups in the area, especially groups that are specific to women.

For information about problem gambling, call (800) 270-7117. For information on Gamblers Anonymous meetings in the metro Detroit area, call (313) 792-2877.

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4. Have you ever felt remorse after gambling?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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19. Have you ever had an urge to celebrate any good fortune by a few hours of gambling?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
20. Have you ever considered self-destruction or suicide as a result of your gambling?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Most compulsive gamblers will answer "yes" to at least seven of these questions.

first therapists in the state to receive certification in the spring of 1999. A social worker for 15 years, she has also abstained from gambling since 1997.

"My interest in gambling came from my seeking help," Phillips said. "There

are two categories: skill gambler, and the escape, or luck gambler. Skill gamblers are usually drawn to games that involve strategy, like blackjack or poker where he or she is actively involved in the excitement and action of the game.

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The matron of honor was Mary Fildew Johnson of Grosse Pointe Park.

Bridesmaids were the bride's sisters, Roxane Lie, Ariadne Lie and Natasha Lie, all of Grosse Pointe Park; Sabre Kaszynski of Belmont, Mass.; the groom's sister, Nancy Fobare of the City of Grosse Pointe; Kiran Mishra of Grosse Pointe Shores; Linda Morreale of Grosse Pointe Woods; and Cara Stackpoole of Grosse Pointe Woods.

Attendants wore periwinkle blue dresses that featured scoop necklines, cap sleeves and long, A-line skirts. They carried mixed bouquets of daisies, blue delphiniums, white roses, asters and Queen

Anne's lace.

The best man was Sean Smith of Detroit.

Groomsmen were the groom's brother, David Fobare of Grosse Pointe Woods; the bride's brothers, Marc Lie, Lancelot Lie, Parcival Lie, Gunther Lie and Sergei Lie, all of Grosse Pointe Park; Adam Prokop of the City of Grosse Pointe; and David Basch of Taylor.

The mother of the bride wore a sea foam green dress that featured a pleated bodice and a beaded bolero jacket and a white phalaenopsis orchid corsage.

The groom's mother wore a long raspberry silk dress and a short-sleeved jacket and a white phalaenopsis orchid corsage.

Lila LaHood was the soloist. Zachary Rogalski, Tom Swaffield and Sarah Daugherty were readers.

The bride earned a bachelor of science degree in mechanical engineering from the University of Pennsylvania. She is manager of the Coffee Grinder.

The groom earned a master's degree in business administration from Wayne State University. He is a programmer at DaimlerChrysler.

The newlyweds traveled to Holland, Normandy and Paris. They live in Royal Oak.

Koenig-Kemper

Heidi Susan Koenig, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Keith Koenig of Grosse Pointe Farms, married Matthew James Kemper, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Peter Kemper of Venice, Fla., on Dec. 18, 1999, at St. Paul Catholic Church.

The Rev. Paul Ballien officiated at the 2:30 p.m. high mass, which was followed by a horse-drawn carriage ride to the reception at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial.

The bride wore a gown of silk satin and tulle which featured a bodice decorated with pearls, sequins and crystals. Her



Mr. and Mrs. Matthew
James Kemper

cathedral-length veil was held in place by a pearl and crystal tiara. She carried a bouquet of red roses in memory of her brother, Bradford James Koenig.

The maid of honor was Christina Maennle of the City of Grosse Pointe.

Bridesmaids were Stacey Newas of Bloomfield Hills, Brenda Walli of Harbor Springs, Heidi Baldwin of Jackson, Christy Pasieka of Plymouth and Regina Danek of Chicago.

The flower girl was Mackenzie Maslowski of Wauwatosa, Wis.

Bridesmaids wore red floor-length satin strapless ball gowns and matching shawls. They carried bouquets of white roses.

The best man was Dr. Joseph Hackett of Sarasota, Fla.

Groomsmen were the groom's brother, Mark Kemper of Novi; the bride's brother, John Koenig of Grosse Pointe Farms; Bryan Danek of Chicago; and John DeCaro of Ann Arbor.

Ushers were Jeffery Kittendorf of Ann Arbor and Matthew Lyndhardt of Royal Oak.

The ring bearer was Lucas Aebersold of Howell.

Readers were the groom's sister, Christina Maslowski and Michelle Aebersold. Petitions were read by Michelle Stein. The soloist was Allison Berry; the bagpiper was David Martin; the organist was David Wagner.

The bride graduated from

Eastern Michigan University with a bachelor of science degree in nursing. She is a critical care nurse at the University of Michigan Medical Center. She is a student at EMU, working on a master of science degree in nursing.

The groom is a licensed builder and a union carpenter for Auger Built in Rochester. He is working on a bachelor's degree in construction management at Eastern Michigan University.

The newlyweds traveled to the Bahamas. They live in Birmingham.



Mr. and Mrs. Donald
Francis Nicol III

Ramirez-Nicol

Rayelene Marie Ramirez, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ismael Ramirez of Martinez, Calif., married Donald Francis Nicol III, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Nicol Jr. of Grosse Pointe Shores, on Jan. 15, 2000, at the Berkeley City Club.

The Rev. Larry Ard officiated at the 6 p.m. ceremony, which was followed by a reception at the club.

The bride wore an ivory satin gown decorated with pearls and featuring a chapel-length train and an organza shawl. Her fingertip veil was

held in place by a matching headpiece. She carried a bouquet of red roses and wore the groom's mother's pearls.

The matron of honor was Holly Byrnes of Albany, Calif.

Bridesmaids were Meleana Leaverton and Karen Dodson, both of Oakland, Calif.; and Susan Spencer of Martinez, Calif.

Attendants wore tea-length cranberry silk sheaths with matching shawls and carried bouquets of red, russet and copper roses.

The best man was David Susalla, formerly of Grosse Pointe Farms.

Groomsmen were Jim Cranston of Santa Cruz, Calif.; and the bride's brothers, James Ramirez and Glenn Ramirez, both of Martinez, Calif.

The mother of the bride wore a floor-length cobalt blue silk dress with a matching quilted jacket and a gardenia wrist corsage.

The groom's mother wore plum-colored silk pants, a matching beaded jacket and a gardenia corsage.

The harpist was Natalie Cox. The bride is a student nurse at San Francisco State University.

The groom earned a bachelor's degree in business administration from Northwood University. He works for Security Safe in Hayward, Calif.

The couple traveled to the Hawaiian Islands. They live in Richmond, Calif.

Bond-Poje

Heather Baker Bond, daughter of Jeffrey and Ruth Bond of Grosse Pointe Park, married Tristan Phillip Poje, son of Richard and Charlotte Poje of Barrington Hills, Ill., on May 8, 1999, at the Wren Chapel of the College of William and Mary.

The Rev. George Hull officiated at the 1 p.m. ceremony, which was followed by a reception at the Holiday Inn 1776 of Williamsburg, Va.

The bride wore a floor-length white matte satin gown that featured a scalloped sweet-

heart neckline, cap sleeves, and a chapel-length train. She wore a chapel-length veil and carried a bouquet of white, cream and pale pink roses.

The maid of honor was the bride's sister, Emily Bond of Grosse Pointe Park.

Bridesmaids were Allison Boye of Houston, and Christine Weismantel of Boston.

Attendants wore floor-length burgundy dresses and carried bouquets of pale pink roses.

The best man was the groom's brother, Jason Poje of Barrington Hills.

Groomsmen were the groom's brother, Joshua Poje of Barrington Hills; the bride's brother, Jared Bond of Grosse Pointe Park; and Matthew Brooks of Barrington Hills.

The mother of the bride wore a light rose-colored suit.

The groom's mother wore a brown silk suit.


The bride and groom both graduated from the College of William and Mary.

The couple traveled to Europe. They live in Chicago.



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DIA will present its annual Oscar Night fundraiser

The Detroit Institute of Arts' fourth annual Oscar Night America fundraiser for the Detroit Film Theatre will be held on Sunday, March 26, at the Roostertail.

The black-tie, Hollywood-style party will begin at 6:30 p.m. and run until the last of the Academy Awards is presented. General Motors Corp. is the major corporate sponsor.

The Roostertail will be decorated with movie posters and Hollywood memorabilia and guests will be able to watch the 72nd Academy Awards presentation hosted by Billy Crystal, which begins at 8:30 p.m. on a large screen.

Honorary chairmen are Detroit Mayor Dennis W. Archer and Trudy Duncombe Archer, Christine and Elmore Leonard, Maureen and Roy Roberts, Dr. Lorna Thomas, Judy and Randolph Agley and DIA director Graham W.J. Beal.

Tickets are \$125 and include a champagne reception, an Oscar-themed buffet dinner and an open bar. Tickets may be ordered through the DIA's Special Events office at (313) 833-

7967.

Race for the Cure:

The ninth annual Race for the Cure will be held on Saturday, April 15, at the Detroit Zoo.

Presented locally by the Barbara Ann Karmanos Cancer Institute, the race is a 5K women's run, 5K walk and 1-mile fun walk. Proceeds go to breast cancer research.

"The Race for the Cure is an opportunity for Michigan to salute those who are working to find a cure for breast cancer, to honor those who have survived and to remember those who have passed away from this disease," said Michelle Engler, Michigan's First Lady and honorary chairman of the race. "As a mother of three daughters, I believe in this event because I want a cure to be found in my children's lifetime."

Race forms are available at all Jacobson's stores, Art Van Furniture stores, Lakeshore Mammography Center, Karmanos Cancer Institute regional offices and local running stores.

To order a registration form, call (800) 527-6266. Entry fee is \$15 by March 24, \$18 by

March 31, \$20 by April 7, and \$40 thereafter. There will be no registrations on race day.

Planning ahead:

The Community Foundation for Southeastern Michigan will hold three training courses on "planned giving" for senior staff, volunteers and board members of southeast Michigan nonprofit organizations.

The Community Foundation for Southeastern Michigan, founded in 1984, is a permanent community endowment built by gifts from individuals and organizations committed to the future of southeast Michigan. The foundation works to improve the region's quality of life by supporting activities benefiting education, arts and culture, health, human services, community development and civic affairs. It has assets of more than \$258 million and so far has distributed more than \$81 million in grants to nonprofits in Wayne, Oakland, Macomb, Livingston, Washtenaw, St. Clair and Monroe counties.

Planned gifts are contributions individuals and companies make to charities through

their wills, trusts, estate plans and other arrangements.

Permanent endowments are funds whose investment earnings are used to provide a perpetual source of income for the endowed organizations. The principal is not spent.

One- or two-day courses about planned giving will be taught by experts and consultants in planned giving. Each course costs \$155. Limited scholarships are available. For course descriptions, a schedule or more information, call (313) 961-6675 or visit the foundation's web site at comnet.org/comfound.

Dinner for CHD:

The Lodges of the Pointe Masonic Temple (Composite Lodge No. 499 FA&M, Lodge No. 477 FA&M-Laurel of Acacia-Eastgate and Acanthus Lodge No. 558 FA&M) will host a benefit dinner for the Children's Home of Detroit beginning at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 8, at the Pointe Masonic Temple, 1850 Vernier in Grosse Pointe Woods.

All proceeds from the special chicken and fish dinner will go to the CHD. Tickets are \$12. For more information, call Deborah Liedel at (313) 885-3510.

Pointer nominated:

Grosse Pointe Park resident Fran Burke has been nominated for a United Way's CorPlus Award for her volunteer activities with the Detroit Radio Information Service (DRIS). The CorPlus Award honors a retiree in the greater Detroit area who has given extraordinary volunteer service to the city of Detroit.

DRIS is a radio reading service broadcast by Detroit Public Radio WDET-FM that works to make printed materials available in a timely manner to members of the community who cannot read or handle printed material. DRIS provides 24-hour, 7-day programming of more than 100 local and national publications, transmitted through specially tuned radio receivers



Junior League of Detroit Show House chairmen

The three chairmen of the Junior League of Detroit's Designers' Show House got together in front of one of the house's eight fireplaces on the evening of the Premiere Gala, Feb. 12.

From left, are Robin Heller, Patti Schollenberger and Kathleen Nesi. The house is at 15410 Windmill Pointe Drive in Grosse Pointe Park. The decorated Show House will be open to the public for tours from Saturday, May 6, through Monday, May 29.

and through local cable outlets.

Burke has been a co-host of DRIS's suburban publications program for four years. She also works on listener operations, distribution and tracking of receivers, listener surveys and staff training.

The CorPlus Award winner will be honored at the Celebrate Volunteers luncheon on Wednesday, April 12, during National Volunteer Week.

Pottery exhibits:

Pewabic Pottery will present "Wood Fired/Salt Fired: A Group Exhibition," from Friday, March 3 through Saturday, April 15, in the main floor gallery of the Pottery, 10125 E. Jefferson in Detroit.

The exhibition will feature the work of 10 artists and will explore the range of aesthetic expression using the techniques of salt firing and wood firing. At the same time, an exhibition and sale of work by

New York artist Posey Bacopoulos will take place on the second floor gallery. Bacopoulos, who uses a glaze method known as Majolica, will present a workshop demonstrating her creative process on Saturday, March 4. Reservations are necessary. The cost of the workshop is \$45; \$35 for students and Pewabic Society members.

An opening reception for both exhibitions will be from 6 to 9 p.m. Friday, March 3. Pewabic Pottery is Michigan's only historic pottery and education center.

New executive board members of the non-profit historic art and cultural facility include Grosse Pointers James Sansoterra, vice president; and Barbara Bierbusse, treasurer.

For more information, call (313) 822-0954.

— Margie Reins Smith



Questers

The East Area Questers will hold a luncheon and program for all members and their guests beginning at 11:30 a.m. Wednesday, March 15, at the Grosse Pointe Yacht Club. Tickets are \$22 and guests are welcome. Call (313) 886-0707.

The East Area Questers of Michigan has six Grosse Pointe chapters: Fox Creek, Grand Marais, Grosse Pointe, Pear Tree, Pettipointe and Windmill Pointe.

Doris Cook of the Windmill Pointe chapter of the Questers will speak on "The One Room Schoolhouse." There will also be a luncheon, an auction of new and old school-related items and a display of antiques.

The Questers is an international study organization dedicated to stimulating the appreciation of antiques through study and to encourage the preservation of historical landmarks.

Committee members are, in the back, from left: Pat Cosgrove, Lisa Gandelot, Kay Van De Graaf, Joanne Marcil, Liz Hardwick, Doris Adler and Cathy Harris. In the front, from left, are Jeannie Noto and Pat Conover. Not shown are Anina Bachrach, Jan Rehmann and Mary Lee O'Bryan.

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Engagements



Christopher J. Mazey and Kendra M. Vogel

Vogel-Mazey

Howard and Jeanne Vogel of Bay Village, Ohio, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Kendra M. Vogel, to Christopher J. Mazey, son of Doug and Damaris Inger of Grosse Pointe Shores. An August wedding is planned.

Vogel graduated from Kent State University. She is a partner and associate media director with J. Walter Thompson. Mazey graduated from Central Michigan University. He is an account supervisor with J. Walter Thompson.



Karen Judith Stark and William Edward Bogle Jr.

Stark-Bogle

Bob and Judy Stark of Grosse Pointe Woods have announced the engagement of their daughter, Karen Judith Stark, to William Edward Bogle Jr., son of Bill and Dee Bogle of Holt. A July wedding is planned.

Stark earned a bachelor of arts degree in audiology and speech sciences from Michigan State University and a master of arts degree in speech-language pathology from Ohio State University. She is a speech-language pathologist with East Detroit Public Schools.

Bogle earned a bachelor of science degree in employment relations and a master's degree in labor relations and human resources, both from Michigan State University.

He is a senior human resources representative with Henry Ford Hospital.

St. James Lutheran Church plans Wednesday services during Lent

St. James Lutheran Church, 170 McMillan in Grosse Pointe Farms, will offer Lenten worship, beginning with an Ash Wednesday service at noon and 7 p.m. March 8.

Christ Church offers Evensong

Choral Evensong will be sung at Christ Church, 61 Grosse Pointe Blvd. in Grosse Pointe Farms, at 4:30 p.m. Sunday, March 5.

The service by the church's

Heinrichs-Wise

Tom and Rose Heinrichs of Grosse Pointe Woods have announced the engagement of their daughter, Joanne Heinrichs, to Jim Wise, son of Dean and Barbara Wise of Ann Arbor. A July wedding is planned.



Jim Wise and Joanne Heinrichs

Heinrichs earned a bachelor of arts degree in interior design from Michigan State University. She is an interior designer with Gensler.

Wise earned a bachelor of science degree in cellular molecular biology from the University of Michigan and a master of science degree in cellular molecular biology from Eastern Michigan University. He is a clinical research associate with Parke Davis



Michael Reynaert and Anne Rea

Rea-Reynaert

John and Joann Rea of Potomac, Md. have announced the engagement of their daughter, Anne Rea, to Michael Reynaert, son of Don and Pat Reynaert of Grosse Pointe Park. A July wedding is planned.

Rea earned a bachelor of arts degree in interior design from the University of Dayton. She is the midwest retail coordinator for Michael Kors.

Reynaert earned a bachelor

of arts degree in history from the University of Dayton. He is a senior associate training specialist with Scudder Kemper Investments.

Reino-Jensen

Robert and Patricia Reino of Northwood, Ohio, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Jill Marie Reino, to Christopher John Jensen, son of Gary and Patricia Jensen of Grosse Pointe Woods. A July wedding is planned.

Reino earned a bachelor of science degree in dietetics from Bowling Green University. She is a dietetic technician at Garden City Hospital.

Jensen earned a bachelor of science degree in accounting from Western Michigan University. He is a mortgage banker with Rock Financial.



Jill Marie Reino and Christopher John Jensen



Stephen Ministers

Christ Church Grosse Pointe commissioned its new Stephen Ministers at its 9 a.m. and 11:15 a.m. services Sunday, Feb. 27. The new group has completed 50 hours of training on topics such as crisis theory, listening, grief, death and dying, divorce, depression and suicide. Each Stephen Minister will be assigned to help someone in a one-on-one, confidential, caring relationship. The program is in its 10th year at Christ Church.

Standing, from left, are Bob Malacek, Jo Malacek, Hope Hoffman, Sarah Hill, Joie Seifried, Barbara Barak and Doreen McNaughton. Seated, from left, are Mary Margaret Block and Suzie Mazur. Not shown are Lucy Cassells, Ann Eatherly and Gail Stroh Marantette.

Stephen Ministers who will be recommissioned are: Florence Adams, Ada Booth, Ben Daume, Polly Ledyard, Jacque Mackenzie, Al Mackey, Betsy McCormick, Elizabeth Pethick, Doreen Putnam, Sharon Snyder, Penny Soby and Mary Stroble.

First English Lutheran plans Lenten series

First English Ev. Lutheran Church, 800 Vernier in Grosse Pointe Woods, will present a Lenten series, "The People of Lent."

Ash Wednesday services will be held on Wednesday, March 8 at 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Two services will be held each Wednesday until Holy Week. Morning services will be fol-

lowed by a sandwich buffet; evening services will be preceded by supper at 6 p.m. A free will offering is requested for each meal.

Topics of the services are: "Peter" on Sunday, March 12; "Judas" on Wednesday, March 15; "Caiaphas" on Sunday, March 19; "Pilate" on Wednesday, March 22; "Herod" on Sunday, March 26; "Simon of Cyrene" on Wednesday, March 29; "Roman Soldiers" on Sunday, April 2; "Thief on the Cross" on Wednesday, April 5; "Mary, Mother of Jesus" on Sunday, April 9; and "Mary Magdalene" on Wednesday, April 12.

For more information, call the church at (313) 884-5040.

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Depression: Treat It. Defeat It.

What's 'bugging' children today?

By Dr. Peter Francis
Special Writer

Common diseases affecting children today are significantly different than the list of afflictions that worried parents 50 years ago. Thanks to advances in medicine and immunizations, most children in the 21st century will not contract measles, mumps or even chicken pox.

The bugs that do infect children will be better controlled and cause fewer complications because of the arsenal of antibiotics and other medications available to physicians.

Medical advances aside, there still are some diseases that will temporarily sideline even the healthiest of children.

Ear infections: The myth that children can get ear infections from bathing or cold wind blowing in their ears is not true. Ear infections also are not contagious. In children, ear infections are most common in winter and often occur after the child has a cold. A virus or bacteria cause an infection of the middle ear because of the ear's cramped anatomy.

The middle ear is drained only by the small eustachian tube, which empties down into the back of the throat. With a cold, the membrane lining the eustachian tube swells and blocks fluid drainage from the middle ear, trapping fluid and providing the ideal environment for a virus or bacteria to grow. The body launches its attack on the infection by sending more fluid and white blood cells to the area, which causes increased pressure within the tiny middle ear space. The pressure against the eardrum is what causes pain for many little ones.

The child may have no fever at all or a low-grade fever. Since the cause of some ear infections is viral, up to one-third of them may go away on their own. Unfortunately it's hard to predict which ones will resolve by themselves, so frequent reevaluation is required.

In order to prevent complications from untreated bacterial infections, most physicians will treat ear infections with antibiotics.

Antibiotics generally take 24 to 72 hours to work. Tylenol, Motrin or analgesic drops, as well as warm compresses or a heating pad, can help relieve pain until the antibiotics take effect.

Strep throat: Strep throat is a specific bacterial infection of the throat which is prevalent this time of year and can spread rapidly among school-age children. The onset of strep is fast and often is accompanied by sore throat, fever, headache and possibly stomachache and vomiting.

The back of the throat usually appears bright red and the tonsils may be covered with white patches. Often there will be swollen glands in the neck. There might also be a fine red skin rash in the groin area.

Strep throat differs from a common cold because most often, there is no runny nose or cough.

A physician diagnoses strep with a throat culture or rapid strep test. If positive, a course of antibiotics is prescribed. A child with strep throat is very contagious from the onset of symptoms until 24 hours after the antibiotic is started.

For those with recurring strep, something as simple as replacing the child's toothbrush may prevent reinfection. Four to six documented strep infections in one season may be an indication to have the child's tonsils removed.

Respiratory syncytial virus (RSV): RSV has been in the media lately, but it's not new. RSV is a common upper respiratory virus that in most cases runs its course, similar to a common cold.

However, in premature babies and very young infants, especially those less than six months old, it can cause serious lower respiratory symptoms such as wheezing and even pneumonia. For the most high-risk babies, RSV can be fatal.

Parents need not panic about RSV in their healthy baby unless the child's cold symptoms get progressively worse. Any infant or child who is having difficulty sleeping at night, who struggles to breast feed or drink from a bottle, or seems to have rapid or labored breathing should be seen by a pediatrician. Watching for a high fever is not helpful, since most infants will have a low-grade fever or no fever at all.

Since it is caused by a virus, RSV will not respond to antibiotics. Nasal congestion can be relieved with saline drops or possibly antihistamines. Cough medicines may not help with RSV.

Like cold viruses, it is often difficult to prevent a child from getting RSV. The virus is most widespread in large day care settings and is transmitted through respiratory droplets from coughing and sneezing. During the winter months, it is prudent to protect your newborn from crowds or well-meaning visitors who are sick.

High-risk babies, including severely premature infants with weakened immune systems or those with chronic lung disease, can get a monthly injection of specific antibodies that will load up their immune systems and help them combat RSV. The injection is needed only during the months when RSV is most common, typically November through April.

Dr. Peter Francis is a Bon Secours Cottage Health Services board-certified pediatrician at Northpointe Pediatrics in Warren.



Dr. Peter Francis

Frequency of eye exams should vary with age

March 5-11 is Save Your Vision Week in Michigan and across the nation. It's a perfect time to schedule overdue eye and vision examinations, according to the Michigan Optometric Association.

"So many people suffer needlessly from untreated vision conditions and diseases of the eye," said Dr. Gregory B. Ferman, president of the association. "Save Your Vision Week is a national reminder to make eye examinations a priority for everyone in the family."

The Michigan Optometric Association recommends the following eye examination schedule; however, Ferman noted that some people may need more frequent exams if they have or are at risk for developing certain eye health or vision conditions.

Infants — by six months
Preschoolers — by age 3
School Children — before first grade; every two years thereafter
Adults 19-40 — every two or three years
Adults 41-60 — every two years
Adults 61 and older — every year

Save Your Vision Week was started by doctors of optometry in 1927 and is proclaimed by the president of the United States, the governor of Michigan and the mayors of many Michigan cities. The celebration emphasizes the importance of professional eye examinations and the scope of services available from doctors of optometry, including diagnosis and treatment of eye diseases and vision conditions, prescriptions of medications to treat eye diseases and provision of vision therapy and low vision services.

Bon Secours Cottage Health Services offers a HeartHealth Essentials Program to educate individuals on the importance of maintaining a heart-healthy lifestyle to reduce the risk of cardiovascular disease. It is estimated that one in four adults has some form of cardiovascular disease. HeartHealth Essentials provides comprehensive information for leading a heart-healthy lifestyle.

Session one covers ways to identify risk factors for cardiovascular disease and a registered nurse and dietitian offer suggestions for eating healthy on a low-fat diet. Session two covers the benefits of exercise and physical activity and health promotion specialists offer stress management techniques.

The program is offered from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. Tuesdays, March 7 and 14; and from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursdays, April 6 and 13. The program takes place in the Bon Secours Cottage Community Health Promotion Classroom, 22300 Bon Brae in St. Clair Shores. The cost is \$25 a person (which includes the HeartHealth Essentials book).

For more information or to register, call Bon Secours Cottage Community Health Promotion at (810) 779-7900 between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. weekdays.

Visit Bon Secours Cottage Health Services on the Internet at: www.bonsecourscottage.org.

Bon Secours, Cottage can help you kick the smoking habit

Due to popular demand, Bon Secours Cottage Health Services continues to offer the smoking cessation program "Smokeless." This American Institute for Preventive Medicine program uses stress management, positive rewards and reinforcements, food management and motivational tools in an intensive program that gets you off cigarettes in five days.

The program also includes two maintenance sessions; books and tapes are included.

"Smokeless" will be offered from 7 to 8:30 p.m. March 8, 13, 14, 15 and 16, with maintenance on March 20 and 23, in the Bon Secours Cottage Community Health Promotion Classroom, 22300 Bon Brae in St. Clair Shores. The cost is \$155 a person.

For more information or to preregister, call Community Health Promotion at (810) 779-7900 between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Diabetes education program offered at Bon Secours Cottage

Bon Secours Cottage Health Services offers educational opportunities for (non-pregnant) adults with diabetes who are referred by their physicians.

A comprehensive program helps people with diabetes learn how to eat well while staying on individual meal plans, how to exercise for fun, how to prevent long-term problems, control and monitor blood sugar and how to recognize signs of high and low blood sugar.

An individual assessment by a nurse and dietitian, by appointment only, is required before the start of class. The fee is covered by many insurance plans.

A morning session is offered from 10 a.m. until 1 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays, March 7, 9, 14 and 16; April 11, 13, 18 and 20. An evening program takes place from 6 to 9 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays, March 21, 28 and 30; April 25 and 27 and May 4. All classes are held in the Bon Secours Cottage Community Health Promotion Classroom, 22300 Bon Brae in St. Clair Shores.

For more information or to preregister, call (810) 779-7900 between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. weekdays.

Correction

A photograph, "Kiwanis presents awards," on page 5B of last week's paper should have identified Chancey P. Miller, past president and past executive secretary of the Denby Detroit Kiwanis Club, as the man at the right. Miller was the presenter of awards. The second-level Hixon Award went to Walter Frisby, who was not shown in the photo.

Learn CPR for children, infants

Learn how cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) can save a life by signing up for Bon Secours Cottage Health Services' infant/Child life support class. The class covers "one-rescuer" life support skills, infant/child choking, along with basic anatomy and physiology.

It is scheduled for 6 to 10 p.m. Wednesday, March 8, in the Bon Secours Hospital Private Dining Room (lower level). The cost is \$12 a person.

For more information or to register, call Bon Secours Cottage Community Health Promotion at (810) 779-7900 between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. weekdays.

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Rehearsing for "Seven Keys to Baldpate" are, from left: Larry Anderson, Chip Davis, Kris Evers and Laura Bartell.

'Seven Keys to Baldpate' opens at GPT on Thursday, March 9

The Grosse Pointe Theatre will present "Seven Keys to Baldpate," a mystery by George M. Cohan, for three weekends, Thursdays through Sundays, at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial's Fries Auditorium.

Performances will be held on March 9-12, 16-19 and 23-25. Thursday, Friday and Saturday performances begin at 8 p.m.; Sunday matinees begin at 2 p.m.

"Seven Keys" is a melodramatic farce that features plenty of villains, an adventuress or two and just enough careless

display of guns to frazzle one's nerves. A novelist escapes to a secluded mountain inn to win a bet that he can write a novel in 24 hours. He gets far more than he bargained for. It turns out that there are six more keys in the possession of a crook, a grafting mayor, a ghostly hermit, a corrupt corporate president, his assistant and, of course, a beautiful star reporter.

The Grosse Pointe Theatre production is directed by Christopher D. Oakley and produced by Geoff Proven of Grosse Pointe Woods. Stars include Chip Davis of

the City of Grosse Pointe, Kris Evers of Grosse Pointe Farms, Randy Skotarczyk of Harper Woods, Laura Bartell of Grosse Pointe Shores, Larry Anderson of Eastpointe, Ellen Cooper of Grosse Pointe Woods, James Maniscalco, Jesse Villegas, Sal Rubino and Jack Petz, all of the City of Grosse Pointe, Jann Hight of St. Clair Shores, R.J. Stewart of Novi, Mark Zelenak of Warren, Ed Givens Jr. of St. Clair Shores and Jeanine Simpson of Grosse Pointe Farms.

Tickets are \$13. For more information or to order tickets, call (313) 881-4004.

Creole sauce adds spice to your rice

Fat Tuesday. Party down. Whip up a pot of creole sauce and send your family on a flavor trip to New Orleans, Mardi Gras style.

The week-long party has already begun for the folks down south. We "northerners" usually settle for a couple of paczkis

Creole Sauce

- 1 medium onion
- 1 medium green bell pepper
- 1/2 small red bell pepper
- 3 celery ribs
- 2 large garlic cloves
- 1/4 lb sliced bacon
- 1/2 pickled jalapeno OR 1 fresh jalapeno, including seeds
- 1 large can (28-32 oz.) tomato puree
- 1 1/4 cup tomato juice
- 2 tablespoons sugar
- 1/2 of one chicken bouillon cube OR 1/2 teaspoon chicken base
- 1 teaspoon dried minced garlic
- 1/2 teaspoon dried oregano
- 1/2 teaspoon cayenne
- 5 tablespoons unsalted butter



À LA ANNIE
By Annie Rouleau-Scheriff

This week's feature is the creole sauce recipe from Cafe Vermilionville located in Lafayette, La., due west of New Orleans. It was printed in the February 1999 issue of Gourmet magazine.

Creole (KREE-oh) comes from Criollo, which is the name that was given to Europeans residing in New Orleans during the 18th century. Associated with elegance, creole cooking has evolved into a combination of the best French, Spanish, and African cuisines. Don't be surprised to find tomatoes, butter or cream on the ingredient list of a true creole recipe.

Cut the onion, peppers and celery into a 1/4 inch (small) dice. Wearing protective gloves, finely chop the jalapeno, and the garlic. Set chopped veggies aside.

Cut the bacon crosswise into thin pieces and cook over medium heat in a large (4 quart) sauce pan, stirring occasionally, until the bacon becomes crisp. Add all of the chopped and diced vegetables and cook over moderately low heat for several minutes, stirring occasionally, until the celery becomes soft. Add the tomato puree,

tomato juice, sugar, chicken bouillon, dried minced garlic, oregano and cayenne. Continue to cook at a very low simmer, covered, for 45 minutes or so, until the sauce has thickened. Check and stir the sauce often, making sure the heat isn't too high.

Last, stir in the butter until it has melted and season the sauce with salt and pepper. It is best to prepare creole sauce a day or two before serving. Store in refrigerator. Reheat before serving.

Serve creole sauce under or over your favorite piece of grilled fish, chicken or steak. Vegetarians can enjoy creole sauce over a mountain of rice or noodles. (Substitute a couple of tablespoons of olive oil for the bacon.)

I followed the recipe to a "T" and the result was a hearty, robust sauce with a spicy bite that doesn't go overboard. This versatile sauce took about 45 minutes to prepare with an additional 45 minutes to simmer. While the prep is a bit time-consuming, the method is simple.

My husband cooked a dozen littleneck clams right in the sauce and ladled it over a piece of (broiled) farm-raised catfish, lightly dusted with additional cayenne pepper.

Wimpy palates need not apply. Fat Tuesday is coming up. Eat well.

Business Connection

The Business Connection will meet at 7:30 a.m. Wednesday, March 8, at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial. The guest speaker will be Beth Pressler of Higbie Maxon Agney. Guests are welcome. For more information, call Marlene Harle at (313) 881-9742.

Women's Economic Club

The Women's Economic Club will present the Detroit Regional Chamber's Women's Business conference on Thursday, March 9, at the Hyatt Regency Dearborn.

The guest speaker at the noon luncheon will be Mark Victor Hansen, co-author of the "Chicken Soup for the Soul" books. Tickets are \$22 for

Meetings

members; \$27 for guests. For reservations or information about the conference, call (313) 596-0392.

Rose Society

The Grosse Pointe Rose Society will meet at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 8, at the Neighborhood Club, 17150 Waterloo. The guest speaker will be Art Oberlin. His topic, "A Ton of Benefit for a Pound of Effort," will describe the practice of mulching rose beds. Oberlin is past president of the Detroit Rose Society and an active member of the American Rose Society.

Detroit Garden Center

The Detroit Garden Center's annual program and brunch will be from 12:30 to 3 p.m. Sunday, March 12, at the Belle Isle Nature Center. The speak-

er will be Judy Reed, gourdologist. She will discuss "Using Your Gourd," the history, growing techniques, harvesting and uses for gourds. Brunch and lecture is \$15; lecture only (which begins at 1:45 p.m.) is \$5. For reservations, call (313) 259-6363.

Women of Wayne

The Grosse Pointe chapter of Women of Wayne will meet at 11 a.m. Saturday, March 18, at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial, for a fashion show, luncheon and raffle. Luncheon will be served at noon and the fashion show will begin at 1 p.m.

Tickets are \$25. Reservations and checks must be sent to Cheryl Johns by Saturday, March 11. For more information, call Johns at (313) 885-9139.



Fine Arts Society

The Fine Arts Society of Detroit presented the comedy "Sylvia" for its second play of the 1999-2000 season. The production was directed by Bill McCarthy and produced by Lee Peters.

Cast members are in the back row, from left: Rob Green and Randy Skotarczyk. In the front, from left, are Marianne Shrader, Donna Ridella, Michelle Washinski and Kat Skotarczyk.

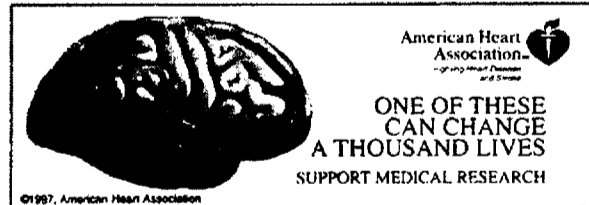


GAHFI benefit

The German-American Heritage Foundation International will present "Berliner Luft," a cabaret show, on Saturday, March 4 at the Carpathia Club, 38000 Utica in Sterling Heights. About 250 guests are expected to attend the fourth annual benefit. Proceeds will go to the foundation's educational activities.

From left, are Sonja Becker-Boelter, Germaine Strobel and Grosse Pointer Nick Dara, shown in rehearsal for the performance.

Tickets are \$45 and include dinner, wine and door prizes. Dinner begins at 7 p.m. The show begins at 8 p.m. Tickets are available by calling (248) 375-1954.



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Friday, March 3 Food & fellowship

Savor good food and fellowship during a Men's Ecumenical Friday Breakfast, Friday, March 3, at 7:30 a.m., in Grosse Pointe Memorial Church, 16 Lakeshore in Grosse Pointe Farms. The Rev. Wilkes O'Brien Jr. of Cherry Hill Presbyterian Church will be the featured speaker for this program, sponsored by the Men's Association of Memorial Church. Admission is \$5. Call (313) 882-5330.

Rockin' bids

Bid on an exciting array of items, take a chance on a raffle and dance to the best in rock from Steve King and the Ditties during the Foundation for Exceptional Children's 23rd Annual Benefit Party, Friday, March 3, at 8 p.m., in the Barrister Gardens, 24225 Harper in St. Clair Shores. Tickets are \$30. Call (313) 885-8660.

Saturday, March 4 Great ideas

More than 30 experts and vendors will offer great ideas for improving the interior and exterior of your house during the Grosse Pointe Board of Realtors Home And Garden Expo 2000, Saturday, March 4, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., in the Grosse Pointe War Memorial, 32 Lakeshore in Grosse Pointe Farms. Free tickets are available from your Realtor or from the Grosse Pointe Board of Realtors, 710 Notre Dame in Grosse Pointe. Call (313) 882-8000.

Furry friend

The Grosse Pointe Animal Adoption Society will bring an assortment of potential pets to the Children's Home of Detroit, 900 Cook in Grosse Pointe Woods, Saturday, March 4, from noon to 3 p.m. Call (313) 884-1551.

By chance

Take your chances on winning \$5000, \$2000 or \$500 during the Maire Faire Starship 2000 Reverse Raffle, Saturday, March 4, at 7 p.m., in the Grosse Pointe War Memorial. Just 150 tickets will be sold at \$150 per ticket. Proceeds benefit educational enrichment programs at Maire Elementary School. Call (313) 882-9067.

Monday, March 6

Adventures Down Under

Travel to New Zealand and the Grand Canyon, via 35 mm slides, during a Grosse Pointe Cinema League travelogue, Monday, March 6, at 7:30 p.m., in the Grosse Pointe War Memorial. Tickets are \$4 for adults or \$2 for students. Call (810) 774-9471.

Historic churches

Explore Detroit's religious and cultural diversity during a Detroit Historical Society Historic Church Tour, Monday, March 6, at 10 a.m. Buses will leave the parking lot of the Detroit Historical Museum, 5401 Woodward in Detroit, for five featured churches including Immaculate Conception Ukrainian, St. Florian Roman Catholic, St. Matthew & St. Joseph Episcopal, Little Rock Baptist and St. Hyacinth Roman Catholic. Tickets are \$15 for DHS members or \$20 for non-members. Reservations are required. Call (313) 833-4727.

Wednesday, March 8 Tennis anyone?

Tennis pros from across the United States will gather at the Grosse Pointe Hunt Club Tennis House, 655 Cook in Grosse Pointe Woods, Wednesday, March 8, through Sunday, March 12, for the Western Open Tennis Tournament. This premier mixed-doubles event will welcome spectators Wednesday through Friday, at 6 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday, at 9 a.m. Per-day tournament tickets are \$7 for adults and \$3 for children. All-event tournament tickets are \$20. Meet the pros and enjoy wine tasting, an hors d'oeuvre buffet and dancing during a Mixer Party on Friday, from 7 to 11 p.m. Tickets are \$20. A dinner buffet will be offered on Wednesday and Thursday for \$7.50. On Saturday and Sunday, fans can partake in a Continental Breakfast from 9 to 11 a.m., for \$5 or a Luncheon Buffet, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., for \$8.25. Call (313) 882-4100.

Thursday, March 9 Money mysteries

Taking the Mystery Out of Estate Taxes will be the subject of a free lecture by Grosse Pointe lawyer/author Jon B. Gandelot, Thursday, March 9, at 7:30 p.m., in the Central

Branch of the Grosse Pointe Public Library, 10 Kercheval in Grosse Pointe Farms. Reservations are required. Call (313) 343-2074, ext. 220.

Meet and critique

The Lakeside Palette Club of St. Clair Shores will meet on Thursday, March 9, at the Civic Arena meeting room, 20000 Stephens, at 7:30 p.m. The program after the meeting will be a critique of members' artwork by artist Marge Pankhurst. Visitors are welcome to attend for \$1 admission charge.

Mystery & melodrama

Experience thrills n' chills during The Grosse Pointe Theatre's production of George M. Cohan's mysterious, melodramatic farce Seven Keys to Baldpate, Thursday, March 9 through Saturday, March 25, in the Fries Auditorium of the Grosse Pointe War Memorial. Performances will be offered Thursday through Saturday, at 8 p.m. and Sunday at 2 p.m. Tickets are \$13. They can be purchased by calling (313) 886-2993. Performances will be preceded by an elegant buffet in the War Memorial's Crystal Ballroom, Thursday through Saturday, at 6:30 p.m. Tickets are \$15. Reservations are required. Call (313) 881-7511.

Behind the scenes

Treat yourself to a fresh perspective on the Edsel & Eleanor Ford House, 1100 Lakeshore in Grosse Pointe Shores, during a Detroit Historical Society Behind the Scenes Dinner program, Thursday, March 9, at 6 p.m. Tickets are \$40 for DHS members or \$50 for non-members. Reservations are required. Call (313) 833-4727.

Friday, March 10 More Food & fellowship

Enjoy more good food and fellowship during another Men's Ecumenical Friday Breakfast, Friday, March 10, at 7:30 a.m., in Grosse Pointe Memorial Church. Dr. William Ritter of First United Methodist Church will be the featured speaker for this program, sponsored by the Men's Association of Memorial Church. Admission is \$5. Call (313) 882-5330.

Sunday, March 12 Divine search

The Rev. Ken Kaibel of Heritage Presbyterian Church, 23415 Jefferson in St. Clair Shores, can assist you in a search for the divine through his sermon series Are You Looking For God?, Sundays, March 12 through April 23, at 10:30 a.m. Rev. Kaibel will also lead a free discussion group in an exploration of Why Bad Things Happen To Good People, Sundays, March 12 to April 16, from 7 to 8:30 p.m. Call (810) 779-0730.

Garden brunch

Gourdologist Judy Reed will present the illustrated lecture Using Your Gourd during The Detroit Garden Center's Annual Program and Brunch, Sunday, March 12, from 12:30 to 3 p.m., in the Belle Isle Nature Center, accessible via the MacArthur Bridge at E. Jefferson and E. Grand Boulevard in Detroit. Tickets are \$15 for the entire program or \$5 for the lecture alone. Reservations are required. Call (313) 259-6363.

Classics a la carte

The Detroit Institute of Arts, 5200 Woodward in Detroit, will serve up selections for cello and piano by Bach, Piazzolla and Ravel, along with a host of culinary delights, during Brunch With Bach, Sunday, March 12, at 11:30 a.m., in the DIA's Kresge Court. Tickets are \$22 for adults, \$11 for children, or \$5 for concert seating on the Court's carpeted staircase. Call (313) 833-7900.

Mark Your Calendar Think Spring

Get expert advice on practical approaches to ecological gardening during St. Clair Shores' Springposium 2000, Saturday, March 18, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., in South Lake High School, 21900 Nine Mile in St. Clair Shores. Tickets are \$6 for St. Clair Shores residents and \$5 for St. Clair Shores seniors or \$10 for non-residents and \$8 for non-resident seniors. Call (810) 447-3338.

Live & Learn Courses & adventures

Enhance your mind, body and spirit by partaking in the courses and adventures offered by the Grosse Pointe War Memorial. Enjoy new insight into one of the world's great artists during Michael Farrell's illustrated Lecture on Vincent van Gogh, Tuesday, March 14, from 7:30 to 9 p.m. The fee is \$20. Make your reservations by Tuesday, March 14, for The Fine Wine Group, Italy: Brunello's and Super Tuscans, Tuesday, March 21, from 7 to 9 p.m. The fee is \$50. Prepare to be a part of GPWM-TV 5 productions with Lights, Camera, Action, Tuesdays, March 14, from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. The fee is \$5. Single Camera TV Production will be offered on Wednesdays, March 15 to April 19, from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. The fee is \$10. Expand your artistic abilities with Working in Watercolor, Tuesdays, March 14 to April 18, from 9:30 a.m. to noon. The fee is \$78. Learn to beautify your home with Decorative Painting, Tuesdays, March 14 to March 28, from 7 to 9 p.m. The fee is \$65, plus \$20 for supplies. Registration for all new classes can be charged to your Master Card or Visa, via Fax at (313) 884-6638 or phone at (313) 881-7511.

Art appreciation

Develop a greater appreciation for art of all kinds through courses and experiences offered at the Detroit Institute of Arts, 5200 Woodward in Detroit. Playing in the Prentiss Court through Friday, March 31, is the free video In a Brilliant Light: Van Gogh in Arles. Make your own Puppets during free Drop-In Workshops, Thursdays, March 2 and March 9, from noon to 3 p.m. An exciting variety of programs equal family fun during Hudson's First Fridays at the DIA, Friday, March 3, from 6 to 8:30 p.m. Get an Insider's View of the new exhibition Van Gogh: Face to Face. The CutTime Players will perform during a world Music Series program. Make new melodies with a free Musical Instruments Drop-In Workshop. Artists can revel in free Drawing in the Italian or Modern & Contemporary Galleries Drop-In Workshops. Artist/author Wendy Anderson Halperin will lead an Artist At Work: Illustration of Children's Books Workshop. Families can take in a free Storytelling session, Saturday, March 4, at 2 p.m. A trio of programs awaits you on Sunday, March 5. Experiment with a wide array

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of materials during a Portraits Drop-In Workshop, from noon to 4 p.m. In that same time slot, artists can test their skills during a free Drawing in the Modern & Contemporary Galleries Drop-In Workshop. Spirit Portraits: Shaman Paintings of Korean Choson Dynasty (1392 - 1910) is the title of a free lecture at 2 p.m. Preregistration is required for most courses. Call (313) 833-4249.

Attention artists

The Grosse Pointe Artists Association is accepting artists' slides, through Saturday, April 1, for judging for their 41st Annual Juried Festival of the Arts, Saturday, June 3 and Sunday, June 4. Call (313) 882-4626.

Alzheimer's aid

Families and friends dealing with the effects of Alzheimer's or related dementia can share knowledge and concerns during free Alzheimer's Association Support Groups, on the second Tuesday of each month, at 1 p.m. or the first and third Thursdays of each month, at 6:30 p.m. Meetings will be held in the Henry Ford Continuing Care-Belmont, 19840 Harper in Harper Woods. Call (313) 640-3379.

Ford House experiences

Experience the grandeur of an Auto Baron lifestyle with a visit to one of "America's Castles," the Edsel & Eleanor Ford House. House tours will be offered, on the hour weekdays and on the hour and half-hour weekends, Tuesday through Sunday, from noon to 4 p.m. The Tea Room will be closed through Thursday, March 30. Tours are \$6 for adults, \$5 for seniors and \$4 for children. Grounds admission is \$3. Call (313) 884-4222.

Senior review

St. Peter the Apostle Elementary School, 19800 Anita in Harper Woods, presents a series of entertaining and educational options for seniors. Join in the fun of a Movie Review Club, meeting the first Wednesday of each month, from 1 to 2 p.m. Readers can share their views as members of a Book Club, monitored by Harper Woods Librarian Suzanne Kent, on the third Wednesday of each month, from 1 to 2 p.m. Exercise classes for mature adults, as well as people with hip or knee replacements or stroke or heart problems, will be held on Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 10:45 to 11:45 a.m. Fees and times vary. Call (313) 343-0771.

On Stage & Screen DSO notes

The Detroit Symphony Orchestra Classical Series returns to Orchestra Hall, 3711 Woodward in Detroit, Thursday, March 9 through Saturday, March 11, when pianist Alain Lafevre joins conductor Yan Pascal Tortelier in programs featuring the music of Berlioz, Corigliano, Vaughan Williams and Mussorgsky/Ravel. The curtain will rise on Thursday and Friday, at 8 p.m. and Saturday, at 8:30 p.m. Tickets range from \$14 to \$66. Call (313) 576-5111.

Back to Broadway

Organists Lance Luce and Tony O'Brien will take audiences From Bach to Broadway during a free concert, Sunday, March 5, at 3 p.m., in Saints Peter and Paul Church, 438 St.

Antoine in Detroit. Call (313) 961-8077.

Applause x 3

Tennessee Williams' Five by Tenn comes to the stage of Wayne State University's Hilberry Theatre, 4743 Cass in Detroit, Friday, March 10 through Saturday, May 6. Also playing, in rotating repertory, through Sunday, April 8, are Our Town and Breaking the Code. Performances will be offered Thursday through Saturday, at 8 p.m., and select Wednesdays and Sundays, at 2 p.m. Tickets range from \$11 to \$18. Call (313) 577-2972.

Wilder drama

Wayne State University drama students give life to Thornton Wilder's dramatic ode to the survival of man, The Skin of Our Teeth, in The Bonstelle Theatre, 3224 Woodward in Detroit, through Sunday, March 5. Performances will be offered Thursday through Friday, at 8 p.m. and Sunday, at 2 p.m. Tickets are \$8 and \$10. Call (313) 577-2960.

Poetic power

The Detroit Repertory Theatre, 13103 Woodrow Wilson in Detroit, brings the power of South African playwright Athol Fugard to the stage in the coming-of-age drama Valley Song, through Sunday, March 19. Performances will be offered, Thursday and Friday, at 8:30 p.m., Saturday, at 3 and 8:30 p.m. and Sunday, at 2 and 7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$15. Call (313) 868-1347.

Homeless benefit

The Rackham Symphony Choir will sing selections from Broadway and opera during a Hearts and Voices for the Homeless benefit concert for Highland Park's Doorstep Homeless Shelter, Friday, March 3, at 8 p.m., in St. Lucy's Catholic Church, 23401 Jefferson in St. Clair Shores. Tickets are \$10. Call (313) 341-3466.

Exhibitions & Shows At the DIA

From the old masters to the finest in modern art, discover the beauty and majesty of the galleries and exhibitions at the Detroit Institute of Arts. The spectacular traveling exhibition Van Gogh: Face to Face, opens at the DIA on Sunday, March 12 and runs through Sunday, June 4. Tickets are \$16 on weekdays or \$18 on weekends for adults or \$8 for children. Several new acquisitions are featured in Glass, Glass: From the DIA's Collection, through Sunday, March 5. On view through Sunday, March 26, is The Power and Passion of Dance: Photographs From The Carol Halsted Collection. Experience the dynamic photographs of Robert Frank: The Americans, through Sunday, March 26. The development of early Italian altarpieces is traced through Fragments of Devotion: Early Italian Panel Paintings from the DIA Collection, displayed through Sunday, May 28. Don't miss your chance to see an exhibition of more than 70 Drawings by Martin Lewis from the DIA's Collection, through Sunday, June 4. Museum hours are Wednesday through Friday, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday, from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Recommended admission is \$4 for adults and \$1 for children and students. Call (313) 833-7963.

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at either one of the venues. Museum patrons may also tune in to On the Air: Michigan Radio and Television Broadcasting 1920 - 2000. Visitors can appreciate their knowledge of the toys, games, transportation, office materials and home life of the past through the hands-on experiences of the I Discover exhibit. The Museum is open Wednesday through Friday, from 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Suggested admission is \$3 for adults; \$1.50 for seniors; children 12 and under free. Call (313) 836-1805.

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North skaters start state tournament play with impressive win

By Chuck Klonke
Sports Editor

Scott Lock and his Grosse Pointe North boys hockey team certainly didn't expect to look up at the scoreboard halfway through the first period of their Division II regional opener and see themselves facing a 2-0 deficit.

"That wasn't what we expected," Lock said after the Norsemen came from behind to beat Warren De La Salle 6-2.

"I was nervous before the game. It was our first regional game in our home rink and we expected to do well. Then, even though we were dominating play, they got a couple of good bounces and scored on both of them."

After that it was all North.

The Norsemen outshot the Pilots 39-8 and except for an outstanding performance by De La Salle goalie Kyle Erne, the final score could have been much worse.

"Our kids responded well after falling behind," Lock said. "They talked to each other and picked each other up. After the first period we were real positive in the dressing room. We had scored a goal late in the period and we told the kids that they should keep believing in themselves and shouldn't change any-

thing they were doing."

De La Salle's Ryan Cianfarani opened the scoring on a rebound at 5:18 of the first period and teammate Brandon Schurr gave the Pilots a 2-0 lead on a power-play goal at 7:22.

David Brozo got North on the scoreboard with 2:33 left in the opening period. Erne stopped Brad Case's shot from the point on the power play, but Brozo was there to knock in the rebound.

The second period was total domination by the Norsemen. North outshot De La Salle 16-1 in the period and the only shot Norseman goalie Patrick Calhoun had to stop was a harmless one from outside the blue line with about a minute and a half remaining.

In the meantime, North got goals from Alex Thomas, Dan Socia and Neal Gram to take a 4-2 lead into the third period.

Thomas scored on a wrist shot from the high slot area to tie the game at 2:14. Socia stickhandled around a De La Salle defenseman and beat Erne with a backhand at 4:57 to give the Norsemen their first lead.

Gram gave North a two-goal cushion 1:01 later when he picked up a rebound and lifted it over the fallen Erne.

Roger Horrie and P.J. Mallon tallied for the Norsemen in the

third period. Mallon's goal with 2:25 remaining was North's second power-play goal of the game.

North's depth seemed to wear down the Pilots, who used two lines and two defense pairs for most of the game.

"We kept calling four lines and they all played well," Lock said. "We kept banging them and their line shifts were long. We're in good physical shape, too."

Lock said that he had scouted De La Salle, which finished its first hockey season with a 12-6-3 record.

"They didn't have their whole team available when we scouted them but we did find out a few things that we tried to capitalize on," Lock said.

"We knew their goalie was good and he stood on his head tonight."

North played Berkley, another first-year team, on Wednesday. The championship game at the St. Clair Shores Civic Arena is at 8 p.m. Friday. It will pit the winners of the North-Berkley and Grosse Pointe South-Brother Rice contests.

"This is just one step in six that we'd like to take," Lock said, referring to the number of games needed to win a state championship.

South clinches tie for MAC Red title

By Chuck Klonke
Sports Editor

Grosse Pointe South's victory over Stevenson last week wasn't as routine a win as the 59-38 margin might indicate.

And part of the reason might have been the fact that the Blue Devils got out of their normal routine.

"We didn't come out with a lot of energy," said coach George Petrouleas. "Some of it might have been the change in routine. We had to play last Saturday (Feb. 19) because of the postponement Friday and last week we didn't have school."

While South eventually won by 21 points, the Blue Devils trailed the Titans 24-21 at halftime.

"This was a real tough game for us. We weren't pleased with our performance. As a coach, I'm not pleased with the way we played."

"The kids of Warren De La Salle, the coach said, were really into the message because we really went after them. They had only one shot in the second half and we blocked it."

South stopped allowing the easy scoring chances it gave up in the first half. The Blue Devils also did a better job on the offensive boards.

Brian Berschback had an excellent game for the Blue Devils. Not only did he spark the defensive effort but he also contributed 21 points.

Adam Novak finished with 14 points and six rebounds and Paul Skorupskas played a solid game.

"And when we were looking for a spark off the bench, Jack Tocco came in and gave it to us," Petrouleas said.

The victory assured South of a tie for the Macomb Area Conference Red Division championship and the Blue Devils had to win only one of their two remaining games — with Chippewa Valley and Friday at Eisenhower — to clinch an outright title.

"We're playing pretty well," Petrouleas said. "We're getting better outside shooting from Paul Skorupskas, Brian Berschback, Mike Wolking and Jack Tocco and it's important that they score because teams are starting to play zone against us."

"If they can score, it opens things up inside for Novak and (John) Russell and creates a lot of problems for defenses."

South is 9-1 in the MAC Red and 14-4 overall.

Blue Devils capture division ice crown

By Chuck Klonke
Sports Editor

Grosse Pointe South's boys hockey team wasn't going to be denied in its quest to win the Michigan Metro Hockey League's East Division title.

"Winning the division was one of our goals," coach Bob Bopp said after the Blue Devils scored twice late in the third period to beat Riverview Gabriel Richard 3-2.

"The team came into the game determined to win. They played a strong game from start to finish."

Defenseman Todd Lorenger opened the scoring at 7:56 of the second period but Richard tied the game with 10 seconds remaining in the period.

"We took one penalty in the game and they scored on it, but the kids shrugged off that goal," Bopp said. "They came out strong again for the third period."

Lorenger finally broke the tie with his second goal of the game at 11:03 of the final period and Adam Fishman provided some insurance 19 seconds later.

The Pioneers cut the margin back to a single goal at 11:58 but the Blue Devils managed to hold off Richard for the final three minutes.

"It was a typical South-Richard game — a lot of up-and-down skating and only the one penalty," Bopp said.

Denner finished with two assists. Steve Maxwell, H.J. Richardson, Greg Kelly and Lukas Morawski each collected one for South.

The Blue Devils finished the regular season with a 15-6-3 overall record and a 9-2-2 mark in the league.

South played Brother Rice in its first state tournament game on Wednesday. The championship game in the regional at the St. Clair Shores Civic Arena will be at 8 p.m. Friday.



Photo by David Stone

League champions

University Liggett School's hockey team celebrates after beating University of Detroit Jesuit 6-5 in the championship game for the Michigan Prep Hockey League. ULS begins its bid for a state Division III title tonight, Thursday, when it plays Detroit Country Day at 6 in the Cranbrook Kingswood regional. The regional championship game is Saturday at 2 p.m.

Late steal is North's downfall

By Chuck Klonke
Sports Editor

Four seconds is only a blip in time but it was long enough to spoil a victory celebration for Grosse Pointe North's basketball team last week.

Port Huron's Robert Banks stole the ball and went in for a layup as time was running out to give the Big Reds a 59-57 victory over the Norsemen in the Macomb Area Conference White Division game.

"The kid made a great steal and we were disappointed with the finish, but in some ways it didn't feel like a loss," said North coach Dave Stavale.

"We did everything except finish the game off. Port Huron is a difficult team for us to play because of their style, but we controlled the tempo of the game."

Stavale was especially pleased with the way the Norsemen controlled the ball for nearly three minutes at the end of the game.

"We wanted to get (Rob) Higbee or (Reilly) O'Toole open or get the ball inside to (Joe) Hermann," Stavale said. "We

did a great job of working the ball. We weren't stalling. We were just waiting for the right situation to take the shot."

But then Banks made his steal and it all went for naught.

"It's a shame that it came down to the last play because there were other opportunities that we weren't able to take advantage of," Stavale said.

"We had a couple of turnovers after you so you have to play strong on the perimeter. That's what we did."

O'Toole and K.C. Cleary led North with 12 points apiece. Higbee scored 11. Hermann had 10 and Bertelsen added nine. Hermann and Bertelsen also combined for 13 rebounds.

"Those two (Hermann and Bertelsen) continue to do a great job inside," Stavale said.

North continued to get good scoring balance. Hermann led the way with 15 points, but Higbee had 13, Mike Bertelsen 11 and O'Toole 10. Hermann led with eight rebounds.

"We're getting contributions from everybody," Stavale said. "Since we've started winning

captains of this year's varsity squad and one of the organizers of the first Battle of the Sexes.

"Since we won the MAC White and they beat us they had T-shirts printed that said 'Wayne County Champions.' This year we're going to try to avenge that loss."

The match starts at 7 p.m. in the North gym. Admission is \$3. Proceeds go to the Friends of J.P. Hellrung fund. J.P. Hellrung is the brother of former North volleyball player Kathy Hellrung and he has been paralyzed for several years.

"The first year we raised \$500 and last year we were able to give \$700," Majewski said. "This year we'd like to go

over \$1,000."

There will also be a 50-50 raffle with half of the proceeds going to the fund.

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Top local tennis players enter Midwest Open

The 27th annual Midwest Open Mixed Doubles Tennis Championships, which will be held March 8 through 12 at the Grosse Pointe Hunt Club, will have some notable local players from both the professional and amateur ranks.

Susan Mascarin-Keane, making her fifth appearance in the last six years, is a five-time semifinalist and a former Women's Tennis Association touring pro.

Grosse Pointe South graduate and former University of Kentucky All-American John Yankey is also entered. Yankey has played on the men's doubles circuit and last played in this event with former University Liggett School standout Shannon Byrne.

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OT victory puts Timberwolves in state district hockey tourney

The Timberwolves clinched a spot in the Bantam B state district hockey tournament with a 2-1 overtime victory over the Canucks in the Grosse Pointe Hockey Association's pre-district tournament.

After winning their first two games in the state district, the Timberwolves lost a pair of 2-1 heartbreakers, including a quadruple overtime loss to Troy.

In the pre-district final against the Canucks, Joe Wiebelhaus opened the scoring in the first period, assisted by Pat Mansfield and Mike Moy.

The Canucks' Jordan Owen

tyed the game with Taylor Zalewski and Bryan Ramberger getting the assists.

Goalies Drew Winter of the Timberwolves and Adam VanDamme of the Canucks kept the teams tied throughout the second and third periods.

Mansfield finally broke the deadlock four minutes into overtime when he scored after taking a pass from Tommy Solomon.

Earlier, the Timberwolves beat the Habs 3-0 as Byron Hauck recorded the shutout. Nick Andrew scored two goals for the Timberwolves and

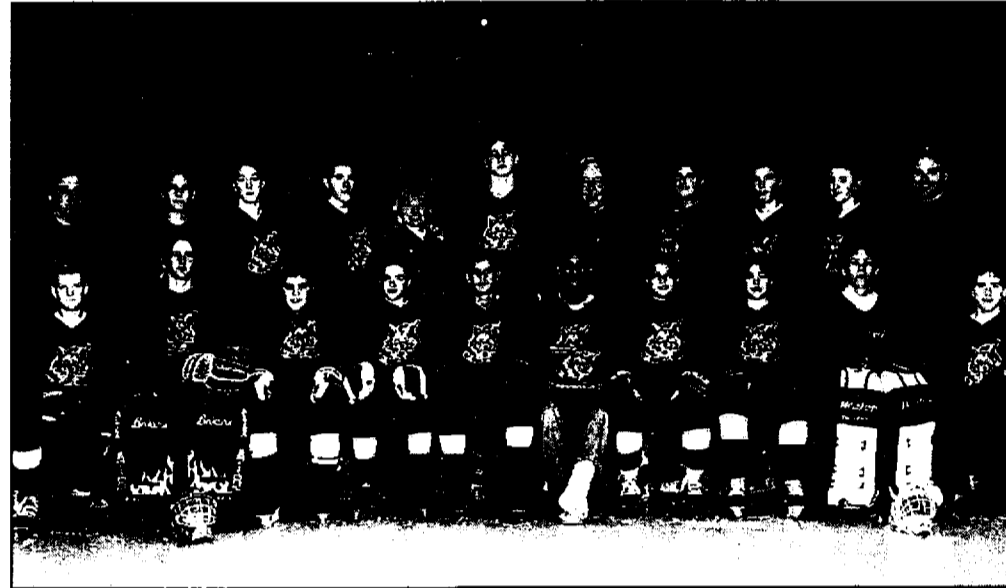
Wiebelhaus had the other one. Tony Fortunate and Matt Kirschner collected assists.

The Timberwolves also posted a 2-1 victory against the Chiefs.

Mansfield and Steven Kowal tallied for the Timberwolves. Peter Howard, Andrew and Solomon had assists.

Mark Cecchini scored the Chiefs' goal.

The Timberwolves got off to a good start in the state district with a 3-2 win over the Bloomfield Hills Warriors and a 4-3 victory over the Rochester Diamondbacks.



The Timberwolves won the Grosse Pointe Hockey Association pre-district Bantam B tournament and earned a spot in the state district. In front, from left, are Kevin Hogan, Drew Winter, Tony Fortunate, Adam Kosmas, Peter Baratta, Matt Kirschner, Mike Moy, Peter Howard, Byron Hauck and Nick Andrew. In back, from left, are assistant coach Rick Fortunate, Steve Kowal, Tom Bogen, Pat Mansfield, manager Sue Winter, Joe Wiebelhaus, head coach Bob Dumas, Ben Schrode, Tommy Solomon, J.T. Gage and assistant coach Tom Andrew.

Tough loss helps Knights gain experience on basketball court

By Chuck Klonke
Sports Editor

A year from now, University Liggett School's basketball team will probably win games like the 55-53 overtime defeat it suffered at the hands of Lutheran Northwest last week in a Metro Conference tournament game.

"We're so young," coach Bruce Peltó said. "We had three freshmen on the floor during much of the fourth quarter and in the overtime because we had people in foul trouble."

"We made some bad decisions after we got ahead by eight points (in the fourth quarter). I was hoping the clock would run down, but we put up some shots that we shouldn't have. We should have worked the clock more."

ULS led by two points after three quarters and quickly stretched the margin to eight with a six-point run at the beginning of the fourth quarter.

Free throw shooting was also a problem for the Knights. They made only 18 of 34 attempts and several of the misses came in the fourth quarter while ULS was trying to protect its lead.

The Knights had a two-point lead with 24 seconds to go but they turned the ball over and Northwest converted it into the tying basket.

"By that time we were out of timeouts," Peltó said. "I had to call two of them in the first quarter because we got off to such a slow start."

ULS got a shot off in the waning seconds, but it wasn't a good one and regulation ended with the teams tied at 50.

The Knights took a 3-0 lead on three free throws in overtime, but a defensive lapse enabled the Crusaders to tie the game with a three-point basket and they won it on a basket with four seconds remaining.

"Next year, with more experience, we'll probably win a game like this," Peltó said. "I like our future. There's a light at the end of the tunnel."

Sean Griffin led ULS with 15 points and seven rebounds and

Charles Lowe added nine points, despite having to sit out much of the game because of foul trouble.

Freshman Leython Williams had one of his best games, collecting 12 points, eight rebounds and three steals. Williams got the start because Jim McBride was ill.

Anthony Walker, also a freshman, had a solid game with five assists, nine points and a steal and another ninth-grader, Kevin Heaney, played well defensively when some of the Knights' starters got into foul difficulty.

"Northwest was a team that beat us by 25 points earlier in the year," Peltó said. "Our tenacity was much better this time. We played hard but our foul shooting and their offensive rebounding hurt us."

ULS opened the tournament against regular-season champion Hamtramck and the Knights dropped a 67-34 decision.

"We played better than the score indicates," Peltó said.

"We did some things well." Hamtramck breezed through the league schedule without a hitch this year and the Cosmos are heavy favorites to win the first Metro tournament.

Eli Warren was one of three Hamtramck players to score 16 points. Warren picked up 10 in the first quarter.

"Nobody in the conference can control him," Peltó said. "And they have an excellent supporting cast."

Griffin led ULS with 12 points and five rebounds. Lowe scored seven points.

"Walker really played well handling their pressure," Peltó said. "He had five assists, four rebounds and a steal."

The Knights begin state tournament play Monday at 6 p.m. when they meet the host team in the Capac district. The Chiefs have been ranked in the state in Class C for much of the season.



The Grosse Pointe Hockey Association Squirt B Hawkeyes won their division at the Sports Weekend Extravaganza tournament. In the front row, from left, are Michael McCoy, Ryan Gallagher, John McCarter, Tony Thomas, Greg Jones, Michael Thomas, Jared Ambrozy and Andrew Krebs. In the second row, from left, are Michael Balke, Nick Hathaway, Evan Skorupski, Max Getz, Matt Smutek and Alex Weiner. In back, from left, are coaches Jerry Ambrozy, Bill Balke and Steve Skorupski. Not pictured is Ben Dueweke.

Hawkeyes win Squirt B Division

The Grosse Pointe Hockey Association Squirt B Hawkeyes won their division at the Sports Weekend Extravaganza tournament.

Evan Skorupski scored three minutes into the first overtime period of the championship game to give the Hawkeyes a 2-1 victory over the Chicago McFetridge Bulldogs.

The Bulldogs scored first, but Michael Thomas quickly answered with a goal for the Hawkeyes.

Both defenses dug in and didn't allow another goal for the rest of regulation time.

Skorupski won the most valuable player award but the entire team worked hard for its championship trophy.

Grosse Pointe began tournament play with a 3-1 victory over the McFetridge Bulldogs.

Michael Balke, Max Getz and Jared Ambrozy scored for the Hawkeyes. Thomas and Ben Dueweke had assists.

A strong defense spearheaded by Greg Jones, Michael McCoy, John McCarter, Skorupski and Balke kept the Bulldogs off the board until late in the third period.

The Hawkeyes then eked out a 3-2 victory against the Farmington Hills Hurricanes. The Hurricanes tied the game at 2-2 midway through the third period, but with two minutes left in regulation, Ambrozy scored the winning goal for Grosse Pointe - his second of the game.

Getz scored the Hawkeyes' other goal. Ryan Gallagher, Jones and Skorupski had assists.

The Hawkeyes earned a spot in the championship game with a 5-0 win over the Chicago McFetridge Kings.

Grosse Pointe goalie Tony Thomas was outstanding in posting the shutout.

Dueweke, Michael Thomas, Andrew Krebs, Getz and Skorupski scored for the Hawkeyes. McCoy, Alex Weiner, Nick Hathaway, Matt Smutek and McCarter picked up assists.

Aerobics classes are underway at Fitness Firm

The Fitness Firm has started an eight-week series of low-impact aerobics classes that will continue through April 20.

Classes are being held at the First English Lutheran Church in Grosse Pointe Woods on Mondays and Wednesdays from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. and at the JFK Library in Harper Woods on Monday through Thursday evenings from 6:45 to 7:45.

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Instructors will be the South baseball coaches and varsity and junior varsity players. Campers will rotate through six stations that feature hitting, pitching, infield play, hitting mechanics, sliding and outfield play and catching.

Players are expected to bring their own equipment and to be dressed in proper baseball attire.

"All participants must pre-register by March 20," Griesbaum said. "We urge them to register early. Enrollment is limited and we've been at capacity every year. The morning session also fills up first."

South will host its ninth annual indoor baseball camp

The ninth annual Grosse Pointe South indoor instructional baseball camp will be held Saturday, March 25 in the school gym.

The camp is open to fourth through eighth graders and will be held in two sessions. The first session runs from 9 a.m. until noon and the second will be from 1 to 4 p.m.

The cost for the camp remains \$35 per player and proceeds will go to the South baseball program.

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CYO champions

Our Lady Star of the Sea's fifth and sixth grade basketball team won its Catholic Youth Organization division championship. In front, from left, are Sarah Thomas, Christina Schucker, Natalie Briles, Sarah Bolton, Kelly Rusko, Katie Sullivan and Jenna Benko. In back, from left, are coach Margaret Spindler, Alexa Bergamo, Brittany Ridley, Jenny Leachy, Amanda Hanley, Meghan Potthoff, Daniel Zohrob, Sarah Gruniewicz and coach Dave Bergamo. Not pictured is Nowell Navetia.

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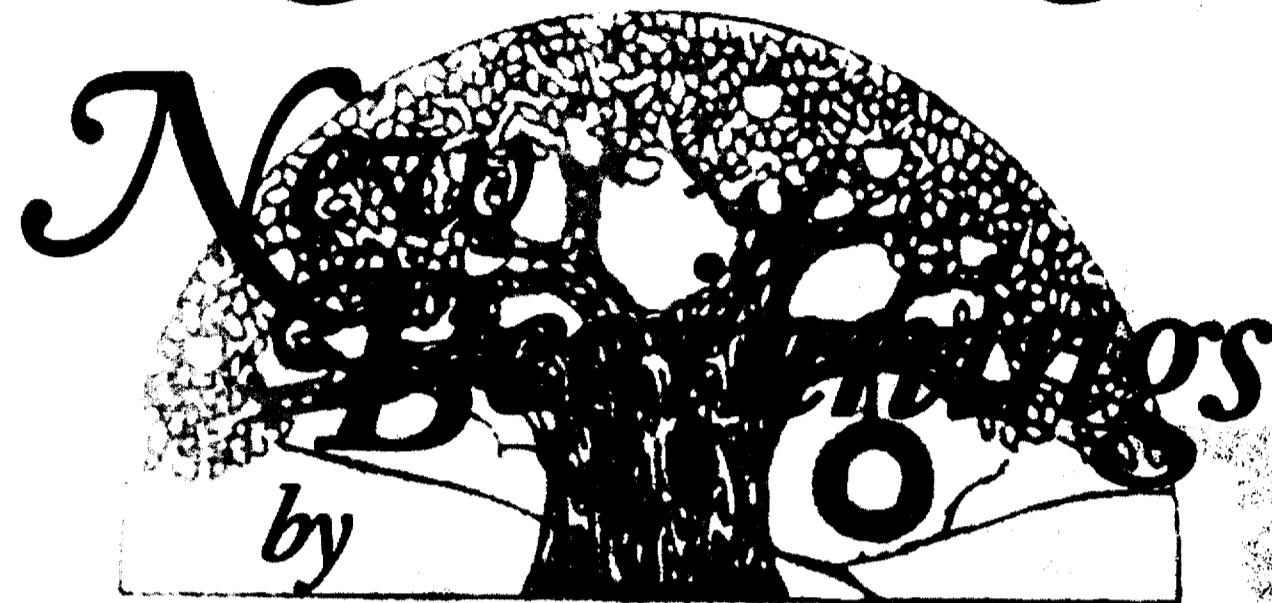
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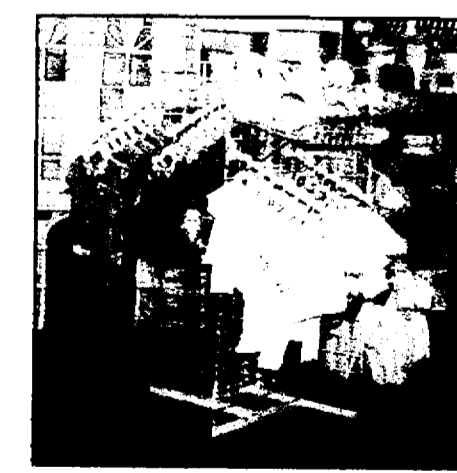
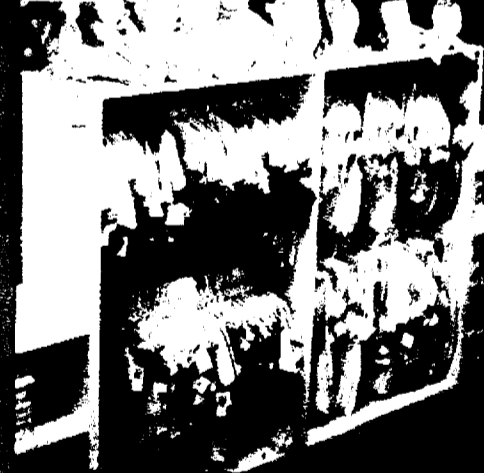
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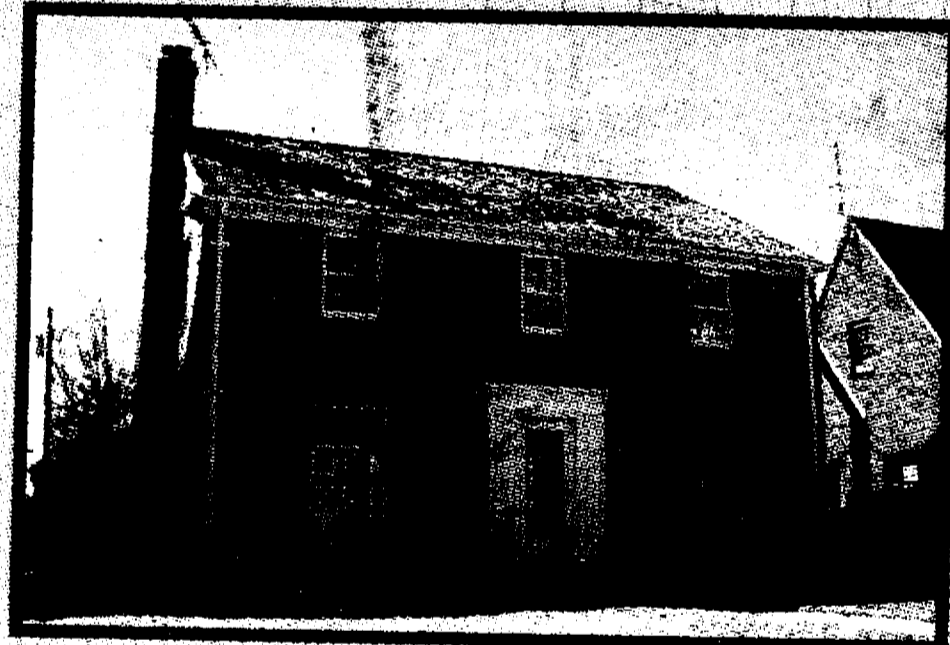
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Other animals can do serious damage to your landscape during the winter as they search for food. Keep a close eye out for damage to young trees and shrubs done by rabbits that like to chew the bark off some varieties of plants. If you notice any damage to your plants you can apply a repellent in the area to chase these critters into your neighbor's yard!

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Other animals can do serious damage to your landscape during the winter as they search for food. Keep a close eye out for damage to young trees and shrubs done by rabbits that like to chew the bark off some varieties of plants. If you notice any damage to your plants you can apply a repellent in the area to chase these critters into your neighbor's yard!

David Soulliere is a Michigan certified nurseryman at Soulliere Landscaping and Garden Center, 23919 Little Mack, St. Clair Shores, between Nine and 10 mile. Phone (810) 776-2811 for further information. E-mail at soulliereg@cs.com.



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ON THE COVER...

541 ROBERT JOHN, GROSSE POINTE WOODS

Wonderful three bedroom, one and a half bath family home located in coveted area of Grosse Pointe Woods boasting large two story foyer and spacious rooms with an open floor plan. The large kitchen offers more than ample eating space and leads to the step down family room. In addition you will enjoy the multiple fireplaces, central air conditioning, copper plumbing, new roof (1998)—plus attached garage.

1346 BISHOP, GROSSE POINTE PARK

Stunning and spectacular are just two words to describe this Grosse Pointe Park Tudor featuring kitchen with eating area, spacious family room, living room featuring natural fireplace and finished basement with full bath. The second floor has been freshly painted to enhance the neutral décor. The third floor is considered a "bonus room." Priced to sell, this home is in move in condition and available for immediate occupancy.

637 LINCOLN, GROSSE POINTE

Classic brick Colonial in desired Grosse Pointe location offering four bedrooms, two and one half baths and a superb layout. Great for family living this home boasts a spacious new family room, a grand living room with fireplace and a newer kitchen with ceramic back splash and eating area. Other features include: a lovely finished basement, refinished hardwood floors and central air conditioning. The opportunity to purchase this fabulous family home won't last long.

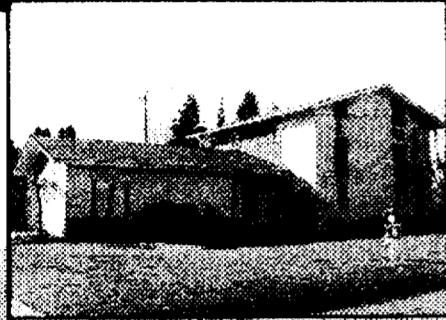
471 BELANGER, GROSSE POINTE FARMS

Located on a quiet cul-de-sac in Grosse Pointe Farms this English colonial offers four bedrooms, two full baths, a kitchen with eating space and heated Florida room. Enjoy the "old world" charm found throughout the main floor and be entranced by the completely new second floor with two bedrooms, sitting room with fireplace, full bath and laundry room. This home is in move in condition and a must see!

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\$349,000
METICULOUSLY MAINTAINED. IN PRISTINE CONDITION: Four bedroom, two and one half bath Colonial on a cul de sac near Liggett Middle School; large living room with fireplace; formal dining room; library/den; newer updated kitchen; spacious first floor laundry room/optional playroom; hardwood floors; newer windows. **MLS #31773.**

438 MAISON • GROSSE POINTE FARMS



\$249,000
 LOVELY three bedroom traditional Colonial; large family room with fireplace; attached two car garage; recreation room; gas forced air and central air; needs your decorating touch. **MLS #11000371**

1520 HAMPTON • GROSSE POINTE WOODS



\$245,000
SHARP BRICK COLONIAL - READY FOR YOU TO MOVE RIGHT INTO! Three bedrooms, one and one half baths; fireplace in living room; first floor laundry; huge family room with doorwall leading to brick patio and deep lot; newer kitchen and bath; recently refinished hardwood floors; finished carpeted recreation room with wet bar. **MLS#11000352.**

1956 ALLARD • GROSSE POINTE WOODS



\$215,000
 ATTRACTIVE three bedroom, one and half bath Colonial. Newer: updated kitchen with breakfast bar, lavatory, roof, windows. Living room with bay window, formal dining room, large family room with bay window, hardwood floors, recreation room. **MLS #31864.**

367 NEFF • GROSSE POINTE



\$285,000
 CHARM AND CHARACTER in this completely turn of the century rejuvenated three bedroom one and one half bath Colonial. Recent items include: new windows including kitchen with bay window; furnace with central air; roof and vinyl siding; three car garage. quick possession. **MLS #11000220.**

1898 FLEETWOOD • GROSSE POINTE WOODS



\$179,000
 ATTRACTIVE THREE BEDROOM, one bath brick Colonial; neutral decor; hardwood floors; newer kitchen and bath, recreation room with lavatory. Two car garage. **MLS #31707.**

20284 ROSCOMMON • HARPER WOODS



\$99,000
 SHARP three bedroom brick bungalow with bay window in dining area/kitchen. Many updates include: bath, windows, gas forced air and central air; updated electrical. One and one half car garage with two garage doors front and rear ideal for extra car/boat. Freshly painted. Possession at closing. **MLS #11000136.**

3949 HARVARD • DETROIT



\$135,000
 EAST ENGLISH VILLAGE - Three bedroom, one and one half bath Colonial; large family room; living room with fireplace; formal dining room; eating space in kitchen; hardwood floors; recreation room; brick patio; two car garage. **MLS #11000353.**

6209 RADNOR • DETROIT



\$65,000
 GREAT INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITY. Three bedroom bungalow: one bath plus stall shower in basement; large second floor bedroom with sitting area has knotty pine paneling and built-in dressers and shelving; two car detached garage. Buyer completes city certs. **MLS#11000055.**

3662 BEDFORD • DETROIT



\$98,000
 ATTRACTIVE, WELL MAINTAINED brick 5/5 two family two car garage near Mack "RENTED" investment property. **MLS#11000221.**

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Booming PC market spurs home-office growth

Home office consumers search for practical, attractive solutions

The ongoing landslide of personal computer prices has helped transform a growing number of spare bedrooms and family rooms across the country into fully functional home offices.

An estimated 50 percent of U.S. homes currently maintain at least one personal computer, driving the necessity for furniture that not only blends within the home decor, but also satisfies the functional needs of its individual owners. The latest numbers from the Bureau of Labor Statistics of the U.S. Department of Labor report that more than 21 million Americans work at home in some capacity for their primary occupation. And with the growing rate of U.S. telecommuters — nearly 12 million people nationwide, according to the American Internet User Survey and Mann, Armistead and Epperson — the subsequent demand for quality home-office furnishings is rapidly increasing.

Many furniture manufacturers are responding to consumers' needs, offering attractive and practical home office furniture solutions in a variety of style and finish options. According to Paul Bush, president and CEO of Bush

Industries, one of the leaders in small business and home office furniture and the nation's 10th largest furniture manufacturer, home office furniture is designed to blend seamlessly within traditional home surroundings while providing a stylish, comfortable and efficient work environment for the consumer.

"Today's small office/home office user demands organization," says Bush. "When buying furniture, consumers want to be able to quickly look at a desk or office setup and understand how it will help them to organize — is there a place for a phone, CPU, monitor, fax or printer? Is there ample room to work?"

The many style offerings currently available in home office furnishings provide consumers with the ability to transform any corner or area of the home into a functional and attractive home office. A dedicated home office setup will assure that computer equipment, files and office supplies are stored and protected while offering convenient wire/cable management ports for reduced workspace clutter and additional storage for software, CDs and accessories.

As recent trends suggest, more and more people are looking for renewable furniture to furnish their home offices. Many con-

sumers are finding that quality flat-pack (or ready-to-assemble) furniture is a quick and affordable solution to their needs. It provides consumers with stylish and functional office furniture selections that fit their needs today, and can be easily updated or replaced tomorrow as their electronics needs or fashion preferences change.

A growing number of consumers are also finding that they desire flexible and modular setups in their home office, similar to that which they are accustomed to in the corporate environment.

"A wide variety of our latest designs cater to these needs, and are an excellent solution for both



the corporate environment and the home office," says Bush. "We build furniture for the way people live and work, offering consumers options in style,

configurations and price points to accommodate a vast array of home office requirements."

Available in stores nationwide, Bush Furniture complements any workspace or decor with its variety of stylish home, small and commercial office furnishings. Call (800) 950-4782 for details or visit the company web site at www.bushfurniture.com.

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Antiques and Collecting

It's hard to believe that the first lawn mowers were designed in the 1830s in England. The mower, patented by Edwin Board Budding, had curved blades in a cutting cylinder that is still the basic idea of a mower. The earliest mowers were made of wrought iron and were either pushed with a long handle or pulled from the front by a horse. Lawn mowers that date back to the 1800s are rare today and sell for thousands of dollars if in good condition. Mowers from the first quarter of the 20th century are usually worth hundreds of dollars. Motorized mowers were first made in the 1890s, and smaller, lightweight mowers became common by the 1920s. Electric motors were first used in the 1920s. Mowers with plastic parts were made after the 1960s and have little value.

Q. My aunt gave me a 6-inch Roseville cornucopia she had received as a wedding present more than 55 years ago. I haven't been able to identify the pattern. There are large, three-pointed

leaves near the top of the vase, with tiny, pink, heart-shaped flowers drooping down below the leaves. The vase's rim is sculpted into six points. The raised mark on the bottom reads, "Roseville U.S.A. 141-6." Can you help?

A. The pattern of your Roseville vase is called "Bleeding Heart." The pattern is named after the flower on the vase. It was introduced by Roseville in 1940 and was made in many shapes. The "141" in the mark is the shape number, and "6" is the size. Your vase would sell for \$125 to \$150.

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The Insurance Information Hot-line, founded in 1979, is a source of information on all types of insurance. Personnel also handle complaints about companies and agents. About 500 people dial up the toll-free telephone number each month.

"The purpose of the hot-line is two-fold," said Leanne Snay, executive director of the Insurance Information Association of Michigan (IIAM). "It is a ready source of information on all types of insurance. Secondly, personnel respond to complaints and provide for a prompt, objective resolution of disputes between policyholders and insurance companies."

Personnel do not recommend companies, agents or the types of coverage that consumers might buy. Callers do get advice on how to shop for the best deal on insurance and can request reference material on specific insurance subjects.

The service is available from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

The hotline is administered by the IIAM, a nonprofit, public information organization headquartered in Lansing. It sponsors a number of consumer information and education programs.

The following is a sample of the most frequently asked questions by Hotline callers:

Q. We're on a tight budget. How can we cut our car insurance rates?

A. Here are a few ideas. One, choose your next car carefully. Insurance rates are based on its value and how difficult it is to repair. Two, coordinate the coverage in your auto policy with other accident and health policies you may have. Three, choose higher deductibles on collision and comprehensive coverage. Four, consider a more economical type of collision coverage, but make sure you understand when you are covered and when you are not. Five, if you have an older car and it's not financed, you may want to drop both collision and comprehensive



coverage. Six, drive carefully. Most traffic tickets and at-fault accidents will automatically increase your rates. And finally, talk to your agent. Find out what all of your options are.

Q. Does my regular home insurance policy cover flooding, like if there was a flood and I got water in my basement?

A. No, a regular homeowners insurance policy does not pay for flood damage. But if you need coverage, you can probably get it through a program sponsored by the federal government. The price you pay depends on the value of your property, and how likely it is to be damaged in a flood.

You can get information about it, and buy the special flood insurance through most licensed property/casualty agents in Michigan.

Q. I plan to quit my job to go back to school. My mom says I can keep my health care coverage by purchasing something called COBRA. What's COBRA?

A. The Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act (COBRA) is a federal law which requires certain employers to offer continuation of group health coverages. If you quit your job, you may be able to continue your current benefits for up to 18 months. You pay the premium, of course.

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80 WOODLAND SHORE • GROSSE POINTE SHORES

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EXCEPTIONALLY WELL MAINTAINED brick center entrance Colonial. Four bedrooms two full and two half baths; spacious entry foyer; formal living room and dining room; family room with fireplace plus library/den; first floor laundry facility; three car attached garage; two furnaces 1999; professionally landscaped yard. Ready for you to move right in. MLS #11000202.



1097 HOLLYWOOD • GROSSE POINTE WOODS

\$410,000

READY FOR YOU to move right into! Four bedroom, two and one half bath Colonial with first floor laundry room; hardwood floors. Numerous updates: gas fireplace in family room; Mutschler kitchen with cherry cabinets; carpeted recreation room; garage door with opener; landscaping; sprinkler system; brick paver in backyard; potting shed; large deck. MLS #11000255.



26231 HARBOUR POINTE • HARRISON TOWNSHIP

\$450,000

WONDERFUL COLONIAL CENTERED AROUND BOATIN' AND WATER SPORTS. Beautiful driveway, three full bath house with outside leading to balcony to 40 foot boat lift. Professionally decorated with designer kitchen and spectacular master suite. Two car attached garage. MLS #11000182.



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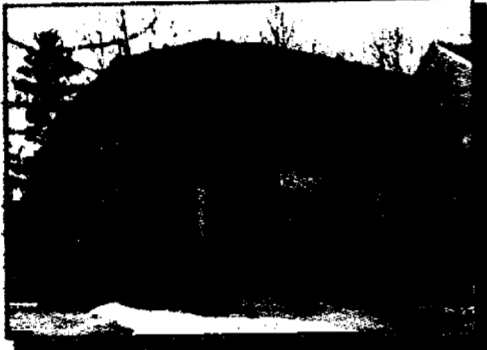
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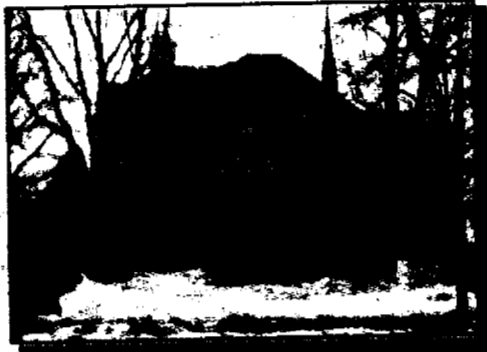
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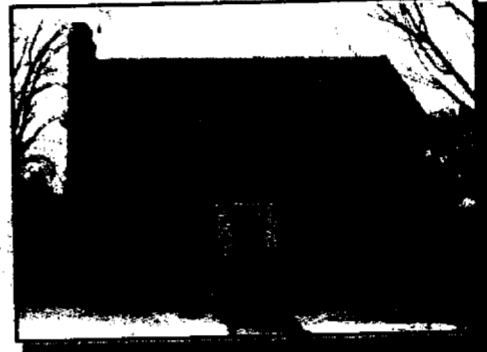
ATTRACTIVE center entrance Colonial featuring new kitchen, detailed oak flooring, large room sizes plus two full baths on the second floor in desired Grosse Pointe location.

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BREATHTAKING Colonial on coveted Grosse Pointe Farms cul-de-sac features custom architectural finishes throughout, new tear off roof and new windows.

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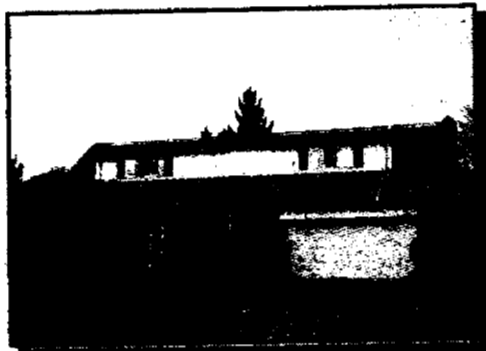
MAGNIFICENT INSIDE AND OUT... Four bedroom, two and one half bath Colonial offering completely redone family room and a great layout in move in condition.



EXCEPTIONAL English Colonial on cul-de-sac offering more than 2,000 square feet, four bedrooms and two full baths in Grosse Pointe Farms.



COVETED Grosse Pointe Woods location for this Colonial boasting large two story foyer, spacious rooms with open floor plan and new roof in 1998.



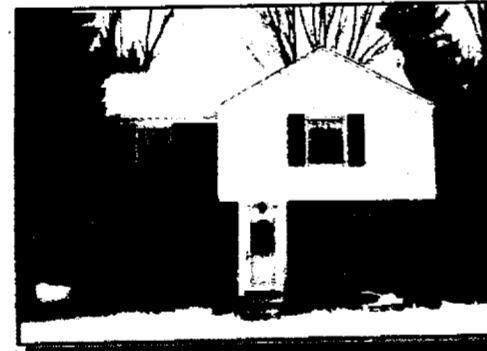
OUTSTANDING Grosse Pointe Woods location for this four bedroom, two and one half bath home with spacious family room and large country kitchen.



MOVE RIGHT INTO this four bedroom, two and one half bath Colonial offering remodeled kitchen, new windows, hardwood floors and family room in Grosse Pointe Park.



SPECTACULAR home in a quiet Grosse Pointe Shores location close to the lake with over 4,000 square feet and a fantastic floor plan for the growing family.



TEMPTING PRICE on this attractive center entrance Colonial perfectly located East of Mack with library and Florida room in Grosse Pointe Woods.



LOVELY St. Clair Shores location for this brick ranch newly decorated throughout featuring newer windows, finished basement with full bath and updated kitchen.



AFFORDABLE Grosse Pointe Farms living on popular street featuring four bedrooms, two and one half baths and family room.



CURB APPEAL GALORE abounds this fieldstone front home completely redone with new kitchen, windows and roof plus deep lot in Grosse Pointe Farms.



INVESTORS DELIGHT! Twelve two bedroom units in great condition with newer storms, screen and roof with commercial grade improvements throughout in Grosse Pointe Park.



TERRIFIC for a growing family! Spacious home with five bedrooms, two full baths, a fully equipped new kitchen that overlooks a large family room in St. Clair Shores.



SUPERB brick bungalow in coveted Harper Woods location offers natural woodwork and fireplace on first floor and large master bedroom with full bath on second floor.



BEST BUY in Grosse Pointe Woods! Great starter or rental property with updated kitchen, neutral décor and new furnace available for immediate occupancy.



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A MUST SEE! Located on quiet cul-de-sac within walking distance to Lake St. Clair, this four bedroom, two and one half bath home offers two fireplaces and a finished basement.



METICULOUS 1996 built home with over 2,000 square feet, four bedrooms, two and one half baths, hardwood floors and first floor laundry in Chesterfield Twp.

NEW OFFERING



DELIGHTFUL three bedroom bungalow with master suite on second floor, large kitchen with eating area and spacious fenced yard in desirable Detroit location.

NEW OFFERING



RENOVATED "brand new" status this home offers new: kitchen, windows, furnace and central air plus new half bath on first floor in Grosse Pointe Woods.



PICTURESQUE Tudor featuring large family room, kitchen with eating area, finished basement including full bath in Grosse Pointe Park. Immediate occupancy.



ENJOY the open floor plan of this spotlessly maintained brick ranch in Harper Woods/Grosse Pointe Schools with new kitchen, refinished hardwood floors and updated bath.



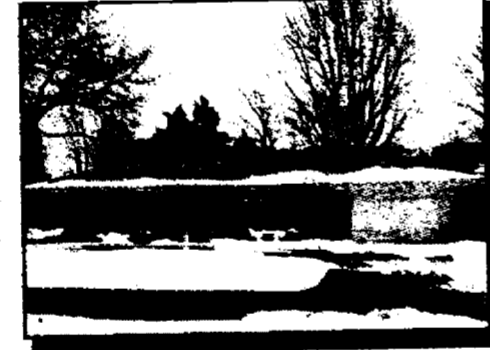
IMMEDIATE OCCUPANCY available on this stunning Colonial with new furnace and central air (1998), finished basement and updated kitchen in Grosse Pointe Park.



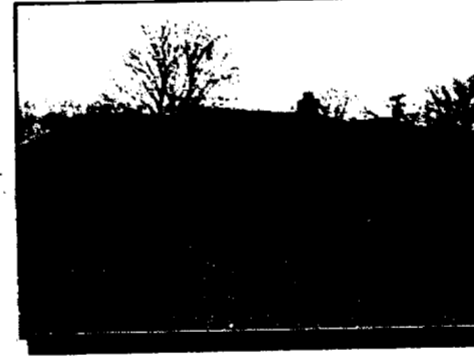
COZY brick ranch boasts an open floor plan, three bedrooms, living room with natural fireplace, finished basement and attached garage in Grosse Pointe Woods.



GRACIOUS family home offering large lot close to Star of the Sea and Hunt Club with four bedrooms, three and one half baths and over 3,000 square feet of living space.



HARD TO FIND three bedroom, two and one half bath sprawling ranch featuring wonderful family room with vaulted ceiling and attractive master suite.



ENTICING PRICE on this two bedroom ranch in Harper Woods boasting large lot with patio covered by new awning, living room with natural fireplace and newer roof.



SUPERB brick 5/5 income offering two bedrooms per unit, newer windows throughout, and updated kitchens in Grosse Pointe.



GREAT brick home for that first time buyer in nice Detroit location including formal dining room, living room, two bedrooms and spacious fenced yard.



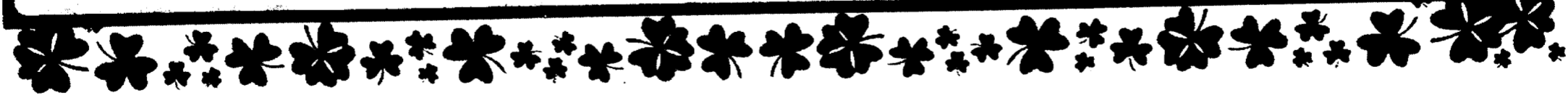
CHARMING four bedroom, two full bath Cape Cod bungalow featuring large master bedroom, finished basement, and Florida room in Grosse Pointe Farms.



UPDATES GALORE! Center entrance Colonial with new furnace and central air conditioning, completely updated kitchen, newer carpeting and much more in Detroit.



COMPLETELY OCCUPIED! Great investment opportunity. High visibility Grosse Pointe location for this professional building on Mack Avenue with attached parking lot.



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**1023 WHITTER,
GROSSE POINTE PARK**



Beautifully decorated four bedroom, two and one half bath center entrance Colonial in prime location. Features updated kitchen with built-ins, finished recreation room with one half bath and wet bar, new central air (98).

**758 LAKEPOINTE,
GROSSE POINTE PARK**




Handsome four bedroom, two and one half bath Colonial. Great rear grounds, fabulous kitchen, master suite, new oak floors in entrance foyer and dining room. Large basement. Well priced at \$319,000.

**1346 BEDFORD,
GROSSE POINTE PARK**



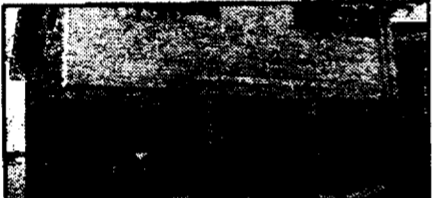
Beautifully maintained Colonial in the Park. Open floor plan with natural fireplace, wood floors and newly carpeted family room. Three bedrooms with bonus sitting room. Two and one half baths. \$329,000.

**1406-08 SOMERSET
GROSSE POINTE PARK**




Very nice well maintained 5/5 two family. Living room, formal dining room, two bedroom each unit, separate utilities, two car garage. \$210,000.

**1983 BROADSTONE,
GROSSE POINTE WOODS**



Four bedroom, two and one half bath Colonial. Den first floor laundry room, large kitchen, living room with fireplace finished basement with second fireplace carpeting and glass block windows. Attractively priced at \$239,900

**844 TROMBLEY,
GROSSE POINTE PARK**



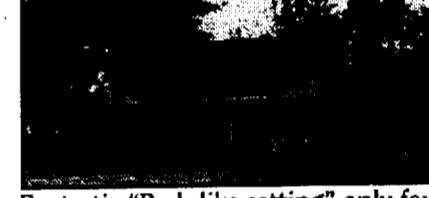
Two bedroom, one and one half bath condo south of Jefferson. Two huge bedrooms, one and one half baths, living room with natural fireplace, full basement, two car garage, rear deck, totally remodeled.

**629 LAKEPOINTE,
GROSSE POINTE PARK**



Center entrance brick Colonial, large kitchen with eating area, three bedrooms, two and one half baths, living room, dining room, family room with skylight, hardwood floors, over 2,000 square feet, two car attached garage.

**90 DEEPLANDS,
GROSSE POINTE SHORES**



Fantastic "Park-like setting" only four houses on the court. Updated Colonial features four bedrooms, two and one half baths, 24 foot family room, den sunken living room, formal dining room, recreation room in basement.

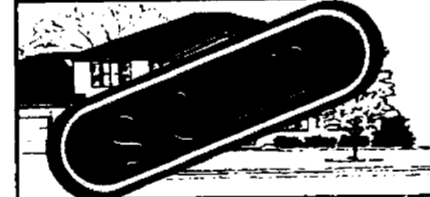
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**765 MIDDLESEX,
GROSSE POINTE PARK**



Beautiful center entrance Colonial. South of Jefferson. Four bedrooms, two and one half baths, library, first floor living room and dining room, newly decorated. Great street. Call Jim Saros for details.

**892 NEFF,
GROSSE POINTE CITY**



Grosse Pointe City buildable two-family lot 50 x 160 zoned R2 perfect for new construction. \$125,000.

**115 WINWOOD POINTE,
ST. CLAIR SHORES**



Gorgeous end unit in desirable complex east of Jefferson. Second floor condo features a striking two story foyer, excellent floor pattern with family room and glassed in balcony. Two full baths and walk-in closets.

**22508 EUCLID,
ST. CLAIR SHORES**



Three bedroom brick ranch move-in condition. Features beautiful bay window in living room and newer vinyl windows. Kitchen has eating space, pergo flooring, oak cabinets, family room, finished basement with dry bar, tile shower, cement patio.


FIRST OFFERING

19200 EDGEFIELD



Move in condition bungalow that includes many updates!! Tear off roof (98), furnace and central air conditioning, finished basement that has been waterproofed. Newer windows, two natural fireplaces.

10917 PEERLESS



St. John Hospital area. Three bedroom brick ranch, full basement, two and one half car garage, brand new kitchen, new carpeting throughout. Perfect starter home. \$89,900

39141 DEBRA COURT



Perfect colonial. Quite cul de sac location, open floor plan. Neutral decor, bowed window in living room, updated kitchen with large eating area. Step down family room First floor laundry, finished basement with lavatory. \$193,900!!!

**54429 VERONA PARK DRIVE
25 MILE RD & ROMEO PLANK**



Spotless three bedroom ranch. Three full baths, huge kitchen with upgraded cabinets and extended counter. Great room with marble fireplace and skylights. Cermaic foyer. Master bedroom with bath. Neutral decor, immediate occupancy.

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**1034 WHITTIER
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A beautiful four bedroom, two and one half bath Colonial with central air. Big kitchen with bay window, den, family room and finished basement. Freshly painted inside and out. Refinished hardwood floors, crown moldings & copper plumbing. Beautifully landscaped, breezeway and two car garage.



**962 PEMBERTON,
GROSSE POINTE PARK**

Well maintained four bedroom, two and one half bath Colonial with two extra rooms upstairs. Nice open kitchen with newer ceramic tile floor and ample cupboards, new carpeting, new roof-tear off.

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**175 WINDWOOD POINTE,
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Very desirable sunshine all day!!! Two bedroom first floor unit. Bay window, eating space in kitchen. Living room with natural fireplace, one car attached garage. First floor laundry. Associate fee \$202.00. \$283,500.

**22668 EDDY
MACOMB TOWNSHIP**



Beautiful new construction Colonial Bear Burning Tree Golf Club. Loads of extras. First floor laundry, sprinkling system, raised cedar deck. Four bedrooms, two and one half baths. Two car attached garage. \$239,000.

5282 BISHOP



Beautiful brick and fieldstone Colonial. Natural woodwork and French doors lead to warming and inviting living room with gas fireplace. Large formal dining room with crown moldings.

**873 LORAINÉ,
GROSSE POINTE CITY**



For lease, four bedroom, one and one half bath Cape Cod. Full basement, two and one half car garage, spotless clean. \$1,500 per month

**20259 LENNON,
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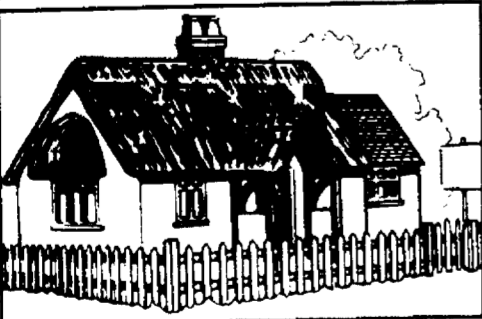


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Household Help

Broken locks

You should consider any problem you have with a lock an emergency for two reasons: first, it can easily become a security problem; second, you may end up locked out of your own home.

Here are a few tips:

- If you're locked out and the key got all the way in before it snapped, try turning it with a pair of pliers. If that doesn't work, you can try to remove it with a thin, rigid piece of wire, a hat pin or key extractor (available from hardware stores). If those methods also fail and you can get on the other side of the door, unscrew and pull out the lock cylinder and push the broken key part or object back out with a thin rigid wire, hat pin or key extractor. If these fail too, call a locksmith.

- If the key won't move, or it is hard to move after you've inserted the key, the interior lock probably

needs cleaning and lubricating. Remove it from the door, wash it in a petroleum solvent and apply a small amount of penetrating oil to all visible moving parts before reinserting it. Never apply oil to the keyhole itself; use graphite instead.

- If the lock freezes, melt the frozen moisture inside the lock by heating up the key over a flame and then insert it carefully into the lock. You can also spray the keyhole with a lock deicer or by blowing the lock with a hair dryer.
- If the key won't insert smoothly, rub lubricating graphite back and forth across the key teeth and reinsert the key in the lock.

- If the key turns but won't activate the lock, the lock is broken and you should call a locksmith to repair or replace it.

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Realtors in the News

Bolton-Johnston Associates of Grosse Pointe is included in the "Who's Who in Luxury Real Estate" 2000 directory of the foremost real estate brokerage houses in the world.

Bolton-Johnston announced its ninth record year in a row with

total volume up 246 percent since 1990.

Bolton-Johnston's 1999 top producer was Janet Ridder. Other Bolton-Johnston top producers were Connie Dunlap, Carolyn Candler, Myrna Smith and Kevin Brennan. These were followed by Carla Butterly and Lynda Rabaut.

Builder's pre-license class

Get the help you need to pass the Michigan state builder's license examination with a 16-hour comprehensive seminar offered by Grosse Pointe Community Education in cooperation with Oakland Builders Institute. The seminar is scheduled for Monday/Wednesday, March 6 through 15, from 6 to 10 p.m. at Brownell School, 260 Chalfonte in Grosse Pointe Farms.

The course is for those who want to subcontract the construction of their own homes,

real estate investors and developers and building tradespeople who want to work legally in Michigan.

The cost of the seminar is \$210 plus \$20 for the course textbook and sample questions.

Pre-registration with payment is required no later than Thursday, March 2, to Grosse Pointe Community Education.

For more information, call (313) 343-2178. There will be no phone registrations.

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	Phone Number	30 Yr. Fixed	Points	15 Yr. Fixed	Points	1 Yr. ARM	Points	Other Prngs
A & D Financial	(313) 255-7200	8	2	7.75	2	8	2	J/B/V/F
Able Mortgage Group	(248) 932-4040	8.5	0	8	0	6.125	2	J/B/V
Aabco Mortgage	(800) 731-0001	8.375	0	7.875	0	6.625	1	J/B/V/F
Aequi-Mutual Mortgage Corp.	(248) 526-3088	7.875	2	7.375	2	6.125	2	J/B
Allied Mortgage Capital Corp.	(888) 854-2928	8.125	2	7.625	2	7	2	J/B/V/F
American Capital Services Inc.	(800) 321-7210	8.125	0	7.75	0	7.125	0	J/B/V/F
American Finance & Investment	(800) 962-3462	NR		NR		NR		J/B/V/F
Amenplus Mortgage Corp.	(248) 740-2323	7.625	2.375	7.25	2.25	7.25	0	J/B
Apex Financial Group Inc.	(248) 273-4000	7.75	2	7.375	2	6	2	J/B/V/F
Approved Mortgage Inc.	(734) 455-5091	8.125	0	7.75	0	7	0	J/B/F
Arino Mortgage Centre	(248) 258-2942	8.25	0	7.875	0	7	0	J/B/V
Bank One	(800) 583-4636	7.8	2	7.45	1.45	6.05	1	J/B/V/F
Bay Pointe Mortgage Corp.	(888) LOAN-660	7.875	2	7.375	2	6.875	2	J/B/V
Capital Mortgage Funding	(248) LOW-RATE	NR		NR		NR		J/B/F
Chase Bank	(313) 274-1000	7.875	2	7.5	2	7.25	2	J/B/F
Chase Manhattan	(248) 649-1280	7.875	2	7.375	2	6.875	0	J/V/F
Citizens Bank	(800) 889-8949	8	2	7.625	2	6.875	1	J/V/F
Comerica	(800) 292-1300	8	2.125	7.625	2	6.625	1	J/B/V/F
Community Bank of Dearborn	(313) 274-1000	8	2	7.5	2	6.875	2	J/B
Community Federal Credit Union	(734) 453-1200	8	2	7.5	2	6	2	J/B
Countrywide Home Loans	(248) 282-8580	8	1.5	7.5	1.5	5.875	1	J/V/F
Credit Union ONE	(248) 544-1442	8.125	2	7.75	2	5.75	2	J
Dearborn Fed. Credit Union	(313) 322-3301	8	2	7.5	2	5.25	2	J/B
Dearborn Federal Savings	(313) 565-3100	8.375	0	8.125	0	5.625	2	
DWR Financial Services Inc.	(800) 367-1562	8.125	2	7.75	2	5.75	2	J/B/V/F
Edgecore Financial Group	(800) LOAN-620	7.75	3	7.375	3	5.5	2	J/B/F
Executive Mortgage Corp.	(248) 855-8800	7.875	2	7.375	2	6	2	J/B
Fidelity National Mortgage	(800) 251-5104	8.25	1	7.75	1	6.375	2	J/B/V/F
FIRST Alliance Mortgage Co.	(800) 282-7357	7.875	2	7.375	2	6	2	J/B/V/F
First Federal of Michigan	(800) DIAL-FFM	7.9	2	7.35	2	5.375	2	J/V/F
First International Inc.	(248) 255-1584	8.125	0	7.75	0	7	0	J/B
1st National Financial	(800) 261-0202	7.875	2	7.375	2	7	2	J/B/V/F
Flagstar Bank FSB	(800) 72-FIRST	8	2	7.375	2	6.125	2	J/B/V/F
Gallatin Mortgage Co.	(734) 994-1202	7.75	2	7.375	2	5.75	2	J/B
GMAC Mortgage Corp.	(800) 888-8822	7.875	3	7.25	3	5.875	3	J/B/V/F
Golden Rule Mortgage	(800) 785-4755	7.75	1.5	7.375	1.375	5.75	1	J/B/V/F
Great American Mortgage Co.	(800) 240-9448	7.75	2	7.375	2	6.75	0	J/B/V/F
Great Lakes National Bank	(800) 334-5253	8	2	7.625	2	5.75	2	J/B/V
Group One Mortgage	(734) 853-4000	7.875	2	7.625	2	6.25	2	J/V/F
Guardian Mortgage	(248) 642-7500	7.75	2.25	7	2.25	NR		J/B/V/F
Home Federal Savings Bank	(313) 873-3310	7.75	2	7.5	2	NR		J
Home Finance of America	(800) 358-5626	8	0	7.625	0	6	1.25	J/B
Huntington Mortgage Co.	(800) 538-1812	8	2	7.5	2	6.625	2	J/B/V/F
International Mortgage Inc.	(248) 540-7676	8.125	0	7.75	0	7	0	J/B
JMC Mortgage Corp.	(248) 489-4020	7.375	3.875	7	3.875	6	3	J/B
Kelum Mortgage	(800) 875-2593	8	2	7.5	2	6.25	2	J/B
Keystone Mortgage	(800) 403-8821	8	2	7.625	2	6.125	2	J/B
Mackinac Savings Bank	(800) 829-9259	8.25	0	7.875	0	7	0	J/B/V/F
Mainstreet Mortgage	(800) 447-2270	8.375	0	8.125	0	6.75	1	J/B
Mentor Financial	(877) 362-5626	8	2	7.5	2	6.625	2	J/B
Milestone Mortgage Corp.	(888) 278-1777	8.25	0	7.875	0	7	0	J/B
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Monument Mortgage Inc.	(800) 887-7662	7.75	1	7.5	1	6.75	0	J/V/F
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National City Bank	(810) 825-0825	7.875	2.125	7.5	1.75	6.75	0.625	J/B/Bi
National Future Mortgage	(800) 281-7900	7.375	3	6.875	3	6.25	3	
Nations First Financial	(888) 560-MONEY	NR		NR		NR		J/B/F
North American Mortgage	(800) 700-6262	7.875	2	7.375	2	NR		J/B/V/F
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St. Clair Mortgage Corp.	(248) 280-0088	8.5	0	8.125	0	6.75	1	J/B/V/F
St. James Mortgage Corp.	(800) 837-7005	8.5	0	8	0	7.125	0	J/B
Standard Federal Bank	(800) HOME-800	7.875	2	7.5	2	5.125	2	J/B/V/F
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Just a pinch of salt is plenty for your health

Check the best-seller list any week and you'll see several books on health and nutrition. Sometimes it seems like each one recommends a different way to approach eating. Some say calories are bad, others denounce fat, and recently, sugar and carbohydrates have become the enemies. But one fact has remained throughout several studies, and it doesn't get much attention: Americans eat way too much salt and it's affecting our health.

A little salt is necessary for a healthy, balanced diet, but Americans are piling it on and sometimes they don't even know it. Even people who have made a conscious effort not to add a little more salt to their fries may be making up for it in other foods they eat.

Excess salt intake has been related to elevated blood pressure — which can lead to strokes and heart disease, osteoporosis, and even cancer of the esophagus and stomach.

People whose blood pressure rises significantly with salt intake are termed "salt sensitive." More than 20 percent of Americans are salt sensitive and around 40 percent of these people are diagnosed with hypertension. The risk increases with age.

Another concern, especially for women as they get older, is osteoporosis. An Australian study found that too much sodium may take calcium out of bones, making them brittle and more susceptible to breakage. Weight control, exercise and reducing salt intake as part of a nutritious eating plan are all ways to reduce the risk of

disease and make you healthier and more energetic.

If you've taken the salt-shaker off your table, that's a good start. Many foods have enough sodium added to them before they reach your plate. If you're worried about trading in flavor, salt alternatives such as NoSalt and Seasoned NoSalt help food taste great. Reckitt Benckiser, makers of NoSalt, publishes a free brochure called "Changing for Life" that offers helpful information on making decisions on incorporating low-salt food into your diet.

Lifestyle expert Gerry Luepke says that being a smart consumer is the first step. She gives the following tips for lowering your salt intake.

- Always read labels. Salt is listed in many forms, such as "sodium chloride," "sodium bicarbonate," "sodium benzoate," "monosodium glutamate (MSG)" and "sodium nitrate." Even foods labeled "reduced sodium" may have more than the recommended amount of salt.

- Avoid processed foods, which can be high in salt, and when cooking, use unsalted butter or margarine and a salt substitute like NoSalt.

- Avoid fast food, which also tends to have a higher salt content and at restaurants, ask if your meal can be prepared without added salt.

Luepke also recommends the Dietary Approaches to Stop Hypertension (DASH) diet that not only helps lower the levels of blood pressure that cause hypertension, but is effective in keeping the whole family healthy. The

DASH diet is based on a 2,000 calorie per-day diet and recommends eating seven to eight daily servings of grain products, four to five servings of fruits and vegetables, and fewer than two servings of meats or nuts and legumes, which can be high in salt.

The DASH diet recommends 3,000 milligrams, or slightly more than a teaspoon, of sodium per day. This may sound like a lot, but it adds up quickly, especially if you're not aware of the hidden salt in your food. For instance, only one ounce of corn flakes contains 287 mg. of sodium. Pour on one cup of skim milk and you've added 127 mg. of sodium. A slice of whole wheat bread with a tablespoon of salted butter packs on another 261 mg. What appears to be a simple, nutritious breakfast has started your day with over 1,000 mg. of sodium, if you have more than one ounce of corn-flakes.

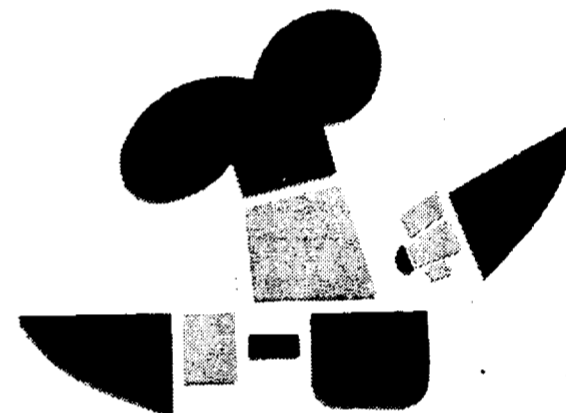
"All of this doesn't mean you can't have the foods you love. Just keep reading the labels and make good choices," says Luepke. If you're going to have a fast food lunch, make sure you plan for a low-salt meal at dinner to balance your daily intake. Be creative

with your cooking. Food prepared without added salt can always be spiced up with a salt alternative such as NoSalt, which uses potassium chloride to be dietetically sodium-free with the flavor of real salt.

Doctors recommend replacing sodium with potassium as part of controlling hypertension. You don't need to skip variety and great taste to have a lower-salt diet as part of your lifetime health plan.

To receive NoSalt's educational brochure, "Changing for Life," which includes information on the DASH diet, call toll-free at (800) 284-2023.

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Coupon Corner

There's nothing like cold, dreary weather to make you want to snuggle up with some hot, delicious fast food. You know you want those carbohydrates, your body craves them. Note the expiration dates and move fast on these coupon offers for sandwiches, chicken and pizza at participating franchises.

Sandwiches

- Arby's has a special deal on cheddar roast beef sandwiches, four for \$5.95. You can buy two sub sandwiches for \$4 and two roast beef sandwiches for \$2.50. Coupons expire March 31.

- Boston Market offers a \$2-off coupon on any \$10 purchase, plus \$1-off coupons for individual meals. Expires March 12.

- Captain D's has \$2.25 coupons for Fish & Fries and \$1-

off coupons for regular dinners or platters. Offer expires March 15.

Pizzas

- And don't forget the little folks. Chuck E. Cheese's offers a \$27.99 coupon for a family deal: one large pizza with two toppings or a super combo, four regular soft drinks and 90 game and ride tokens, estimated to be a \$14 value. Expires March 4.

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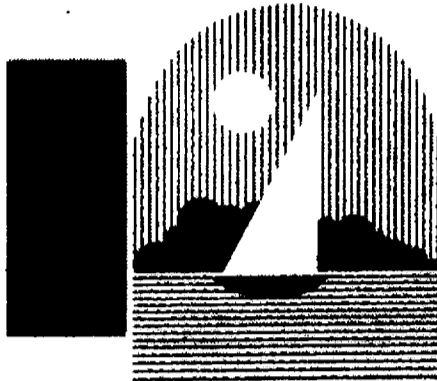
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HOME & GARDEN EXPO

Saturday, March 4, 2000 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

A few reminders of spring's imminent arrival in the Grosse Pointes: the sighting of the first robin, crocuses peeking through the ground and the annual Home & Garden Expo at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial, sponsored by the Grosse Pointe Board of Realtors (GPBR).

The Saturday, March 4th event is designed to bring together experts in home design and repair, landscaping and interior decorating, with local residents. The Expo will be from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Parking and admission are free.



The one-stop shopping experience provides the opportunity to pick the brains of home improvement experts and to cultivate

ideas for future home decorating or improvement projects. More than 60 exhibitors



are expected to be on hand, and all will be happy to share their knowledge and expertise.

"The feedback the exhibitors get is generally very good," said Mary Lou Britton, executive vice president of the GPBR. "This event is five months in the making. It is organized by our education committee, which is chaired by Krys Schroeder of UFG Mortgage and Cheryl Gauss of Johnstone & Johnstone. The Expo is co-chaired by Schroeder and Pat Chasteen of Higbie Maxon Agney."

Meet your Board of Realtors

While the current GPBR was created in 1986, the organization is nearly a half-century old. It was established as the Grosse Pointe Real Estate Exchange and has a long history

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GARDEN EXPO

9 A.M. — 4 P.M. Grosse Pointe War Memorial

of community involvement. The Home & Garden Expo 2000 is just one of many activities the Grosse Pointe Board of Realtors provides for the community. Others include:

- Planting and maintaining flowers on the island at the intersection of Mack and Warren in Grosse Pointe Farms.
- The clean-up of a home of a local senior citizen. Members of the organization trim bushes, clean gutters, paint porches, remove trash, fix windows, plant flowers, etc., for a senior or handicapped citizen who is recommended by a social



service agency.

- Providing 30 gift baskets each at Thanksgiving and Easter to Grosse Pointe area residents who need assistance. Each basket includes a holiday meal and extra staples to make life easier.

- Hosting a refreshment station at the annual MS Walk America. Last year members also raised \$2,500 in the walkathon.

- Participating in the Channel 56 pledge drive by answering phones from donors.

- Collecting blankets and donating blood to the American Red Cross.

"These are just a few of the things we do in the community that people don't know about," Pressler said.

Mark your calendar for this Saturday and plan to attend the 13th annual GPBR Home & Garden Expo and get all of your questions answered by the experts. Your home is one of your biggest investments, so get great ideas on the latest and greatest in home improvement.



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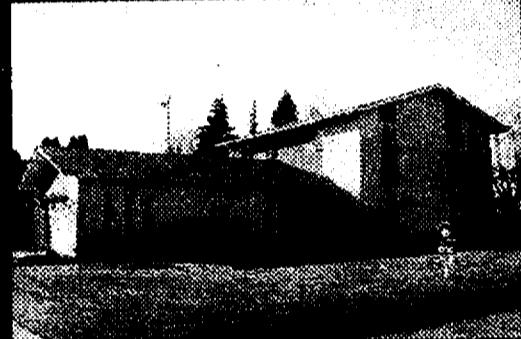
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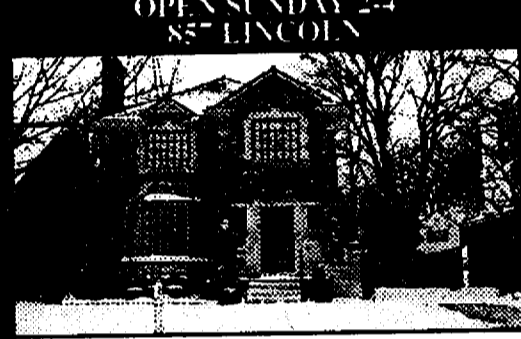
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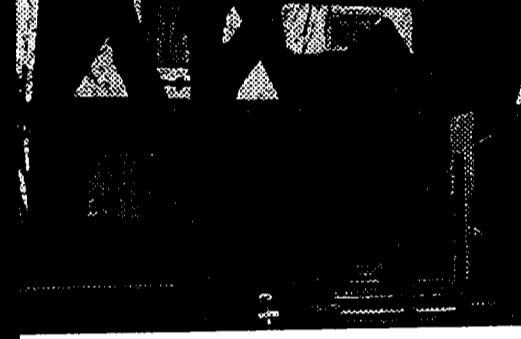
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Meticulously maintained! In pristine condition! Four bedroom two and one half bath Colonial on a cul-de-sac near Liggett Middle School. Large living room with fireplace, formal dining room, library/den. Newer updated kitchen, spacious first floor laundry room/optional playroom. Hardwood floors and newer windows. QS#31773 (313) 882-0087



\$319,900 GROSSE POINTE CITY
Fabulous French Colonial in the City. Features a lot of original detailing. New custom kitchen, breakfast nook, w/2 leaded glass china cabinets, crown moldings, hardwood floors, natural fireplace. Finished basement with gas fireplace. New furnace, air, updated electrical, new trim and gutters. 2nd floor sun room 10x11 not included in square footage. QS#11000090 (313) 882-0087



\$309,500 GROSSE POINTE FARMS
Wonderful Tudor in the Farms, close to shopping and schools. Four bedroom, newer furnace and central air 1997, newer kitchen and updated bath. Spacious living room with natural fireplace, formal dining room and den. Finished office space in basement. Copper plumbing, circuit breakers, garage redone with new roof, vinyl siding and gutters. QS#31835 (313) 882-0087



\$249,000 GROSSE POINTE FARMS
Lovely three bedroom traditional Colonial. Large family room with fireplace, attached two car garage, recreation room, gas forced air and central air conditioning. QS#11000371 (313) 882-0087



\$245,000 GROSSE POINTE WOODS
Sharp brick Colonial. Ready for you to move right into! Three bedroom, one and one half bath, fireplace in living room, first floor laundry, family room open to dining room, door wall to brick patio and deep lot, newer kitchen and bath. Recently refinished hardwood floors, finished carpeted recreation room with wet bar. QS#11000352 (313) 882-0087



\$228,000 CLINTON TOWNSHIP
This is a great "Rivergate" home. Large open design, vaulted living room ceiling, enormous kitchen/breakfast room combo with built-in hutch/china cabinet. Custom lighting, window treatments, all appliances including washer/dryer. Sharp master bedroom with walk-in closet and full bath. Very well maintained inside and out. Beautiful landscaping including a 30+ foot deck. Home warranty. QS#310350 (313) 882-0087



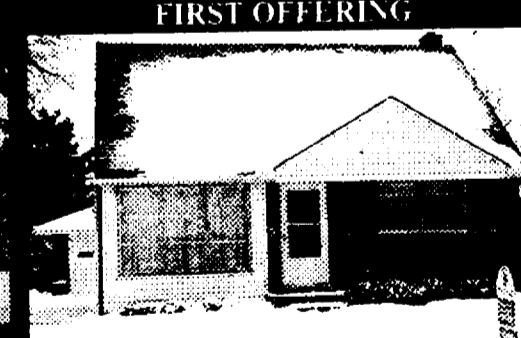
\$215,000 GROSSE POINTE WOODS
Attractive three bedroom, one and one half bath Colonial. Newer updated kitchen with breakfast bar, lavatory, roof and windows. Living room with bay window, formal dining room, large family room with bay window, hardwood floors and recreation room. QS#31864 (313) 882-0087



\$168,500 GROSSE POINTE WOODS
Wonderful one and one half story brick bungalow in the Woods. New kitchen with ceramic tile floor and back splash, double sink. New front door and marble floor in entrance, living room with natural fireplace and finished hardwood floors. Large master bedroom on second floor with half bath. Large family room with gas fireplace, and new patio. Full bath in basement. QS#11000056 (313) 882-0087



\$135,000 HARPER WOODS
Great three bedroom brick ranch in Harper Woods, with Grosse Pointe schools. Beautiful hardwood floors throughout. Eating space in kitchen. Large low maintenance yard. This home has great potential. QS#31563 (313) 882-0087



\$132,000 HARPER WOODS
Extra sharp bungalow w/Grosse Pointe Schools. Totally redone kitchen, numerous updates throughout; new central air, electric service, concrete driveway and glass block windows in 1995. Inground gas grill and professional landscaping '97, new steel doors on side of house and on garage plus new storm doors on front and side doors in '98', bath updated in '95'. Great family room w/fireplace in basement that was waterproofed w/10 yr transferable warranty. QS#11000345 (313) 882-0087



\$112,000 EASTPOINTE
Move right into this totally renovated home. Beautifully updated kitchen w/new cabinets, flooring and counter tops. New bathroom sinks and toilets, carpeting, foyer floor, windows, tear off roof, copper plumbing, front walk, alarm system, painted. Most floors are hardwood, basement is open. Home warranty included. This is a great buy! QS#11000296 (313) 882-0087

CONDO



\$450,000 HARRISON TWP.

Wonderful community centered around boating and water sports. Beautiful three bedroom three full bath townhouse condo with stairs leading from large balcony to forty foot boat well in a large harbor which includes electric, cable and phone. Water is the focal point and you can enjoy views from most of the rooms. Professionally decorated with designer kitchen and spectacular master suite. Two separate dressing areas. Two car attached garage. QS#11000182 (313) 882-0087



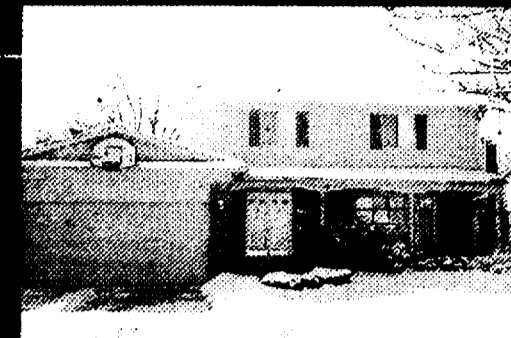
\$449,900 GROSSE POINTE PARK

Charming English tudor move-in-condition. Beautiful hardwood floors, living room with limestone fireplace, updated kitchen with large eating area. Gas forced furnace and central air conditioning, new driveway and garage floor, new roof on garage. Master bedroom with sitting room, could be office or nursery. Finished basement with recreation room and wet bar and fireplace. Screened porch overlooking beautifully landscaped backyard. QS#11000215 (313) 882-0087



\$439,900 GROSSE POINTE FARMS

Come inside and see this professionally decorated home in the Farms. Crown moldings throughout, patterned hardwood floors. Updated kitchen and lots of storage, tear off roof in '98, new furnace in '94, multiple closets in bedrooms. Large paver patio in professionally landscaped yard. QS#11000258 (313) 882-0087



\$410,000 GROSSE POINTE WOODS

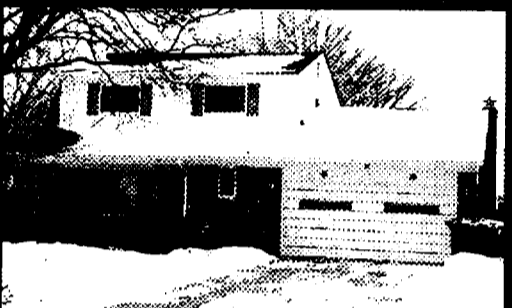
Ready for you to move right into! Four bedroom two and one half bath Colonial. First floor laundry room, hard wood floors. Numerous updates. Mutschler kitchen w/cherry cabinets, carpeted recreation room, garage door w/opener, landscaping, sprinkler system, brick paver in backyard, potting shed and large deck. QS#11000255 (313) 882-0087

CONDO



\$280,000 ROCHESTER

Spacious ranch style condo! House Beautiful. Shows like a model. Premium lot. Kitchen and foyer have hardwood floors, great room with fireplace, extensive wood moldings, security system and much more. QS#10000375 (313) 882-0087



FIRST OFFERING

\$265,500 GROSSE POINTE WOODS

Updated, very well maintained colonial in the Woods. Formal living room and dining room w/custom window treatments and carpets. Newer kitchen with eating bar and all appliances. Paneled family room w/natural fireplace and newer carpet. Improvement since 1996: roof, windows, door wall, furnaces, water heater, sprinkler system, glass block windows, deck painted and aluminum trim. Basement is finished w/newer carpet, wet bar and lav. Attached garage with openers. QS#10000375 (313) 882-0087



NEW PRICE

\$259,000 GROSSE POINTE

Lovely Colonial in the City. Recent updates include bath w/skylight, central air and driveway. Newer two and one half garage, brick patio and finished basement. Natural fireplace with gas logs in the large family room. Excellent location. Move in condition. QS#31652 (313) 882-0087



\$259,900 GROSSE POINTE WOODS

No need to look any further, after this one! It's perfect! Meticulous condition and designer decorating. New kitchen, windows, and insulating. Call your lender, you will want to be ready to write an offer. QS#31742 (313) 882-0087



\$219,900 FRASER

Large open Colonial with great floor plan and many amenities. Newer custom kitchen includes appliances, and is attached to family room w/fireplace. Nicely decorated with newer carpet, hardwood floors underneath. Updated baths, newer windows, custom built-ins in 5th bedroom/office, and more! QS#11000308 (313) 882-0087



\$179,000 GROSSE POINTE WOODS

Pride of ownership! Attractive three bedroom Colonial. Library/den, neutral décor, hardwood floors, newer kitchen and bath and recreation room. Two car garage. QS #31707 (313) 882-0087



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\$176,900 GROSSE POINTE PARK

Fantastic move in condition home. This home features a new kitchen, central air, vinyl siding ('97), and tear off roof in '91. Hardwood floors, a lot of possibilities on the second floor, semi finished basement a must see. Natural fireplace, newer furnace, updated electrical, new storms and screens. QS #11000127 (313) 882-0087



\$174,400 GROSSE POINTE WOODS

A MILLENNIUM HOME. "2000" Anita! Sharp three bedroom bungalow with updated kitchen, hardwood floors, tear off roof '97, furnace and central air '97, natural fireplace, newer landscaping and vinyl trim. Stove, refrigerator, dishwasher and window treatments included. QS#31723 (313) 882-0087



\$99,000 HARPER WOODS

Sharp three bedroom brick bungalow with bay window in dining area/kitchen. Many updates include: bath, windows, furnace, central air. Updated electrical. One and one half car garage with two garage doors (front and rear) ideal for extra car or boat. Freshly painted. QS#11000136 (313) 882-0087



\$98,000 DETROIT

Attractive well maintained brick two family investment property near Mack. Two car garage. QS#11000221 (313) 882-0087



\$65,000 DETROIT

Great investment opportunity. Three bedroom bungalow. One bath plus stall shower in basement. Large second floor bedroom with sitting area has knotty pine paneling and built in dressers and shelving. Two car detached garage. QS#11000055 (313) 882-0087



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Do you know what you need for equity loans?

It's easy to see why home equity loans and lines of credit have become so popular.

Borrowers like the fact that interest rates on these loans are generally lower than the going rates on credit cards, car loans, and other financing options. They also welcome the tax deduction that comes with a home equity loan, should they itemize their return.

Banks like home equity loans and lines of credit because the loans are secured by the borrower's home — and not just by his or her good intentions to repay.

The caveat, reports the Michigan Association of CPAs, is that using your house as collateral for a loan puts your home at risk if you should default.

That's why CPAs and other financial experts recommend that you carefully assess your borrowing needs and your ability to repay before you jump on the home equity bandwagon.

Home equity borrowing basics

Basically, there are two ways to tap the equity in your home. The right choice for you depends on your needs.

If you're looking for a fixed, lump-sum amount, perhaps for a major home improvement project, you're better off with a home equity loan.

Hidden assets pay off in the kitchen

Homeowners who want a dishwasher with state-of-the-art engineering and the absolute top-of-the-line in design have something new to consider: the Integra design by Bosch. This new dishwasher style offers the superior styling of a fully integrated appliance hidden from view, yet no customization, new cabinet front or renovation is required.

The Integra design is an easy solution for those who have always loved the thought of a concealed dishwasher with its electronic controls "sight unseen" when the door is closed. Such a wish-list element was usually postponed until a full-scale renovation was undertaken, the dishwasher replaced and a matching cabinet front custom-made. Bosch's new Integra design makes this hidden dishwasher styling available with flat, uninterrupted face panels in all-black, white or beautiful stainless steel. The sleek exterior features a curvaceous, matching full-width handle.

Each unit offers four program options and a high-grade stainless steel interior.

Approximate retail prices are \$729 for white and black, and \$929 for stainless steel.

Bosch's full line of dishwashers

With a home equity loan, the term, and usually the interest rate and monthly payment, remain the same over the life of the loan.

If you want the convenience of drawing against your credit line as the need arises, a home equity line of credit is more likely to meet your objectives.

Instead of borrowing a fixed amount of money, you qualify for a certain amount of credit. You then can borrow up to your credit limit whenever you want.

You access the money as you need it, usually by writing checks assigned to the account or by using a credit card issued by the lender.

Whichever your preference, you need to shop carefully for the best deal. By asking the following questions of the lenders you are considering, you will be better prepared to make a knowledgeable decision.

What interest rate am I paying?

Interest rates vary among lenders, so check with several and compare the annual percentage rate (APR).

Be aware that the APR is based on the interest rate alone. For a true comparison of credit costs, compare other charges, such as points, fees and closing costs.

If the lender is offering an intro-

ductory "teaser" rate, be sure to find out what rate you will be paying at the end of the introductory period.

What is the index based on and how often can it change?

The interest rate on a variable-rate loan must be based on a publicly available index. Most lenders use the prime interest rate.

In today's market, you should look for a lender who offers the prime interest rate for the life of your loan. In any case, you shouldn't have to pay more than two points above prime. It's also important to know how often the lender adjusts the rate.

How high are rates?

Under current law, all variable-rate plans must have a cap on how high your interest rate can climb over the life of the plan.

Most variable-rate lines of credit also have a cap that limits how much and how often the interest rate can change during the course of a year. That cap typically prevents your rate from rising more than two percentage points in a single year.

What are the closing costs?

Closing costs, which may include (but are not limited to) a title search, appraisal, attorney fees, recording charges and notary fees, also vary from lender to lender.

With financial institutions competing fiercely for the home equity market, you should be able to find a lender willing to waive some or

all of the closing costs.

But shop carefully — some lenders who advertise that there are no closing costs, do, however, impose hefty application fees or annual charges.

Some lenders impose a fee for each time you access the account, and others charge you if you don't use the account.

Do I have to use my credit line right away?

Some credit lines require that you borrow a minimum amount upon opening your credit line.

This is particularly true in the case of advertised offers. This won't be a concern if you are consolidating debts or otherwise plan to draw against your line right away.

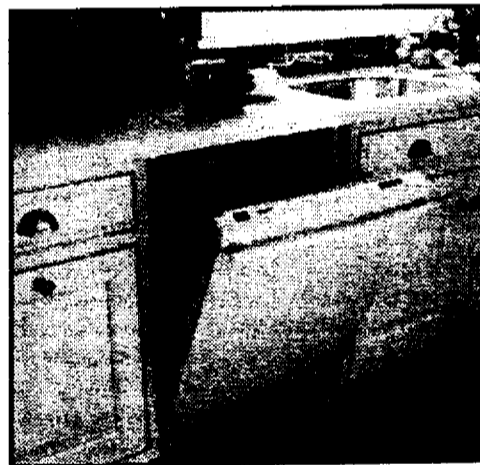
But if you're opening a credit line for future or emergency needs, you'll want to look for a credit line that doesn't require a minimum draw at closing.

What are my repayment terms?

Usually, you repay the loan in regular installments. Paying more than the minimum monthly payment will pay off the loan faster and reduce your costs.

Unless it is absolutely necessary, avoid interest-only repayment options in which you pay only interest during the term of the loan and the balance is due at the end of the term. This option can be much more costly.

Keep in mind that interest on home equity borrowing of up to \$100,000 is generally deductible. Consult with a CPA on how to make the most of this deduction.



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is highly regarded for being the quietest American dishwasher made. A little light reflected against the underside of the countertop is the signal the dishwasher cycle is complete. Otherwise, it would be hard to tell because the unit is exceptionally quiet.

The company now offers the most extensive range of style options available: built-in, semi-integrated, fully integrated (ready to accept a matching cabinet front) and the new Integra design, all awarded the Energy Star designation for energy efficiency.

For additional information or to locate a dealer, call (800) 866-2022.

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House rules when it comes to combating stains

Stains: no one likes to think about them. But buy a big-ticket item like a sofa and visions of large, dark, irremovable spots hit hard when the sofa gets delivered. Suddenly, new house rules are written: The dog is no longer allowed on the couch and the kids can't eat while watching TV.

It was probably such sobering moments that fueled the plastic slip covering business in the 1950s. Fortunately, technological advances such as Scotchgard protection not only helped to make such extreme measures a thing of the past, but also allow us to "break the rules" and enjoy our furniture.

After all, home is a refuge from our overly scheduled lives, where we can take pleasure in habits such as sinking into the sofa eating a pint of ice cream right from the carton. A recent New York Times article referred to the growing philosophy that eating is to be done while doing something else — reading, working or driving. Eating while comfortably settled onto the sofa and watching TV ranks right up there.

When it comes to shopping, fabric is selected for its eye-catching appeal and touch. Most people have no intention of tiptoeing around it. Then again, people don't exactly expect to trip over a shoe and splash cranberry juice all over their fabrics, like Terrell Allen, vice president of design for Pearson, an upscale furniture

company, did in his redecorated bedroom.

Once skeptical of Scotchgard's protection value, Allen became a convert in the five seconds it took him to return from the bathroom with a cloth to blot the red, sticky juice from his new, white upholstered headboard. "The liquid formed beads that literally leapt off the fabric," recalls Allen. "I was lucky that the juice didn't hit the draperies that weren't treated." Allen turned the "best dollar I ever spent" into a corporate mandate. All fabrics used on Pearson upholstery must have Scotchgard protection applied at the fabric mill.

Considering that Scotchgard protection can be used on almost everything from apparel-weight silks to chenille tapestries, as well as carpet, shoes and clothing, it is easy to understand why there are more than 75 formulations. Each is carefully designed for particular fibers, fabrics and application methods to ensure the best possible protection.

Many major retailers specify that all the upholstered furniture they sell be made with fabric treated at the time of manufacture. Flexsteel shares the Pearson mandate for protected furniture. Covington Fabrics, Waverly, Richloom, Swavelle MillCreek, Robert Allen and Kravet also feature Scotchgard protection on a great portion of their line. These fabrics can be found at stores



including Calico Corners, The Fabric Place, Jo-Ann Stores and

Hancock Fabrics, as well as local upholstery shops and through interior designers.

Enjoy your furniture, even with a plateful of food, without the worry that your beautiful fabrics are unprotected. Check the manufacturer's label, and if it hasn't been done for you, take the time to protect your investment and then relax the rules.

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Good Housekeeping

Today's carpets are tattooed with labels about durability, stain protection and warranties, but the information varies so much from brand to brand that it can be more confusing than useful. To help you pick the type of carpet you need, Kathleen Huddy, the Good Housekeeping Institute's textiles director, translates:

You'll want to look for the performance-rating information first. It tells you which carpeting is appropriate for a given area in your home. You'll typically see a rating of one to five (five being the most durable), based on the results of a wear test. So, if you're covering a family room that gets heavy use, pick a carpet rated four or five.

In addition to the number (or in place of it), you may read that the carpet is designed for light, moderate, active or heavy traffic. To compare brands with different rating systems, convert the descriptions to another set of

numbers: Light is one to two, moderate is three, active is four, and heavy use is five. Sears has its own rating system from one to 10, based on additional testing.

Be sure the mill issues a warranty label guaranteeing against stains, soil, matting and crushing (five to 10 years' coverage is good), as well as wear (carpet shouldn't wear more than 10 percent over 20 to 25 years).

To find out what type of stain protection is offered, look for a separate label from brands like Scotchgard (3M) or StainMaster (DuPont), and ask the carpet salesperson for the appropriate brochure listing what types of stains are covered.

Bear in mind, too, that most warranties back only "normal" wear — if your carpet is damaged by flooding or gets stained with motor oil, you could be out of luck.

Removing carpet stains

The key to successfully remov-

ing stains on your carpet is in the technique. Follow the five steps below. For recommended cleaning solutions and advice on getting out other stains, try the StainBuster tool at the Good Housekeeping Web site at www.goodhousekeeping.com.

1. Promptly blot liquid spills, scrape solid spills and vacuum dry spills.
2. Apply the recommended cleaning solution to a cloth. Then apply it to the carpet or, if necessary, apply sparingly, directly to the carpet. Work from the outside of the stain in.
3. Spritz the area lightly with water to rinse.
4. Blot again with a clean cloth. Cover the stain with paper towels and weigh them down with a heavy object. Leave overnight to absorb any remaining stain.
5. Repeat if necessary.

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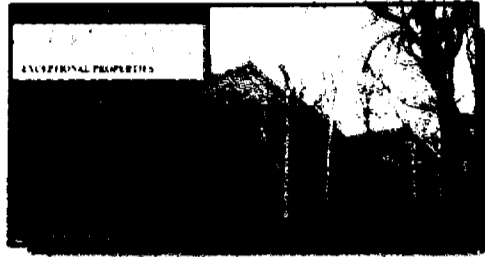


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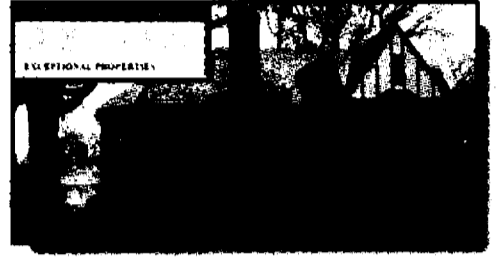
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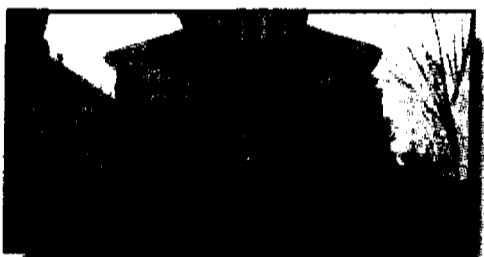
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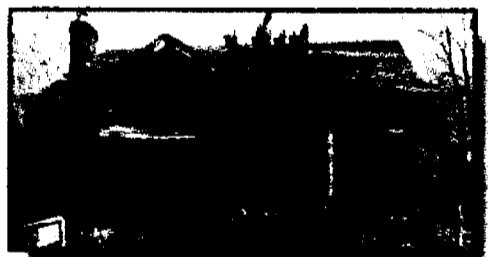
GROSSE POINTE WOODS \$349,900
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Woodmont, Harper Woods
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