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■ One of two men involved in the statutory rapes of two 15-year-girls at an open house party in the City of Grosse Pointe last December will likely face jail time. Page 4AThe investigation of the shooting on I-94 in Harper Woods, which killed a man and wounded an officer, is ongoing. For the story, turn to page 11A.

■ The Grosse Pointe Public School System is asking voters to approve a \$62 million bond on Sept. 24, which will provide \$24 million in upgrades for buildings in the district. 10A

■ A new flock of freshmen swarm into local high schools with help from orientation programs. 10A

■ Grosse Pointe South's girls tennis team isn't showing any ill effects after the loss of six seniors from last year's squad. The Blue Devils opened the new season by winning their own invitational and followed that with a tie for first place in the Troy Invitational. Page 1C.

## WILL AHLAD

Thursday, Aug. 29

The football teams at Grosse Pointe North and Grosse Pointe South will open their seasons at home against Detroit Public School League oppo-

North will host Finney, while South will play Southeastern. The opening kickoff for both games is 7 p.m. University Liggett School starts its Metro Conference rival Rochester Hills Lutheran Northwest. Kickoff is slated

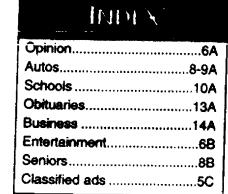
Saturday, Aug. 31

for 4 p.m.

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Tuesday, Sept. 3

The Grosse Pointe Board of Education will meet at the Wicking Library at Grosse Pointe South High School at 8 p.m.





Back to school

By Brad Lindberg Staff Writer

Kathy O'Sullivan has enter

the annals of tree lore, and it's

After a hot summer break, a student walks to Maire Elementary School on the first day back on Tuesday.

Photo by Jennie Miller

# North to lose Caryn Wells as principal

By Jennie Miller Staff Writer

High School.

Last week, Wells Wells has not yet che announced her resignation after accepting a position as rest position at the company of a school quality consultant says whe will in the Oakland through the me Intermediate District.

She has been principal at During her time. North for the past 10 years. pal of North, Wells haven here," she said. "It has been programs aimed at at a great place to lead, serve and grow. I have tremendous respect for the teaching and learning that goes on at this school."

The latest programs almed at the learning and growth contribution to the learning and growth contributions to the learning a

helping aspiring leaders and success for all." high school reform. Such co

The duties are especially include the Diversity Teams interesting to Wells, whose and a new girl's mentoring dissertation was on restruc- program, where upperch turing teaching and learn- girls work with freshmen three years, has been teaching a graduate course at with the Lighthouse Michigan State University Program and the Student

ing, and who, for the past and sophomores. for teachers who desire to Center to offer academic Ash trees to go way of elms

suburbs to be diagnosed a victim of tree being cut down. She was too the fatal emerald ash borer epifecused to notice that sawdust

home from afternoon sun, dents. that was a key element in her landscape of large orna- athletics and visual and permental pear tree, modest forming arts," she said. "I Magnolia and small can't imagine not being a Japanese maple — and the member of the audience." shade tree like many in her Klein and Larry Lobert, soon be nothing but a stump. Wells' replacement.

"My house is going to look "We are considering a loc

barren without it," she said. of different options," Klein The noisy chainsaw dis- said. secting O'Sullivan's tree According to Lobert, the

"I have been interested in

Dr. Caryn Wells has decided to end her tenure as principal of Grosse Pointe North the job, I felt it was a perfect.

"I've loved every moment ated and overseen many

Wells' new position Superintendent Dr. Suzanti involves two main projects: Klein. "She is committed to contribution

Wells has also worked support for alternative

During the next month, Wells is committed to make ing a smooth transition for North's leadership.

demic. from a chainsaw slicing through "I want to make sure the 20-foot specimen had speckled there is a leader in place for she said.

O'Sulliven stood near a groups," "I want to make sure there is a leader in place for

making her Irish blood boil.

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Aug. 22 sounded the anticigoal is to build a solid tranpated fate of thousands of sition with an interim principal and then begin looking See ASH BORER, page 3A for a long-term replacement:

# POINTER OF INTERES

## Amy Liang

Home: City of Grosse

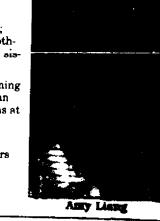
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Family: Father, Jack; mother, Debbie, brother, Michael, 17, and sister Anna, 11.

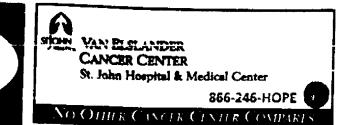
Claim to fame: Incoming high school freshman won multiple ribbons at the Michigan State

Quote: "Are the seniors really mean?"

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Brian Colter cuts down the first son tree in the Grosse Pointee dig-

noted with fatal emerald ash borer, inset. Colter, forester of Grosse

Tiny "D"-shaped exit holes, inset, mark where emerald ash borers

Pointe Park, said the epidemic could cost his city \$500,000.

have exited through the bark of their host tree.

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## yesterday's headlines

50 years ago this week

USO variety shows are being scheduled to entertain soldiers stationed at an antiaircraft battery at the foot of Three Mile Drive in Grosse Pointe Park. Army officers hope the shows will entertain the troops when they can't get out of camp to the regular USO hall at 147 W. Lafayette in downtown Detroit.

■ When the Grosse Pointe public schools open next week, enrollment will have increased by approximately 10 years ago this week 400 more students than last year.

■ Fourteen cases of polio have been reported in the Pointe-Harper Grosse Woods area so far this year. The figure equals the number of cases reported all of last year.

## 25 years ago this week

■ Members of the Grosse Pointe Woods city council have defeated a proposal by city administrators to double parking rates. Local merchants opposed the idea.

■ Grosse Pointe Farms police said a Detroit man must have been driving excessively "extremely when he crossed the outer curb on eastbound Lake Shore near Newberry Place, overturned and slid approxi-

hit large stones along the wise pleasant neighbor-breakwall and plunged 40 hood." feet into Lake St. Clair.

Rescuers pulled the man from his car, but he died the next day in a hospital down-

■ A ribbon-cutting ceremony early next month will mark the grand opening of the new Grosse Pointe Center for Arts and Crafts at the Grosse Pointe War Pointe Woods won the Memorial.

■ In the cool, dark dampness 30 feet below\_Cook Road in Grosse Pointe Woods, workers are using a red laser beam to guide their way while tunneling from Chalfonte to the west side of

The 66-inch-diameter tunnel will contain a 54-inch diameter sewer pipe that will take raw sewage from Grosse Pointe Woods and Harper Woods to Detroit for treatment. The route will bypass the Milk River Pumping Station in Grosse Pointe Woods.

■ Two dozen residents of Ballantyne and South and North Deeplands roads in Grosse Pointe Shores have sent village officials a letter complaining of free-wheeling felines that have "adversely affected the qual-

mately 75 feet on the roof, ity of our lives in an other-

The cats are doing all sorts of mean, nasty, ugly things, including annoying dogs confined properly to their yards.

Shores officials proposing a new ordinance to make residents keep their cats under control.

Robin Posada of Grosse women's age 35-to-39 division in the ninth annual Metro Beach Triathlon.

John Beddow, 60, of Grosse Pointe Farms, was third in the men's 55-andover division.

## 5 years ago this week

■ School administrators and local police are warning students at Grosse Pointe North High School to abandon their traditional way of opening the school year.

"We have adopted a zerotolerance policy," said North principal Caryn Wells. "If you're caught (on school grounds between 11 p.m. and 6 a.m.) you're in trouble. No second chances."

The policy stems from student marking the start of school by decorating school grounds with lawn ornaments and other items siolen from throughout the community.

## 50 years ago this week



## Fish Rodeo winners

Winners of the second annual Fish Rodeo are, back row from left, Norman West, John Angell and Bob Malkin. In front are Pharaelde DeRaedt, Sarah Lee Strother and Melissa Collins. The biggest catch of the day went to Malkin, who hooked a 1-pound, 9-ounce sheepshead, 13 3/4 inches long. (From the Ang. 28, 1952 Grosse Pointe News. Photo by Fred Runnells.)

those who oppose Detroit for an environmental impact trophy for the 12-to-14-year-City Airport expansion, study of runway expansion. members of the City Airport Study Committee have announced that Detroit offi- Pointe Farms received the

■ Beth Mumaw of Grosse

■ Calling it a victory for cials have canceled moves Most Valuable Midfielder old age group at the Michigan State University summer soccer camp.

— Brad Lindberg

## PET POINTER **OF INTEREST**

## Kahndahar

Hometown: Harper Woods. Place birth: Pontiac, Mich.

Breed: Black white and Cocker Spaniel. Family: The Watson's: Mom,

Dad, Sam and

Best friend: Missy Star aka  $\mathbf{W}$   $\mathbf{h}$   $\mathbf{i}$   $\mathbf{t}$   $\mathbf{e}$ Lightning.

Derek.

Future plans: Sleeping on Sam's bed, barking at mailman, running the fence with Simba.

Favorite toys: His empty milk jug, stuffed animal cow and

monkey, his kong and barky ball — ball that you put

Kahndahar

Favorite words: Car ride, walkie, snack and food. Favorite activity: Car rides, belly rubs, getting fed snacks from people.

If you would like to submit your "Pet Pointer of Interest," deliver or mail a typed outline and photograph to the Grosse Pointe News, 96 Kercheval, Grosse Pointe Farms, MI 48236; or e-mail to postmaster@grossepointenews.com (photos must be high resolution).

## By Bonnie Caprara

Staff Writer

Students at Grosse Pointe South High School may have a tougher time finding a place to park this school

The City of Grosse Pointe took a number of measures at its Monday, Aug. 19, meeting that will limit parking around the school.

The city council unanimously gave the department of public safety approval to issue permit parking to residents and guests only slong Lincoln between Jefferson and Kercheval, pending approval of 75 percent of the residents.

Currently, two-hour parking allowed on Lincoln between Jefferson and Kercheval Monday through Friday between 8 a.m. and 6

However, parking restrictions haven't deterred South students, whose cars line the narrow street a block away from the high school.

"Not only have we had problems with litter and traffic congestion, but residents complain because they can't get their leaves or garbage picked up," said Department of Public Safety Director Al Fincham. "Last year, we had two accidents because the line of sight had

been blocked by cars."

The Department of Public Safety is currently polling Lincoln residents. So far, Fincham said the response to the plan by residents has been positive.

"We would love it," said Lincoln resident Lori Schumann. "We get students who park here all day long. It's very congested. Especially after school."

The city council also voted unanimously to extend metered parking time from 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. along Fisher.

Currently, the 59 lot and street metered parking spots on Fisher are enforced between 9 a.m. and 9 p.m.

The earlier enforcement was put into place in the hope that students wouldn't snag parking spots before customers come to shop in the blocklong commercial district and to make it more difficult for students to "feed" the two-hour meters during school hours.

However, one Fisher merchant was doubtful of the City's attempt to discourage students from parking at metered spots.

"I don't think the cost of a ticket is an issue," said Fisher merchant Glen Dening, owner of How Inviting. "It's the cost of going to school.

## City curbs student parking near South 2001. Expired meter tickets Michele Yankee said there are \$5. Overtime parking was little she or the school tickets are \$25.

Dening suggested the Fisher merchant's association lease the city-owned lots along Fisher, which would allow the City to ticket and tow violators.

One Fisher merchant has already taken that step.

Farms Fresh Market owner Larry Najjar has leased eight parking spots for his customers in the municipal lot next to his business. The meters will give way to the leased spots on Sunday, Sept. 1.

"I feel like I'm paying extortion," Najjar said. "I couldn't come up with any other solutions.'

Najjar has visited the City council and the Grosse Pointe Board of Education several times to address the problem. While he applauds the City and its efforts, he said he has been "frustrated with the lack of response from the school and the

"They don't support the guard who's out there to side of Grosse Pointe support school policy," Najjar said, of a parking allow for 17 parking spaces. guard hired by the school to discourage students from parking along Fisher.

South assistant principal mittee.

could do, citing the City's latest actions "municipal decisions.'

"About 25 percent of our school population would love to be able to drive to school, Yankee said. "I get students in my office in tears over getting tickets. All they want to do is come to school. For a lot of families, this is really essential for them. Some students have other siblings to take to school, have jobs and other family responsibilities.

South has 125 parking spaces it reserves for seniors by permit-only in its "S" lot. Permits, available at a first come, first serve basis, are \$40 and were sold out by Aug. 5. About 130 parking spots are available on the north side of Grosse Pointe Boulevard and in the parking lot and on the street on the east side of Fisher along the football field.

South has asked the Grosse Pointe Farms City Council to lift the "no park ing" provision on the south Boulevard, which would The request is currently being reviewed by the council's parking and traffic com-

#### Fincham said Shores sets lot-split Department of Public Safety WHEN IT'S AUTO RELATED.. issued about 1,000 tickets minimum standards along Fisher and Lincoln in **WE DO IT ALL!** 18701 Mack Avenue MACK By Bonnie Caprara The Shores council unani Grosse Pointe News

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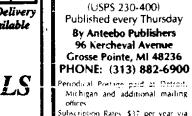
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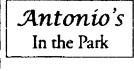
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mously approved an amended lot split ordinance intended to protect the village's vision outlined in its 1991 master plan.

lake shall not have a width less than 200 feet and shall not exceed a 4-to-1depth-towidth ratio. Lots elsewhere in the

Residential lots along the

Shores shall not exceed a 3tc-1 depth-to-width ratio. Other ordinance changes

include guidelines for residents to convey part of their lots to adjacent neighbors and language changes to reflect state standards for subdivisions.

The ordinance amendment was drafted by village counsel Ralph Houghton and the Shores' planning commission, which requested a 60 day lot split moratorium to study the issue

The amended ordinance takes effect and the moratorium expires on Thursday, Aug. 29.

# ABC News correspondent shares 9/11 experience

By Bonnie Caprara Staff Writer

It was the most innocent of days. A brilliant blue sky and yellow golden sunlight provided the perfect backdrop for President George W. Bush's visit to a secondgrade classroom Sarasota, Fla.

That was, until White House Chief of Staff Andrew Card entered the classroom and interrupted the president.

Card's action seemed odd to ABC News Washington correspondent Ann Compton, who was on assignment covering the president on his education trip through Florida.

"No one interrupts the president, even when it's in front of a classroom of second-graders," Compton said.

Compton scribbled quickly in her reporter's notebook: "9:07 a.m.: Andy whis-pers to POTUS (President of the United States)."

Then there was "that look."

"It was blood-chilling," Compton said. "There was something in that granite face of his that wasn't fear and it wasn't anger."

Compton shared that moment and other moments of the day that changed the shape of the United States - Sept. 11, 2001 — through the eyes of the President of the United States with about 100 people at the War Pointe Grosse Memorial on Wednesday, Aug. 21.

Compton spoke in part of a two-part lecture series, "Coping in an Uncertain World," an outreach program of the Wayne County Community College District.

The events of that day, according to Compton, who was one of two journalists allowed to remain with the president most of that day on Air Force One.

Compton, who has covered six presidents for ABC News, literally got what she referred to as, "a front seat view of history."

Eighteen minutes after his furtive message from Card, Bush met with students, teachers, parents and press corps in the school gym and announced there had been an apparent terrorist attack and that he would be heading back to Washington.

"We didn't know much," Compton said, but she headed onto Air Force One along with the rest of the press entourage that typically fullowed the president.

Once-routine security measures became stringent. Instead of allowing open carrying of briefcases, cameras and laptops onto the plane, a bomb squad and bomb-sniffing dogs inspected the journalists' gear.

In the air, the press corps and the Secret Service agents watched a scratchy, ghostly video-only coverage from a weak television signal of the World Trade Center towers burning and tumbling, people running frantically and aimlessly in the streets and screen streamers that read: "Pentagon hit" and "Plane missing in Pennsylvania."

"We were puzzled by all this," Compton said. "We knew very little."

Then a Secret Service agent informed Compton that the president's airplane was cruising at 44,000 feet.

were indeed uncertain 5," he told Compton. "We're with his aides and was back not going Washington.

> An Air Force One steward also informed Compton that the plane had one meal on board and enough fuel to get back to Washington.

"This is an aircraft that can feed 80 passengers three meals a day for weeks if it had to stay aloft," Compton said. "That showed just how normal and unworried this White House was on that day."

The plane soon landed at Barksdale Air Force Base in Louisiana. The press corps was not allowed to use cell phones, pagers or two-way radios during the layover, in fear they could be traced. They were also told not to divulge the president's whereabouts.

As the plane refueled, the president made a twominute statement to the press, which included the famous line, "Freedom is under attack."

"His eyes were rimmed in red, not from crying, but a red of stress and strain and concern," Compton said. "He took no questions and left the room.

Shortly afterward, the president reboarded Air Force One and Compton and one other reporter were allowed to follow the president to parts unknown. Only a digital clock showing the time of the plane's destination indicated the plane would be flying someplace west of Louisiana.

Air Force One's mystery trip landed the president and his few chosen and essential passengers at the Strategic Air Command headquarters in Omaha, and I cried."

"We're flying at DEFCON Neb. He met for an hour to absolutely insistent that it was important that the country and the world see the president of the United States back in the White House when he addressed the American people.

Bush came back on the plane to inform the reporters on the itinerary and made the off-the-record statement: "We're not going to let those thugs attack the United States of America."

"He said no more than that and went back to his cabin," Compton said. "He was very careful about the words he chose to use and the image he chose to show."

Just as earlier that morning in Sarasota, the weather in Washington was that of a perfect and warm late summer evening, complete with a gilded pre-dusk sky - a surreal backdrop to the smoldering Pentagon and the events of that day.

"We knew so little," Compton said. "We had been in the air. We knew very little about what happened on those aircraft and the extent of the damage."

It wasn't until Compton sat at her cubicle in the White House, opened up her laptop and read her first email - from her son, a senior at Vanderbilt University - that she realized how extensive the disaster was.

"Mom, My fraternity brother, Ted Adderly, was on the 93rd floor of the first tower."

"And it hit me," Compton said. "Suddenly a day of twisted steel, smoke, glass and destruction had a human face. And I sat down

ABC News Washington correspondent Ann Compton spoke to about 100 people at the Grosse Pointe. War Memorial recently about her experience follow-... ing the president of the United States on 9/11.

Compton said, "Each of moments I have covered in deep peril.

"For President (Gerald) Ford, some of them were very personal. There was a day he came late to an economic conference and announced that Betty Ford was diagnosed with breast cancer.

"There were deeply personal moments for President (Bill) Clinton, who not only had to face the American people, but his own family about his own behavior.

(Then there was President) Jimmy Carter, who not only presided when Americans were held hostage for over a year in Iran, but faced the terrible moment in which the Oval Office learned at midnight that the rescue operation to snatch the hostages back had gone terribly wrong and that some of those rescuers lay dead in the desert.

"President (Ronald) Reagan was informed of the terrible truck bombing, the one that took out the CIA station in Beirut and wiped out 261 Marine lives and the moment the space shuttle Challenger exploded in front

of all of our eyes. "Most of the dramatic uncertain times."

them had faced moments of six presidents, have been in their stewardship of a mighty, but not invulnerable, nation."

Almost a year after 9/11, Compton commented on the president's strategies to date, which are very unlike his father's.

"It's striking to me the lengths at which his father did not move forward without assembling an amazingarray of international support whereas his son is. being criticized for insisting that the United States must proceed without the need for. that kind of coalition."

And as the first anniversary of 9/11 approaches,: Compton said: "Everyone of us since that day has felt a personal toll on the feelingof vulnerability; the feelingthe people of the United. States were never supposed to feel - so exposed and vul-, nerable. All of us take from, tragedies like this — a time to live with the pain and a time to look for hope. Our nation is going to mark this Sept. 11 date in tears, but I hope, too, with a kind ofuplifting spirit. We all need. a kind of steadiness in these

## Ash borer•

From page 1A

ashes in the Pointes.

"You'll go down any block and, left and right, there will be holes where ash trees used to be," said Brian Colter, Park city forester. There are 2,400 ash trees in the Park alone, according to a projection based on Colter's inventory of cityowned trees.

He said it will cost nearly \$500,000 to cut down 1,200 ash trees on city property.

"It will be another \$300 to plant each replacement tree," he said.

On a larger scale, unless forces marshaling throughout the state can defeat the borer — feared as an exotic and seemingly invincible invader from Southeast Asia with no known natural predator outside its native habitat — an estimated 35 million ash trees throughout southeast Michigan are expected to succumb within 10 years.

## Sneak attack

"We're going to lose the battle," said Carl Dollhopf, a horticulturalist who spent 37 years with the Michigan Department of Agriculture. "We will not have any ash trees."

Experts think the borer snuck into Michigan four years ago from the Orient burrowed in wooden crates containing automotive parts.

Dollhopf's consultant work in western Wayne County lead directly to the borer's identification six weeks ago.

The tiny bug with a glossy emerald body is so new to North America, and found only in south ast Michigan, that scientises with the United States Department Agriculture and Smithsonian Institution didn't know what it was.

A handful of samples Dollhopf collected had to be shipped as far away as China before someone knew what they were looking at.

The borer is expected to hit the state hard.

"This thing's getting ready to go up like a big 'ole mushroom cloud," said Deb McCullough, a forest entomologist at Michigan State University. "This is a big deal. They kill trees healthy trees, big trees, small trees, urban trees and trees in forests, parks and wood lots. As a forester, it makes me sick. I wish there was something happy to say about it."

take the ash right out of the ecosystem like Dutch elm did to elms," said Keith Cray, chief deputy director of the Michigan Department of Agriculture.

## Fighting back

Emerald ash borers are a tough bug, but they have a fight on their hands.

"This is a test of national significance," said McCullough. "I'm not giving up. We can't eradicate the borer, but I'm going to do everything I can to slow it down and contain it. I'm not going to see the ash resource go during my career. It's not going to happen on my watch."

MSU officials have released emergency funding to fight the pest.

"Our folks are working on ways to control it," said Jeffrey Armstrong, dean of MSU's Department of Agriculture. "We hope to keep it confined, but this could be very devastating."

Ian Gray, director of MSU's Agriculture Experiment Station, is studying the borer.

number of unknowns," said Gray in his native Irish lilt. "We don't know the pest's life cycle and ecology in North America. We need to do biological studies to determine the beetle's mortality by American predators. We need to evaluate insecticides."

American scientists haven't been able to piggyback their array of investigations on Chinese research.

China." "In said

publish science in journals adults are already gone. All the way we do. All the information we've been able to get our hands on is 1 1/2 pages. That's what were working off."

Observation has shown the emerald ash borer to be an indiscriminate eater.

"It doesn't seem to be staying in one type of ash," said leaves in the fall," Colter Mark Hook, a site inspector with Canton Township. bor-"It has the potential to ers hit Canton early last

> trees," Hook said. "Some or suction." subdivisions have lost all their ashes.'

elms killed by Dutch elm disease. In the Park, a the plant is taking up nutriplanting frenzy took place ents." about 20 years ago, well before Colter came on the chemical applications, Cray scene.

Colter has been diversifying the city's tree population. He wants to make the urban forest less vulnerable to species-specific problems such as the one he's now saddled with.

"Ashes were planted widely because they were hardy. tolerated urban conditions and were plentiful at nurs-eries," he said. "On city property, one out of every five trees is an ash. This is a significant epidemic."

## What makes borers tick

The bug kills by burrowing under bark to the cambium layer. Cambium, the out layer of trunk, carries nutrients throughout the tree.

The borer has a one-year "There are a tremendous life cycle," said the state agricultural department's Cray. "It comes out in mid-May or June, has a short mating season and lays

> Eggs hatch and larvae feed on cambium.

egg chamber is hidden behind the bark, it's protected against sprayed insecticides. Colter said it's too late to spray this year.

on the adult borer as they ter."

McCullough, "they don't emerge," he said. "By now, we have left are larvae disrupting cambium."

It might also be too late to inject pesticide in the roots. which would normally flow up the cambium and do its duty.

"Ash trees are among the first trees to lose their said. "Injections are only effective if the pesticide is transported into the crown of the tree. Without leaves, affecting all ash you don't get transpiration,

"The trick," said the Cray, "is how to get pesticide flow-Ash trees were planted in ing up and down the stem at great numbers to replace a time the insect is susceptible. The best time is when

> Rather than toying with said cities should be preparing for next year.

"Cities ought to be active in surveillance, sanitation, and maintaining the vigor of the trees by making sure tney're not drought-stressed," he said. "Then they can come up with an integrated, comprehensive approach in the spring."

## On the lookout

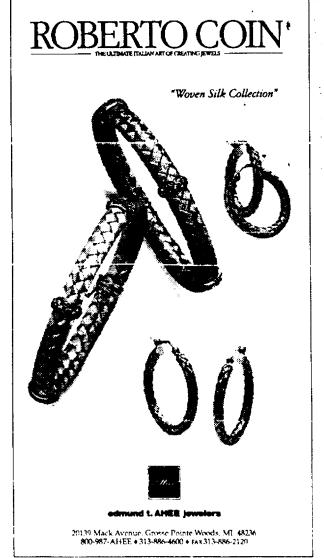
Infected ashes have characteristic symptoms: · Die-back in the crown.

 Sudden sprouts near the base and crotches. "The tree is throwing out suckers, desperately trying to stay alive so photosynthesis can occur to create its own food," Colter said.

 Small "D"-shaped holes in the bark. "Those are exit holes where adult emerald ash borers pop out of the tree," Colter said.

The symptoms are deceptively common.

"Ashes just start off look-Because the borer's hardy ing sickly. That's why the experts were stumped," said Colter, standing among the severed branches that had been O'Sullivan's ash. "We're at ground level on "Spraying is only effective this, and this is the epicen-



# Success at State Fair sets pace for South freshman

By Brad Lindberg Staff Writer

Amy Liang is a girl on the

field hockey, winning community arts contests at the Michigan State Fair, and preparing to enter high school.

At the core of her activities is hanging out with friends, gossiping, shopping and hair styles \_ stuff," she said.

Liang, 14, is a freshman at Grosse Pointe South.

During orientation last week, she and friends from middle school looked to their upcoming Blue Devils career with a mixture of optimism and apprehensiveness.

"Are the seniors really mean?" she wondered. "A lot of people were worried about

Liang's student orientation guides weren't entirely comforting about the senior States flag surrounded by a class' tolerance for pesky geometric border.

"Stay out of their way, American flag in it," Liang you'll be fine," Liang was said. told.

or anything," assured her brother, Michael, 17, a South senior. Then he jokingly advised Amy to "keep on her toes.'

Liang will have to keep on her toes if she's to complete her busy list of school activi-

"I'm playing field hockey in the fall, gymnastics in winter and track in spring," she said. "I'm really excited to meet new people and try different things.

Her academic plans are nearly as complete.

"I'm excited about taking Fashion and Fabrics class, Liang said. "My friend's mom took it when she was in high school. Once you get tal characters.

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Lately, she's been juggling into Fashion and Fabrics 4, you design your own stuff."

Liang has already designed portions of her wardrobe.

"I've made some skirts and pajama pants," she said. "One of my friends and I made red and pink satin pants for the Valentine's Day dance at the War Memorial."

She entered a maroon skirt in this year's Michigan State Fair. Displayed in the youth section of the community arts building, the skirt won honorable mention. Her skirt was among many things she entered in the

Her pillows won fourth place. A patriotic quilt came in second

The red, white and blue quilt contains a United

"I just wanted to have the

After the fair, she will "There's not much hazing donate the quilt to the family of a New York City fireman killed Sept. 11.

Liang's baking skills rose to the top of the competition. Her apple muffins and peanut brittle won blue ribbons. Raisin bread came in second. So did peanut butter chocolate bars. She took third place with chocolate chip bread made from a bread machine.

She learned baking from her mother.

"My mom likes to cook," Liang said. "She was a dietitian. She helps balance

Liang won fourth place for a set of green ceramic tiles decorated with black orien-

Her interests in fashion, baking and art came from her mother and father's willingness to let her explore options and pursue opportunities. Her parents, Jack and Debbie, encourage Amy, Mike and little sister Anna, 11, to make decisions and choose interests.

"Nowadays, kids grow up so fast," said Debbie Liang. "They don't have as much



time to spend on their own interests or passions."

As a result, Debbie and Jack, a former professional photographer on sabbatical vice president of Presbyterian Villages of Michigan, have set up what they called "rites of pas-

"We started thinking it would be neat if we did certain things with our own kids at certain ages that they would look forward to," said Debbie Liang.

When the kids turn 10, they get a Swiss pocket knife to take on a camping trip with their dad. At 13,

when teenagers have a tendency to turn a little selfish, the Liang kids embark on a volunteer project. Amy chose making patchwork baby quilts Children's Hospital.

Liang has big goals for a young teenager.

"I want to work in fashion design or for a fashion company," she said, "or maybe public relations. I enjoy talking to people. I like being around people."

She gets along with her brother and sister, but not always.

"Usually my brother and sister team up on me," Liang laughed. "Or, one of us will team up on another. There's a little competition."



Amy Liang's quilt won second place in the youth division at the Michigan State Fair. Liang is going to donate the red, white and blue flag-bearing quiit to the family of a New York City fireman who died Sept.



The family that rafts together gets drenched together. Just ask the Liang family, of the City of Grosse Pointe. They teamed up on a trip down the Rio Grande in Tuos, New Mexico. Enjoying themselves, from left, are Michael, Anna, mother Debbie, Amy, father Jack and a river guide.

# construction contract raises dirt

By Brad Lindberg Staff Writer

Road repairs will move forward on Littlestone due to bid," agreed fellow council to the passage of a \$1.1 million construction contract that raised a little dust of its

A couple members of the Grosse Pointe Woods city council this week were could begin in two weeks annoyed that the hefty con- and last nearly three tract was to be granted months, depending on prewithout competitive bids.

panies that can do the work said Joseph Ahee, director of for less," said Eric Steiner, public works.

chairman of the finance committee.

"It's too much money not member Patti Chylinski.

Littlestone, construction the work at last year's contract was approved. repaying South Oxford.

construction meetings with "There may be other com- engineers and contractors,

lengthy bid process because paved," the contractor, Dilisio Granger, head of the coun-Contracting of Sterling cil's construction committee. In addition to paving Heights, had offered to do The no-bid, \$1,002,100 will include sewer work and prices. The company also Steiner and Chylinski dishad a reputation of top-

> "Dilisio did an excellent tion costs are added. job on Cook Road," Chylinski said. "(But) the contract could be put out for bid in one week."

ous city projects.

City administrators rec- Littlestone who are waiting ommended forgoing a to have their street to be disagreed Vicki

Work on South Oxford notch performance on previ-rise to \$1,137,000 when engineering and administra-

> City officials will investigate requiring all future contracts totaling more than \$1 million be sent out for We have residents on competitive bidding.



## **ORDINANCE NO. 222** Notice is hereby given that at its regular meeting on August

20,2002, the Grosse Pointe Shores Village council passed new Ordinance No. 222. The ordinance was ordered to take effect upon the publication of synopses of the ordinance in a newspaper circulated in the Village of Grosse Pointe Shores.

Ordinance No. 222 establishes rules and regulations governing the division and subdivision of land in the Village of Grosse Pointe Shores providing standards, procedures and rules for the preparation, filing and review of plats and land division applications, repealing all ordinances and resolutions inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance, and providing penalties for violations thereof.

Copies of Ordinance No. 222 are available for public inspection at the Grosse Pointe Shores Village Administrative

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Victoria J. Boyce,

Village Clerk



One of two men involved in the statutory rapes of two 15-year-girls at an open house party in the City of Grosse Pointe last December will likely face jail time.

Richard Schott, 19, of Hazel Park, pleaded no contest to one charge of seconddegree criminal sexual conduct in Third Circuit Court conduct involving two 15on Friday, Aug. 23.

The charge is considered a 15-year felony. The sentencing recommendation is for one year in the Wayne County Jail, five years probation, fines, costs and er's house on Lincoln. mandatory testing for sexu-Sentencing is scheduled for Sept. 24.

The families of the victims were adamant this Park, pleaded guilty to one occurred," Third Circuit count of fourth-degree crimi-

third-degree criminal sexual 26.





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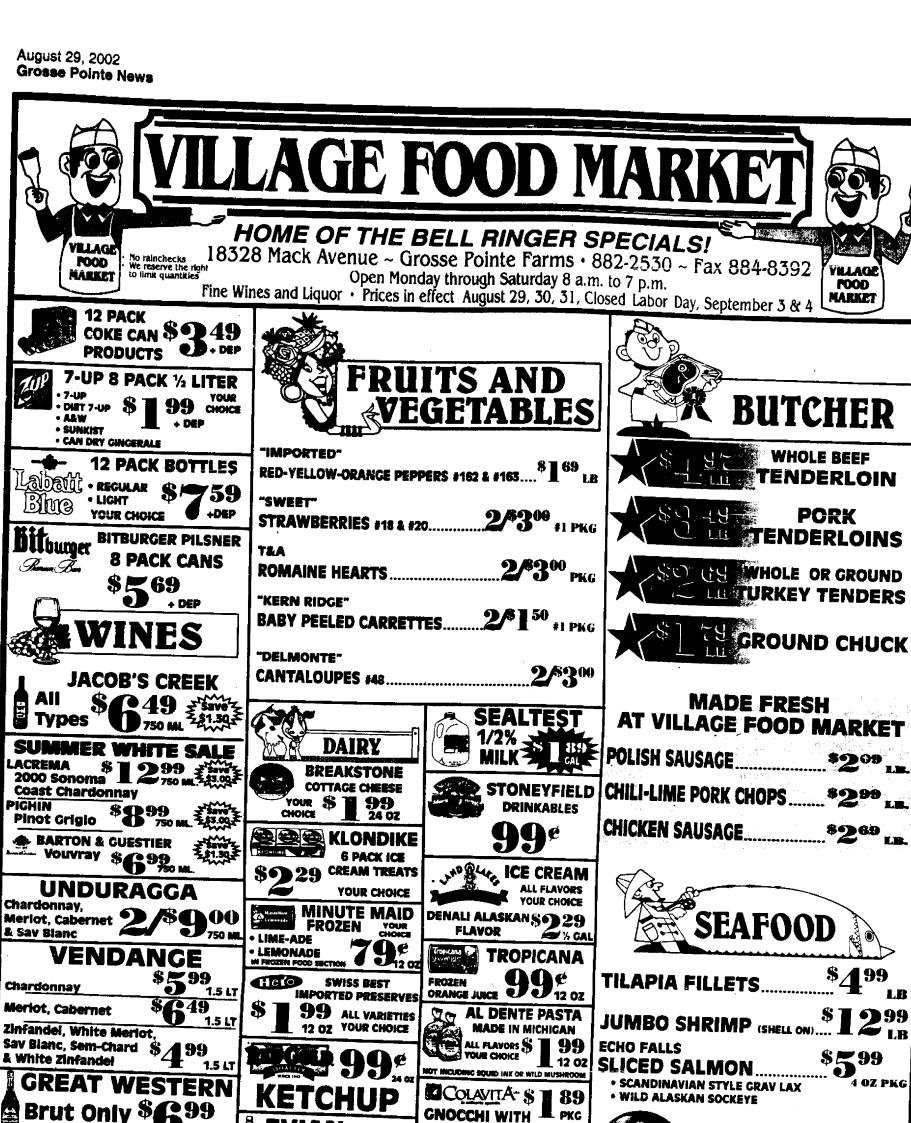
year-old girls - a Grosse Pointe North High School student and a Grosse Pointe South High School student - at a party hosted by his younger sister at their moth-Schott's mother was vacaally transmitted diseases, tioning in Cancun, Mexico, when the party occurred.

Another man, William Tyree, 19, of Grosse Pointe Judge Kim L. Worthy said. nal sexual conduct, a misde-They insisted that this be meanor, on June 19. Tyree, who was 18 at the time of Schott was originally the offense, was sentenced charged in Circuit Court in to three years probation, May with four counts of plus costs and fines, on July



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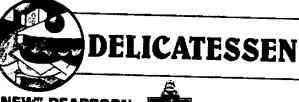
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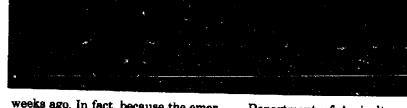
## **Urban forests** under seige by ash bore

ot since Dutch elm disease have the Grosse Pointes and Harper Woods faced such a devastation to their tree populations.

This time it is an invader from China — the emerald ash borer.

Varieties of ash were heavily planted some two decades ago in areas that were heavily devastated by Dutch elm disease, which nearly wiped out the stately trees here in the Pointes and elsewhere.

Tree experts here hadn't even seen the emerald ash borer before six



weeks ago. In fact, because the emerald ash borer lived in a closed society — China — there is virtually no information available on the pest.

And while foresters, such as the Park's Brian Colter, are furiously boning up on the life of the emerald ash borer, trees are dying.

"You'll go down any block," Colter predicted to reporter Brad Lindberg, and, left and right, there will be holes where ash trees used to be."

There is little hope. "We're going to lose the battle," said Michigan Department of Agriculture horticulturalist Carl Dollhoph. "We will not have any ash trees.

All the experts agree — the ash tree is doomed.

The emerald ash borer is another one of those insidious, foreign stowaways that have wreaked havoc on our North American ecosystems. The zebra mussel and gobi fish are among other infamous invaders.

This time the effects will be much more noticeable.

In the Park alone there are some

2,400 ash trees, half of them on city property. It will cost Park taxpayers nearly a million dollars to remove and replace the infected trees. That doesn't include trees on private property.

That's just the Park. Now multiply that times all the other Pointes and southeast Michigan communities and you get a picture of how costly the emerald ash borer will be. And that's just dollars, not to mention aesthet-

What we are experiencing is nothing short of a national disaster. And there appears to be nothing we can do about it except, perhaps, prevent the spread of devastation.

We urge all homeowners to read the story in this and future weeks' Grosse Pointe News and be on the lookout for the telltale, "D-shaped" exit holes of the emerald borer and report them to your department of public works.

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## Kroger's plans for Jake's?

umors are flying about who and what will eventually take over the Jacobson's site in the Village. One such rumor involves Kroger.

It is no secret that Kroger would like to expand its presence in the Village. The Village store is small, crowded and, with storage in the basement, difficult to operate. But there has never been room to expand in the Village until now.

No sooner had Jacobson's demise become common knowledge than we began hearing rumors that Kroger was eying the property. In fact, some of the reports may be attributed to "knowledgeable sources."

To verify the reports, we called Kroger and asked. The food chain's spokesperson in Michigan told us the reports were just rumor and there was nothing to them. End of story.

But Tuesday we received an anonymous letter, titled, "Just say no to Krogers."

The unknown letter writer says, "Word on the street is that key Kroger executives have been in tow looking at the Jacobson's building and have all but locked up an agreement with city council. Please sound the alarm. The last thing our quaint village needs is a mega-size Kroger open 24 hours."

Well, we're not sure where the letter writer gets her or his facts, but we are not aware of any agreement with the city council. In fact, the city does not own the property. Jacobson's does. Any

agreements would first have to be with Jacobson's and the federal bankruptcy court.

But for the sake of talking, let's assume Kroger does put in a qualified bid for the Jacobson's property. And let's say Kroger's offer is accepted and the grocery store chain acquires the

At that point, Kroger would most likely have to seek a demolition permit and then building permits and present drawings to the council for site plan approval.

It seems to us that if Kroger is the legal owner of the property and if a grocery store is a permitted use under the commercial zoning, we don't see how the city could arbitrarily stop the company from exercising its property

Too often we seem to forget that businesses have rights, too. Too often we seek to dictate commercial uses and how others invest their money.

But that being said, we agree with the letter writer that a mega-grocery store, while perhaps much-needed in the Pointes, would not be a good idea for the Village.

We believe upscale retail offerings with office or residential on second and third stories would be more suitable on Kercheval, while a supersupermarket would be best located on Mack.

We hope Kroger agrees with our and the letter writer's assessment and does not force itself upon the Village property rights notwithstanding.

# Address comments to cartoonist Phil Hands at HANDSP@kenyon.edu

support To the Editor:

In response to the Aug. 22 Grosse Pointe News aditorial "Headliners courtesy of WCCCD," I'd like to offer a different perspective on the college's Community Outreach Program, "Coping

in an Uncertain World:" First, I found Ann Compton's talk at the Pointe War Grosse Memorial on Aug. 21 engaging, witty and thought-proaudience response, others watch Grosse Pointe high plant. school students eagerly approaching Ann Compton at the reception and her obvious enthusiasm in speaking with them and

answering their questions. Inviting speakers like Compton and John Nance to is possible, the devastation and offer their interpreta- ease epidemic of some 15 to tions of national and world 20 years ago. affairs can be viewed as stimulating our thinking. encouraging dialogue on issues of significance to all of us, and thus, supporting the democratic process.

Secondly, I find the idea of community both among the Grosse Pointes and between the Pointes and the college, a viable, valuable educational institution in the larger community. Bridging the two communities I see as a benefit to both

Finally, to the issue of the millage and use of tax dollars: the approved millage is a fait accompli, approved by the voters; and all educational institutions - public and private - engage in marketing. The public relations/promotion process is a necessary fact of life in education, health care and busi ness. In my view WCCCD's outreach is marketing in a quality way that enriches the general community. To me, the effort demonstrates of the college administration

and merits support. Mary Jo Johnson Grosse Pointe Farms

Trees To the Editor:

This is in response to the Aug. 8 Grosse Pointe News Opinion article titled, "They follow letter of law in the

Woods. The Woods administration and their community tree straightforward. Most of all advisory commission do not it could have helped an tell residents what trees already confused city council they can plant on their own voking; judging from the property If asked, the CTAC will give advice on the good did also. It was gratifying to urban trees for residents to

> Public property (sidewalk to curb) street tree plantings anyone here. are regulated as to species, size and placement in accortree plan, carefully followed so as to eliminate, insofar as

Grosse Pointe News should double check before he puts pen and font to paper. Jean B. Rice

Grosse Pointe Woods Editor's note: I was at the the outreach program builds city council meeting a dozen years ago when the city accopted its ordinance regulating trees on "street lawns," which technically are city property although the residents have to maintain them. To the best of our knowledge, "street lawns" are still mostly "in front of people's homes" and trees there are regulated as we stated in the editorial. Thank you, Mrs. Rice, for confirming that our facts are correct.

## No show To the Editor:

As owner of two businesses in Grosse Pointe Woods, one of the currently 64 members of the Business Retail Association, and a resident, I wish to express my deep disappointment with all but three city officials who

decided not to show up for a very enlightening and informative gathering last week at city hall.

The gathering, sponsored by BARA, employed two very well-educated gentlemen who help cities with developing a master plan pertaining to signage, image and traffic flow.

The advice they offered was no-nonsense and planning commission These speakers made it very clear to us what our challenges are and how to fix them. Best of all it was non bias with no influence from

The best news for me was that most of our current dance with a master street rules and regulations relating to signage, color and design are illegal and not enforceable. Our city could describe their experiences caused by the Dutch elm dis- have benefited from this event greatly. Many potential lawsuits and hours of Perhaps the editor of the meetings at the taxpayers' expense would also have been avoided.

Maybe city officials need to take a field trip to Birmingham so they can see what is said to be one of the finest examples of suburbia in the Midwest. There is a reason small two-bedroom homes there list for \$380,000 and the same here might get \$120,000. It is called "booming business district." That's it. The air is not better. The weather is not better. The people are not better. It is the understanding of the relationship of business and residential. That is it and nothing more.

Diversity made America and can save this city. The cocoon has been broken wide open and needs immediate attention. Maybe next time we will have a little more interest. For a city so on the edge of falling one of two ways, it was surely a disappointment so few cared to

> E.A. Framalino **Grosse Pointe Woods**

## Telethon's my tavorite show

By Charo

t's almost Labor Day, and you know what that means!

That means it's time once again for me to help my good friend Jerry Lewis with his annual labor of love: the Jerry Lewis Telethon to benefit the Muscular Dystrophy Association.

This year will be the 37th Labor Day Telethon -- can you believe it? Thirtyseven years of staying up all night bringing wonderful entertainment to audiences across the United States and Canada - along with important news about progress against neuromuscular diseases.

Now, I haven't been doing telethons as long as Jerry Lewis - no one has but I'm proud to say I've performed on 22 MDA Telethons. During that time, we've had a lot of fun together - and we've raised a lot of money to help fight neuromuscular diseases.

And let me tell you, MDA has put all that money to good use. They've got some of the smartest scientists in the world looking for treatments and cures for more than 40 different neuromuscular diseases. And to help people who are living with these diseases today, MDA has 230 clinics across the country.

People sometimes ask me, "Charo, why do you still go on the Telethon every year?" Well, let me tell you.

I once met a little girl on the Telethon. She was maybe 3 years old, and she was showing the first signs of muscular dystrophy. She looked at me with the most beautiful little face you ever saw, and she told me she was going to be a dancer. And she believed

so strongly that, because of Jerry Lewis and the Telethon, she was going to be all right.

That little girl really made me think about how lucky I am, because I get to dance and sing and make people happy - just as she wanted to.

We should support Jerry Lewis and the MDA Telethon because it's a very important and serious and honest-togoodness organization, and it helps a lot of people every day.

In order to keep all the MDA clinics open, and to keep all those scientists working in their labs, MDA needs our help - now, more than ever.

That's why I'm hosting videotaped segments for the Telethon from the Las Vegas Sahara Hotel and Casino featuring my new show, "Bravo," and some great friends, like 11m Conway and Harvey Korman, Ronn Lucas, Clint Holmes and the Scintas family.

There'll be fun ... there'll be laughter ... there'll be wonderful music ... there'll be cuchi-cuchi ... and that's just my part. Just wait until you see what Jerry Lewis has in store for the rest of this year's show.

So please watch the Telethon on Sept. 1-2 (check local listings for time and station). And when you do, call in and pledge as much as you can to support MDA. Your donations give hope to many, many people and their families.

A musician/composer/comedienne extraordinaire, Charo has released several albums featuring salsa-disco, flamenco and classical guitar music, and appears frequently on television. She serves MDA as a national vice good leadership on the part president.



## Scarred psyche?

suppose that it's official: I've become a curmudgeon at the age of 23.

By that, I mean I'm starting to think that things were so much different in my days of growing up than now. I'm afraid that one day soon the words, "You don't know how easy you've got it, youngin" will escape my lips.

Or is it more than me becoming a grumpy old man?

I was watching the morning news and they had a very sensitive-looking writer

on, with a turtle neck and several degrees in psychology, who said that children in schools are being subjected to emotional violence. He went on to say that it had to

Emotional violence definitely sounds vicious, but then I heard what he meant by it: Children talking behind each other's backs, mild teasing, name calling and other things that when I was young were a way of life.

"Sticks and stones may break your bones," the paychologist and I agree on that part. He twisted the second half of the nursery rhyme into: "But names can hurt forever."

He said that this genera-



tion of delicate and fragile weapon and defense mechachildren couldn't take the kind of daily torment that being called a name would impose on them. That is, it could have long-lasting effects on the developing psyche.

Name-calling is the bread and butter of a grade-schooler's arsenal. It's your major

nism.

How exactly can we stop kids from whispering without the use of duct tape?

Could we really stop kids from being kids? And if we could do it, should we?

Take a closer look at the way that nursery rhyme

actually ends: "But names can never hurt me."

This is the "throw out the kid gloves" approach. The sooner you can explain to children that whatever name someone calls them doesn't make a difference, the better off they'll be.

When we get to the adult world, people still talk behind backs and come up with childish names for each others (though four-letter words dominate the new titles).

I say that supposedly keeping children from "emotional trauma" is shorting into the man sitting on the them on important life lessons.

How do you learn to deal with adversity or with anger without feeling it?

I think we should offer children an emotional balm, which allows them to heal scrapes and scratches to their precious ego before they become scars, not put up a wall between them and learning to cope with the people they don't get along

There will always be people you don't get along with. Perhaps the psychologist on television was emotional ly scarred by someone calling him an egghead

It has helped to make him morning news with a book to sell. If he hadn't been "tortured" even a little, he'd probably never have written

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by Ben Burns



Visit the Grosse Pointe Dogs website: http://gpdogs.keenspace.com

# Streetwise

Question of the Week:

What have you done in the last three months that makes you feel proud?



By Suzy Berschback



John Brace

"Seeing the culmination of all the efforts of everyone involved in projects for improving the library facili-

John Bruce, Grosse Pointe Farms.



Laura Monahan



Caroline Jeffs

Working with the Grosse Pointe Public Library on their new developments. It is nice to give something back

Laura

Grosse Pointe Farms.

Monahan,

Caroline Jeffs, Grosse Pointe Park.

to my community."

"I taught a reading program at the Grosse Pointe Woods Lakefront Park. It was great."

Tom Kasprzak, Grosse Pointe Woods.



Tom Kasprzak



Bridget Skorupskas

"I work out on a regular basis and that makes me feel proud.

Bridget Skorupskas, Grosse Pointe Farms.

"I finished making a film (writing, acting, filming, and editing) just today, called 'Enter the Robot' just me and some friends." - Nathan Mikula, Grosse

Pointe Woods. "I participated in a chari ty event, 'Lifeguard-a-thon,' at Grosse Pointe Woods Park to benefit the McCarty Cancer Foundation.

- Matt Mikula, Grosse Pointe Woods.



Nathan, left, and Matt Mikula

Suzy Berschback is a freelance photographer in Grosse Pointe Farms and co-author of "Grosse Pointe 1880-1930," She welcomes suggestions for questions to her e-mail address at Berschback@aol.com.

# D'Hondt Way

at Jake's High on the wall at the northwest corner of the Village parking structure behind Jacobson's, a small, green plaque memorializes a pioneer family's lifetime association with the anchor retailer that is going out of business. It simply says: "D'Hondt Way, 1974."

The plaque, which names the walkway between the store and the parking

garage, specifically honors Irma and Julius D'Hondt, who were better known as "Mr. and Mrs. Pete" friends and Ben Burns admirers.

"My father didn't care for his first name, so everyone called him Pete," Bernice D'Hondt Grant of the City explained. "So Mom became Mrs. Pete."

Mr. Pete, who retired as a Detroit Street Railway motorman, decided he didn't want to sit home and do nothing, so he became the first maintenance man at the Jacobson's store before it opened in 1944. Mr. Pete, part of a Belgian family that settled in the Grosse

Club. Mrs. Pete decided to help her husband out at the new store and eventually joined the staff as the housekeeping department manager. But her specialty was the flowers and plants outside, where she won beautification awards for her meticulously cared-for flower beds.

Mr. Pete died in 1961 and Mrs. Pete continued at the store until she retired in 1982. She died that same year.

The D'Hondts owned a house and two apartment flats where the parking structure now stands. In 1974, when the main store added 35,000 square feet of sales space, the walkway was named in honor of the D'Hondts' service to the community and the store.

Grant followed in the family tradition and began working at Jake's part-time as she raised her family. She worked there 43 years before retiring in 1996.

I was raised with Jake's clothing, and so were my three daughters and four grandchildren," Grant said. "It is sad that I can't buy any clothes there anymore

Grant hopes D'Hondt Way won't disappear in the scramble of various developers to come up with future uses for the store and the parking structure. "I think it should stay," she said. "It is a bit of Grosse Pointe histo-

But if the first floor of Jake's is turned into several retail outlets, D'Hondt Way may wind up as a service alley for the stores.

## Anything Goes'

Jennifer Weingarten of Grosse Pointe spent three weeks rehearsing at the Stagedoor Manor's summer camp production "Anything Goes" in the Catskills in Loch Sheldrake, N.Y. before appearing on stage in the show.

She was following in the footsteps of Jennifer Jason Leigh, Mary Stuart Masterson and Robert Downey Jr. by studying in the 27-year-old program that draws campers from 33 states and seven foreign countries, according to a camp representative.

"Maybe as a result Jennifer will one day join nal careers by shooting five the illustrious list of Stagedoor alumni who have made it in show business,' the representative said.

## Justice

The two men who murdered former Grosse Pointer Stephen King and two other's last year in New York City in an apartment five floors above a famed Broadway deli were each sentenced recently to more

than 100 years in prison. King, an accomplished trombonist, was a graduate of South High School, the Cleveland Music Institute and Mannes School of Music Pointes, was raised on a in New York, and was the strip farm that is now part son of City resident Jenny her customers.

> The New York Times ediabout the failures of a criminal justice system that allowed Sean Salley and can



Jennifer Weingarte

persons, two of whom survived, in a May 2001 robbery above the Carnegie Deli in Manhattan. The robbery netted \$800 and 1 1/2 pounds of marijuana. The deli is a block east of the Ed Sullivan Theatre where the David Letterman show is

King was at the apartment to work on his musical recordings in a studio there. The apartment belonged to Jennifer Stahl, 39, an actress who had a small role in the movie, "Dirty Dancing." She had been running a marijuana sales operation out of the apartment and Salley had been one of

Ben Burns of the City of torialized in early August Grosse Pointe is director of the journalism program at Wayne State University. He bе reached Andre Smith to be out of burnsben@comcast.net or by prison and cap their crimi- phone at (313) 882-2810.



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# Big-time events set up hot collection of classics

the past decade introduced the Detroit area to big-time collector car auctions. These auctions and the Woodward Dream Cruise have hyped the collector car hobby into a hot growth area.

In a recent week, RM held two auctions which pretty well spanned the collector car field, both of them in connection with very different events - the Concours for a 1929 Duesenberg Brook and the Woodward Dream Cruise.

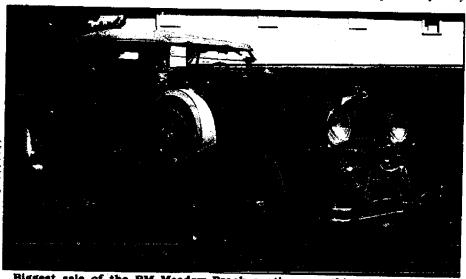
The ninth annual Vintage Motor Car sale at Meadow



## By Richard Wright

vertible coachwork by Hibbard and Darrin from Chandler.

• A 1933 Stutz V32 Dual d'Elegance at Meadow Model J with Victoria con- Cowl Phaeton with coachwork by LeBaron, \$297,000; • A 1931 Cadillac 452A Vthe collection of Otis 16 with convertible rumbleseat coupe body



Biggest sale of the RM Meadow Brook auction was this 1929 Duesenberg Model J Victoria convertible with coachwork by Hibbard and Darrin, from the collection of Otis Chandler. It sold for \$770,000.

Brook by RM Apetions, the day before the Concours \$1,050,000 for a 1938 • A 1940 Packard 180 d'Elegance, was once again Mercedes-Benz 540K with Darrin Convertible Sedan one of the most stunning offerings of cars for sale of the summer.

Eighty-two cars rolled across the auction block in Shotwell-Gustafson Pavilion on the manicured Meadow Brook grounds and 40 of them were sold, a good result for any sale, let alone one including so many toplevel classics as this one.

Biggest sale of the fourhour auction was \$770,000

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Highest bid of the day was Fleetwood, \$275,000; special tourer body by Sindelfingen, but it was not enough to buy this rare automobile. Bidding was kicked off by a \$1 million \$143,000; phone bid.

in the six-figure range were recorded. In addition to the '29 Duesenberg at \$770,000, these sales included:

• A 1933 Rolls-Royce \$129,800. Phantom II Henley Roadster with body by Brewster, \$412,500;

from the collection of Otis Chandler, \$181,500;

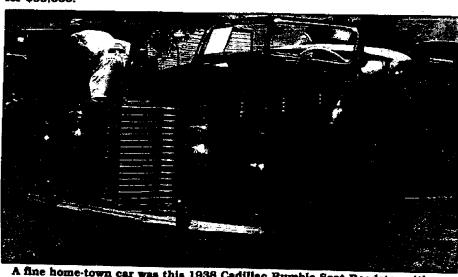
• A 1948 Chrysler Town and Country convertible,

• A 1938 Lincoln Model K A remarkable eight sales V-12 with convertible Victoria body by Brunn, \$137,500;

1953 Cadillac Α Eldorado convertible,



Oldest vehicle offered at either auction was this 1899 Gardner Serpollet Steam Wagon with coachwork by Kellner of Paris. The French steamer was sold for \$99,000.



A fine home-town car was this 1938 Cadillac Rumble Seat Roadster with cus-See AUTOS, page 9A tom body by Brunn. Originally purchased by a member of the Pulitzer family, it attracted a high bid of \$125,000, but that did not meet the reserve.

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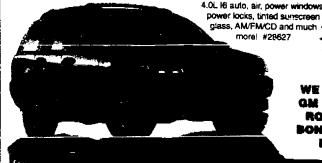


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The Annual Woodward Avenue Auction was quite a different affair. This was designed to tie in with the Woodward Dream Cruise by focusing on drivable cruisers and specialinterest cars, as opposed to investment-grade classics.

At the Woodward Avenue Auction, held at the Novi Expo Center in Novi (the first Woodward Avenue sale was held at Woodward and Eight Mile at the Michigan State Fairgrounds, but the sale can be held indoors at the Novi Expo Center), there were no Duesenbergs and the Rolls-Royces offered were later models, in a reasonable price range, not the classics offered at Meadow Brook.

An example of the cars at was a '51 Chevrolet hardtop coupe — a very desirable car which one would drive

proudly in the Dream Cruise or any of the other cruises proliferating around the Detroit area, but a driver not a classic.

The Chevy had gone through the auction but had not sold and was still for sale for \$12,000.

Other examples of cruisers included a '68 Pontiac GTO still for sale for \$17,000; a '56 Lincoln Premier hardtop still for sale for \$15,500; a '31 Ford Model A pickup truck still for sale for \$9,500, and a '61 Chevrolet Bel Air still for sale for \$5,000.

The Meadow Brook auction was for folks with some big bucks to spend or invest wheels, while the Woodward sale was aimed more at buyers looking for something interesting to

cars at the Woodward sale, the Woodward Avenue sale including such rare items as a '74 Cadillac Mozelle, a one-of-a-kind prototype; a '40 LaSalle four-door con- Cleveland.

vertible, one of the last 125 built; a rare '51 Chevrolet woodie station wagon, and a '96 stretched Hummer limousine about a half a block

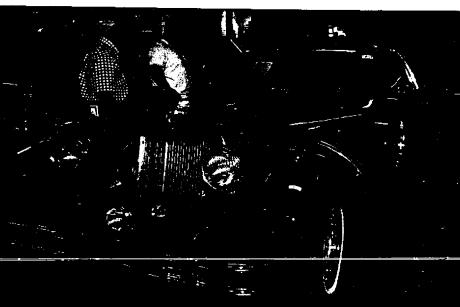
The recession did not seem to be making its presence felt at either of these auction sales. Prices were strong, surprisingly so for American cars of the '50s, especially high-performance

The oldest vehicle offered at either auction was an 1899 Gardner Scrpollet Steam Wagon with coachwork by Kellner of Paris. The French steamer was sold at Meadow Brook for \$99,000.

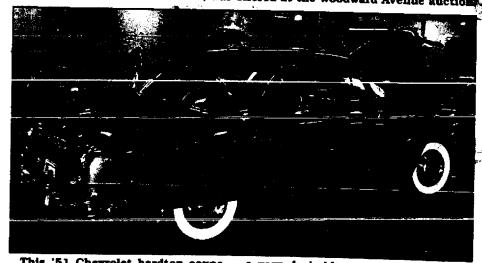
A 1906 Kreiger-Brasier Electric Landaulet was sold at Meadow Brook for \$55,000. Kreiger electrics There was a wide range of 1897 to 1909. The vehicle, believed to be the only Kreiger extant in the United States, was offered by the Crawford Museum



A workhorse turned into glamour vehicle, this '96 stretched Hummer limousine is tough on the outside, but luxurious on the inside



This '74 Cadillac Mozelle, a one-of-a-kind prototype built by GM and powered by a 472-cubic-inch Cadillac V-8, was offered at the Woodward Avenue auctions.



This '51 Chevrolet hardtop coupe - a very desirable car which one would drive proudly at the Dream Cruise or any of the other cruises proliferating around the Detroit area, had not sold and was still for sale for \$12,000.

## Protecting your car from the elements · Sun/heat: Illtraviolet warm hood of a parked car,

(NAPSI) - Today's cars and trucks cost more and rays and radiant energy are expected to last longer, cause paint colors to fade. In Oil changes and regular maintenance can keep them the clear-coat over the paint mechanically sound, but what about appearance? Using a car cover can protect your car's exterior finish and its interior.

label to protect against:

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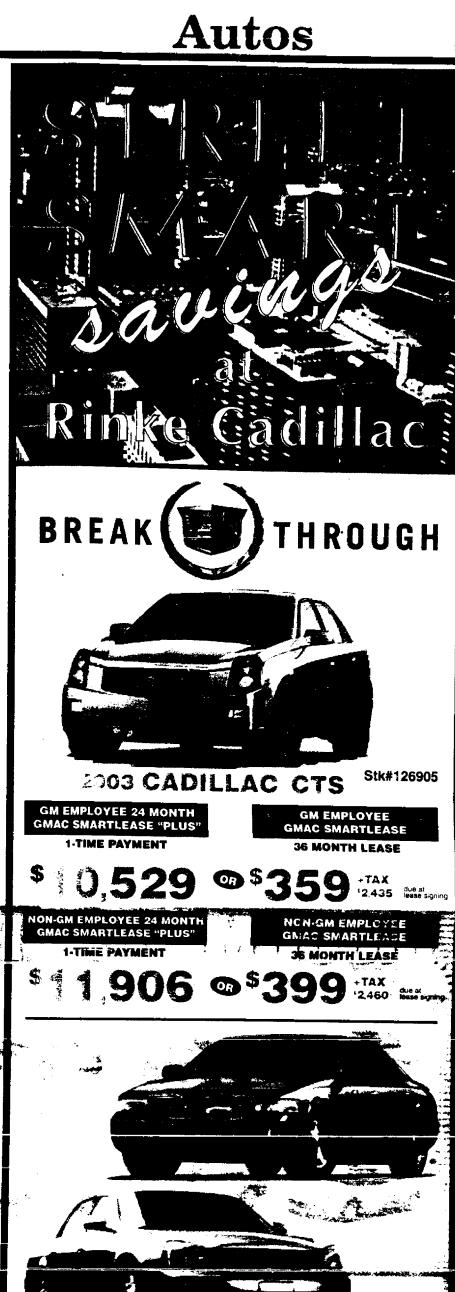
addition, UV rays can cause to cloud, crack, dry out and deteriorate. Trapped heat vinyl, leather, plastic and rubber. It bakes and breaks Experts recommend car down foam padding and covers with a Block-It fabric adhesives. It cooks audio components, tapes and

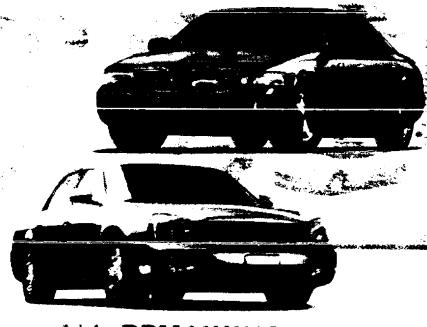
• Trees/impact: Even little droplets of tree sap can produce permanent color changes and etch paint. (Pine sap is particularly dangerous, as it contains and works against the paint turpentine.) Bird droppings equally damaging. Acorns, pine cones and other things that fall out of trees can cause tiny chips in the increases. The average thief paint, allowing moisture to does not want to call attencreep in. And beware of cats. tion to himself by taking the

dirty paws, claws and all.

• Dust/dings: Even inside a garage, dust and dings are always a hazard. As dust settles on the car's surface. it builds up a layer of grit can dry out and deteriorate that becomes abrasive, deteriorating the car's thin paint surface. And once it is noticeable, it's too late. On the inside, dust and grit can degrade fibers, causing them to wear through and break.

· Vandalism/theft: With all the high-tech theft-deterrent devices available, it's easy to forget that a simple car cover can also protect a vehicle from thieves and vandals. Thieves know that with every passing minute their risk of getting caught They love to curl up on the time to remove a car cover.



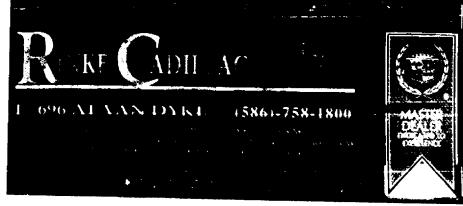


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# Bond to provide \$24 million in upgrades for aging schools

By Jennie Miller Staff Writer

In order to compete with burgeoning school districts Public School System is askmillion bond on Sept. 24.

The bond will provide \$24 the district. million in miscellaneous buildings in the district, along with major improveathletics, science and fine a health hazard.

the district have historical and fire retardant in builddesignations. However, the buildings have seen significant wear and tear through the years.

Eleven of the district's 14 schools are over 50 years borne asbestos for a long old, five of which are over 70 years old.

to residents in the district the pleural lining and lung by Superintendent Dr. cancer.

According to members of the school board, improvewith state-of-the-art facili- ments are necessary to ties, the Grosse Pointe maintain the appearance and efficiency of the schools, ing voters to approve a \$62 as well as to continue attracting young families to

Among the more costly improvements to the aging projects outlined in the bond is the removal of asbestos, which is considered by the ments to the facilities for U.S. Department of Labor as

The mineral was used Many of the buildings in years ago as an insulator ing materials. In the 1970s, the federal government placed a moratorium on such uses of asbestos.

A high exposure to airperiod of time can cause diseases that include scarring According to a letter sent of the lung tissue, cancer of

the district is necessary and will be completed regardless of the passing of the bond.

If voters approve the bond, the general fund will be relieved of the costs, which will provide additional money to be used for instructional purposes.

Other items on the bond agenda are not as crucial for easing health concerns; the projects are seen by the board as necessary nonethe-

These projects include roof improvements, which, like the asbestos removal, will be done regardless of the passing of the bond.

The cafeterias at both Grosse Pointe North and South high schools need a total of \$3.5 million in renovations.

These improvements include creating larger facilities that offer more flexibilbusiness affairs.

Approximately \$3.6 million has been set aside in the tary schools. bond for work on ceilings, floors and doors in schools across the district.

For example, according to Fenton, tiles are loose in the ceiling at Pierce Middle School, Maire Elementary School needs new carpeting in certain areas, and the floors at South need improvements.

Many areas across the district need air conditioning such as the teachers' meeting rooms and offices, libraries, music rooms, gymnasiums, multipurpose rooms, and third-floor classrooms at Maire, South and Richard Elementary School.

The cost of installing the air conditioning will be approximately \$3.7 million. The parking lots at many

of the schools require Suzanne Klein, the buildDespite a price tag of ity of use and can house a improvements costing a Work totaling \$500,000 ings "are aging gracefully, approximately \$4 million, larger number of students, total of \$2.6 million. Several also needs to be done on

Monteith and Ferry elemen-

Many classrooms in elerenovation, such as at tuckpointing, Kerby, Richard and screens and Kerby. Monteith. This would cost cafeteria equipment. approximately \$800,000.

Lockers in the hallways to be replaced, for a total of \$400,000.

Upon the construction of public libraries, the current school libraries at Parcells and Pierce need to be renovated for other uses. At a cost of \$300,000, this project will be completed regardless of the bond's approval.

Restrooms in the elemenschools require improvements of \$500,000, such as handicapped accessibility and stall reconfiguration.

but they are aging nonetheless."

the process of removing according to Chris Fenton, lots require a change in consuch things as fence replaceasbestos from buildings in assistant superintendent for figuration to better utilize ment along Sunningdale in figuration to better utilize ment along Sunningdale in the space, such as Brownell, Grosse Pointe Woods, at the rear of Pierce and at

Elworthy field. Other items on the list for mentary schools could use building improvements are window and screens and elementary

The list of projects comes to a total of \$24 million. A throughout the district need portion of this total will be spent on projects regardless if the bond passes or not.

Money will be used to new Woods and Park branch fund the necessary improvements from the general fund if the bond is not approved by voters on Sept. 24.

Note: This is the fifth in a series of articles detailing the bond. Other stories ran on June 27, July 18, August 1 and August 15. There will be at least one more before the vote on Sept. 24. Additional copies of these stories can be purchased for \$1 at the Grosse Pointe News offices, located on Kercheval

Sneak-peek

into college

The school year started

early for Grosse Pointe

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gave students a preview of

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# High schools welcome new students and parents

By Christine Budai Special Writer

incoming freshman class is 422, slightly smaller than last year's class of 446 stu- Academy prior to starting dents, said Al Diver, principal at Grosse Pointe South 27 High School.

School's incoming class also which makes it just about as big of a class as last year's, said North's assistant principal, Paul Pagel.

Both South and North have done three things to acclimate and welcome their new students.

"We have done several things," Diver said. "The first is freshmen orienta-tion. This just for the kids."

Run almost entirely by students, South's freshmen orientation is organized by the student activities group and tells incoming freshmen that night to listen to freshmen, along about the do's and don'ts of administrators, counselors high school. North's pro- and student leaders. That gram is similar.

to all students, but particularly to those who came from Grosse Pointe South's private schools. Heidi Getz and Page Louisell both went the Grosse Pointe at South on Tuesday, Aug.

"We've learned that high Grosse Pointe North High school is a lot different from middle school, especially has more than 400 students, because we were at a private school," Louisell said. "It is a big change."

Together, Louisell and Getz listened to student leaders such as 2003 class president Andi Nadeau speak about homecoming events.

Nadeau said the freshmen were great listeners as she and other leaders such as Sarah Nowosad and Kevin Krease filled them in on what to expect this year.

Following the students' program, parents gather same week, freshmen are Programs like freshmen exposed to the school yet orientation are very helpful again during registration,

Diver said.

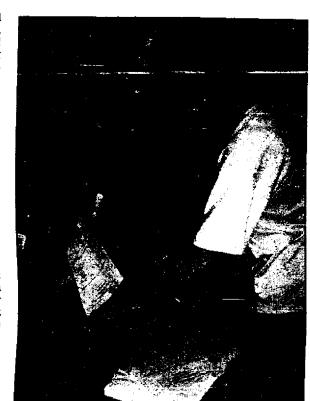
Unlike North's and South's orientation, University Liggett School welcomed its 50 incoming freshmen on a retreat to Camp Cavell, said Liggett's director of communication, Rhonda Welsh.

During the three-day retreat, students will get to know each other better, while they also learn about high school.

This will help them make the transition to high school, Welsh said.

Liggett will start school Wednesday, Sept. 4, she

Photo by Christine Budai Incoming freshmen at Grosse Pointe South High School discover how much paperwork accompanies their move up in the world. These with about 400 others, present at South's freshorientation men gram, Wednesday, Aug.





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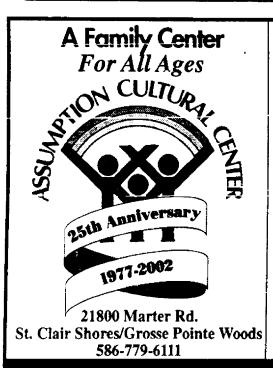
## Academy showcases technology

Grosse Academy will be participating in the AT&T/MACUL Student Technology Showcase among 500 students and teachers from more than 100 Michigan schools. The showcase will take place on Tuesday, Sept. 24 in Lansing.

Two separate groups of students will use computers and other electronic devices to show elected members of the Michigan State Senate and the House of Representatives how technology is being used in the classroom to facilitate learn-

The projects will cover a wide variety of areas, including distance learning, computer programming, ecommerce and other curriculum integration concepts.

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# **Harper Woods**

## uestions surround shooting on I-94

By Jason Sweeney Staff Writer

The sound of bullets which filled the morning of Thursday, Aug. 22, has been replaced by the sound of speculation in Harper . ظئنتن ٧٧

The altercation on I-94 near Allard, the first in which Harper Woods officers needed to fire their service revolvers and also the first in which an officer was shot, has been the topic of numerous questions. Some of the answers have now become apparent, while others may never be completely answered.

The question of which gun the bullets came from that fatally wounded Ryan Earle, a 25-year-old New Baltimore man and injured Sgt. Dennis Root of the Harper Woods Police Department may be the most important.

Detective Sgt. Robert Hendrix of the State Police's Highway Bureau said the investigation is still ongoing, but is not seeking a second suspect.

We still complete a thorough investigation as nor-mal," Hendrix said, the results of which are handed over to Wayne county.

The results of the investigation will give the Wayne County prosecutor's office a direction to look regarding whether the shooting was justified.

The officers under scrutiny will most likely be the two off-duty officers from Detroit who stopped at the accident scene.

The officers, a husband and wife traveling from a court appearance back to their home precinct, report-

edly identified themselves to the diner reported that the discharged their weapons, a sto. When he did not, they shot at Earle, who was later found to have been holding a toy weapon.

Whether anything will come of the investigation,



The gun used by Beale on I-94 to threaten police was found to be a plastic replica.

Hendrix said, "that's up to them (the presecutors)."

"It can go either way, depending upon how they look at it," he said.

The second topic of debate suspect still at large.

Debbie Rader, the waitress at TJ's diner, on Kelly near Moross was held at gunpoint in the robbery that preceded the crash and gunfire on the expressway.

"Before I could ask him what he wanted, he pulled the gun and demanded money," Rader said.

Rader, who said she spont more time looking at the gun than at the man, describes the pistol used in the robbery differently than the fake weapon found on I-

She also said that the man who chased the thief out of they know which officers

Earle and ordered him to gunman got into the passenger side of the pickup that later rammed the barrier of the Allard off-ramp.

The description of a tall man in a blue checkered shirt caused at least one store at Kelly and Vernier to close its doors for more than two hours, and electronic signs on the freeways gave the phone number for the Harper Woods Police Department for those with possible information about the crime to call in.

"That was a rumor," Hendrix said of the existence of a second suspect. "It ended up only being a rumor."

He said that conclusion the witness's statements, the officers' recollection of seeing only one suspect once the vehicle crashed and the combined efforts of Detroit and St. Clair Shores tracking dogs, which delivered negative results.

A possibly related incident has been the possibility of a in Detroit earlier that morning on Somerset goes further to strengthen the conclusion.

> A homeowner saw a suspicious vehicle, and a man whom she did not recognize, approaching her home. The man and the yellow Ford truck he was driving matched the descriptions of Earle. When she went inside the home and locked it, he went away.

A question that may remain unanswered after the case closes is that of what gun shot the errant bullet that struck Root.

Hendrix said that while

determination of which gun is responsible may never surface. The shot is being considered accidental.

Root was discharged from St. John's hospital during the late afterneon, Saturday, Aug. 24, according to Harper Woods Police Lawrence Semple.

"He is doing well and is in good spirits," said Semple.

Root will spend three months recovering, and will then undergo rehabilitation.

Root and his wife Donna, the dispatcher on duty during the robbery and shotout, told Semple to relay the message that they wish to retain their privacy in regards to the matter, but vas reached by examining are grateful for the department's and the city's support.



Photos By Brad Lindberg

Officers from five police agencies scoured both sides of the expressway for more than four hours Thursday, Aug. 23. Above, Detroit detectives examine the spot where Earle fell, while below, an officer kept watch over the yellow truck that for a time was believed to have held two suspects.



A shotgun start at 2 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 8 will kick off the third annual Harper Woods Dads' Club golf outing.

Played in memory of longtime member Dennis Rhodes, the tournament's profits will strengthen the club's efforts to build up the schools' sports, band, and other programs.

A \$70 registration fee for the event inludes greens fees, a chance at individual hole and overal prizes and a steak dinner. The deadline for registration is Aug. 31.

For information or to register, contact Marc Gooch at (586) 677-3814 or Bob Comfort at (313) 882-1508.

## Trinity Catholic: ready for big things this year

By Jason Sweeney Staff Writer

With enrollment back over 200, a staff strengthened by new ideas and new personnel and the task of building a tradition ahead, Trinity Catholic is poised for a big year.

Including more than 50 percent of St. Florian's enrollment from last year, Trinity, housed in the buildings which were home to Bishop Gallagher High School, saw a modest boom in enrollment this year, according Co-principal James Wasukanis.

"It's something I'd like to see

continue," he said. With an member, increase of 15 between the outgoing and incoming classes, that may come true.

Five of the teachers from move to Trinity, adding depth to her. the business, language and science departments.

Larry Geromin is one of the

teachers to make the switch. Geromin, who teaches physics and higher mathematics, explained the transition as being, "like walking in just like all the kids do, it's a learning experience on both sides."

He said, however, that he's received nothing but respect and friendly smiles from the students thus far, and that he hopes the positive atmosphere will continue.

Another new staff

White will be teaching social studies and religious courses. She said it has been a comfort to see some of the familiar faces Florian have also made the and it has been a large boost to

> "I hope my presence here is nice for the students (from Florian) too," she said. "Part of my coming here was to help bring everyone together."

> Longtime staffer Ron Biotti said. "I only feel bad that two traditions, in a sense by name, are done

> "But hopefully it's not over for the spirit of both schools. We have a great new opportunity for all of us here."

His sentiments were echoed by the second co-principal of Trinity, Pat Domagala. Domagala served as principal at Florian, and now shares duties with Wasukanis.

There won't be any favoritism played by one of the administrators for children who were at their old school, however.

"This is both our first year at Trinity," said Domagala. "It's a new school and neither of us has seniority over the other."

With the selection of school colors, a logo, and other big steps ahead, Domagala and Wasukanis both said that their main goal for this year is to forge unity and a new sense of community identity in the huilding.

As part of that effort, the class officers will not be selected until after Homecoming. The time to work with each other and get to know each other, noted Wasukanis, should allow the students to see their peers for their merits and not where they had attended school the previous year.

# Police

## Rx stolen

19800 block of Kelly lost \$41, his bike, and the medication he had come to claim Job hazards for his son on Saturday, Aug.

The man exited the store only to have a man with a biue steel pistol hold him up. When the thief wasn't happy with the amount of money the man had, he grabbed the medication as well.

## Won't grow up

Perhaps as a statement that the school year shouldn't start yet, a window of the media center of Beacon Elementary was smashed by vehicle carrying the susa brick sometime before pects pulled out of the lot. 10:30 p.m., Saturday, Aug.

While school officials were unable to secure or board up the window that night, they told police the motion sensors in place would keep resurface anyone from widening the 3to-4-inch hole into something large enough to gain access to the school and its valuables.

## Air grievance

The ignition of a 1991 Pontiac Grand Prix was punched while two brothers were shopping in the stores at Vernier and Kelly during the afternoon of Sunday,

Aug. 25. The driver had left his widow ajar to let in some fresh air but when the pair returned, the ignition had been punched out of the vehicle, though nothing of value was taken.

Police advise drivers to Woods. Send your question, A man who rode his bike vehicles before leaving them response to: to the pharmacy in the unattended, in order to selvaggir@harperwoods avoid similar damace

One of the employees of a deli in the 19500 block of Kelly was surprised when a customer entered the store and asked who owned a 1999 Chevy.

The vehicle, which had just been kicked by someone in the parking lot, belonged to the employee. A nine-inch dent had been kicked into the Chevy's fender. The worker's surprise faded when a moment later, at 2:17 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 25, a

The vehicle's owner knew the attackers, and provided their names to police.

## Scams

At least one report of another gypsy-style scam has been reported in Harper Woods. The suspects approach homes, offering to examine and repair portions of the roof of a house, but demand money up front.

Harper Woods Police warn citizens against paying for any unsolicited services and remind homeowners that if they believe they are being they should call the police at (313) 343-2540.

Harper Woods Public Safety Officer Sergeant Ralph Selvaggi is happy to answer questions about law enforcement in Harper

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#### CITY OF HARPER WOODS WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN SYNOPSIS: REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING **AUGUST 12, 2002**

The regular City Council meeting was called to order by Mayor Kenneth A. Poymer at 7.30 p.m.

ROLL CALL: All Council persons were present

MOTTONS PASSED

TIVINS PASSED

To receive, approve and file the minutes of the Regular City Council Meeting held on July 8, 2002, and the minutes of the Library Board Meetings held on June 20 and July 18, 2002, the Board of Zoning Appeals Meeting held on July 10, 2002, the Election Commission Meeting held on July 23, 2002, and the Board of Trustees Employees Retirement System Meeting held on July 29, 2002.

To open the Public Hearing on a proposed lot split at 20381 Hollywood.

To close the Public Hearing on a proposed lot split at 20381 Hollywood.

To hold a Philin Hearing on a proposed lot split at 20381 Hollywood.

To hold a Philin Hearing on Sentember 4, 2002 at 7:30 p.m. for the purpose of receiving public input and comment on the Local Law Enforcement Block Grant Program.

That the agenda of the Regular City Council Meeting having heen acted upon, the meeting is hereby adjourned at 8:43 p.m.

RESOLUTIONS PASSED

ESOLUTIONS PASSED

To approve the following items in the Consent Agenda:

1) Approve the Accounts Payable listing for Check Numbers 64016 through 64423 in the amount of \$3,563,748.32 as submitted by the City Manager and City Controller, and further, authorize the Mayor and City Clerk to sign the listing. 2) Approve payment to Dictaphone Corporation in the amount of \$6,859.71 for the one-year maintenance contract for the Prolog Communications Visice Recording System covering the period from August 1, 2002 through July 31, 2003 and the computer workstation. 3) Approve payment to Anderson, Eckstein & Westrick, Inc. in the amount of \$10, 121.40 for professional services during the month of June, 2002 for the following projects: Humper Augustic Repairs #1810-1757-2001 Payments Repair Program, \$180-051, 102.22 Approve payment in \$181-0757-2001 Payments Repair Program, \$180-057, Harper Alleys, #180-069, 2002 General, #180-071 and the Kelly Road Parking Improvement, #180-073, 4) Approve payment to Statewide Socurity Transport in the amount of \$18,587,28 for prisoner lodging and maintenance for the months of May and June 2002. 5) Approve payment in the amount of \$29,407,50 to Greer Construction, Inc. for Progress Payment No 3 on the Kelly Road Boulevard Island #10 Improvement Project. 6) Approve payment in the amount of \$114,512.00 to Wayne County for operation and maintenance costs for the Milk River Drain for the 4th quarter payment prived July to September, 2002. 7). Approve payment to the City of Gordon Pointe Woods in the amount of \$24,417.21 for Maryer weeks proportionate share of the Turrey Road Parking July Society and Parking Project of the Project of the City of Gordon Pointe Woods in the amount of \$24,417.21 for Maryer weeks proportionate share of the Turrey Road Parking July Society and Ferming Subdivision, so that it conforms with the existing north/south let the of lots 254 and 255 in accordance with plans on file with the City.

To cast the City's vote for the following persons to serve on the Board of Tr

iew une or iews 7-8 and 25 in accordance with plans on like with the City. To cast the City's vote for the following persons to serve on the Board of Trustees of the Michegan Municipal Worker's Compensation Fund. Claudia Brown, Mayor Pricem, Eaton Rapids, Joseph A. Grutza, Fire Chief, Tremon. Peter D. Stalker, City Manager, Cadillac, Paul E. Opsommer, Mayor, De Witt, Kevin Comish, Manager, Village of Clinton, Kevin Welch, Administrator/Controller, Allen Park, James E. Leedlein, City Monager.

Millage of Clinton, Kevin Welch, Administrator/Controller, Allon Park, James E. Leidlein, Cliny Manager.

To place for introduction and first reading an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance to Amend Chapter S, Article V, Swimming Profits of the City Code of Ordinances to Ad a Section Prohibiting Placement of Swimming Pools in Front or Side Yards," and Further, to direct the City Clerk to publish a notice of this in accordance with City.

Kenneth A. Poynter,

Mickey D. Todd,

City Clerk.

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# **Obituaries**



Jerome K. Abbs

## Jerome K. Abbs

Grosse Pointe Park resident Jerome "Jerry" Abbs, 86, died Tuesday, Aug. 20,

Mr. Abbs worked more than 40 years as an advertising executive in Detroit, first with Behr, Otto, Abbs and Austin and later with the firm Baker, Abbs, Cunningham Koppinger.

He handled many local accounts including the Detroit Tigers, Awrey and Sanders Bakeries and Better Made Potato Chips. He also wrote the "Munch. munch, munch a bunch of Fritos, corn chips" jingle.

A Master Gardener, he planted several varieties of crab apple trees and was a published author on the sub-

He worked tirelessly for the Grosse Pointe Park Beautification Commission and in 1992 was honored with the dedication of the Jerome K. Abbs Arboretum in Grosse Pointe Park. He received the also Service "Outstanding Award" from the Keep Michigan Beautiful Commission.

His lasting legacy to the community can be seen in the beauty of thousands of trees, which he was instrumental in planting, that line the streets of Grosse Pointe Park.

Mr. Abbs was also president of the Crescent School PTA for many years and a member of the St. Paul Men's Bowling League.

He is survived by his wife of more that 50 years, Jane; daughters Cecily (Frank) Rusch, Nancy (Rich) Rappa and Shelagh Winter; son Women

By Bonnie Caprera

Proceeds benefit

Habitat for Humanity-

"Since we opened in

August 2000, we've turned

enough back to fund three

houses — about \$180,000,"

said ReStore manager Larry

has dismantled 18 homes for

reusable building materials

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In addition to gutting

ReStore accepts building

material donations from

individuals and companies

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Salive also said ReStore is

quickly outgrowing its cur-

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'What's so neat is that

been wonderful to us," Salive said. "They've been

our number one donors."

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Staff Writer

Detroit.

Salive.

David (Allison) and eight grandchildren.

A funeral Mass was celebrated Friday, Aug. 23 at St. Paul's Catholic Church in Grosse Pointe Farms.

### Charles Leonard Backman

St. Clair Shores resident Charles Leonard Backman. 75, passed away on Friday, Aug. 23, 2002, at St. John Hospital.

Born in Grosse Pointe Farms in 1927, Mr. Backman graduated frem St. Paul's Catholic School in 1945.

He served in the U.S. Army in World War II and was lieutenant of the Grosse Farms Pointe Department from 1950 to 1989.

Mr. Backman's interests included spending time with friends and family, especially his grandchildren, home improvement, and traveling.

He is survived by his wife, Betty; his daughter, Becky Wallace (Alan), his son, Brian (Jeanette); and his grandchildren, Rachel, Hillary and Christian Backman.

Mr. Backman was predeceased by his sister, Myra Supanich; and his brother, Ignatius

A funeral Mass was celebrated at St. Isaac Jogues Church Catholic Wednesday, Aug. Interment is at Sepulchre Cemetery.

## Carol Jean Edmondson Hackman

Former longtime Grosse Pointe Farms resident Carol Jean Edmondson Hackman, 79, passed away on Tuesday, July 23, 2002 in Virginia Beach, Va.

Born in Detroit, Mrs. Hackman graduated from Michigan State University in 1944.

She worked as a prekindergarten teacher and an adult education teacher for the Grosse Pointe Public School System, as well as an art teacher for the Detroit Board of Education.

Mrs. Hackman was a member of the Grosse Pointe Artists Association, the Detroit Society of donated time Women Painters, the raise money.

Reusable building materials

to 'ReStore' older homes

Lakeside Palette Club and Delta Zeta fraternity. Her paintings were exhib-

ited statewide. Mrs. Hackman is survived

by her daughters, Susan Hackman of Richmond, Va. and Sharon Hackman of Virginia Beach.

A memorial service will be held at a later date in Detroit.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Diabetes American Association, 6340 Center Drive, Building 7, Suite 129, Norfolk, VA 23502.

## Thomas W. Jipson

Grosse Pointe Farms resident Thomas Jipson, 80, passed away on Thursday, Aug. 22, 2002 at St. John Senior Community.

Born in Chicago to Ferne and Elon Jipson, he was a graduate of Ohio Wesleyan University.

He served in the U.S. Army Air Corps during World War II as a navigator in the Pacific.

Mr. Jipson was a former account executive with DB Advertising Brothers Agency, a former advertising and marketing executive with Ford Motor Company. He began his career with his father at Jipson Art Studio.

He is survived by his wife, Joyce; his sons, Thomas and James, his step-daughter, Pamela Adragna (Joseph); his grandchildren, Jessica, Rochelle and Ellen; and his sister, Jeanne Ludtke

A private service will be held at a later date.

## Dalina Rossi Knous

Former Grosse Pointe resident Dalina Rossi Knous, 89, passed away on Thursday, Aug. 15, 2002 at St. John Senior Community in Detroit.

A 1933 graduate from Grosse Pointe High School, Mrs. Knous lived and worked in the Grosse Pointes and the east side of Detroit until her death.

For more than 25 years, Mrs. Knous worked as a dietition and cafeteria manager in the Detroit Public Schools.

She was an active member of the Scottish Terrier Club of Michigan, for which she donated time and talent to

## Peter Hayden Morgan Grosse Pointe Woods resi-

involved with church organi-

zations, having attended St.

Clare of Montefalco, Calvin

Presbyterian Church East

and Christ Church Grosse

Mrs. Knous is survived by

her daughters, Elizabeth

"Penny" A. Soby and Deborah J. Knous; her

grandchildren, Erika (Scott)
D. Davis and Brigit H. Soby;

her sisters, Angela H. Rossi,

Rose Rossi, Mary Louise

She was predeceased by

at Christ Church Grosse

Pointe on Monday, Aug. 19.

Interment is at Cadillac

Arrangements were made

Memorial contributions

may be made to Christ

Church Grosse Pointe Choir

Fund, 61 Grosse Pointe

Blvd., Grosse Pointe Farms,

MI 48236 or St. Clare of

Montefalco Church, 1401

Verheyden Funeral

Memorial Gardens East.

husband, Harry

(Manuel) Juarez.

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dent Peter Hayden Morgan, 50, died at home, Thursday, Aug. 22, 2002.

Mr. Morgan was a graduate of Austin High School. He recently retired after working 26 years in graphic arts for Ford Motor Company. He was a sports and car enthusiast.

He is survived by his wife Peggy; sons Peter Jr. and Philip; his mother, Veronica; his father, James; his stepmother, Sharon; sisters Mulholland, Susanne Morgan, Vickie, Bernadette, Dodie and Rosemary; and brothers, Gregory, Michael, Mark and Paul.

SUPER SHARP

CHEESE.



Peter Hayden Morgan

Mrs. Knous was also Services held were interested in knitting and Saturday, Aug. 24 at the A. crocheting. She donated H. Peters Funeral Home in afghans, scarves, vests and Grosse Pointe Woods. mittens to various charities. She also was actively

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society.



## George S. Read

Longtime Grosse Pointe resident George S. Read, 86. passed away on Friday, August 2, 2002, in Olathe, Kansas.

and raised in Born Madison, Wis., Mr. Read graduated from University of Wisconsin, where he majored in Greek and Latin.

Whittier, Grosse Pointe Park, MI 48230 In 1939, he began a career in international banking, joining the First National City Bank of New York at its branch in Shanghai, China.

Following the attack on Pearl Harbor, he was interned by the Japanese. He escaped in early 1942 and with two comrades, made his way to safety, mostly on foot, across 1,800 miles of Japanese-occupied

After returning to the United States, he enlisted and served for the remainder of World War II as a Navy lieutenant in the South Pacific.

In 1946, Mr. Read married Julia Schairer and moved to Shanghai, where he resumed his banking career. Following the Communist revolution in 1947, the Reads left China, living in Manila, Hong Kong and Singapore.

They returned to the United States in 1953, whereupon Mr. Read joined the Northern Trust Company of Chicago as head of its international banking division.

In 1966, they moved to Detroit, where Mr. Read became vice president of the City National Bank of Detroit.

Following his retirement, Mr. Read continued to live in Grosse Pointe. He remained a voracious reader, world traveler and collector of antique maps.

The Reads moved to Olathe, Kansas, in 2001 to be near their son.

He is survived by his wife, Julia: his son, George Sullivan, Jr. (Maureen); and two grandsons, William and Thomas.

A memorial service will be held on Friday, August 30 at 11 a.m. at Jefferson Avenue Presbyterian Church, 8625 E. Jefferson Ave., in Detroit.

Memorial contributions may be made to Recording for the Blind and Dyslexic, 20 Roszel Rd., Princeton, N.J. 08540.

## Gerald Frederick Robbins

Gerald Frederick Robbins. 74, of Delray Beach, Fla., passed away on Wednesday. Aug. 21, 2002.

A memorial service was held on Aug. 24 at Babione Funeral Home in Boca Raton, Fla.

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## **Obituary Guidelines**

The deadline for submitting obituaries is 3 p.m. on the Monday prior to the Thursday publication.

An obituary, unlike a eulogy, is a brief, factual, biographical account of an individual's life and includes memorial/interment information. The Grosse Pointe News and The Connection provide a form for obituary information and all prewritten submissions will be edited for content and newspaper style preferences.

Please limit written obituaries to 300 words.

The fees are \$100 for placement in the Grosse Pointe News or \$50 for placement in The Connection. Only funeral homes will be billed. Family or individual submissions must be paid prior to publication. They can be paid by check, Master Card, h Receints ar a upon request.

Color or black and white, 35 mm or high-resolution digital (.JPG format) photographs may be submitted for publication. For additional information, call (313) 343-5592.



Baby Back Ribs.

### One house comes down. Many more are looking up. Before Clark and Susan Durant ordered their house on Chalfonte in Grosse Pointe Farms torn down in order to build a new one, employees from ReStore came out and saw that the house's doors, carpet and lighting and plumbing fixtures were put to better use. ReStore sells used and overstocked building materi-

Photo by Bonnie Caprara

employees Juan Weich and James Williams roll up a carpet in a home owned by Clark and Susan Durant in Grosse Pointe Farms. The carpet and other fixtures from the house were donated to ReStore, a building materials resale store, which raises funds for Habitat for Humanity-Detroit pro-

So far this year, ReStore them.

had another house to give Hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday. ReStore is located at 3080

For more information, call E. Outer Drive in Detroit. (313) 891-STORE.

City of Grosse Painte Farms, Michigan **SPECIAL NOTICE** 

## HOLIDAY RUBBISH SCHEDULE for LABOR DAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 2002

There will be no residential or commercial rubbish collection on Monday, September 2, 2002.

All residential rubbish routes will be one day late. Examples: Monday's routes will be collected on Tuesday; Tuesday's routes on Wednesday, etc.

Friday's residential rubbish routes will be collected on

Tuesday and Friday's commercial routes will be collected on

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

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## og days of summer end at Labor Day holiday The lazy, crazy days of 8,872.

on break to every point of points, or 1.4 the compass, caused volume close at 1,381. to contract again last week.

With the elongated holiday already started today, always a troubled month. this week could post a nearrecord, five-day low in trading volume.

h Treasury bond market is more honest. It will officially close 2 p.m. Friday, Aug. 30 (the last trading day of the month).

Institutional Mengden

investors, hedge funds and floor traders will be conspicuous by their absence Friday. Everyone wants to "be even" over the long weekend just in case something happens somewhere in the world that upsets the market next Tuesday morning.

### The week that was

The week that was. It was, because it happened! The stock market has rallied for five weeks now, but hiccuped last Friday with a sharp pullback.

Investors back asked their brokers, "What personal solvency. Inflation happened?" The broker is the most insidious tax, asked his/her branch man- like a thief stealing a minusager, "What happened?" The cule part of our purchasing manager phoned the home power, night after night. office, "What happened?" The clerk in NYC replied in Brooklynese, "Nuttin' hop- several interesting sites pin'; the buying stopped!"

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summer, with Wall Streeters Composite crept up 20 points, or 1.4 percent, to

> Now we look over the weekend into September, The month preceding the end of a quarter is often besieged by "confessions" and "lowered expectations."

Have you ever wondered how so many S&P 500 companies announce quarterly earnings just pennies above the "consensus" of street estimates?

It's because they announced lower expectations just 12 days before, giving analysts time to lower their estimates for the revised consensus.

But nobody says that this year's actual earnings were 28 percent below last year!

## Life expectancy

For investment planning, life expectancy is very important, defining a time horizon for an individual's portfolio. The greatest fear of most investors is that their life will last longer than their money.

During the past decade, many of us have given little serious thought to inflation home and its possible threat to our

By searching for "life expectancy" on the Internet, appear. Northwestern Last week, the Dow post- Mutual Life sponsors "The ed a net gain of 94 points, or Longevity Game," a do-it-1.1 percent, to finish at yourself, fill-in-the-answer

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## Let's talk...STOCKS

You can customize your life expectancy based on present age, gender, blood pressure, height and weight, limited family health history, exercise status, stress, driving violations, use of seatbelts, smoking experience, drug use and diet.

That quiz then prints out your life expectancy in years. LTS' Northwest Mutual's expected years were four less than that produced by a shorter quiz from LongToLive.Com.

The IRS Life Expectancy table is not so scientific, since it doesn't even differentiate for gender. The IRS table is a mandatory part of determining when your IRA taxable distributions must commence.

One of the basic ingredients in life expectancy is present age. The mortality tables assume that the fittest (healthwise) survive the longest (ignoring random accidents).

When LTS was 65, the IRS tables then quoted a life expectancy that was slightly less than today's IRS tables for age 65. The new tables probably reflect today's longer life attributed to better health care.

A: LTS' present age, the life expectancy is even longer, probably reflecting the mortality of the persons who predeceased LTS. These new numbers were surprising, and well-received!

### Asset allocation

Longevity has a direct effect on one's portfolio asset allocation between equities (stocks and mutual funds) and fixed-income securities (bonds and preferred stocks).

Estate planners have long advised reducing the equity exposure at retirement, with periodic (five years?) reviews thereafter. This investment philosophy was based on the premise that stocks are riskier than bonds, and at old age there is often not enough lifetime left for equities to recover from a severe market decline (like now).

The following rule of thumb has often been used to determine the proper equity exposure within a portfolio: Subtract your present age from 100 for maximum equity allocation.

LTS believes that this formula may result in extremely low equity participation as the average lifespan continues to increase, even dramatically.

For example: Using the IRS tables, a person age 70 today has a life expectancy of 16 years, or to age 86. Even at that "young" age, a portfolio with only 14 percent equities seems too extreme!

## Income tax alert

LTS sponsor John M. Rickel, CPA, attorney and tax consultant, just pointed out a very interesting tax strategy which might be interesting to those fortunate individuals who have and be eligible to "receive" a accumulated taxable capital gains in 2002.

Certain mutual funds held huge positions in stocks that recently filed Chapter XI bankruptcy. If these funds held "high cost" shares, they could have sizable unrealized or partially realized capital losses (compared to their average cost).

The fund would offset such losses against previously realized gains or against unrealized other gains taken prior to the end of its fiscal year (usually Oct. 31). If, at the end of its fiscal

year, the fund still had a net its shareholders December.

An individual could pur-

## Stock Market at a Glance

Friday Close, 8/16/02 Dow Jones Ind......8,873 NASDAQ Comp......1,381 S&P 500 Index.....941 \$ in EUROs......0.9731 Crude Oil (Bbl.).....28.63 Gold (Oz.).....306.70 3-Mo. T-Bills...... .....1.64% 30-Yr. T-Bonds.............5.03%

pro-rata share of the fund's capital loss distribution in December.

An individual would combine all his or her capital gains and losses on Schedule D for income tax purposes. Thus the loss "received" from the fund shares would offset other personal gains and losses.

LTS is not licensed to give tax advice, which should be obtained from a profession-

Joseph Mengden is a resi- dent of the City of Grosse Pointe and former chairman of First of Michigan, "Let's ". Talk Stocks" is sponsored by realized capital loss, it the following Grosse Pointe would distribute such loss to investment-related firms: John M. Rickel, CPA, P.C.; " Rickel & Baun P.C.; Investment Counsel Inc. and

## chase this fund's shares now A. G. Edwards & Sons Inc. is for peaches and PhotoShop

My grandfather used to say, "Too soon old. Too late smart."

True or not, this week we're going to work on smart." And as the kids return to school, so can we. There are computer classes all over the Grosse Pointe

map. Let's start with the Grosse Pointe school system computer education classes coming up next month. They have a new offering, a class called Computer Internet Security. Despite my extensive knowledge of computers (OK, I read a book on them once), I always wonder if some new interloper may have found a way to hack into my computer or follow my electron trail on the Internet to see where I've been, as boring as it may be.

The one-day seminar offered by the school system on Friday, Sept. 20, from 5 to 8:30 p.m. should give you a little more piece of mind. It's in early to mid-October. designed to protect your computer dat protect yourself.

nity education listings, the but are afraid to because class will cover "desktop, file you had a bad experience? and folder security." It will also address basic e-mail all these questions? security, virus protection



software and firewalls.

There is also a class I wish I had taken before I decided to learn computers the hard way, by trial and error. Naturally, it's called. "Computers Made Simple/Internet." You'll learn the basic skills to get the most out of your computer. All the classes begin in mid- to late September.

Other classes offered include one for using the personal computer (PC) operating system, Microsoft Windows, and others cover Excel and PowerPoint programs. These classes start

Have you had your comwhile? Does it browsing the Internet, you longer to start programs or could well be leaving a trail download information? Does of your own. This class it crash for no apparent reaasserts it can teach you to son? Are there programs that you would like to According to the commu- remove from your computer, Are you tired of my asking

Relief is just a War

Memorial away.

The War Memorial is offering a "Computer Tuneup" class on Thursday, Sept. 12, from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. They will show you how to remove programs without driving over the proverbial computing cliff. You'll also learn how to use some of those fancy maintenance tools that you've been afraid to touch for fear of putting the old PC into orbit.

More down-to-Earth, my wife and I traveled to the Peach Festival at Niagaraon-the-Lake a couple of weeks ago to meet some outof-state friends for a weekend of fun. We made most our reservations using the vacy from prying eyes. After seem to take longer and Internet, but that has nothing to do with anything.

One of my buddies has been into computers for longer than I have, so I wasn't surprised to see him shooting everything in sight with his new digital camera. What did surprise me were the 122 digital photographs of our trip he e-mailed to me.

No, I am not exaggerating. I counted them - 122 pictures of us doing anything and everything. More yogurt than allowed by the mail

don't care if you are redundant as long as you don't repeat yourself over and over.) It should be noted that he used an Internet online program to send them, so we could order hard copies of the ones we liked. We didn't.

Now that I'm finished meandering, let's cut to the chase. The Neighborhood Club is offering a one-night course called Digital Essentials in Camera September, October and November. If you don't have a digital camera, that's a good thing. One of the things they will cover is selecting a digital camera. Photo-to-PC transferring, picture enhancing (bigger peach ice cream cones?) and how to send photos over the Internet to unsuspecting friends and relatives will be covered.

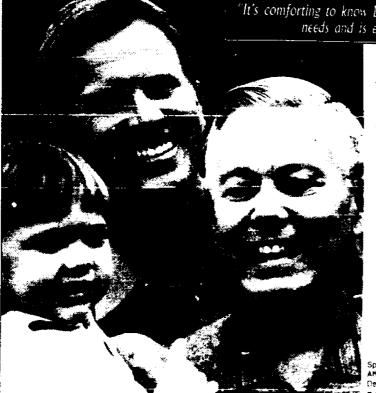
One of my favorite topics will be on photo retouching using the Adobe PhotoShop program. You can start with the attached photo of me. Winner gets a free mention in this column and maybe I can get the editor to run the picture. Do NOT send a picture of Mr. Ed. It's not funny. OK, it's funny, as long as I only get ONE

The War Memorial course will also teach you to organize your photo collections with a CD-ROM burner and slide show software. Remember, "P" is for peach.

Have a tech question or subject you would like addressed in this column? pictures of people eating Want to comment or add peach ice cream and peach your two cents worth? My eaddress redundancy law. (Note: I mmaurer@bizserve.com.

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# City, Farms pools open until 9/15

Residents in the City of pool hours at Neff Park Grosse Pointe and Grosse Pointe Farms will enjoy an extended summer as their municipal pools will Pointe Shores' Osius Park remain open through will close Saturday, Sept. Sunday, Sept. 15.

Post-Labor Day pool hours at the Farms Pier front parks in Grosse Park and the City's Neff Pointe Park and Grosse Park are Monday through Pointe Woods will close at Friday from 4 p.m. until 8 the end of the day on p.m. Weekend pool hours Labor Day.

are from noon to 9 p.m. The pool at Grosse

The pools at the lake-

at Pier Park are from noon to 8 p.m. Weekend

— Bonnie Caprara

Credit card swiped

A Grosse Pointe Farms woman reported that someone stole her credit card sometime between Monday, Aug. 12, and Friday, Aug. 16, while she was a patient in a City of Grosse Pointe hospital.

The absconder made two charges totaling \$119.66 on the card on Wednesday, Aug.

## Suspect caught

A 40-year-old Detroit man, who was wanted for two armed robberies in the City of Grosse Pointe and one armed robbery in Grosse Pointe Farms, was appre-hended by City, Farms and Detroit police on Monday, Aug. 19.

A City officer saw the Detroit man riding his bike on St. Clair south of Mack at about 9:40 p.m. The man twice refused to stop for officers before he ran into a house in the 3000 block of Bluehill in Detroit, where officers found him in a tunnel leading out of the basement.

The man was arraigned in the City municipal court and is awaiting trial in the County Jail. Municipal Judge Russel Ethridge set his bond at \$250,000 for the two charges in the City and \$150,000 for the charge in the Farms.

By Brad Lindberg

Grosse Pointe Woods offi-

cials have given one of their

public safety officers the

city's first-ever Life Saving

A ceremony this week also

featured an officer who put

car thieves out of business

and recovered a stolen vehi-

of public safety, praised the officers for diligence and

outstanding performance.

Mike Makowski, director

Officer James Arthur, who

joined the Woods force six

years ago following employ-

ment as a member of the

Detroit police department,

was recognized for saving

the life of a choking victim

last spring at a local restau-

Staff Writer

Award.

## Bikes stolen

Three bikes were stolen in Grosse Pointe Park on Monday, Aug. 19.

A blue GT mountain bike and a blue sparkle BMX bike were taken from a rear yard in the 1200 block of Beaconsfield sometime between 8 and 10 p.m.

A 24-inch black men's Schwinn Sidewinder bike was taken from an unlocked garage in the 700 block of Lakepointe.

No serial numbers or license numbers were recorded on the bikes.

Two bikes were stolen outside of a store in the 17100 block of Kercheval on Sunday, Aug. 25.

A St. Clair Shores boy reported a black mountain bike taken from the rear of the store between 5:55 and 6:04 p.m. The bike was unlocked.

A 14-year-old Detroit boy reported his black Huffy mountain bike taken from in front of the store sometime between 4:45 and 5:30 p.m.

## Cars stolen

Whoever stole a purse from inside a house in the 200 block of Roosevelt Place in the City of Grosse Pointe also made off with a 2001 Cadillac.

The purse and the car taken sometime were between 8 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 18, and 9:30 a.m. Monday,

Life-saving, crime-fighting

arrive at the scene of the

emergency. He performed

the Heimlich maneuver to

dislodge a piece of food from

"Medics confirmed that

Makowski praised Arthur

Arthur has had other life-

"It always makes you feel

Makowski said the life-

saving award is a new cate-

gory of honors for public

Officer James Burgess

received a Department

Commendation for keeping

without Arthur, the subject

may have choked to death,"

for his "outstanding perfor-

mance that resulted in the

saving experiences in

the victim's throat.

Makowski said.

saving of a life."

good." he said.

safety officers.

Detroit.

**GPW** officers honored

## PUBLIC SAFETY REPORTS

Aug. 19.

The car was later recovered in Detroit, but \$200 in cash, a cell phone and credit cards that were in the purse remain missing.

A resident of the 800 block of Fisher in the City reported his 2000 blue Jeep Cherokee stolen Chalfonte sometime between 6:30 and 7 a.m. on Friday, Aug. 23.

Forty cases of sample drugs were inside the vehi-

## Wardrobe wranglers

Two women were seen running out of a store with \$848 worth of clothes in the 16800 block of Kercheval in the City of Grosse Pointe on Wednesday, Aug. 21, at 11:**46 a.m**.

The women were seen get-Chevrolet Lumina on Kercheval, which then headed southbound on Notre

lic safety officers were unable to locate a man who ran out of a store in the 17100 block of Kercheval with a shopping basket full

Burgess, who came to the

Woods two years ago from

Detroit, made the arrests

while working undercover

in an area we were giving

special attention," he said.

"I was in an unmarked car

He saw three suspicious

"They had stolen the van

20 minutes ago in Harper

Woods and were in Grosse

Pointe Woods to steal anoth-

and coordinated the capture

of the three subjects. He

even caught one man him-

self. A forth man serving as

a lookout was also arrested.

Burgess did a really good

Rather than running in and

scaring the men away, he

Makowski said.

Burgess called for backup

er vehicle," Burgess said.

surveillance last June.

men pull up in a van.

of goods he didn't pay for on Thursday, Aug. 22 at 7:40 p.m.

However, the officers did find the cart, which contained a microwave oven and a vacuum cleaner, inside the city-owned parking structure in the Village.

## Cars damaged

The owner of a 2002 Honda Civic in the 300 block of Washington in the City of Grosse Pointe woke up to find her driver's side door

damaged on Friday, Aug. 23. The car was parked in the street.

A Wixom man reported the driver's side rear window of his 1998 Ford Explorer parked in the first block of Grosse Pointe Boulevard was broken sometime between 4 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 24, and 10 a.m. Sunday, Aug. 25.

No entry was made into ting into a waiting four-door nor was anything taken from the vehicle.

## Underage drinkers

Clean getaway
City of Grosse Pointe public safety officers broke up a group of youths congregating on the grounds of a school in the 100 block of Lakeshore at 11:27 p.m. on Saturday, Aug. 24.

Officers\_found a two-liter bottle of cola and a 3/4empty bottle of rum hidden behind one of the tires of a car parked in the lot. Five youths — a 17-year-old Grosse Pointe Park male, a 16-year-old Grosse Pointe Farms female, two 16-yearold Park females and a 17year old male whose residence was not identified were found to have had alcohol in their systems and ticketed for being minors in possession of alcohol.

## OUILs in the

## **Farms**

An 18-year-old Grosse Pointe Woods man got the attention of a Grosse Pointe Farms public safety officer when his car was seen traveling on the left side of the road on Calvin with his lights off on Friday, Aug. 23, at 1:35 a.m.

The man, who admitted to drinking two beers at a friend's house that evening, attempted to call his father on his cell phone after failing a series of sobriety tests. When he refused to put the phone away after several requests, officers restrained

the man against the trunk of 'Safety Man' is his car.

While having his chemical test rights read to him at the Farms public safety station, the man began to argue he was not read the charges brought against him. He then started reading another section of the test rights so loudly that he could not hear the officer. He later yelled, cried and struck a phone receiver against a wall after being asked to end a phone call.

A 52-year-old Farms man was pulled over when a Farms officers clocked his 2002 silver Ford Focus traveling 40 mph on Moran between Mack and Chalfonte on Friday, Aug. 23, at 11:40 p.m.

He failed a series of field sobriety tests and recorded blood alcohol levels of .15 and .17 percent.

A 44-year-old San Jose, Calif., man was arrested for drunken driving after he was seen driving about 60 mph and almost crashed his 2002 blue Suzuki Aerio into a marked Farms squad car Farms on Sunday, Aug. 25, ing. at 2:26 a.m.

Two readings of the man's blood alcohol level were .23 and .21 percent.

## De-briefcased

A 27-year-old St. Clair Shores man claimed two women, a 22-year-old woman and a 23-year-old woman both from White Lake, may have been involved in the disappearance of his wallet and briefcase in the early morning hours of Saturday, Aug. 24.

The St. Clair Shores man said he and a friend met the women at a bar and brought them to a house in the 900 block of Lakeshore in Grosse Pointe Shores, where he was staying. The items were discovered missing after the women left the house around 5 a.m.

— Bonnie Caprara

## Loose pit bull Grosse Pointe Woods

police have cited the owner of an allegedly dangerous pit bull who neighbors in the 700 block of Hampton claim has been roaming the neighborhood all summer "and almost attacked children on the street."

At noon on Friday, Aug. 23, an officer informed a member of the dog owner's family that "pit bull dogs are not allowed in the city.'

## in danger

Police are on the lookout for a three-foot, neon-green "Safety Man." He was last seen Thursday, Aug. 22, at 10 p.m. holding a neon-orange flag on the front lawn of a house in the 800 block of Hampton in Grosse Pointe Woods.

The homeowner told police she bought the Safety Man for \$23 to warn speeders to slow down on her street.

## Party crashers

A Grosse Pointe Woods woman told police nearly a dozen partying youths "scattered" when she told them she'd called police.

On Friday, Aug. 23, at about 10:30 p.m., the woman had alerted officers to what she described as 20 to 30 "loud, vulgar (and) intoxicated" teenagers at a house in the 2100 block of Ridgemont.

Two officers entered the home to find three male and two female teens, all aged 14 to 16, sitting on a couch. on Mack near Manor in the None showed signs of drink-

The female host said she had recently told a group of unwelcome party crashers to leave the property because they'd been drinking. Police said the girl's mother was at

## Purse stolen and recovered

On Friday, Aug. 23, at about 1:30 p.m., a woman told police someone stole her purse from her unlocked car parked at Mason Elementary School in Grosse Pointe Woods.

Nearly six hours later, a Woods officer learned the purse had been recovered from a dumpster at a service station on Mack and Vernier.

By the time the victim canceled her credit cards, someone had charged \$400.

## Water world

Residents in the 900 block of Canterbury in Grosse Pointe Woods had a lot of mopping up to do when someone fed a garden hose through their front door.

Police learned of the incident shortly after 6 a.m. on Thursday, Aug. 22.

An investigator reported severe water damage to the front foyer, living room carpet, basement ceiling and floor. Personal items in the basement, including furniture, was soaked."

## cool and acting fast in the called for backup and set up Arthur was the first to nabbing of car thieves. a surveillance." Grosse Pointe Farms man gets two years for tax scheme

Grosse Pointe Farms resident Mark Van Sile was sentenced to 24 months in prison, two years supervised prison, two years supervised the names "Precision release and fined \$50,000 in Plastics" and "Active U.S. District Court in Ann Accounting Services." The Arbor on Thursday, Aug. 22.

The sentence follows an April 25 guilty plea to filing a 1996 tax return in the fictitious name of "Eddie fictitious tax Abbott," claiming a tax lent returns. refund. The "Eddie Abbott" Using a co return was one of almost 300 fraudulent tax returns claiming refunds Van Sile created.

Sile created a false birth certiticate in the name of Parcei Service. "James Spencer" and opened

boxes and private mail Spencer's" name, where he boxes under the guise of conducting businesses under post office was provided the names of people who would be receiving mail, which later corresponded with the fictitious taxpayer's fraudu-

Using a computerized tax preparation program, Van W-2 forms indicating that the fictitious taxpayers were employed at such companies In 1996 and 1997, Van as General Motors, Modern Engineering and the United

planned on depositing the Internal Revenue Service refund checks, which would have exceeded \$2 million. The returns were never processed.

"Mr. Van Sile went to elaborate lengths to cheat the American public, and because of the vigilance of the IRS detection teams and the U.S. postal inspectors, Sile generated fraudulent he was not able to reap any financial benefit from his fraudulent scheme," said Mark Kroczynski, special agent in charge of IRS Investigation. Criminal The IRS was able to stop all Van Sile also opened a checks issued in this

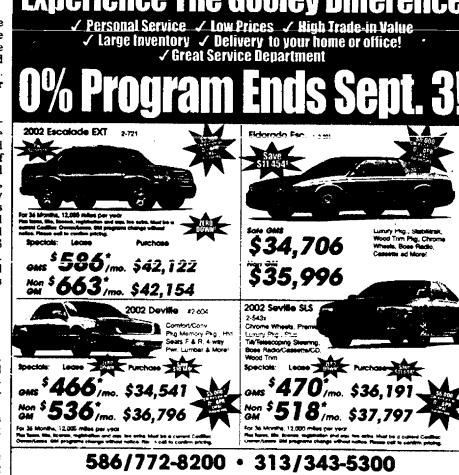
approximately 40 post office checking account in "James 3 named to Shores harbor committee

> Shores resident for 40 years. She was a member of the ad hoc committee for the activities building and is a power and sail boater.

> Cooper's appointments were unanimously approved by the village council. These three people

> posess not only outstanding credentials, but impeccable reputations among our community," Cooper said.

The first harbor committee meeting will be held



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#### By Bonnie Caprara Staff Writer Pointe Shores Grosse

President Dr. James Cooper appointed three residents to the village's new harbor committee.

and Cheryl Cusmano were selected out of 30 people who volunteered for the one-year committee seats

Volmer is a self-employed businessman and a 22-year resident of the Shores. He trustee of the Grosse Pointe

Improvement Foundation, chair and cochair of Grandparent's Day for five years and a lifetime

Kopf, a retired engineer-Bruce Volmer, Bruce Kopf ing director at Ford Motor Co., has lived in the Shores for 18 years. He is the vice president of the Grosse Pointe Shores Improvement Foundation and is an avid

Cusmano, a vice president has been an officer and of a market research and Monday, Sept. 9, at 7 p.m. consulting firm, has been a and is open to the public.



# **Section B** Grosse Pointe News

# Expanding the family album:

Pointers experience the world through foreign exchange

Staff Writer
Families throughout the Grosse Pointes have opened their doors to welcome students into their homes through foreign exchange

programs.
These families help the students experience the everyday lifestyles of a different culture as they attend a local public school.
Grosse Pointe Shores resident Dan Beck and his wife, Jackie,

have hosted five students over the years through AFS Intercultural Programs USA. They have welcomed students from Switzerland, Austria, Japan, Germany and Holland.

"Having an exchange student is a wonderful experience," Dan Beck said. The

years we had a stu-dent living with us were the best years we've had." AFS hosts over 2,400 high school studente from around the world in communities across the United States. The organization has also sept approximately 2,000 American students to 44 different countries.

A nonprofit orga-

Rotary offers a similar program

called Rotary Youth Exchange.

According to the Rotary

nization, AFS has

Photo courtesy of paris.org

been leading student exchange for more than 50 The Grosse Pointe Sunrise

families she stayed with helped her to travel the country, going on vacations to places such as Chicago, New Orleans and

The Colosseum

(www.rotary.org), "Involvement

with an exchange student chal-

lenges the members of the host

family to become familiar with

another culture. It provides an

the Rotary

Exchange pro-

According to

the Sunrise

South during

the 2001-02

dent's hopes and ambitions.

International Web site

a senior from Russia, will attend South through the Rotary's Youth Exchange Program. The Rotary

also has sent two South grad. uates to experience foreign countries. Smolenski will spend the

school year in Spain, while opportunity to share a young stu-Kennedy will Every year approximately 7,000 travel to students ages 15 to 19 go abroad through

"I am thrilled for my daughter to get to see a different part of the world." said City of Grosse Pointe resident Paula Smolenski.

Rotary President, Kim Paula and her Youngblood, family have Elena Erre, a hosted 10 students from all over senior in high the world through different proschool from grams, including the Rotary's Italy, attended Youth Exchange.

Grosse Pointe "The kids who get to do this are really lucky," Smolenski said. "They are so grateful and they school year. The learn so much. The whole purpose of the program is 'Peace through understanding.

"If they go home and look at things differently for the rest of Alaska.

This year, Marina Chigoshvily, their lives, it is rewarding.

Through the experience, my kids



Expanding her family album, Italian student Elena Erre (center) poses with those who have welcomed her into their home. From left, Elena's parents,

Rosella and Pierpaolo Erre, Kim and Tom Youngblood, Paula and Don Smolenski and Lee Davis and Fred Zosal.

have developed a litte bit of understanding, great new friends and a new place to visit — it opens up a whole new world."

Elementary school students in Grosse Pointe have also had the opportunity to participate in a similar foreign exchange program with French Back to Back.

Although the program was canceled this past year and will not continue in the 2002-03 school year, due to the Study Warning issued by the Grosse Pointe Board of Education after Sept. 11, 2001, it ran for more than 12 years.

Through the Association of French and American Classes, the French Back to Back program allows Grosse Pointe students in fourth and fifth grade to stay in Paris with a family for nearly

three weeks. The students from the French families then travel to Grosse Pointe to stay for three

City of Grosse Pointe resident Maryanne Karges participated in the program with her son, Ellis. "They go on excur-

sions to the Louvre or to see Roman ruins," Cargus said. "The kids go to a French grocery store or to the bakery and watch the workers make croissants. They see what it is like to live in a French town and get a close view of how

similar or different things work. "Every one of those kids came back saying, 'France is cool, but I love America!' They have a newfound appreciation for our country and respect for the people who live in France."

Nacel Open Door is another organization that has worked with students and families in the Grosse Pointe area.

It is a nonprofit organization that needs homes for over 275 exchange students planning to come to the United States for the 2002-03 school year.

The organization has been in business for 40 years. There are full-year programs as well as summer and two-week sessions Families can still join in on the

cultural experiences by contacting one of the organizations.

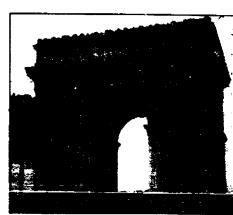
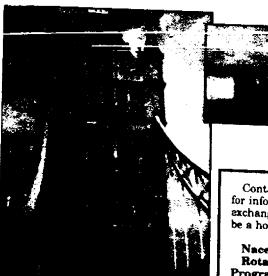


Photo by Mindy Miller The Arc de Triumph



Students involved in the French Back to Back program attend a Detroit igers baseball game at Comerces Back Tigers baseball game at Comerica Park.

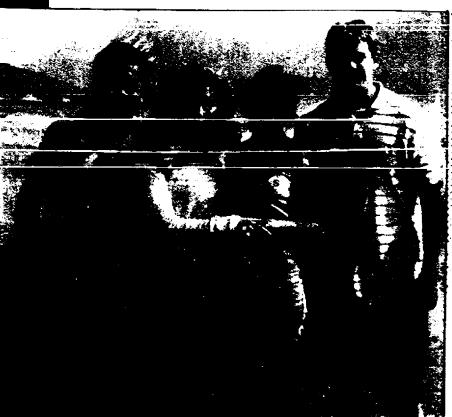


The London Bridge



Contact the following organizations for information regarding foreign exchange programs or to volunteer to

Nacel Open Door: (586) 781-9005. Rotary Youth Exchange Program: www.rotary.org AFS Intercultural Program: 1-SOOLAFS INFO OF WWW.ulb.org/usa.



From left, Tim Smolenski, Italian student Elena Erre, Laurie Smolenski and Stefan Smolenski on a recent trip to Alaska.

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**CLUB NEWS** 

Return to: The Grosse Pointe News

96 Kercheval, Grosse Pointe Farms, MI 48236 Or Fax to: (313) 882-1585

Attention: Margie Smith

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Purpose of organization. Tell us what your group does --- projects; fundraising

. Phone number

Is there other information prospective volunteers might need to know about

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Here's how to get your club

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iaries, service organizations

Our list will be published

in mid-September. We are especially interested in

groups that meet in the

Grosse Pointes, Harper

Woods and St. Clair Shores.

Your club president or

\_\_\_Interests \_\_

Is this a non-profit organization? A special interest club? Other?

What kind of members or volunteers are you looking for? \_\_

Where do volunteer activities and/or meetings take place? \_\_\_\_

your organization? (Use another sheet of paper if necessary.)\_

Name of organization \_

events; program topics; whatever \_\_

Are there dues or expenses? \_\_\_

Who to contact for more information

. Skills \_\_\_\_

Approximate time commitment necessary \_\_\_\_

Do members need their own transportation? \_\_\_\_

## Meetings Windmill Pointe Garden Club

The Windmill Pointe Garden Club will meet at 11:30 a.m. Wednesday, Sept. 4, at the home of Diane Marston.

Co-hostess will be Cathy

For information, call (313) 884-9669.

## G.P. Ski Club

The Grosse Pointe Ski Club will hold its annual member round-up beginning at 6 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 8, at the Grosse Pointe War

The evening will include a Western buffet, drinks and information about the club's trips to Vail, Colo., Utah and up north.

Seniors, singles and couples are welcome. Deadline for reservations is Saturday,

The cost is \$17 a person.

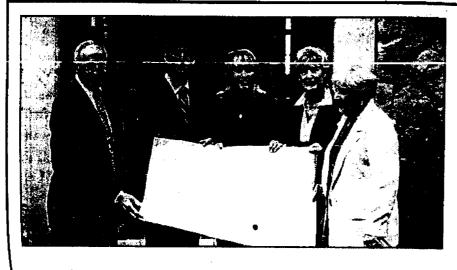
Call John Byrne for more information at (586) 293-



## Rotary president

Sherrie Jones was recently inducted as the president of the Grosse Pointe Sunrise Rotary

She is the first woman president of the club.



## Park benefit

The Grosse Pointe Park Foundation will hold its annual cocktail reception from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 5, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Yates III. Proceeds from the event will help fund a new activity center in Windmill Pointe Park. The center will consist of an exercise facility, meeting areas, refurbished restrooms and a large, multi-purpose area for social gatherings and indoor sports for residents of all ages. The Tompkins Community Center will remain. Construction on the new center is expected to begin in the fall.

Finalizing plans for the cocktail reception are, from left, Clark Okulski, president of the Foundation; Bill and Pam Yates; and Robyn Stanford and Shirley Kennedy, co-chairmen of the event. Tickets are \$75 a person; \$100 for benefactors. For reservations or more information, call (313) 823-0892.

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ble organization need a few

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A new club to get involved

more good people?

Adults interested in Sept. 4, 11, 18 and 25 from 6

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Volunteers will receive and upon admission to the place at the MSUE office, months with family and 6430. 21885 Dunham Rd., Clinton receive ongoing support

Volunteers in turn receive valuable experience in work-The program matches ing with people, knowledge about their community and staff of the Macomb lies in Macomb County, the satisfaction of having a positive impact on how parents interact with their chil-

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Smith, 96 Kercheval, Grosse

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time will be considered for

the list. For more informa-

tion, call Margie Smith at

3 p.m. Friday, Aug. 30. Only completed forms that have been returned on

The Parent-to-Parent proam is part of the Michigan State Extension Family training on various topics, Programs. For more information or to be placed on the program, volunteers spend Parenting Views Newsletter to-Parent program will take one hour a week for six mailing list, call (586) 469-

> To register, call (586) 469-7139 or (586) 469-5931.





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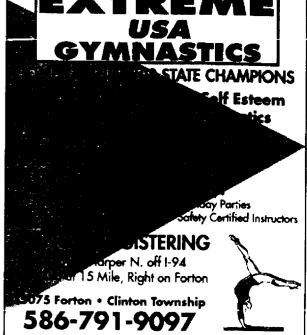
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# Between the acts, learn the art of Italian cooking

By Alex and Marybelle Suczek Special Writers

It seemed like a major calamity when at the end of last season, we learned that our favorite Italian restaurant in Stratford, Ontario, was planning to convert to a cooking school. Where would we go for that delectable eggplant parmigiani with the pungent Calabrese style tomato sauce, the "Gnocci mala fata," the field-fresh crispy salads and the spinach ravioli?

We already knew by experience that the commercial variety of tiramisu available elsewhere in town was no match for that smooth confection at the Trattoria Fabrizio; not to mention the refreshing gellati, Italian style sorbets.

"Where will we eat?" we moaned.

Owner-chef Teresa Fabrizio was unyielding. She had built a reputation on the basis of her own traditional style of southern Italian cooking. She uses only the finest and freshest ingredients from the surrounding farms with the best seasonings and bases imported from Italy. Her recipes and techniques are family secrets passed on for generations.

Many of her customers had asked for guidance at replicating the hearty dishes at home, but even the cookbook that Teresa published two years ago was not enough.

Hence the cooking school. Still in disbelief on our return to the Festival this season, we stopped by 71 Wellington Street to see how things stood. To our delight we learned we could take a class at 9:30 a.m., enjoy the fruits of our labors for lunch and be finished in time for a matinee.

We made a reservation

for our next trip. Though we arrived right on time, things were already under way. Teresa had pre-roasted sweet red peppers and was just taking them from the oven to cool. Our classmates were already busy peeling off the skins. Meantime, she had started mixing a yeast dough for nocatalli, the delicate and attractive twisted Italian doughnuts.

"Get busy," she said. "We have a lot to cook this morning."

We washed our hands, rolled up our sleeves, donned aprons and took turns at kneading the dough. Like apprentices in a great artist's studio, we learned to stretch pieces of the dough into ropelike strands and wind them into attractive twists on the handle of a cooking spoon. As our skill improved, they began to look just like the little sculptures that Teresa whipped out with a few quick flicks of the wrist.

In the background, reminding us of the ethnic atmosphere, the voice of Placido Domingo crooned Neapolitan folk songs while Teresa confided family stories of learning to cook.

"Growing up in an Ontario farm town, we made our nocatalli and breads every week," she recalled. "But we did not have a lot of counter space in our kitchen. As kids we had to make our beds every morning and Mama would spread table cloths on them. That's where we put the bread and doughnuts to

With a good supply of nocatalli arranged on trays, she formed the rest of the dough into a loaf to bake as a bread. She demonstrated mixing another dough with egg and we rolled it into thicker "ropes." That was a special challenge. The yeast dough would shrink back into a lump and had to be coaxed into a long shape.

"When I did this with my mother, she would rap my knucibles with the cooking spoon if I did it wrong, Teresa chuckled "You all



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oregano and garlic salt.

blend of seasoned bread

crumbs and grated moz-

for this," she reveals. "I

Then we coat them with a

zarella and Romano cheese.

the cutlets with the tips of

my fingers. It makes them

larger and even more ten-

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We imitate her and find

The eggplant slices, on

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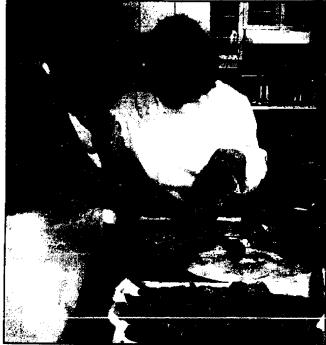
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With the nocatalli done

Now we dip them in the

"I have a secret technique



Photos by Alex Suczeli



are getting off easy." Taking three strands of

the dough, she showed us how to braid them into an Easter bread loaf. Then all the breads and nocatalli were set aside to rise on a spacious counter.

While they rose, there was Calabrese sauce to make. A couple of tablespoons of chopped onion are sauteed in a half cup of olive oil until golden. Then we add a 125-gram tube of imported tomato paste and a generous dash of Italian white wine. Finally we add two large (24-oz.) cans of crushed tomatoes, season with salt and pepper and let it simmer.

We do not add meat. Teresa explains, because we are going to use the sauce to cook meatballs and then to garnish scallops of veal and eggplant.

By now, the Domingo CD is playing tenor arias from La Boheme and Tosca. The music seems to give the student cooks more energy. We need it: Teresa is keeping us busy.

"It is time to make the meatballs," says Teresa. "I think ground pork makes the best meatballs. I add grated Romano cheese, moistened bread crumbs, ricotta, whisked eggs, fresh basil and salt and pepper."

By this time the tomato sauce has cooked down and as we form the meatballs we drop them directly into the sauce to cook.

"Don't stir them. explains Teresa. "Just shake the kettle every once in a while to make sure they don't stick.'

Without missing a beat, she fills a deep skillet with a blend of canola and olive oil. "The canola keeps the olive oil from burning," she explains and shows how she pops a now plump nocatalli into the hot oil to cook. We take turns sliding them into the pan and follow her advice to do them in sequence, adding a fresh one when a cooked one is removed so that the oil stays very hot.

The breads go into the oven and Teresa turns to the slices of eggplant and veal. But the meat is not veal.

"I like to use rump or sirloin tip roast. If you can't get your butcher to slice it for cutlets, partially freeze it and cut it yourself. It is

We pound the cutlets until they are paper thin and dip them in an egg bat-

Patty and Gerry McKenty help Marybelle Suczek of Grosse Pointe Farms make meatballs, above left, at Trattoria Fabrizio, a cooking school and ristorante in Stratford, Ontario.

Teresa Fabrizio, chef and owner of Trattoria Fabrizio, grinds pepper into the tomato sauce, at the

Suzcek and Fabrizio prepare the cutiets and eggplant, above right.

At the right, Fabrizio adjusts a pasta roller until it makes ravioli dough just the right thickness for her recipe.

Participants learn the art of Italian cooking. Lunch consists of the results of the morning's lesson. They complete the course in time for an afternoon matinee at one of Stratford's four theaters.

> of a breaded veal cutlet (a famous Viennese specialty) Domingo is now singing the passionate aria "Thine is my heart alone" from Franz Lehar's operetta "Land of

And we are all feeling press the bread crumbs into very passionate about the food.

Smiles.

In a whirl of activity, breads come out of the oven, meatballs come out of the sauce and heady aromas fill the sauce. Teresa finds it too thick, adds wine and water and turns to the eggplant slices cooling on a platter.

First we laver one with tomato sauce, slices of fresh, field ripened tomato. a piece of roasted red pepper, leaves of fresh basil and thin slices of feta cheese. A matching slice of fried eggplant goes on top to be smothered with tomato

sauce, and garnished with a flattened Calamata olive and grated Romano cheese. The assembled eggplant need only to be finished for a few minutes in a hot oven.

There is still the ravioli to make, starting with the pasta dough which we roll into a thin sheet with Teresa's pasta machine and then fill with a savory filling based on ricotta.

Teresa announces: "It is almost time for lunch."

As the foods are arranged on platters, we are all laughing at the many mistakes and corrections of the morning and we realize we are famished.

Plates are served. Wine is poured and at the risk of falling asleep in the matinee, we feast in an atmosphere of high conviviality. Was that a drinking song

It certainly sounded like it. After the matinee, we stopped by the restaurant to pick up bags and boxes of our share of the foods we had cooked and not eaten at lunch. Clutching a sheaf of

we headed to a picnic table by the lake to enjoy our meal all over again. Anyone interested in trying the experience should call Teresa well in advance to check the schedule of

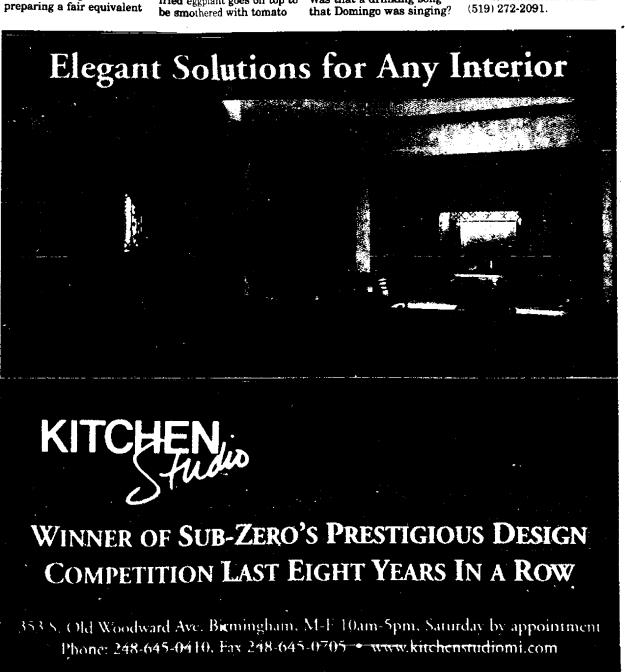
classes and the programs.

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Becky Heck and Jim West

## Heck-West

Henry and Barbara Heck of Grosse Pointe Farms have announced the engagement of their daughter, Becky Heck, to Jim West, son of Jim and Marie West of Grosse Pointe Farms.

An October wedding is planned.

Heck earned a bachelor of arts degree from Michigan State University.

She works for Dempsey & Co. in Chicago.

West earned a bachelor of arts degree from Ohio State

He works for J.P. Morgan Chase Auto Finance in Chicago.



## Bible Camp

Students in kindergarten through sixth grade spent mornings during the week of Aug. 12 learning about the "Saints in the Hood" at Bible Camp at St. Clare of Montefalco.

Each day of the week children learned about a patron saint from a neighboring parish. Through arts and crafts, music, plays, stories and games, they studied St. Paul, St. Philomena, St. Ambrose, St. Joan of Arc and St. Clare of Montefalco.

About 100 students and 30 adult volunteers closed the week with a play presented by sixth-graders, a singalong and a pixea lunch donated by Hungry Howies.

In the back row, from left, are Chris DeRosa, Vince Muniga. Erin Shook, Emily Trexier, Allie Henning and Jacqueline Reno. In the front row, from left, are Ryan Hennessy, Meghan Muer, Emma Baker and Jade Nehra.

St. Clare is currently accepting registration for religious education classes in grades one through eight. Classes begin on Wednesday, Sept. 11. For more information, call (313) 647-5050 or visit www.stclarem.org.

## **Babies**

University.

Lily Claire Konkey Stref and Deborah Lily Claire Konkey, born Aug. 14, 2002.

Maternal grandparents are Ronald and Linda Solterisch of Grosse Pointe Park. Paternal grandparents are Kim and Kim Luginbuhl of Bridgman.

#### Olivia Grace Sauer Chris and Nancy Sauer of

Jennifer Lennez and

**David Tucker** 

Konkey of Harper Woods are Farmington Hills are the the parents of a daughter, parents of a daughter, Olivia Housey of Grosse Pointe Grace Sauer, born March 15, 2002. Maternal grandparents are Ronald and Linda Solterisch of Grosse Pointe

> Paternal grandmother is Wilma Sauer of Chapel Hill,

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### Sophie Anne Housey

Farms are the parents of a Pointe Park. Great-granddaughter, Sophie Anne Housey, born March 29, 2002. Maternal grandparents are Dr. Walter Michael Belenky of Grosse Pointe Park and Cassandra Georgette Belenky of Grosse

Pointe Farms. Paternal of the City of Grosse Pointe grandparents are Lois Elaine Deneau of Grosse Andrew and Elizabeth Pointe Farms and Glenn William Housey of Grosse mother is Rita Castiglione of Bloomfield.

Patrick Michael Hopper Jr.

are the parents of a son, Patrick Michael Hopper Jr., born June 16, 2002. Maternal grandparents are Joseph and Donna Gormley Mae of Grosse Pointe. Paternal West grandparents are Michael and Janet Hopper of East China, formerly of Grosse Pointe. Great-grandmothers are Fern Porter and Mildred Patrick and Kate Hopper Hopper, both of East China.

## **Jewish Council** prepares for High Holidays

The Grosse Pointe Jewish Council will hold High Holiday Services for Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur.

Services to celebrate Rosh Hashanah, the Jewish New Year, will be led by Rabbi Nicolas Behrmann with Cantorial Soloist Bryant Frank on the evening of Friday, Sept. 6 and the morning of Saturday, Sept.

For Yom Kippur, the Day of Atonement, services will be held on the evening of Sunday, Sept. 15 and throughout the day of Monday, Sept. 16.

Special children's services will be held on both holidays.

For times and locations and membership information, call (313) 882-6700.

The Grosse Pointe Jewish Council works to preserve and promote Jewish heritage, tradition and culture on metropolitan Detroit's east side. It also offers an educational and social forum for its members.

## First English Church plans fall craft show

Crafters are invited to participate in the 11th annual Fall Craft Show at First English Ev. Lutheran Church, which will be held from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 12.

All show items must be hand-crafted. For details, call the chairman of the show, Beverly Jackson, at (586) 771-9049.

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# Pointers do better than 'fair' at the Fair

By Brad Lindberg Staff Writer

From peanut brittle to paintings, Grosse Pointers of all ages showed their stuff in the community arts competition at the Michigan State Fair.

Annie Redlawski's Best in Show led the way in the children's division. Her Dalmatian cookies presented in a Dalmatian-decorated dog bowl won over canineand cookie-loving judges.

"I love Dalmatians," said Annie, 9, of the City of Grosse Pointe. "They're really cute."

Her brother, Robert, 13, tool box. He made the box

for his father, who reportedly can fix anything — if he has tools handy. Robert made the

box in metal shop at Brownell Middle School. He entered the fair because he felt he had "a shot at winning."

Other winners included Graham Kozak, 13, a Grosse Pointe Woods resident and eightgrader at Our Lady Star of the Sea.

Kozak's firstplace award for a model wwi German torpedo boat reflected craftsmanship and computer knowhow.

He made the paper model from images downloaded from the Internet.

"I printed it off the computer and glued it together," he said. "It was free."

Kozak won second place for a black and white photograph of a shopping arcade in downtown Toronto. The image captured intricate patterns in the arcade's overhead latticework and support structure.

Kozak's nine-year-old sister, Paige, who is in fourth grade at Star of the Sea, won first place for a bird feeder.

Labeled "Simon's Birdie Cafe" after Paige's parakeet, she made the bi-level feeder by crafting together two plastic pop bottles.

Paige earned another blue ribbon for an "Under the Sea" table setting. She rounded out the setting's blue china with seashell candle and napkin holders. She even planned a seafood menu.

"I typed it up and stuff," Paige said. She selected Mermaid Mango Juice for breakfast, tuna fish sandwiches and Chips Ahoy! potato chips for lunch, and shrimp with seashell noodles for dinner. Dessert? Sponge cake with blueberries.

"I entered lots of things," Paige said.

She won second place for a fanciful shoe box float. A Pegasus pulls a float crammed with a menagerie of riders: turtles, widemouthed yellow aliens and flying pigs. Why flying pigs?

"There's a saying, 'When pigs fly," she explained.

Paige made a potholder that came in fourth. Her drawing of a bowling team, which she sketched in one of her father's notebooks, received a participation award.

Merlin Chappius, 10. of Grosse Pointe Park, spent two weeks painting a large, action-packed Roman battle scene. There is a speeding chariot being pulled by two galloping horses racing across a landscape of swirling flames. Chappius' work paid off with a second place ribbon.

As he worked on the image, he kept adding extra elements.

"It got more and more complicated," Chappius, in fifth grade at Defer Elementary. He strove for historical accuracy.

"I watched 'Gladiator' to get the feeling about how the Romans counterattacked," he said.

Amy Liang, 14, of the City goods competition. and a freshman at Grosse Her raisin bread Pointe South High School, will need a box to store all of cookies placed secher ribbons. She won first and, and chocolate place for peanut brittle and quick apple muffins, second for showed third. raisin bread and peanutchocolate bar cookies, and raphy, third place for chocolate Liang's quick bread.

"I like chocolate," she said. Her red, white and blue first. In arts and quilt earned second place. She was fourth in pottery. She received fourth in pillows and honorable mention for a maroon skirt.

Amy's sister, Anna, 11, competing in a separate age won first place for a metal category, was another multiple winner in the baked



Ashley White won third place at the Michigan State Fair for a model wooden boat.

won first. Her bar bread

In color photog-Anna close-up image of a cherub fountain came in crafts, her story, Sept. 11, A Day I'll Forget," Never came in third. She decorated the three-page story with an American flag on a red, white and blue cover.

Ashley Smith won first place for a black and white landscape photo of boats fishing moored in a harbor. She added dimension to what could have been a flat image by capturing a rocky outcrop in the fore-

Smith also won third place for a model wooden sailboat.

Holly Huth won third place for a black and white photo of a daisy. She snapped the close-up shot in the back yard of her Grosse Pointe Farms home.

Huth, who is in her freshman year at University Liggett School, has studied

Quick Silver, the Highland cow, wants to know how Grosse Pointers did in the community arts competition at the Michigan State Fair. Quick Silver, 2 1/2-months old and 150 pounds, comes from a line of Scottish beef cattle preferred by Queen Elizabeth. Known for their easy nature, Highlands are called the beef cattle of royalty." When full-grown, Quick Silver will have horns measuring up to eight feet from tip to tip. The fair runs through Monday, Sept. 2.

> photography at the College for Creative Studies. She developed the image herself. Ryan Hilton of Grosse

> Pointe Woods earned third place for a color photograph of the Great Falls of the Yellowstone River in Yellowstone National Park.

Adult winners

"I'm so German chocolat- received sec-

funny," said Cynthia Redlawski, of the City. Her six-layer German chocolate cake, which won first prize three years ago and weighs 12 pounds (including plate), took honorable mention this year. "I'm entering all

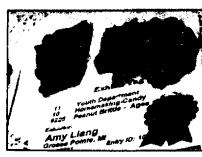
kinds of things. Maybe I'll win first place for peanut brittle. something," said Redlawski, who also won the apple pie contest two years ago.

This year, her apple pie will be judged Thursday, Aug. 29, 1 p.m. Her fresh fruit cheesecake will be judged at 3 p.m.

Other adult contestants from the Pointes were Mary

White, who first won place for a color closeup picture of purple flowers. She also won fourth place for a color picture of sunlight breaking through storm clouds over a treelined lake.

Mabarak of the Farms



At the Michigan State Fair, Amy Liang, 14, of the City, won

ond place for oil painting. She created an impressionistic still life of a vase containing multicolored flow-

Kathryn Usitalo Kozak won forth place for her color photograph of a dewdrenched spider web.



Dalmatian cookies by Annie Red-J u n e lawski, 9, won Best in Show in the youth baking competition at the Michigan State Fair.



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## Pack a lunch with nutritional punch

By The Community Health Status **Advisory Board** 

As the new school year begins, children will be running out the door with thoughts of seeing old classmates, joining new clubs, participating in school sports and getting good grades. With all that in mind, chances are they will not pay much attention to the proper nutrition they need to get them through their busy days.

Nutrition and learning go hand in hand. Children who are nutritionally fit are more likely to have energy, stamina and self-esteem, all of which enhance their ability to learn. Since most lunches contribute about one-third of a person's daily nutrient intake, including calories, what children eat for lunch matters to their health.

Children raised on sugar, fat and salt are getting fatter these days. The percentage of obese children has nearly doubled in the past several years and an alarming number are at risk for diabetes, hypertension and heart problems.

One of the best ways to get children to buy into a healthier lunch program is to review the school lunch menu with them each week. Talk with your children about making smart, healthy choices in the cafeteria line, and practice making these decisions at home. Include your children in the selection and preparation of lunches at home to take to school.

Offer a variety of healthy selections such as sandwiches made with whole grain breads - wheat, rye, or multigrain — small bagels, raisin bread or pita filled with turkey, chicken, tuna, roast beef or lean ham and low-fat

They can decide on mustard, ketchup or low-fat mayonnaise. If your child likes peanut butter and jelly, add raisins and granola for extra nutrition and crunch.

Offer a selection of sweets such as vanilla wafers, animal crackers, graham crackers, oatmeal cookies with raisins, granola mix made with nuts, raisins, dried fruit and seeds, puddings or

If you enjoy baking, muffins made with vegetables such as carrots, zucchini, fruit or bran are a good idea. Include your child's favorite fruit, either fresh or canned in its own juice. Cut-up raw vegetables or mini carrots and grape tomatoes are appealing, as are celery sticks cut into small pieces and filled with peanut butter.

When it comes to beverages, milk is recommended — either white or low-fat chocolate milk. Fruit juice is OK to substitute occasionally, but make sure it is 100 percent fruit juice and not a fruit juice blend with little or no nutritional value. Use an insulated thermos or an ice pack in the lunch bag to keep the milk or juice cold.

To keep harmful bacteria at bay:

· Use well-insulated lunch boxes and purchase a supply of freezer gel packs. Include disposable silverware and individual hand wipes.

· Wash hands, food preparation surfaces and utensils with hot, soapy water before preparing the lunch. Wash raw fruit and vegetables thoroughly.

· Prepare lunch box offerings the evening before and store in the refrigerator or freezer. Freezing sandwiches, bottled water and juice boxes offers additional protection. They usually will thaw completely by lunchtime.

 Handle perishables like sandwich meats with care.

 Wash lunch boxes, gel packs and insulated bags with hot, soapy water and air dry every day. Washing with a little baking soda helps control food odors. Store gel packs in the freezer.

The Community Health Status Advisory Board (CHSAB) is a coalition of local residents and health care professionals working to improve the health status of the region by identifying major issues and promoting activities to increase public awareness.

For information about the board or to obtain a meeting schedule, call (734)

## Diabetes rate for Michiganders is higher than national average

Approximately, 200,000 Michigan adults may be diabetic and not know it, pushing the state's diabetes rate to more than 10 percent. That's according to an EPIC MRA/Midnet survey result released by Oakwood Healthcare System, St. John Health System and the Beaumont Hospitals.

The survey finds that 7 percent of Michigan adults have been diagnosed with the disease, higher than the national average of 6 per-

Another 3 percent report suffering from three or more diabetic symptoms, but have not been tested for the disease.

According to the survey, the average reported rate of diabetes in the Detroit region, which includes Wayne, Oakland, Macomb and St. Clair counties, is 7.7 percent. The region has the highest rate (13 percent) of people who have three or more diabetic symptoms but have not been tested for the disease, indicating that the number of diabetics in the region may be higher.

Macomb County has the region's highest diabetes rate, at 9.8 percent, followed by Oakland County at 8.2 percent, St. Clair County at 7.5 percent and Wayne

County at 5.5 percent. The survey also finds that 7.7 percent of Michigan men have been diagnosed with diabetes compared to 6.1 percent nationally. For women, it's 7.2 percent statewide, compared to 5.9

percent nationally.

Major symptoms of the disease include extreme fatigue, fainting spells, unexplained weight loss or gain, blurred vision, frequent urination, extreme hunger, unusual thirst and swelling of the gums.

Obesity is a well-known risk factor for diabetes. This survey also reveals that 15 percent of obese Michigan citizens have been diagnosed with diabetes.

The study also found three times as likely to become diabetics.

A major contributing factor in obesity is fatty foods. Of those surveyed, 84 percent said they consume high-fat snacks and fast food daily or weekly.

Family history is also an important factor for diabetes and the survey finds that 43

percent of the people with diabetic symptoms have a family member with the dis-

The survey shows that many of the undiagnosed people who have diabetic symptoms are still making lifestyle choices that could aggravate their symptoms. Of those surveyed, 42 percent report drinking alcohol in the past month, 39 percent smoke and 60 percent say they do not exercise.

This statewide survey of obese persons are more than 1,800 people has a 2.3 percent margin of error. Oakwood, St. John and Beaumont cosponsored the study to learn more about behaviors related to diabetes in order to tailor programs and services for the communities served.

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## **AMA** report: Almonds lower bad cholesterol

Almonds lowered bad cholesterol levels in a study of people with high cholesterol.

The report appeared in a recent rapid access issue of Circulation: Journal of the American Heart Association.

Canadian researchers conducted the study, funded by The Almond Board of California and the Canadian government, to determine whether almonds can help reduce heart disease risk by lowering high cholesterol and at what consumption

Some previous research has suggested that nut consumption reduces the risk of coronary heart disease. has suggested that eating more nuts increases calories, nuts generally are not recommended for people who need to restrict calories.

Twenty-seven high-cholesterol patients (15 men and 12 postmenopausal women, average age 64) completed the three-phase study. Their average total cholesterol level was 260 milligrams per deciliter (mg/dL) at baseline.

Three one-month diets were undertaken. For one month each participant ate a full dose of almonds (average 74 grams), which represented a little less than one quarter of their total daily

half dose of almonds (averas a handful of almonds. In have particularly the last month, they ate a researched profiles. low-saturated fat, wholewheat muffin as a daily snack.

The muffin snack served as the control diet because it had about the same amount of calories, protein and saturated and polyunsaturated fats, explained lead author Dr. David JA Jenkins director at the Clinical Nutrition and Risk Factor Modification Center, St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto.

The only difference was that the monounsaturated fat was swapped for the starch in the muffin, he said.

Jenkins is also Canada Research chair in Nutrition and Metabolism at the University of Toronto.

Researchers measured cholesterol levels, blood pressure and weight in the subjects.

They found that patients reduced low-density lipoprotein (LDL - bad cholesteroi) an average 4.4 percent with the half portion of almonds and 9.4 percent with the full portion.

lipoprotein, the good cholesterol), the reduction was 7.8 12 percent for the full dose Spiller, Ph.D.

significantly by the fourth week. That ratio is very impor-

> cular risk." The patients' cholesterol levels did not significantly drop after the muffin phase.

tant in assessing cardiovas-

Jenkins says that practitioners should encourage patients to eat almonds as part of a healthy balanced diet as long as they are natural or dry roasted, without added oils or salts.

Nuts do not have cholesterol and are a good source of protein, according to the American Heart Association. However, the association stresses that the potential benefits of nuts may be negated if they are added Because previous research rather than substituted for other foods in the diet. While nuts and seeds tend to be very high in fat and calories, most of the fat is polyunsaturated or monounsaturated (e.g. almonds,

pecans, walnuts). Participants in this study were carefully counseled on how to use nuts in place of

other foods in the diet. Nuts, including almonds, walnuts, pecans, peanuts, macadamia and pistachios, have been shown to lower blood cholesterol, Jenkins said.

The combination monounsaturates with some polyunsaturates in nuts is an ideal combination of fats, ne said. Although, there is For one month they took a not enough research to say that all nuts are equal in age 37 grams) — described their health value, almonds

> "This study suggests that replacing carbohydrates with monounsaturated fat within the context of a diet that is low in saturated, trans fat and cholesterol favorably affects cholesterol levels and cardiovascular risk." said Lichtenstein, D.Sc., vicechair of the association's nutrition committee.

Almonds are a good source of monounsaturated fat and potentially other beneficial compounds. The American Heart Association recommends eating an overall balanced diet that is high in fruits, vegetables and whole grains, and includes low-fat dairy products, fish and lean meats.

Whenever any dietary change is made, care must be taken to avoid increasing total caloric intake, Lichtenstein said.

Co-authors of the study include: Cyril W.C. Kendall, Ph.D.; Augustine Marchie, B.Sc.; Tina L. Parker, R.D.; impressed," Jenkins said. "If Philip W. Connelly, Ph.D. you look at the ratio of LDL Wei Qian. Ph.D.; James S. to HDL (high-density Haight, M.D.; Dorothea Faulkner, R.D.; Edward Vidgen, B.Sc.; Karen G. percent for the half dose and Lapstey, D.Sc., and Gene A.

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# Antibiotics help heart patients, says AMA study

kind published to date, researchers report that hospitalized heart patients who took antibiotics had a significantly lower risk of returning to the hospital with severe chest pain within one year compared with those on a placebo

The study suggests that antibiotics might have an anti-inflammatory benefit. The study appeared in a recent rapid access issue of Circulation: Journal of the American Heart Association

Researchers were surprised to find that the reduced risk was not related to the presence of two bacteria suspected of playing a role in heart disease -Helicobacter pylori and Chlamydia pneumoniae.

The beneficial effect of the antibiotics was independent of whether a person was infected with H. pylori or C. pneumoniae," said author Dr. Michael A. Mendall, a consultant gastroenterologist at the Mayday Hospital

In the largest study of its implies these antibiotics are and 132 of 325 patients (41 disease. Recent studies sug-inflammatory not working against these organisms. The antibiotics may be acting against other organisms to reduce the overall infectious burden of the body or may have their own anti-inflammatory properties."

The study is the first to compare two different classes of antibiotics in treating acute coronary syndromes. Researchers enrolled 325 patients (225 men and 100 women, ages 39 to 80) hospitalized with a heart attack or unstable angina (severe, unexpected chest pain that occurs at rest).

Within 48 hours after being admitted, the patients were randomized to receive amoxycillin, azithromycin, or a placebo for one week. Those in the antibiotic groups also received omeprazole and metronidazole, drugs used in combination with the antibiotics to eradicate H. pylori.

At the start of the study, tests revealed that 157 of in 310 patients (51 percent) percent) had antibodies to C. pneumoniae.

Blood tests for antibodies detect the dormant bacteria. C. pneumoniae causes one kind of pneumonia and H. pylori causes stomach

During one year of followup, patients who received the antibiotics were 36 percent less likely to be rehospitalized for unstable angina or a nonfatal heart attack. or to suffer a fatal heart attack, than those who took a placebo.

"It is an interesting proposal that antibiotics can affect a condition that has always been regarded as noninfectious," said Mendall, also a senior lecturer at St. George's Medical School, Tooting, London. "The question, of course, is whether the antibiotics are working against bacteria to improve heart outcome or whether the antibiotics improve outcome by an antiinflammatory action.

gest that biological markers of inflammation identify people at high risk of developing the disease Moreover, an association has been shown to exist between chronic infections, inflammatory markers and coronary heart disease.

The researchers, who included both cardiologists and gastroenterologists, set out to explore two issues: First, could the antibiotics amoxycillin, metronidazole and omeprazole (active against H. pylori) and azithromycin, metronidazole and omeprazole (active against C. pneumoniae and H. pylori) reduce levels of Creactive protein, fibrinogen, and white cells, which at elevated concentrations in the blood indicate inflammation?

Second, could the antibiotic treatments reduce the risk of angina and fatal and nonfatal heart attacks?

"The difference between the two antibiotic regimens Inflammation plays a is that azithromycin is Croydon, England. "This had antibodies to H. pylori major role in coronary heart known to have an anti-

property," Mendall said. "Amoxycillin has not been reported to have an anti-inflammatory effect.

Alternately, the failure to find a difference in effect between the two antibiotic regimens suggests that metronidazole or omeprazole may be the important component of the regimen."

Metronidazole is used in other chronic inflammatory conditions such as Crohn's disease, as well as having a different pattern of antibacterial activity to the other antibiotics. Omeprazole has been shown to reduce the activity of macrophages --the key white blood cells involved in coronary heart disease, Mendall explained.

Twelve weeks after beginning the study, 17.2 percent of the patients receiving antibiotics were rehospitalized with unstable angina or a nonfatal heart attack, or suffered a fatal heart attack, compared to 27.2 percent of the placebo group.

At the end of one year, the rates were 25.8 percent for those who received antibiotics and 38.9 percent for those who received placebo.

Blood concentrations of the three inflammation markers proved a mixed lot. Amoxycillin takers who had been hospitalized with unstable angina had a significant decline in C-reactive protein over the year long follow up compared to the placebo group. However, there was on'y a trend in those who had suffered a heart attack.

Fibrinogen levels fell in both antibiotic groups compared to patients on placebo, but the change was not statistically significant.

No change was found in the levels of white cells.

"Our study design does not allow us to draw conclusions about the beneficial effects in all patients," Mendall said. "Further studies are needed to investigate the reasons for the long-term effects of a short course of antibiotic treatment."

Co-authors are Adam F.M. Stone, M.D.; Juan-Carlos Kaski, M.D., D.Sc.; Tracey M. Edger; Paul Risley; Jan Poloniecki, Ph.D.; A. John Camm, M.D.; and Timothy C. Northfield, M.D.

## What parents should know about chickenpox

(NAPSI) - According to a skin infections, scarring or a child may still develop children be vaccinated recent survey, parents of children aged 4 through 12 were more reluctant to vaccinate their children against chickenpox compared to several other childhood diseases. The findings suggest that parents' misperceptions about the potential seriousness of chickenpox may be to blame.

Chickenpox can lead to pneumonia, encephalitis,

even death. Many parents were unaware of these consequences.

About one-third of the nonvaccinating parents surveyed think it's better for a child to catch the disease naturally than to get the vaccine. In fact, complications associated with the vaccine are extremely rare.

Another concern

chickenpox after being vaccinated. Although this is possible, such cases are generally much milder. Some parents also thought that the vaccine would wear off over time. There is no clear evidence of waning immunity among people who have been vaccinated for chicken-

The Centers for Disease expressed by parents is that Control recommends that

against chickenpox after their first birthday. The chickenpox vaccine is not for everyone, however. For example, it is contraindicated in persons with a history of hypersensitivity to any component of the vaccine, including gelatin. Parents should talk to their healthcare provider about whether vaccination is right for their child.

As with any vaccine, the chickenpox vaccine does not result in a protective effect in all vaccines. Adverse reactions that have been reported with the use of the chickenpox vaccine include fever. injection site complaints and rash (injection site and generalized).

For more information about the side effects associated with the vaccine, talk to your health care provider.

The survey was conducted by Harris Interactive on behalf of NAPNAP and Merck & Co. Inc.



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HINT: Presbycusis most often occurs in both ears, affecting them equally

## Flu shots help employees stay healthy

Businesses or organizations that want to help their employees remain healthy this year still have time to schedule a flu clinic at their work location. According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), a flu shot remains the best way to prevent catching the flu or to lessen its severity if it does strike.

The Visiting Nurse Association (VNA) Flu-Busters have a limited number of openings for on-site clinics from mid-November 2002 through January 2003.

The cost is \$15 a shot, with a minimum of 25 participants required. Pneumonia shots are also available at \$25 a shot. For more information or to schedule a clinic, call Kay Renny at (248) 967-8751 or visit www.vna.org.

According to a study in the March 12, 2001 issue of the Archives of Internal Medicine, published by the American Medical Association, vaccinating healthy, working adults could reduce average health costs by \$13.66 per person vaccinated. For the nation's 94 million full-time workers, ages 18-64, these savings

## Migraine can be emotional burden

Migraine is a debilitating condition that affects mil-lions of women and often leaves them unable to perform the simplist tasks. Migraine affects nearly 28 million Americans; 70 percent are women.

For many, prescription medications called "triptans" help them to manage the headaches. Triptans relieve pain, nausea and sensitivity to light and sound.

In the U.S., migraine sufferers are bedridden for more than three million days each year, resulting in an estimated loss of productivity of between \$5.6 and \$17.2 billion. The condition disrupts family life and can force sufferers to cancel business and social activities. Migraine also poses an emotional burden, as sufferers say that no one understands how painful their headaches are.

would total approximately drug stores, churches, syna-\$1.3 billion annually.

The VNA Flu-Busters has been providing its corporate and community influenza immunization program since 1994. VNA follows the guidelines established by the CDC for its influenza immunization program. Last year, VNA Flu-Busters nurses administered more than 38,000 flu shots to individuals in businesses, organizations, supermarkets,

gogues, senior high-rise apartments and homeless shelters. The VNA Flu-Busters also offer tetanus and hepatitis A and B vaccinations to businesses and meningitis immunizations to graduating high school seniors beginning college.

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## **SOC Options**

## SOC plans 'Scams, Schemes, Swindles' talk

By Sharon Maier

SOC Executive Director Services for Older Citizens (SOC) will begin registration for its new fall seminar, "Scams, Schemes and Swindles. on Tuesday, Sept. 3. The seminar will take place on Tuesday, Oct. 15, from 9 a.m. until noon at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial. It is offered to



commufree of charge, but is limited to the first 125

regis trations.

Call (313) 882-9600. "Scams, Schemes and Swindles" is a consumer conference for senior adults and those working with older adults sponsored by SOC. Slick con artists tend to prev on older adults. Con artists take many forms, from phone solicitors to doorto-door salesmen. Each offers a different set of problems. By arming yourself with knowledge, you can keep yourself safe from scams, schemes and swindles.

Judge Lynne Pierce of the Grosse Pointe Woods Municipal Court and Wallace Hart, Office of the Attorney General, will give presentations on different scams that affect seniors. Wayne County Neighborhood Legal Service, RSVP and other local senior services will also be present to offer information to conference participants.

SOC is excited about offering this new program to the local community. The Triad of Wayne County has put on similar programs in Livonia

and Redford and the participants have really enjoyed them. This is the first time the program has been offered in the Grosse Pointe and Harper Woods area.

People over 60 are especially susceptible to phone fraud. Con artists who sell bogus products and services by phone prey on seniors.

### Tip-offs to phone fraud

Telephone con artists spend a lot of time polishing their "lines" to get you to buy. Watch out for these:

You must act now - or the offer won't be good. You've won a free gift, vacation or prize but you pay for "postage and han-

dling" or other charges. You must send money, give a credit card or bank account number or have a check picked up by courier — before you've had a chance to consider the offer carefully.

You don't need to check out the company with anyone - including your family, lawyer, accountant, local Better Business Bureau or con-

sumer protection agency. You don't need any written information about the company or references.

You can't afford to miss this high-profit, no-risk

If you hear these or similar "lines" from a telephone salesperson, just say "No thank you," and hang up the phone.
It's difficult to get your

money back if you've been cheated over the phone. Don't buy from an unfamiliar company. Legitimate businesses understand that you want more information about their company and are happy to comply.

# Seniors need vitamins, minerals, too

By Susanne Consiglio Special Writer

Vitamins and minerals are important nutrients that are needed to sustain life. They may be helpful in the prevention of certain conditions such as heart disease, osteoporosis, macular degeneration and Alzheimer's disease. You probably know individuals who look younger than their age and seem to have

an abundance of energy while staying healthy. Perhaps their vigor can be partially attributed to a healthy diet containing plenty of vitamin food

sources. In addition to eating healthy, a "senior multivitamin/mineral\* (MVI) supplement helps to support or make up for what is lacking

in day-to-day eating habits. Vitamins B6 and folate are important for their potential link to decreasing heart disease and possibly Alzheimer's disease. For further advice, talk with your doctor. Ongoing research indicates foods rich in B6 and folate can have a positive influence on our health.

Good sources of B6 are fortified breads, fortified cereals and meat.

Good sources of Folate are deep-green leafy vegetables, romaine lettuce, northern beans and orange juice.

#### Osteoporosis, calcium and vitamin D: Calcium, a mineral, is the

major component of bones and teeth. It is essential to meet the Recommended Dietary Allowance (RDA) on a daily basis to maintain bone structure and to prevent fractures and osteoporosis, the bone thinning disease that affects more than 28 million Americans.

The RDA for men and women ages 51 and older is 1,200 milligrams per day. If your intake of food containing calcium is low, you may want to consult with your physician to discuss supplementation.

The best dietary calcium

sources are: • Skim, 1/2 percent or 1

- Yogurt · Fortified soymilk bever-
- Tofu
- Canned salmon
- Sardines with bones
- Frozen yogurt Fortified juice

Vitamin D is necessary for the absorption of calcium. It can be obtained through a multivitamin supplement, fortified milk or yogurt, or 10 to 15 minutes of sunlight.

Macular degeneration and vitamin Č:

Vitamin C, a popular antioxidant, may play a role in the prevention of macular degeneration, heart disease and Alzheimer's dis-

ease. Antioxidants are specific vitamins and minerals found in food or in pill form that can help slow down or prevent the oxidation

process inside your body. Oxidation produces molecules called free radicals that damage the cells inside your body and can lead to major illnesses associated with aging.

Vitamin C is also needed for the growth of bone and connective tissue, wound healing and absorption of iron. Vitamin C is abundant in citrus fruits, cantaloupe, strawberries, broccoli and baked potatoes. Before taking vitamin C supplements, every effort should be made to include vitamin C-rich foods in your diet.

It's important to maintain good eating habits throughout life. Don't neglect your diet. Fruits and vegetables are excellent sources of vitamins. Look for ones that are rich in color: deep green, orange and red.

If you find it difficult to eat a balanced diet, discuss with your doctor which vitamin supplements would be most appropriate for you to help support your daily

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## Innovative tools, helpful hints make gardening easier

(ARA) — Gardening can garden tools. enrich life in many ways, physically, mentally and spiritually. But it can also be hard work, especially as you get older. That does not mean you have to stop gardening. It means you have to rethink how you garden.

For starters, consider incorporating some of these garden-planning principles:

 Raised beds and trellises are easier to maintain than in-ground beds.

· Garden beds should be no more than 4 feet wide to allow tending the bed without straining.

 Wide garden paths allow for safer walking and permit use of labor-saving carts and dollies

 Water weighs more than 8 pounds per gallon, so design your garden with easy access to hoses and water sources. Consider the ultimate water system: an ultimate water system: an ing up, eliminating bending, ball end of the Stik who efficient automated drip or stooping and kneeling. The needed at its full length. soaker hose system.

• Garden early or late in the day to avoid the heat. • Drink plenty of liquids

and wear light, loose clothing, a big sun hat and gardening gloves.

Carry a whistle or cell

phone along with your other

Before getting started on your plans it's important to obtain the proper tools. Avid ergonomically designed tools specially developed to multiply cutting power and minimize stress to your body.

"Working in the garden can become a hassle, cause pain and, in extreme cases, lead to disorders like carpal tunnel syndrome," says Nate Fethke, ergonomics engineer, Fiskars Garden Tools. "That's why it's important to use tools that match your capabilities, limitations and any special needs."

There are a number of tools available today that do just that. Consider the Extended Reach grass and hedge shears. With a reach of 38 inches, this tool lets you trim grass while stand-

adjustable cutting head that rotates 270 degrees, allowing you to safely trim the gardeners recommend high tops of hedges without using a ladder.

The Power-Lever hand pruner allows you to multiply your cutting power by more than 35 percent compared to ordinary garden tools. The handle design, which keeps the handles parallel throughout the cut. allows all fingers to assist in pruning, which minimizes strain and maximizes your power through a cut.

The Pruning Stik has a cutting head that rotates on a 240-degree arc, enabling the user to set the proper cutting angle for any prun-ing task. The lightweight tool is activated by pulling on the handle halfway up the Stik, or by pulling on the ball end of the Stik when

## Fuel-saving tips can stretch dollars

Michigan drivers who conserve fuel, plan their trips, and think before stepping on the accelerator can help lower their gasoline bills and keep the state's air cleaner, says AAA Michigan.

By following a few suggestions, families can save money on fuel costs and still afford to take their traditional vacation trips.

The following are easy fuel-saving steps:

 Follow the owner's manual for the correct starting procedure for your vehicle. Don't "race" a cold engine. Today's engines don't need time to warm up. Start driving as soon as you start the engine, but avoid accelerating rapidly at first.

• Avoid extended idling. You'll be burning more fuel than it would take to restart the vehicle.

• Plan ahead to combine trips. Family business accounts for nearly 36 percent of U.S. gasoline consumption. Run your errands all at once. That way your vehicle's engine can warm up to peak efficiency.

• On the road, take it easy when starting out from a light. Vehicles use the most fuel when accelerating.

This is especially important if you're pulling a trailer. Maintain a steady speed. Cruise control is a great fuel-saver on the open high-

· Buy a more fuel-stingy car for everyday driving and keep the SUV or van for loss in fuel economy. longer trips.

According to the U.S. Department of Transportation, going to and from work accounts for nearly 38 percent of all gasoline

and ease traffic congestion are nearly \$4 a gallon.

and stress.

· Save fuel by anticipating light changes. Watch for clues such as walk/don'twalk signals that tell you a light change is imminent, or obvious traffic slowdowns ahead. Learn to gradually slow down when approaching an intersection where a light is about to change.

· Use air conditioning only when needed. Open the windows a few minutes when you first start the car to let accumulated hot air escape. Then set the A/C on "economy," which allows unchilled air to circulate, or the "maximum" setting, which cuts the amount of hot air from outside that must be cooled.

 Most vehicles are designed to operate on regular unleaded fuel. Unless it's called for in your owner's manual, using premium grade wastes your money. When fueling up, don't topoff your tank in warm weather. Fuel expands and can cause an overflow.

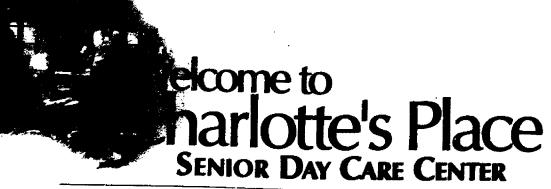
· Plan your trips to bypass congested areas. Start early when traffic is light and plan meal stops to coincide with likely periods of congestion.

 When packing, avoid strapping luggage on the roof where it will create wind resistance and cost you more in fuel. If vacationing with friends, car pool as much as possible.

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# More one-acts come to Stratford's newest theater

plays to open at Stratford's new Studio Theatre this summer clinch the success of this fourth stage undertaking at the Festival. Like the two pairs that preceded them this season, this last offering makes a well-balanced program of two provocative and highly

entertaining shows.
The opener, "Walk Right Up," deals with a conflicted family in which each of the two parents and three children is so focused on his or her own problems that they have no appreciation of or

sympathy for the others. And while the problems are familiar in our complex, contemporary society, the solutions are made evasive by the conflicted behavior of the characters. Central to their situation is the need to look after the father who has become a semi-invalid because of a stroke.

The older daughter pleads that she has a business to run. Only gradually she reveals that it is her mother's behavior toward her that keeps her away.

The younger daughter has been giving her father

the attentive care he needs although she overdoes it so thoroughly that he feels smothered. Now she has a career opportunity and wants the freedom to take

The question is: Who will care for father?

Their mother is beginning to show signs of old-age dementia. Most of the time, however, she is domineering and refuses to face reality.

The brother has abandoned a promising education and dropped into the shadowy world of a potuser. He has disappointed

his family so many times, that when he is recruited to look after his father by the older sister, no one really believes he can do it.

Young playwright Celia McBride has fleshed out her characters into very real people. Anyone who has cared for an aging parent will recall the anguish of dealing with an adult who needs to be diapered and lifted in and out of a wheelchair; will remember the suspense of having a parent who may at any moment lapse into oblivion.

Anyone who has tried to

help an alcoholic or a marijuana addict stay clean will empathize with this mother as she dotes on the son who once held such promise, or his sisters who can no longer trust his promises of going straight. They will recognize the false sincerity of the addict's protestations. so convincing and inevitably

It is a touching story that deals with real, modern problems with sensitivity and amazing realism. The acting is outstanding and as in every family there are moments of pathos, warmth and humor that make it real, right down to the closing cry of the mother: "We

all need help."
"Shadows," by famed playwright Timothy Findley, is a fascinating exploration of the neurotic and often unreal world of theater people. Findley experiments with unorthodox ways of communicating between the stage and the audience. The scene is the half of a party after dinner drinks, conversation, watching an eclipse of the moon from a balcony and most important of all, an improvisatory party game that has the potential to get

Findley, who admitted to writing in a stream-of-consciousness'technique, has produced here some fast-. moving, witty dialogue that clicks like a 21st century version of an Oscar Wilde play. Meanwhile, the party game develops a confrontational quality that sometimes matches the meanness of the gamesmanship in "Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf."

Younger, less sophisticated guests resist playing and say they want to go home. The host and other guests who know the routine, insist they stay and play.

The host of the dinner party is a playwright and the game is his invention. It calls for one person to tell a revealing story about himself that may be true or false and for the others to ask questions that test the story. The result is a free-

for-all revelation of personal relationships between the playwright, his wife and their guests who include the theater people he works with - actors, agent, photographer, new talent.

Two of them at least. appear to be former lovers. But is it really true? Others reveal even more fantastic



experiences.

The revelations become sq incredible that at one point Findley has all the guests leave the stage and take refuge in the audience. The lights come up and the playwright discusses the slim distinction between theatrical make-believe and reality.

Is that prop glass of wine just colored water? Letting a member of the audience try it may provide the answer. Is that person just a plant?

There are surprising exchanges that help the audience think in new ways. about theatrical experience. It seems possible even that at this point the playwright character is ad-libbing.

The whole cast gives an outstanding performance, led by Brent Carver, who makes a controlling and manipulative host as the playwright character. He discovers that he is not in control, however, when the ingenue among his guests tells the best story to win the game. It leaves everyone, on stage and off, wondering if her story can really be true and asking them-selves, "What is truth in human relationships, any-

"Walk Right Up" and "Shadows" are presented in repertory through Sept. 15. Call (800) 567-1600.

# Local rockers JENDZA team up with Alice Cooper

Concert to feature JENDZA's fourth CD

By Brad Lindberg Staff Writer

The normally animated front-man of a high-energy heavy-metal band, psychedup to open for Alice Cooper on Labor Day, is being shy about the inspiration for his group's latest compact disc.

"I hate to jump on a bandwagon, but the album is about how we were thinking during the 9/11 thing," said Derek Jendza, singer of the self-named rock 'n' roll outfit, JENDZA.

Hence the title of the band's fourth CD, "End of the World."

cuts with titles like "We've Just Begun to Suffer" and spaced-out aliens.
"Watery Eyes," JENDZA is Unlike the band's third anxious to reprise its crowdpleasing role as Cooper's henchmen at the Michigan State Fair, Sept. 2.

The concert starts at 7 p.m. in the Greektown Casino Band Shell. State Fair concerts are free with regular fair admission. Adult admission costs \$9.

JENDZA and Cooper teamed up at the fair two years ago. Their styles complemented each other as a fitting one-two punch of theatrical performers.

CD, "Rejuvenated," Jendza said "End of the World" has a less-polished feel.

"The sound is raunchier," he said. "We're bitter about what's going on in the world."

The disc opens drastically and dissonantly with "We've Just Begun to Suffer." Tracks that follow reflect a cycle of anger, recovery and optimism.

"Life has its ups and downs," Jendza said. "We



Derek and Bradley Jendza, front and back center, respectively, has been booked to reprise its role as the opening act for Alice Cooper at the Michigan State Fair's grand finale concert on Monday, Sept. 2, at 7 p.m., in the Greektown

JENDZA includes Seth Bawcum, right. Former drummer, Jay Thomas, left, has been replaced by Lawrence Ricard.

thoughtful, not cuddly.

With 13 loud, guitar-based akin to comic book heroes,

JENDZA's four members the record." presence to Cooper and Kiss. On stage, the quartet assumes fantasy-world perto admit they never really grew up. They wear costumes and stage makeup

"Boulevard" is a poppy love song with jazz keyboard elements

But it's back to the black in the next song, "Sour Wine '

"The song is about drinking at the Ye Olde Tap Room," Jendza said.

"When you drink too much with friends and such, raise a toast to the sour wine," laments the song written by Bradley Jendza, Derek's brother, bass player, fellow Park resident and Tap Room denizen. "Life's not what it seems. Shake me from these dreams. I just want to wake up alive

"We'll be doing that tune at the fair," Derek said.

The members of JENDZA love performing. Their Dracula-style stage antics have little to do with their lives backstage. In some ways, the boys are downright conventional, but don't tell them that.

Derek Jendza is a former teacher and current box office manager at the State Theater in Detroit. Bradley graduated from the prestigious Center for Creative Studies, now the College for Creative Studies. He works as a creative director for an international advertising agency. Guitar player Seth Bawcum, 20, has begun college and wants to transfer to CCS. Drummer Lawrence Ricard is a former accountant-turned teacher.

With "End of the World." bandmates have addressed timely personal fears and hopes. But they're not the type to trot out their inner child, embarrass themselves and bore listeners with presumptuous, twobit attempts at angst.

The title song, "End of the World," lets loose a driving guitar, power chords and catchy chorus to encourage listeners to "enjoy the last renewed. day of your life.'

a strategy to solve the world's problems: "Let's rock it out.

JENDZA CDs are sold at Harmony House and Sam Goody Records on Mack in Grosse Pointe Woods and Detroit, respectively; and independent record stores throughout metro Detroit. including Record Time and Hot Hits in Roseville, and Tower Records Birmingham.

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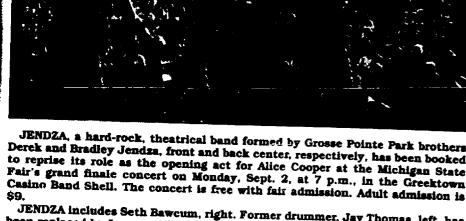
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and a library card holder. Those who renew will also be eligible for a drawing at the end of the month. One adult patron at each branch will win a gift certificate to a local restaurant.

A separate drawin Jendza said the band has cards during September will kids will be for a gift certifiget a gold-tone bookmark cate to the Village Toy Store.

> Deadline for Features section is Friday at 3 p.m.



"That's what we were living though at the time," said trace their music and stage Jendza, a resident of Grosse Pointe Park. But don't think the hard-

rock band has rolled over sonas of guys who are proud and put its paws in the air. Its members have gotten

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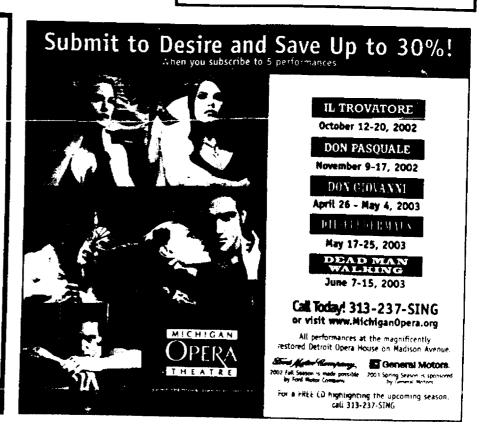
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# When taxidermy is not an option

By Helen Gregory Special Writer

Re: Yet another way to deal with dust

Mere ephemeral carbonbased life forms that we are, it seems that for \$4.000 we can be forever. New technology comes out of a company called LifeGem.

Let's make diamonds by extracting the carbon from cremation ashes.

Now they say instead of leaving Great-Aunt Tillie home on the mantelpiece, we can wear her out to dinner. Of course, at a quarter of a carat, she'll be harder to see than in life, or, as, say, even a locketsize photo, but she'll be the gem we always said she

I suppose we could still keep her around through cryogenics and possibly cloning. We'll see how it works out for Ted Williams.

But before all these advancements in science. before it was conceivable that we might, as my friend Barb acutely observed, "wear Daddy and Mummy as earrings," we had rites and rituals for dealing with earthly remains.

The Vikings have my vote for best staging. Of course, I always pictured the dragon-prow longboat sailing into the sunset with the corpse, going up in flames. The film in my mind plays "Flight of the Valkyries" and for once I don't hear Robert Duvall saying, "I love the smell of napalm in the morning."

As it turns out, that was only the send-off for the rare king or hero, boatbuilding being labor-intensive. Most kings and heroes were cremated on pyres on land along with



## The Book Return

belongings. Some stories tell of women who may have agreed to be killed by the "angel of death" and sent with their heroes to Valhalla. Bones don't burn, so those were buried in small mounds sometimes surrounded by stones in the shape of their ships. Shipshape?

You can find Viking customs in Scandinavian history books, 948.022. Not all cover death rites. The best ones I found were "The Oxford Illustrated History of the Vikings, Rudolph Poertner's "The Vikings" in the chapter Better a Dead Lion: Viking Burials," and Jacqueline Simpson's "The Viking World," which has good illustrations.

Long before the Vikings, the best-known ancient method of preparing for the afterlife was mummification. We've all seen mummies and their cases in museums.

Not all mummies are Egyptian. Heather Pringle's delightfully dark 2001 adventure "The Mummy Congress: Science, Obsession, and the Everlasting Dead" centers around a professional organization for mummy experts, which meets every three years in some exotic locale, most recently Arica, Chile.

She describes their work and their subjects: the oldest mummies (actually found in the Andes, not Egypt), the tall, blond mummies of China, the bog people of northern Europe, miraculously preserved saints and many others. The mummies and the folks who make them their life add up to a pageturner.

Moving into modern times, a lot of old rituals are forgotten. A little film from Japan's Juzo Itami (director of the better known "Tampopo") is "The Funeral" ("Ososhiki,"1985). I don't have a lot of patience for foreign films. I hate depending on subtitles. However, this is warm-hearted, funny but not hilarious, poignant but not sad. It seems when the patriarch dies, the young moderns in the family want to give him the complex three-day Buddhist traditional rite, which is a problem since the only member of the family who knew all the intricacies of the rite is now dead. For a good evening's entertainment, subtitles notwithstanding, borrow Central Library's copy.

As for today's customs in the global community with travel and a variety of friends from a variety of backgrounds, there may come a time when you have to attend a ceremony that is out of the ordinary. You'll find "The Perfect Stranger's Guide to Funerals and Grieving Practices: A Guide to Etiquette in Other People's Religious Ceremonies, edited by Stuart M. Matlins, useful.

Covering 38 denomina-

each section gives a brief, historic background and well-organized rules gov-

I suppose, given the subject, I can't ignore two important books I mentioned a couple of years ago when poet-mortician Thomas Lynch came here

tions including Buddhist, Sikh, Islamic and Hindu, erning preliminary custom, attire, gifts, the ceremony itself, the interment or cremation and comforting the bereaved afterward.

to speak. Lynch's own

award-winning "The Undertaking: Life Studies from the Dismal Trade," alternates comedy and poignancy with honesty and deep feeling.

The opposing view is Jessica Mitford's sardonic 1968 classic "The American Way of Death." Central Library carries "The American Way of Death Revisited," a revision that came out in 1998, two years after her death. Hmmm. For those of you who

may be interested in the dust to diamonds technique, I just heard it on news radio, but the web site to check out will be www.lifegems.com. Their headquarter. are in California (does this surprise you?), Florida, New York, Wisconsin and Illinois. It gives a whole new meaning to the term "getting stoned."

You can reach Helen Gregory online at hgregory@gp.lib.mi.us or find her at G.P. Central Library.

## Labor Day barbecue combines pasta, lobster, chili

Monday is Labor Day. It's hard to believe another summer is coming to a close. The lucky folks get away for one last fling. If you're staying at home, why not treat your family to a special meal this weekend? Grilled lobster tails with creamy chili vinaigrette will leave your loved ones feeling like they've dined in a fancy restaurant. Any grilled seafood will work with this recipe.



## Grilled Lobster Tails with Creamy Chili Vinaigrette

1 cup mayonnaise 1/4 cup chopped fresh cilantro 3 tablespoons red

wine vinegar 2 tablespoons fresh lemon juice 2 tablespoons Dijon mustard

2 tablespoons chiligarlic sauce 2 garlic cloves.

2 teaspoons sugar 3/4 cup plus 2 tablespoons olive oil, divid-

1 9-oz. package fresh linguine 2 10- to 12-oz. lobster tails, thawed, split

lengthwise in half 1 tablespoon butter 2 tablespoons fresh chopped chives

2 tablespoons chopped fresh parsley Lemon wedges for garnish

In a medium bowl, combine the mayonnaise, cilantro, vinegar, lemon juice, Dijon mustard, chili-garlic sauce, garlic and sugar. Whisk in the 3/4 cup of olive oil, adding the oil in a steady stream. Season the vinaigrette with salt and pepper. Store in refrigerator until ready to serve. Vinaigrette can be prepared a day in advance.

Cook the fresh pasta in boiling water for just a minute or two, drain and submerge in cold water to halt the cooking process. Toss pasta with a little olive oil (so the noodles don't stick together) and set aside.

Prepare barbeque to medium-low heat. Brush the lobster tails with the remaining two tablespoons of olive oil. Place the tails meat side down

and grill for about three minutes. Turn over and cook until the meat is opaque in the center, about another five minutes or so.

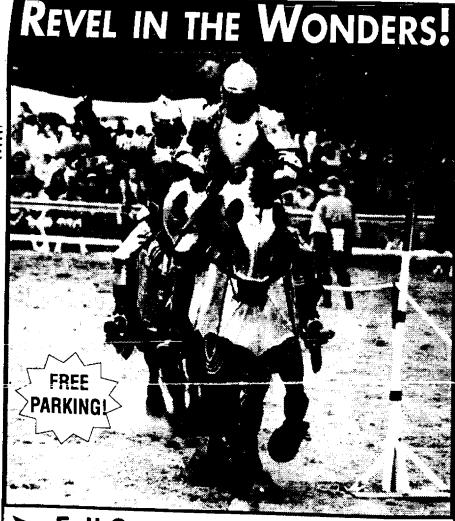
While the lobster is grilling, melt the butter in a large skillet over medium heat. Add the cooked pasta, chives and parsley and toss and cook until heated through.

To serve this fabulous meal, divide the pasta onto two plates and top with the grilled lobster. Spoon the vinaigrette all around the outside of the pasta, directly on the plate. Garnish with lemon wedges. Serves two.

The vinaigrette is there to dip the lobster (or grilled seafood of your choice) into. You can use any type of pasta, fresh or dry, just make sure to under-cook it in the boiling water as it will cook again later with the butter and fresh herbs.

Chili-garlic sauce is available in the Asian section of most grocery stores. Enjoy creamy chili vinaigrette with shrimp cocktail or any chilled seafood. While this tempting meal sounds like a lot of work, I pulled it off in just about an hour. If you don't have a grill, cook the lobster under the broiler.

This meal is yummy. Treat your family to a delicious Labor Day 2002.



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Repeated: 11:30PM 9:00 AM VITALITY PLUS A half-hour aerobics exercise class. Repeated:

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hour of positive attitudes and ideas. Repeated: 12:30AM ( 9:30 PM - M.W.F. & Sun) 10:00 AM WHO'S IN THE KITCHEN? Guest, Edward Gardiner - Grilling Chicken Host Chuck Kaess cooks with local celebrities.

Repeated: 1 AM, 6:30 PM 10:30 AM WATERCOLOR WORKSHOP Travel - Italy

Renowned local artist Carol LaChiusa demonstrates watercolor techniques simple enough for beginners, yet challenging to the experienced artist. Repeated:

11:00 AM THINGS TO DO AT THE WAR MEMORIAL

Guesis, Bonnie Delsner - Wine Tasting & Susan Smith Yang Style Tai Chi Bunny Brooks hosts an informative look at what's happening at the War Memorial. Repeated: 2 AM, 8

11:30 AM OUT OF THE ORDINARY... INTO THE EXTRAORDINARY

Guests, Dan Berdenski, Lori Zurvalec, Linda Allen & Charmaine Kaptur - Art Show Host Robert Taylor presents an extraordinary half-hour of people, places and ideas. Repeated: 2:30 AM (9:30)

18:00 PM THE ECONOMIC CLUB OF DETROIT

Detroit Lions Kickoff Luncheon - Part I Features nationally known guest speakers discussing current topics in the business community. Repeated: 3 AM, 10:30 PM

1:00 PM SENOIR MEN'S CLUB Guest, H. George Arsenault - One Plus One Equals

Repeated: 4 AM, 5:30 PM 1:30 PM CONVERSATIONS WITH COLLECTORS

Guest, John Stininger - War Items Host Susan Hartz focuses on local interesting collections. Repeated: 4:30 AM (8:30 PM, The T Sat)

2:00 PM THE LEGAL INSIDER Guest, Christopher M. Murray, Judge, Mich. Court of Appeals

Hosts local attorneys David Draper and Douglas Dempsey take an inside look at current legal issues Repeated: 5 AM, 6 PM

2:30 PM THE JOHN PROST SHOW Guests, Jim Motschall, Liz Malseed, Laurie Lee Jennie Lizza · G.P. Hunt Club Special Education Host John Prost interviews local celebrities about time

3:00 PM THE EASTSIDE EXAMINER Guest, Judy Flanz, R.N. & Dr. James McCarry - Woun

Host Julia Keim and guests highlight upcoming local, milit special events. Repeated, 6 AM, 7 P

3:30 PM MUSICAL STORYTIME JAMBOREE

ly topics. Repeated: 5:30 AM, 10 PM

Miss Paula, the Merry Music Maker, offers a half-hour of stories and music for children. Repeated: 6:30 AM

4:00 PM VITALITY PLUS

on gardening. Repeated: 8 AM

A half-hour of body toning and step/kickboxing exercise class. M/W/F/Sun: Step/kickboxing Repeated, 7 AM (9 PM - M. W. F. & Sun.); Tone. Repeated: (9 PM Tue, T. & Sat.)

4:30 PM YOUNG VIEW POINTES Upheat youth show featuring students reporting on variety of educational topics. Repeated: 7:30 AM (8:30 PM M. W. F. & Sun.)

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# Things to do

## Art Exhibitions Grosse Pointe Art

Center: • "3+1: Recent Works," featuring Grosse Pointe

artists Linda Allen, Dan Berdenski, Charmaine Kapture and Lori Zurvalec, Friday, Sept. 6-Thursday, Sept. 26.

• Opening reception, Saturday, Sept. 7, 6-10 p.m. Gallery Hours, 1-5 p.m., Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1-8 p.m., Friday and 11 a.m.-3 p.m., Sunday. 1005 Maryland. Free. (313) 881-7084.

Detroit Institute of Arts:

 Art in Focus: Lacquerware, through Oct.

 Style of the Century Mini-Exhibition, through Sunday, Oct. 27

 Group tickets on sale for Degas and the Dance, Sunday, Oct. 20-Sunday, Jan. 12. Adult group tickets, \$14 for Tuesday-Friday, \$16, Saturday and Sunday; Youth groups, \$8.

10 a.m.-4 p.m., Wednesday and Thursday; 10 a.m.-9 p.m., Friday; 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday. 5200 Woodward, Detroit. \$4 adults, \$1 children. (313) 833-6760.

Pewabic Pottery: Private Spaces Public Spaces: 2002 Architect Show: presented in conjunction with the University of Detroit Mercy School of Architecture, featuring Pewabic designs and recent commissions, 6-8 p.m., Thursday, Sept. 5 and Friday, Sept. 6. Traditional Chinese and

Japanese Glazing by Hideaki Miyamura. Exhibition of work by

23 recent graduates. 10 a.m.-6 p.m., Monday-Saturday, 10125 E. Jefferson in Detroit. Free (313) 822-0954.

## **Art Courses**

Assumption Cultural Center: Watercolors: 6:30-8:30 p.m., Mondays, Sept. 16-Oct. 21. 21800 Marter. **\$35**. (586) 779-6111.

Grosse Pointe War Memorial:

• Basic Drawing: 7-9 p.m., Wednesdays, Sept. 11-Oct. 23. \$79.

 Working From the Figure: 1-4 p.m., Wednesdays, Sept. 11-Oct. 30. \$96.

• Watercolor Painting: 10

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a.m.-3 p.m., Thursdays, Sept. 12-Nov. 7. \$102. 32 Lakeshore.

Preregistration required. (313) 881-7511.

#### Auditions

Metropolitan Detroit Choraie: For new members, 7:30 p.m., Tuesdays, Sept. 3-Sept. 17, Choir Room, Fraser High School, 34270 Garfield, Fraser. (586) 792-7464.

Grosse Pointe Community Chorus: Old and new member registration for the 50th annual Christmas Concert on Dec. 15, 7 p.m., Tuesday, Sept. 10, Grosse Pointe North High School, 707 Vernier. **\$**25. (313) 882-2482.

## Benefits

Charity Hockey Game: The Dave Lewis Fantasy Camp and St. John Health presents National Hockey League and Red Wings stars past and present playing to benefit the Make a Wish Foundation of Michigan, 6 p.m., Friday, Aug. 30, Troy Sports Center, 1819 E. Big Beaver. Silent auction of sports memorabilia and 50/50 raffle included. \$50, (586) 753-1201.

Fall Wine Tasting: Presented by Merchant's Fine Wine to benefit scholarships and community outreach programs at the College for Creative Studies, 7-9 p.m., Tuesday, Sept. 10, U245 Student Art Gallery, 201 E. Kirby, Detroit. \$50. Reservations required. (313) 664-7464.

Št. Clare's 18th Annual Used Book Sale: Sponsored by the St. Clare of Montefalco School Parent Teacher Organization for enrichment programs.

• 6-9:30 p.m., Wednesday, Sept. 11 • 9 a.m.-8 p.m., Thursday, Sept. 12 and Friday, Sept. 13

• 9 a.m.-6 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 14 • 9 a.m.-2 p.m., Sunday,

Sept. 15. St. Clare Church Social Hall, Mack and Whittier in Grosse Pointe Park, Free. (313) 886-1440.

Friends of the Grosse Pointe War Memorial Terrace Party: Music and light hors d'oeuvres hosted by the Friends of the Grosse Pointe War Memorial on the lake-side terrace, 7-9 p.m., Thursday, Sept. 12, 32

Lakeshore. \$10. (313) 881-

Grosse Pointe Sunrise Rotary Run: Sponsored by The Grosse Pointe News to benefit Sunrise Rotary annual scholarship programs, the Rotary International Foundation, Leukemia Research Life of Children's Hospital for Cancer Research and the Rotary Club student foreign exchange program,

Saturday, Sept. 21. • 8:30 a.m., 5K walk and wheelchair race.

• 9 a.m., 5K and 10K

Departs from the Grosse Pointe Farms Pier Park, 350 Lakeshore. \$16, early registration or \$20 after Sept. 9. (586) 774-7600.

## **Book Signings**

"A Glimpse of Irish Detroit": Features Michael W. Kerwin and Kathleen O'Neill, authors of the Detroit Gaelic League's premiere publication, along with Irish dance and a tour of the Burton Historical Collection, 5-8 p.m., Wednesday, Sept. 4, Detroit Public Library, 5201 Woodward. Free (313) 595-6840.

### Concerts

Detroit Symphony Orchestra: The DSO returns for its 2002-2003 Season.

 Beethoven's Ninth Symphony, featuring Itzhak Perlman.

8 p.m., Wednesday, Sept. 11 and Thursday, Sept. 12 8:30 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 14.

• Mahler's Hymn to Nature, with Nancy Maultsby, U of M Choral and Christ Church Grosse Pointe Boys and Girls Choirs.

8 p.m., Thursday, Sept. 19 and Friday, Sept. 20 8:30 p.m., Saturday, Sept.

To accommodate Orchestra Hall Expansion Project, these concerts will be performed in the Detroit Opera House. \$20-\$80 evening performances and matinees or \$15-\$48, Friday Coffee Concerts. (313) 576-5111.

Grosse Pointe Chamber Music Concert: 2:30 p.m., Sunday, Sept. 29, Crystal Ballroom, Grosse Pointe War Memorial, 32 Lakeshore. \$7 for non-member adults. (313) 886-1604.

## Dancing

Sophisticated Hula for Over 50: An Assumption/Macomb Community College Continuing Education program, 10-11 a.m., Tuesdays,

Sept. 3-Oct. 1, 21800 Marter. \$35. (586) 779-6111. Grosse Pointe War

Memorial: • Ballroom Dancing: Thursdays, Sept. 5-Oct. 24, 7.30-8:30 p.m., Introduction.

8:30-9:30 p.m., Advanced. Tuesdays, Sept. 10-Oct.

7:30-8:30 p.m., Introduction 8:30-9:30 p.m., Intermediate. **\$**91.

• Belly Dancing, 7-8 p.m., Mondays, Sept. 9-Oct. 21.

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Level 1, 8:15-9:30 p.m., Tuesdays. Sept. 17-Nov 26. Level 2, 8:15-9:30 p.m., Mondays, Sept. 16-Nov. 25.

\$81. 32 Lakeshore. Preregistration required. (313) 881-7511.

## Events

Grosse Pointe Farms Boat Club Garage Sale: 9 a.m.-2 p.m., Saturday, Aug. 31, Grosse Pointe Farms Pier Park, 350 Lakeshore. \$25 vendor setup. Free. (313) 343-2375

Arts of India Fifth Friday at the Detroit Institute of Arts:

Workshops, artists demonstrations, live ethnic music performances, storytelling and guided tours, 6 8:30 p.m., Friday, Aug. 30, 5200

Woodward, Detroit. \$4 adulta, \$1 children. (313) 833-7693.

## Film

Detroit Film Theatre: The Detroit Institute of Arts, 5200 Woodward, showcases contemporary and classic world cinema, 7 and 9 p.m., Fridays and Saturdays or 4 and 7 p.m., Sundays.

 "Murderous Maids," Friday, Sept. 6-Sunday, Sept 8.

5200 Woodward. \$6 or \$5 for DIA members. (313) 833-3237

IMAX Dome Theatre: China: The Panda Adventure, 11 a.m. and 2 p.m., weekdays and 11 a.m., 2 and 5 p.m., weekends.

 Space Station, 10 a.m., 1 and 4 p.m., weekdays and 1 and 4 p.m., weekends.

 The Human Body, noon and 3 p.m., daily. Detroit Science Center, 5020 John R, Detroit. \$7

adults, \$6 seniors and children, 2-12. \$4 IMAX Dome. (313) 577-8400. IMAX Theatre:

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 Shackleton's Artic Adventure Screenings hourly in the

morning, on the half-hour in the afternoon and evening, 9 a.m.-7:20 p.m., weekdays; 9 a.m.-8:45 p.m., weekends. Henry Ford Museum & Greenfield Village, 20900 Oakwood, Dearborn. \$10 adults, \$8 seniors and children 12 and under. (313) 982-6001.

## Fitness

**Assumption Cultural** Center:

 Kalosomatics Exercise Fall Session, beginning Tuesday, Sept. 3-Saturday, Nov. 2, times vary. \$52 for two-day sessions. \$74 threedays, \$94 four-days. Twenty-five percent senior discount.

• Free Kiddie Kalo/Baby Sitting, 9:30-10 a.m., Monday-Thursday, for registered parents. Nonregistered parents pay

 Nautilus Weight Training Room, 8-10:30 a.m., Monday-Thursday and 5-8:30 p.m., Friday. \$50 two days-per-week, \$70 three days-per-week, \$4 drop-ins. • Kalo Exercise/Nautilus

Combo Weekly Workouts, **\$78** two sessions, \$106 three sessions or \$124 four sessions.

 Tae Kwon Do Karate, 8-9:30 p.m., Tuesdays and Thursdays, Sept. 3-Oct. 31. \$50 for one day per week or \$65 for two days per week

• Yoga, 6:30-8 p.m., Mondays, Sept. 9-Nov. 4. **\$**58.

• Free Fitness Testing, 8:30-9:40 a.m., Monday, Sept. 16 or 6-7:40 p.m., Thursday, Sept. 19. Preregistration is

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required. (586) 779-6111. Grosse Pointe War Memorial:

• Pilates Mat Exercises: 6:30-7:20 p.m., Mondays, Sept. 9-Oct. 21 8:40-9:30 a.m.,

Thursdays, Sept. 12-Oct.

\$168 or \$30 per class. Yang Style Tai Chi: Beginning, 6:30-7:30 p.m., Mondays, Sept. 9-Oct. 28. Continuing, 7:35-8:35 p.m., Tuesdays, Sept. 10-

Oct. 29. \$75 or \$63 for seniors. Hatha Yoga: Mondays,

Sept. 9-Oct. 21. Continuing 8:30-10 a.m. or 7-8:30 p.m.

Beginning, 10:15-11:45 Thursdays, Sept. 12 Oct.

Beginning, 7:35-9:05 p.m.,

**\$**70. Jacki's Aerobic Dancing: 8:45-9:45 a.m., Mondays and Wednesdays, Sept. 9-Dec. 9. \$105 or \$95 for

seniors. Vitality Plus Acrobics: 8:30-9:30 a.m., Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays, Sept. 9-Nov. 2. \$156 for 3 days; \$104 for two days, \$52 for eight

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• Circuit Training: 6:15-7:15 a.m., Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, Sept. 9-Nov. 1. \$156 for three days or \$104 for two

 Cardio Mix: 6:30-7:30 p.m., Tuesdays and Thursdays, Sept. 10-Oct. 31. \$97.

32 Lakeshore. Preregistration required for most classes. (313) 881-7511.

## **Golf Outings**

Third Annual Dennis Rhodes Memorial Harper Woods Dad's Club Golf Outing: Goif and dinner, 2 p.m., Sunday, Sept. 8, Selfridge Air National Guard Base Golf Course, 130 E. Jefferson, Harrison Township. \$70. Reservations due by Saturday, Aug. 31. (313) 882-1508.

Michigan Opera Theatre Golf, Tennis & Bridge Outing: Benefiting MOT programs, Monday, Sept. 9, Orchard Lake Country Club, 5000 W. Shore Dr., Orchard Lake.

 Golf shotgun starts at 8 a.m. and 12:30 p.m., cludes 18-holes, cart, lunch, cocktails, dinner and prizes. \$400.

• Round-Robin Tennis Tournament, 9:15 a.m. -1 p.m., includes buffet lunch. \$75, plus \$125 for dinner. • Bridge Tournament, 10

a.m., includes buffet lunch.

\$150. Plus \$125 for dinner. Reservations required. (313) 237-3402.

St. Paul's Golf Outing: Metro Car sponsors the 18hole scramble which also includes lunch, dinner ar d men's, women's and couple's prizes, 11:30 a.m., Thursday, Sept. 19, The Orchards Golf Club, 62900 Campground, Washington. \$150. Free Metro Car shuttle leaves from St. Paul's on the Lake Catholic Church, 157 Lakeshore, 10:30 a.m. Reservations required. (586) 786-7200.

## History

Detroit Historical Society Programs:

· Sunday Stroll/Historic Indian Village Walking Tour, 2 p.m., Sunday, Sept. 8, departs from Christ Lutheran Church, 2411 Iroquois, Detroit. \$10 for DHS members, \$15 for nonmembers.

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Edsel & Eleanor Ford House: tours of house, grounds, children's playhouse and powerhouse. On the half-hour, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Tuesday-Saturday and noon-4 p.m., Sunday, \$6 adults, \$5 seniors, \$4 children, \$5 grounds only, \$18 annual pass. Tea Room, 11:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m., Tuesday-Sunday, 1100 Lakeshore (313) 884-4222

Provencal-Weir House, ca. 1823: Grosse Pointe Historical Society offers tours of the house and Log Cabin, 1-4 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 14. 376 Kercheval. Free. (313) 884-7010.

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Fame: • Special exhibition dedicated to Warren Avis. founder of Avis Rent-a-Car. Interactive exhibits focusing on automotive pio-

10 a.m.-5 p.m., daily. 21400 Oakwood in Dearborn. \$6 adults, \$5.50 seniors, \$3 for children, 5-12. (313) 240-4000.

Charles H. Wright Museum of African American History: Field to Factory: African American Migration, 1915-1940,

through Sunday, Sept. 29. • Of the People: The African American Experience, continuing 9:30-5 p.m., Wednesday Saturday; 1-5 p.m., Sunday. 315 E. Warren, Detroit. \$5

adults, \$3 children, 5 and up. (313) 494-5800. Children's Museum **Detroit Public Schools:** Workshops, noon-2 p.m., Thursdays and Fridays, for children, 6-12, 9 a.m.-4 p.m., Monday-Friday. 6134 Second, Detroit, \$3 per program. (313) 873-8100.

Museum: Connections: Metro Detroit Neighborhoods, through Sunday, Aug. 31, 2003

**Detroit Historical** 

 Rhythms of the Caribbean Wiggle Giggle Workshop, 1-3 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 7. \$3. • Lecture: Neighborhood

Self-help...The

Grandmont/Rosedale Story, Sunday, Sept. 29, 2 p.m. • Pewabic Pottery: The Legacy of Mary Chase Perry Stratton, through Sunday, Oct. 13. Ghost Ads, through

Sunday, Nov. 30. Land, Lives and Legends: Native Americans

9:30-5 p.m., Tuesday-Friday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday. 5401 Woodward, Detroit. \$5 adults, \$2.50 seniors and elementary/high school students; \$3 college students, children under 12 free.

(313) 833-1805. Detroit Science

Center: • Marshall Field's Sunday Fun Days/ Bolts & Jolts, noon-6 p.m., Sunday,

 Grandparent's Days, free Center admission for up to two grandparents and four grandchildren. Wednesday, Sept. 18-Friday,

• DTE Energy Sparks Theater.

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Fall hours, beginning Monday, Sept. 2, 9 a.m.-3 p.m., Monday-Friday; 10:30 a.m.-6 p.m., Saturday, noon-6 p.m., Sunday. 5020 John R, Detroit. \$7 adults, \$6 seniors and children, 2-12. \$4 IMAX Dome. \$4 planetarium. (313) 577-8400.

Detroit Zoo: Arctic Ring of Life exhibit, 4.2 acres of arctic animals and a clear, underwater Polar Passage. Antesters: Fast Food

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10 a.m.-4 p.m., daily. Ten Mile at Woodward, Royal Oak. \$8 adults, \$6 seniors and children, 2-12. \$4 simulator rides. \$4 parking. (248) 398-0903. Dossin Great Lakes

Museum: Video: Living on the Edge, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 7. Free

 Working the Inland Seas: Stories of African Americans on the Great Lakes, through April 2003. 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Wednesday-Sunday. Belle Isle, Detroit. \$3 adults, \$2

are free. (313) 852-4051. Henry Ford Museum and Greenfield Village: • Lah-De-Dahs Historical baseball team plays on the

Village Green, through Sunday, Sept. 29. • 52nd Annual Old Car Festival, 10:30 a.m.-4 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 7 and Sunday, Sept. 8 • IMAX Theatre.

9 a.m.-5 p.m., Monday-Saturday and noon-5p.m., Sunday, 20900 Oakwood, Dearborn, \$8.50-\$13.50 Museum, \$10-\$16 Village, Children under 5 free. IMAX Theatre, \$10 adults, \$8 seniors and children, 12 and under. (313) 982-6001.

## Courses

Assumption Cultural Center:

• Youth Tennis, ages 6-12, beginning Monday, Sept. 23, at Wimbledon Racquet Club, 20250 Nine Mile. \$80, seven one-hour classes, \$315, 14 two-hour classes 9:30 a.m. or 1 p.m.,

Mondays-Fridays 6 or 8 p.m., Monday or Thursdays 6 p.m., Wednesdays

9 a.m., Saturdays • Pee Wee Tennis, ages 3-6 years, beginning Tuesday, Sept. 24, at Wimbledon Racquet Club, 20250 Nine Mile. 10 a.m., Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays,

Grosse Pointe War

Memorial: Mosaic Plaques, Crafts for teens, ages 13-18, 4-6 p.m., Tuesdays, Sept 10-Oct. 1. \$100 plus a \$20 materials fee.

• Drawing and Painting. ages 6-9, 4-5 p.m., Thursdays, Sept. 12-Nov. 14. \$75.

 Classical Ballet, ages 5 and above, 4-6:45 p.m., Monday-Friday, Sept. 12-Dec. 6 or 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., Saturdays, Sept. 14-Dec. 7. Registrations, 3:30-6 p.m., Monday, Sept. 9 and Tuesday, Sept. 10. \$76 for one hour, \$123 for two hours, \$160 for three hours.

Driving Ace Driving School: Segment I, 6-8 p.m., Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays, Sept. 9-Oct. 1, Assumption Cultural Center, 21800 Marter. \$270. (586) 268-5540.

Grosse Pointe Driving School: Segment I, 6-8 p.m.,

Monday-Thursday, Sept. 9 Sept. 26 or Sept. 30-Oct. 17. • Segment II, 4-6 p.m., Monday, Sept. 9, Tuesday, Sept. 10 and Thursday, Sept. 12 or Monday, Sept. 23, Tuesday, Sept. 24, children, 5-18. Wednesdays Thursday, Sept. 26.

Cultural Center, between Segment I, \$269. Segment Kirby, Cass, John R and II, \$35. Grosse Pointe War Anthony Wayne Drive in Memorial, 32 Lakeshore. (313) 881-7511. , Detroit.

• Festival of the Arts, 4-Events 10 p.m., Friday, Sept. 13; 11 Universoul Circus a.m.-10 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 14 and Sunday, Sept. America's only African-American owned and operated circus, Friday, Sept. 6-DaimlerChrysler

Children's Fair, 11 a.m.-6 p.m., Saturday and noon -6 p.m., Sunday. Free. (313) 577-5088.

Parenting **Moms and Tots** Together Playgroup: • Ages 3-4, 10:15-11 a.m., Wednesdays, Sept. 4-Oct.

• Ages 1-2, 10:15-11 a.m., Thursdays, Sept. 5-Oct. 31. European street theatre. Assumption Cultural live musical entertainment. Center, 21800 Marter. \$45. and food, on and around the (586) 779-6111. Middle School Parent University and the Detroit

Burgundy, 7-9 p.m.,

Out of the

7511.

Coffee: The Grosse Pointe Public Schools sponsors this forum for discussion between parents and education professionals, 8:30-9:30 a.m., Tuesdays, beginning Sept. 10, Barnes School.

## Free, (313) 432-4622. Sports

Lakers Ewim Team Registration: Competitive swim program for schoolage children, 5-8 p.m., ednesday, Sept. 4 and Thursday, Sept. 5, St. Clair Shores Civic Arena, 20000 Stephens. (586) 447-2112.

Theater PuppetART: "Oh, Ananse!," 2 p.m., Saturdays, Sept. 7-28 Detroit Puppet Theatre, 26 E. Grand River. \$5, children, \$7, adults. (313) 961-

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• 10:30 a.m. and 7:30

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noon, 4:30 and 8 p.m.,

From page 11B Community College Continuing Education Classes: Non-credit courses offered at the Assumption Community Center.

 Introduction to 9-11 a.m., Mondays and Wednesdays, Sept. 9-Oct. 9 1-3 p.m., Tuesdays and Thursdays, Sept. 10- Oct.

• Word Processing, 1-3 p.m., Mondays and Wednesdays, Sept. 9 to Oct. 9 or 9-11 a.m., Tuesdays and Thursdays, Sept. 10-Oct. 10, \$99.

 Creative Container Gardening, 6:30-8:30 p.m., Thursday, Sept. 19. \$19. 21800 Marter. Preregistration required. (586) 498-4000.

**Assumption Cultural** Center: Herb Society of America/Grosse Pointe Unit Herbal Harvest, 7-9 p.m.,

Thursday, Sept. 19. \$15. What a Great Time To Garden, 7-8:30 p.m., Tuesday, Sept. 24. \$10.

21800 Marter. Preregistration required (586) 779-6111. Divorce Recovery Workshop: 7-8:30 p.m.,

Wednesdays, Sept. 18-Dec. 11, Lake Shore Presbyterian Church, 27801 fferson, St. Clair Shores. **\$**30, (586) 773-7243 Grosse Pointe War

Memorial: • Computer Tune Up: 7:30-9:30 p.m., Thursday, Sept. 12. \$25. Basic Chinese: 10:15

a.m.-12:15 p.m., Saturdays, Citizens Day Trips: • Clinton River Luncheon Sept. 14-Oct. 19. \$100. Cruise, noon-3 p.m., • Tastings: The Fine

Wine Group/Red and White Tuesday, Sept. 17. \$61.

Ordinary...Into the Extraordinary/Reincarnatio Trips depart from n, 7-9 p.m., Wednesday, Sept. 18. \$20. • The Wines of Italy: 7-9 17150 Waterloo.

p.m., Thursdays, Sept. 19-Oct. 10. \$64. (313) 882-9600. Out of the Citizens Lectures: Ordinary...Into the Extraordinary/Astrology: 7-

9 p.m., Wednesday, Sept. a.m., Wednesday, Sept. 4. = Elder Hostel, 11:30 25, \$20, · Consulting School Workshop: 7-9 p.m., Wednesday, Sept. 25. \$30. 32 Lakeshore. (313) 881-

Grosse Pointa Animal Adoption Society: Adoption, ncon-3 p.m., Saturday, Aug. 31, Children's Home of Detroit,

Pets

900 Cook. Adoption, noon-3 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 14 and Sunday, Sept. 15, Village/Hill Association Fall

Festival Free. (313) 884-1551.

Seniors Salute to Seniors: The City of Grosse Pointe Woods presents its 11th annual Senior Citizens Day which includes a continental breakfast, lunch, entertainment, games and door prizes, 10 a.m.-2:30 p.m.. Saturday, Sept. 7, Grosse Pointe Woods Lakefront Park, 23006 Jefferson. \$3,

residents, \$4, non-residents (313) 343-2408. Services for Older

Thursday, Sept. 5. \$36. · Afternoon Tea at the Townsend in Birmingham 11 a.m.-3 p.m., Thursday, Sept. 12. \$28.

Services for Older Citizens' Neighborhood Club offices, Preregistration is required.

Services for Older • Estate Planning, 11:30

a.m., Wednesday, Sept. 11 • Grosse Pointe Public Library Outreach Program. 11:30 a.m., Monday, Sept.

• Defensive Driving: 11:30 a.m., Wednesday,

 Investment Counseling, 11:30 a.m., Monday, Sept.

 Visiting Nurse Association, 11:30 a.m., Wednesday, Sept. 25 Services for Older Citizens' Neighborhood Club offices, 17150 Waterloo. Free. (313) 882-

## Spiritual Resources

Ecumenical Men's Breakfast: Share food, fellowship and a lecture, Fridays at 7:30 a.m., Grosse Pointe Memorial Church. Kriday, Sept. 6, Neal

Shine, former "Detroit Free Press" publisher. **Heart of Jesus Prayer** Center:

• Paper Cranes Revisited: A Day of Prayer for Peace, 10 a.m.-2 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 7. \$40. 21151 13 Mile. Preregistration requested. (586) 415-0709.

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# South tennis team heads field in its first two tournaments

the four doubles flights to finish with 26 points. Adams Red Division and a squad that figures to rank among the best Division I teams in the state.

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Pointe South August 4-6, 6-2 win over Adams in fourth doubles flight. "We have unbelieveable teams.

depth," Sobieralski said. That was never more varsity squad to play No. 4

flight. She won her first honors at the recent for the Norsemen. match by default, but then Universal Dance Association Team captain Kristen defeated a player from Ann summer camp and competi-McPharlin and Carla Arbor Huron 6-4, 6-3 and tion at Oakland University. Colbeck were selected as

Paone wasn't the only JV for accumulating the most player to make an impression on Sobieralski. Warrension on Sobieralski. Warrension on Sobieralski. Warrension on Sobieralski. Mott's third and fourth singles players weren't able to based drills designed to All candidates were up from the JV to fill the North also received a their own choreography.

Invitational and tied Port the final. The Blue Devils
Huron Northern for the top also got firsts from their of Carolyn Rohde and spot in the Troy Invitational. third and fourth doubles

We have unbelieveable to the final of th

Sophomore Alexis Pavle in the flight.

going to challenge for the South also won three of said. "You always wonder two years, won two of her 1 in Division I in the preseation of the challenge for the South also won three of two years, won two of her 1 in Division I in the preseation of the challenge for the South also won three of two years, won two of her 1 in Division I in the preseation of the challenge for the south also won three of two years, won two of her 1 in Division I in the preseation of the challenge for the south also won three of two years, won two of her 1 in Division I in the preseation of the challenge for the south also won three of two years, won two of her 1 in Division I in the preseation of the challenge for the south also won three of two years, which is the challenge for the south also won three of two years, which is the challenge for the south also won three of two years, which is the challenge for the south also won three of two years, which is the challenge for the south also won three of two years, which is the challenge for the south also won three of two years, which is the challenge for the south also won three of two years, which is the challenge for the south also won three of two years, which is the challenge for the south also won three of two years, which is the challenge for the south also won three of two years, which is the challenge for the south also won three or the challenge for the south also won three or the challenge for the south also won three or the challenge for the south also won three or the challenge for the south also won three or the challenge for the south also won three or the challenge for the south also won three or the challenge for the south also won three or the challenge for the south also won three or the challenge for the south also won three or the challenge for the south also won three or the challenge for the south also won three or the challenge for the south also won three or the challenge for the challenge championship in the the four doubles flights to how the kids are going to three matches at No. 2 sin-son ratings.

Devils showed their depth team of McCall Monte and Huron, Stevenson and Holly In the Troy Invitational, one up a notch in singles for as they won the Grosse Sunny Jefferies posted a 6-2, in straight sets to win the

## apparent than in South's opening tournament. With a hole in the singles lineup, southoncers Januis. sophomore Jennifer Paone shines at Oakland

ingles. Grosse Pointe North's var-her performances. That All Paone did was win the sity dance team took top resulted in a perfect score

beat a Rochester Adams
player 6-2, 6-4 in the championship match.

North, which is coached by Rebecca Ruth, earned the Drill Down Superior Trophy

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attend the tournament, so increase dancers' listening required to perform a rou-

Sobieralski said. "They didn't count in the points, but from they made a great showing. Grosse Pointe South lost six seniors from a strong 2001 girls tennis team, but don't feel too sorry for Blue Devils coach Mark Sobieralski.

He still has a team that's going to challenge for the sponsory of the sponsory of the sponsory of the still has a team that's going to challenge for the sponsory of the

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Grosse Pointe North's varsity dance team took top honors at the Universal strend the tournament, so increase dancers' listening required to perform a rouse rounce form a skills and to enhance their tine choreographed by UDA and Courtney Grady came ability to focus.

The strength of the tournament, so increase dancers' listening required to perform a rounce rounce rounce rounce rounce rounce and to demonstrate some of the universal part of the universal and to demonstrate some of the universal part of the univ coach Rebecca Ruth, Kathryn Werner, Erin Neveux, Molly Bonbrisco, Heather oids.

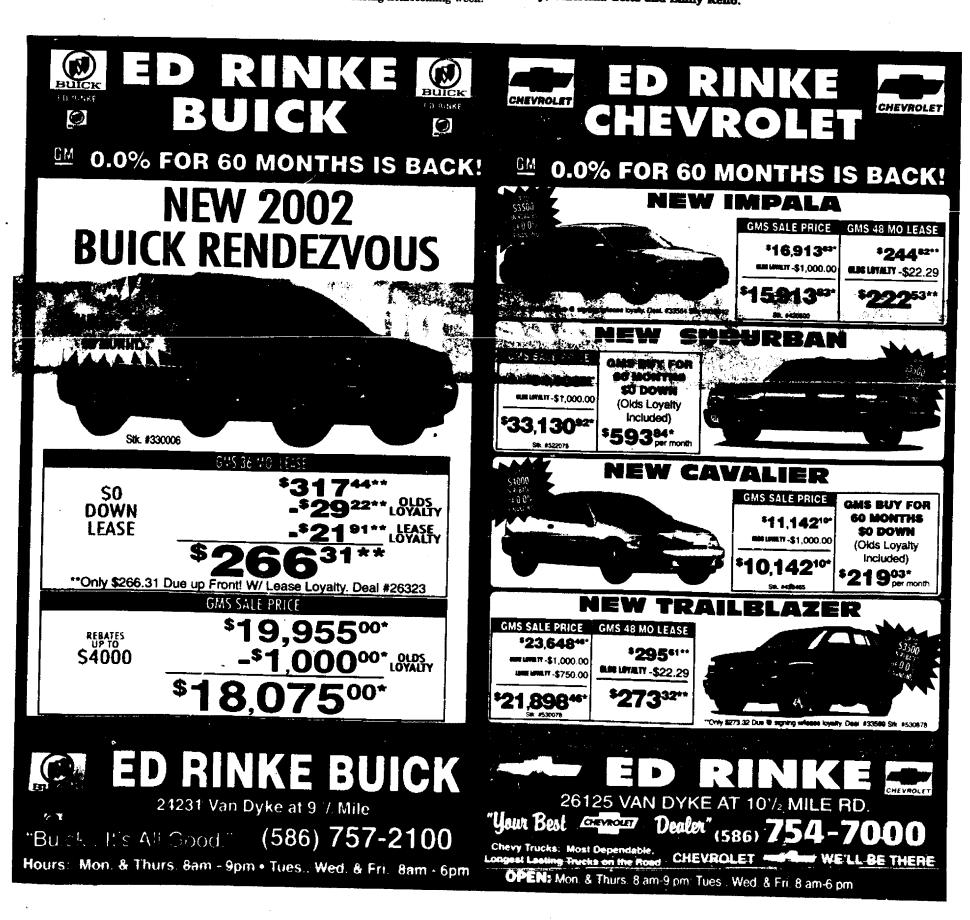
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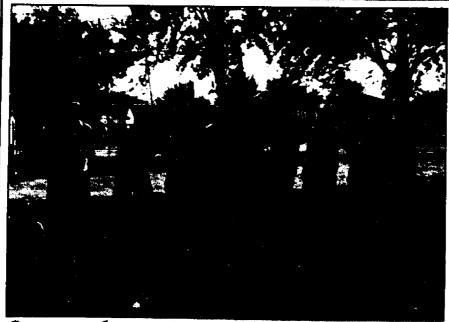
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They both won two of each member of the team formance will take place three matches, "Elkany. Carla Colbeck and Megan Rogers. Not pictured are Katle Fikany. Christina Geltz and Emily Reno.





## Soccer champions

The Grosse Pointe Soccer Association under-16 Mustangs took first place in the White Division at the St. Clair Shores Waterfront Invitational. On their way to the title, the Mustangs beat the St. Clair Shores Sidekicks, the Fraser Dragons and the North Macomb Rebels. In front is Whitney Hughes. Sitting, from left, are Jeannie Taylor, Allison O'Connor, Jac March, Claire Cunningham, Becky Cattaneo, Elisabeth Alber, Jamie Hollerbach and Flona Spears. In back, from left, are coach Tim Hale, Rachel Zurck, Andrea Atsalakis, Melissa Carron, Katie Gerow, Allison Seeley, Carly Adams, Bridget Hathaway and Samantha Carr. Not pictured is Lauren Burke.

## South booters tuning up for MAC White Division rivals

against one of the state's Marcos Benefede, Harry top-ranked teams, Grosse Pointe South's John Mellon Paul Kossak. believes his boys soccer team should be able to compete with the top squads in already paid dividends to Macomb Conference White Division.

"We're going to be all right," Mellon said after the Blue Devils' 7-1 loss to Birmingham Brother Rice in last week's season opener.

"That was a very tough opener for us. But our kids played hard all the way, they stuck to the game plan and they got much better as the game went on."

Melion said the game with the Warriors, who were ranked fourth in the Division I preseason ratings, provided "a reality check" for his team.

"That was a very good team," Mellon said, "but it gave us an opportunity to see what kind of teams we'll be up against if we can get out of districts.'

South has eight returning lettermen from last year's 5-10-3 squad. They're led by a pair of senior co-captains, midfielders Dave Minnick and Cole Van Assche. Others returning are goalkeeper Kirk Willmarth, defenders Kellen Bannon and Tim Ross, midfielders Phil Alber and Sevi Jensen and forward Erion Lika.

There are several other players with some varsity experience. They are Nick Andrew, Doug Biske, Kevin Krease, Dave Lankford, Dan Majeski and Oscar Vega. They were key members of a junior varsity team that lost only four games last year.

They've been joined on the

Despite a rocky start varsity by Dave Bernbeck, Galac, Stefan Harris and

> Two newcomers have the South program. Arlind Lucas scored the North.

only goal against Brother Rice on a nice setup from Chris Chaw.

"We should score more goals than we did last year," said Mellon, who is in his initely going to get better."

Members of this year's

"A lot of them play soccer

University Liggett School

girls tennis team are more

that they're good athletes

and they will compete," said

Knights opened the new sea-

appearance in the Traverse

ULS finished sixth in the

eight-team field that includ-

ed several state-ranked

well.

teams but Wright liked what

Wright said. "This is always

a good tournament because

it gives the girls a chance to

be together and get to know

from No. 1 singles player

Holly Huth, who advanced

to the championship match

in her flight before losing to

Others who won matches

were Beth Sanders at No. 2

a player from Okemos.

The best showing came

each other a little better."

coach Chuck Wright.

City Invitational.

he saw.

Last weekend.

than just tennis players.

By Chuck Klonke

Sports Editor

Valley and Grosse Pointe

"I think we can compete with those teams," Mellon said. "We struggled (against Brother Rice), but we're def-

## Last year's team scored only 32 goals in 18 games. Mellon thinks that offensive improvement is a key to competing with division rivals Utica, Chippewa

## guards are required. If there are any questions, call Karen Ridgway at (313)

sions.

required.

## **ULS** netters are all-around athletes hosts

Fall preview

coach

DeClercq went through a

rollercoaster of emotions

last season in his first year

After a vigorous offseason,

"We're improving with

DeClercq has a renewed

each practice and each game," DeClercq said. "The

mindset with these young

men is fantastic. Will that equal more wins? Time will

tell, but I feel good about our

6-7-2 overall, 6-6-2 league

mark, but senior co-captains

Rick Pefley and Kris Natschke plan to better it in

Junior Josh Threm is also

The Grosse Pointe Soccer

Association will conduct a

training class for junior soc-

cer referees on Saturday,

Sept. 7 from 9 to 11 a.m. at

Elworthy Field in the City of

The class will provide the

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referees' clinic

The Irish are coming off a

sense about his squad.

Marty

By Bob St. John

at Notre Dame.

Staff writer

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# Special needs

Top Soccer, the outreach program for special needs children, is taking registration for its fall session.

It is open to players between the ages of 4 and 15, who have special needs. Games will begin Sept. 14 at Montieth Elementary

School and will be played each Saturday through Oct. 26 from 12:30 to 1:30 p.m.

The program uses small goals, small fields and oneon-one assistance.

Fees are still \$15 for returning players and \$40 for new players, which includes a one-time \$25 charge for a reusable uniform.

(313) 886-3445.

For more information, call

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Mary, Riverview Gabriel "Notre Dame soccer is special," Richard, Pontiac Notre Dame Prep, Madison DeClercq said. "We want to Dame Madison play in front of a lot of fans Heights Bishop Foley and and the only way to do that Waterford Lakes.

The Catholic League The renewed spirit will Championship is set for Tuesday, Oct. 8, at St. Johns sion title, but DeClercq said Golf Club, and the regional it will take a team effort to tournament is Friday, Oct.

## Cross country

he said. "We have to play Notre Dame's cross-counwith a passion and a game try team has made positive strides under head coach champ Rick Piornack.

The strides should be even returns a solid nucleus, as longer this season as senior Keith Walter, senior Kevin Belen, sophomore Joe Eouvaldi and sephomore Joe Hawkinson return with a ton of varsity experience Lakes, Riverview Gabriel Richard and Royal Oak behind them.

The Irish will face some of the best runners in the state when they compete in division meets against Birmingham Brother Rice, Detroit Catholic Central, U-D Jesuit and Warren De La Salle.

The Catholic League meet the annual East Detroit is set for Saturday, Oct. 19, at Stony Creek and the "I saw some good things from our kids," DeClercq said. "I thought we played Irish's regional meet is the next week.

## **Gymnastics**

Notre Dame's gymnastics team is back and ready for ule is an away game on action unde Friday, Aug. 30, against Ken Parent. Cabrini. action under head coach

Senior Dave Kuntz, who was eighth overall in last year's state finals, is the team's top returner and he Doug Anderson is back for his sechas to be at the top of his ond year at the helm of game if the Fightin' Irish are to beat Hartland, Plymouth-Canton, East Lansing and The squad made major improvements last season, Ypsilanti

Parent has always leaned on a combination of self-dis-This year, senior Jim cipline and fun as a way to McGowan and junior Dustin get his gymnasts to perform Ciccarelli figure to be the at their best.

It has worked because the The Fightin' Irish have Irish have put together sevenough talent to win the eral consecutive winning tough Catholic League seasons.

## Art Van tournament to benefit special needs

the Neighborhood Club's ational therapy, handwrit-Children with Special Needs ing, exercise, sport sam-Program.

held at the Lochmoor Club from Sept. 27 through 29 and will feature many of the top men's professional play-

Last year's champion was James Sekulov of Perth, Australia, and he is expect-

ed back to defend his title. The Children with Special

All of the gate receipts Needs Program offers a varifrom this year's Art Van Pro ety of professionally-staffed Tennis Challenge will go to classes, including recreplers, interactive The tournament will be metronome and movement and music.

> The program is for children ages 3 and older who have physical, cognitive and emotional challenges. The cost of therapy and equipment for special children is expensive and they rely on

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## Waterfront winners

The Grosse Pointe Soccer Association under-17 Mustangs took first place in their division at the St. Clair Shores Waterfront Invitational. The Mustangs defeated the Sterling Heights Michigan Gators, the Royal Oak Rush and the Troy Rage on their way to the title. Melissa Sleeman is in front. Scated, from left, are Claire Miller, Liz Baxter, C.C. Mengel, Megan Switalski and Lis Galea. Kneeling, from left, are Kristen Padilla, Natalie Ball, Erin MacLeod, Carly Mizerski, Chrissie Monte and Jenny Abeli. In back, from left, are Anne Dalby, Kelly Springborn, Allison Fennell, Liz Ridgway, Nataiie Humphry and coach Tim Hale.

# City of Grasse Hainte Maads, Michigan

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON THE VACATING OF A' PUBLIC ALLEY LYING EASTERLY OF MACK AVENUE AND NORTHERLY OF BRYS DRIVE (TO REAR OF LOTS 1 THRU 6 OF BRYS SUBDIVISION) IN THE CITY OF GROSSE POINTE WOODS, MICHIGAN

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in accordance with Michigan State Statutes (Subdivision Control Act), Sections 26-430 (256)(257), Michigan Complied Laws, Section 125.584, et al, and the City Charter, Section 2.2, a public hearing will be held by the City Council of the City of Grosse Pointe Woods in the Council-Court Room of the Municipal Building, 20025 Mack Plaza, Grosse Pointe Woods, on Monday, September 16, 2002, at 7:30 p.m. to hear the proposal of petitioner Sunrise Assisted Living, 3334 Sandy Creek Drive, Shelby Township, Michigan, to vacate a public alley, the legal description of

A public alley, 20.0 feet wide, lying northerly of Brys Drive, 60.0 feet wide and abutting lots I thru 6, and adjacent to Lot 159, all as recorded in Brys Subdivision, L. 50, P8 of plats, Wayne County Records, situated in P.C. 184, City of Grosse Pointe Woods. Wayne County, Michigan, retaining a 20.0 foot public easement to permit operation and maintenance of a public sewer and/or other public utilities.

The subject file folder is open for public review and all interested persons are invited to attend

G.P.N.: 08/29/2002

Louise S. Warnke,

City Clerk

singles and Rachel Costello Kingswood on Wednesday at at No. 3 and the doubles teams of Calle Shumaker and Chrissie Keersmackers (No. 2), Katie Boccaccio and Allison Jones (No.3) and Carly Croskey and Kelly SOCCET program King (No.4).

and softball, so you know \*Our first doubles team of is taking signups Lizzie Campbell and Gabby Milosic and Laura Ralstrom at fourth singles played well but lost some tough match-

son with their annual es," Wright said. ULS plays at Ann Arbor

## Greenhills today, Aug. 29,

From page 1C

Huron Northern's Megan Smith in her second match at fourth singles.

Monte and Jefferies lost to PHN in a three-set match in the first doubles final.

"Those were just two good teams," Sobieralski said. "It was a good match. They'll see the Northern kids a few more times this year."

Rohde and Brink beat solid teams from Huron, North and PHN in straight sets to win the No. 2 doubles flight. Pavle and Schweitzer beat West Bloomfield and Troy in straight sets before defeating North in a threeset final at No. 3 singles.

The fourth doubles team of Vandermale and Harrell improved to 6-0 in the young season with straight set victories over Port Huron Northern, Grosse Pointe North and Ann Arbor

"They're playing on the varsity for the first time and they haven't lost a set," Sobieralski said.

"I call this team my 'Diaper Dandies.' Some of them don't even know who Dick Vitale (who coined the phrase) is, so I had to tell them that it was a good thing."

There are only two seniors on this year's South squad. It also includes seven juniors, eight sophomores and 14 freshmen.

South is idle this week but the Blue Devils return to action on Sept. 6 and 7 at the University Liggett School Invitational.

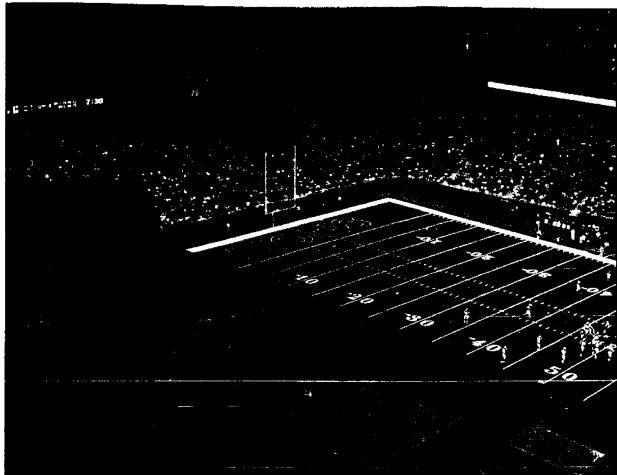


Photo by Brad Lindberg

**Swimming** 

coach Frank Bruneel.

He has shaped

The Regina swim team is

coming off another success-

ful campaign under head

Saddlelites' swim program

into a consistent winner, but

it's still looking to make a

move in the perennially

Several top-notch seniors

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seniors, Kristen

graduated, leaving this

tough Catholic League.

Jerry Green of Grosse Pointe Woods reports for ball game at Detroit's Ford Field. The Detroit News on the opening Detroit Lions foot-

## Saddlelites are searching for right combination as hoops season begins

## Fall preview

By Bob St. John Staff writer

Hall of Fame head coach Diane Laffey has a relatively young and inexperienced squad to work with this sea-

A year ago the Saddlelites finished 19-7 overall, winning district and regional

"We're going to be totally different than in years past," Laffey said. "We have very little size, but a lot of quickness, so that is what we have to utilize.'

Senior Kim Petrucci is the most experienced varsity player, while fellow seniors Jackie Fowler and Erin Dopp have to step up the level of their games for the Saddlelites to win.

Laffey is also counting on juniors Sarah Jimines and Ashley Mellor to see significant playing time since they were on the varsity a year

Juniors Rosemary Wagner and Meghan Sweeney were called up at district time and they will be counted on

Junior Rachel Sabol is the team's best shooter, while juniors Bridget Puwlis, Jacklyn Richardson, Megan Pelgus, Rachel Kotwicki and Danielle Swrowik will get playing time.

Sophomore Andrea Ligotti is the youngest member of the varsity team, but she will also get a shot to play.

"We need Kim, Ashley and Sarah to play significant minutes because they're our top ball handlers," Laffey said. "Rachel has to make outside shots for us because we will not get too many baskets in the low post. We will have to press and get layups in transition.

Competing for a Catholic League Central Division crown is going to be a challenge this season as Dearborn Divine Child, Livenia Ladywood and Birmingham Marian have the best squads on paper.

"I see us, (Farmington Hills) Mercy and (Pontiac Notre Dame) Prep battling for the final playoff spot, Laffey said.

The nonleague schedule is also tough, consisting of Ann Warren Arbor Pioneer, Cousino, Madison Heights Foley, Detroit Bishop Benedictine, Grosse Pointe South, Utica Eisenhower and Macomb Lutheran North.

The Saddlelites also host their annual tournament the first weekend

September.
"We will hustle on every

play and I know these kids will give a ton of effort," Laffey said. "It will take some time for everyone to get used to their roles, but once they do I think we will be a solid basketball team."

The Regina basketball team started its season last week at Pioneer. The results will be in the Sept. 5 issue of The Grosse Pointe

## Tennis

Can Regina's tennis team continue its success story in its second year under head coach Ann Yochim?

Last year the Saddlelites finished 5-5 and earned six points in the Catholic League Tournament, and made it to the state finals in Division II by finishing second in a regional tourna-

Yochim had her players practicing hard and having fun, which hopefully can happen again this season.

The team's best players return in seniors Sarah Markiewicz (No. 1 singles), Angela Kuznia (No. 2 singles) and Ali Glowacki (No. 3

Other varsity players who improved throughout last season were Lauren Maloney-Egnatios, Natalie Meyer, Jennifer Plawecki, Stephanie Peeples and Sarah DiFranco.

The Saddlelites have six Catholic League matches scheduled against Royal Oak Shrine, Farmington Hills Mercy, Birmingham Marian, Waterford Lakes, Livonia Ladywood and Pontiac Notre Dame Prep.

Yochim and her tennis team could make some waves in the Catholic League, finishing in the top three for the first time in a decade.

They could also make it back to the state finals if all of the girls improved during the offseason.

Regina's tennis team kicked off its season last week, playing three matches. Results will be in the Sept. 5 issue of The Grosse Pointe News.

## Cross country

The Regina cross-country team is in the best shape of head coach Gregg Golden's tenure, as 26 girls are on the From page 2C

"The increase in numbers means that more girls are interested in competing in a tough sport," Golden said. "It's great to see more people come out for the team, and half of them are sophomores and freshmen.

As for the upperclassmen, Saturday, Sept. 7, in the enior tri-captains Algonac Invitational. tri-captains senior Catherine Vaughn, Sara DeMars and Bailee Cieslak will lead the team.

Andrea Paradise and Molly Daudlin round out the seniors, while sophomore Katie Eisen should be able to continue her fine form from a year ago.

"We have most of our top runners coming back," Golden said. "All of the girls worked hard during the summer to stay in running shape, and it shows.'

Juniors Ashley Couture, Emily Delmotte, Lauren Manuszak, Shayna Czech and Caitlin Schultz were in the program a year ago, as were sophomores Emily McFarland, Sarah Popp and Karon Walter.

Newcomers are sopho-more Christina Strace, sophomore Frances Schmid, freshman Sarah Cholyway, junior Sara Dziordziewicz, freshman Danielle Tirone, sophomore Jennifer Green and sophomore Xiomara Okwonkwo.

"The seniors are the backbone of this team," Golden said. "They're the leaders and I expect them to fulfill "They're the leaders their role, which I think they will do and enjoy it."

The Saddlelites have taken their lumps during the past few years in Catholic League Central Division competition, but things could be different this

"I think the playing field is as even as it has been in several years," Golden said. "There are some strong teams such as (Dearborn) Divine Child and (Birmingham) Marian, but we stack up protty well with them, as well as (Livonia) Ladywood, (Riverview) Gabriel Richard and (Farmington Hills) Mercy."

Outside of Catholic League meets are six invitationals and the Catholic League Championship meet on Saturday, Oct. 19, at Stony Creek.

"We're looking forward to see how well we can compete," Golden said. "It's early, but so far things are going well."

The Regina cross-country team opens its season on

charitable donations to help defray the cost.

Jeanne Lizza is the Neighborhood Club's volunteer coordinator for Special Kids Programs.

For more information on le tennis tournament, cali (313) 886-0777.

## Ford Field: A view from on high

By Brad Lindberg Staff Writer

frequent flyer miles sitting in the sky-high press box above Detroit's new Ford

"I'm not thrilled by the reporter and resident of Grosse Pointe Woods.

Green and reporters, many with binoculars, perched side-by-side in the seven-story high press box during Saturday's inaugural Detroit Lions football

Their view was comparable to what pigeons saw from nearby window ledges. When birds took flight, they often cruised by below eye

Tinges of vertigo were accentuated because the press box hung over a playing surface dug about 40 feet below grade level.

Fred McLeod, WDIV Channel 4 sportscaster and Grosse Pointe Park resident, said height, and height alone, made him miss the Pontiac Silverdome.

"Other than that, this is superior," McLeod said. "It's a bird's-eye view. That's small price to pay to see the beauty of this stadium."

In preseason football, it counts when you win. When you don't, it doesn't.

Lions lost to the Pittsburgh Steelers 34-22 in the firstever game at Ford Field on Saturday, Aug. 24.

The Lions christened the scoreboard at 11:02 of the first quarter. Quarterback Mike McMahon made a oneyard touchdown pass to halfback James Stewart in the right flat. Stewart's score ignited a roaring crowd reported at 59,262, but there were a lot of empty, elbowfriendly chairs throughout the 65,000 seat stadium that rattled beverage cups ala "Jurassic Park."

"I don't like the acoustics," Green yelled, trying to be Sports writers could earn heard. "The sound is over-

bearing.

Eardrums took a breather in the second quarter when the Lions stalled and Steelers got into gear. The height," said Jerry Green, half ended with Pittsburgh veteran Detroit News in front 14-10 and not looking back.

But for curious fans, it wasn't whether the Lions won or lost, but where they played the game.

Grosse Pointe North ath-letic director Chris Clark was part of the first crowd to watch a game at Ford Field and he liked the experience.

was extremely impressed," he said. "It had a great feel. It feels more open with all of the glass and the atrium. The walkways opened it up so that you didn't get that closed-in feeling.

"It has a lot of great touches. The brick from the old (Hudson's) warehouse gives you that old-time feel, even though it's a new stadium."

Clark's seats were in the end zone, but he said that the sightlines were good and that he felt close to the field.

Although Ford Field is a domed stadium, the outside light penetrates so that it seems like an open-air stadium. The new playing surface helps, too.

ou don't, it doesn't.

"The surface looks like
It didn't count when the real grass," Clark said. "The Astroturf at the Silverdome seemed so sterile. This looks and plays like grass. That makes it more fun to watch.'

Clark said that the access in and out of the stadium seemed good.

"It was easy-in and easyout," he said. "And it seemed like there was a lot of parking available between the stadium and Greektown. One of the nice things about being downtown is that it's easier to disperse the crowd. Everyone can go in their

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Fall Sessions (15 weeks; September 9th - December 20th) Winter Sessions (10 weeks; January 6th - March 14th) Spring Sessions (10 weeks; March 17th - May 23td)

## Hunt Club Intensive Training Tuesday Thursday 4:30 - 6:00 pm

This one and a half hour program designed for juniors already participating in tournament competition. This class will stress the fundamentals of all strokes as well as movements, footwork and strategy. There will be competitive match play each day. (Limited Enrollment.)

## Junior Development Junior Excellence Wednesday Friday 4:30 - 6:00 pm

This combination program is structured for Jr. High / High School players of all levels. This class will include players, looking to participate in school tennis, and players who are currently on local school teams. The group will be divided, separating the more advanced players from the novice players. Focus will be on stroke production, singles and doubles match play and strategy.

Junior Stars Ankle Biters Monday 4:00 - 5:00 pm and Saturday 10:00 - 11:00 am

This is a one hour program for beginning juniors ages 5 to 10. The program is designed to give young students the skills necessary for a lifetime of fun in tennis. This class will cover basic stroke production and consistency, and will promote a positive atmosphere by using exciting games and activities.

## Strength Training and Conditioning

The Tennis Center will now be offering a strength and conditioning program headed by Ken Welch and Mike Fox. Ken, the owner of Pointe Fitness is a Child Sports Development Specialist. Mike, a MS Exercise Physiologist, is the Head Trainer for Pointe Fitness. Specialized sessions will be available for juniors of all levels.

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Champions again

Old Friends Incorporated posted 9-7 and 10-8 victories over First Christian Reformed Church in the championship round of the Neighborhood Club Men's Softball League playoffs. It was the second straight title for Old Friends. The final game featured a two-run sixth-inning homer by Perry Gatliff, clutch pitching from Dave Saunders and a solid defensive effort. In front, from left, are Erwin Yee, Matt Rozich, Joe Clarmitarro, Joe Sutherland and Dave Landuyt. In back, from left, are Darren Audia, Perry Gatliff, Bruce Collinson, Dale Brown, John Desormeaux, Dave Saunders and John Mueller. Not pictured are Adam Fujita and Tony Gatliff.

## **Huge turnouts for Red Barons**

season, it's obvious that the Grosse Pointe Red Barons head coach is Brett Kurily, football program is more popular than ever.

The Barons, one of the state's most respected junior heading into the Sept. 8 programs, have full rosters for the freshmen, junior varsity and varsity teams and a waiting list of 60 youngsters who want to play.

"This is the most response we have ever had," Barons president Rene St. Hilaire said. "We're proud of the way the community views the program."

St. Hilaire laments the large number of would-beplayers on the waiting list, but points out that all three teams carry the maximum number allowed by the Eastern Suburban Football League.

"Including cheerleaders, we have 160 kids in the pro-gram," St. Hilaire said. "We wish we could get everyone in the program. If we could do more, we would."

One of the reasons for the popularity of the program is its head and assistant coaches. A number of them have been with the program for many years.

The dean Luttenberger, the junior varsity head coach, who is been in the program for five

As it prepares for the new entering his 19th season as while Tony Cimmarusti leads the freshmen. Here is how the teams shapeup opener against East Detroit

VARSITY

Kurily is counting on two standout defensive players to also play a big role ofense. Matt Koppinger and Paul Brosnan, both outstanding linebackers, will also play quarterback and fullback, respectively.

'Koppinger looks good," Kurily said. "It's a new position for him, but he is a big strong kid."

Bronsan has been a pleasant surprise at fullback.

"He is one of the fastest kids of the team," Kurily The varsity will depend on

its rushing game, which includes runners Jonathan es. Ross, Tim Deters, Mike D'Agnese and Stephen Reaume. The team has a number of experienced offensive linemen, including center J.P. Gallagher, tackle John Chapel and tight end Jeff Regan,.

There are a number of defensive players who have

years, including linebacker a Barons coach. The varsity Danny Dempsey, defensive end Paul Brennan and tackles Austen Ditzhazy, Daniel Karam and Joe Conway.

Among the defensive backs who have looked good are Karl Tech, James Costa and Mark Schott.

## JUNIOR VARSITY

The junior varsity will feature a wide-open offense led by strong-armed quarterback Mark Riashi.

"We will open it up," Luttenberger said.

Riashi, who will be backed up by the talented Jack Monark, has a number of excellent receivers, including Jim Saros and Joey Kurily. David Cassleman is a strong runner. The offensive line is anchored by Tom Stergiadis and Peter Hammann.

Defensively, the JV Barons have few weakness-

"Our linebackers, especially, will be strong, Luttenberger said.

Among the team's top defenders are Frank Ferretti, Tim Tibaudo, Jim St. John and Dimitri FRESHMEN

Cimmarusti's team.

## Wilson set to lead Lady Eagles

## Fall preview

By Bob St. John Staff writer

First-year head coach Jason Wilson knows it will take time for his Lutheran East girls basketball team to understand his philosophy.

"I want the girls to have fun playing basketball," Wilson said. "I want them to understand the game so they can become better allaround players and I think we're on our way to accomplishing that goal."

Wilson takes over for Carl Gerds, who coached only one season (7-13 overall).

He is banking on returning players Ashley Schult (junior), Sarah Schurig (senior), Stacy Turgeon (senior), Kristin Altenburg Caitlin Gerds (senior). (senior), Shareena Walton Куега (senior), James (sophomore), Michelle Windhorst (senior) and Brandi Dona (junior) to lead the team.

"I need the experienced players to come through," Wilson said. "They have to lead by example and play hard for four quarters of every game. That is how we

Sophomore Pritchett and junior Megan Maestri give the Eagles quickness and depth.

possible success is senior Madison Heights Madison. Stephanie Schult, who is mulling over whether to

"Stephanie would make us a better team," Wilson said. "It would be nice to see her come out and play on the team, but if she doesn't, than I hope she does well in her other activities."

In addition to Wilson being a first-year coach with the program, Lance Jefferies is the new junior varsity head coach.

"Lance has a great understanding of the game," Wilson said. "He is a nice addition to the staff."

The Eagles should finish in the upper half of the Metro Conference, battling Lutheran North, Lutheran Westland, Bloomfield Hills Cranbrook Kingswood and University Liggett School for that honor.

Winning a league and district title would be nice, but for now I want to concentrate on playing well in our opener," Wilson said. "It's important for us to be consistent."

East's nonleague schedule consists of the Sacred Heart and Lutheran tournaments, games against Roseville, Lakeview (Wilson spent the past several years aestri give the Eagles as Lakeview's girls varsity nickness and depth. assistant coach), Detroit Another key to the team's Urban Lutheran and

Wilson made his head coaching debut on Tuesday. play basketball or continue Aug. 27, when his Eagles her dance career. Aug. 27, when his Eagles played in the Sacred Heart Tournament.

They also play in the tournament finale tonight, Thursday, Aug. 29, before traveling to Roseville for a

game on Thursday, Sept. 5.

## Cross country

Lutheran East's crosscountry program might have its most successful season in more than a decade, thanks to seniors Kelli Zoellner and Anjani Mahabir, and junior Matt Machemer.

Head coach Keith Sprow has dedicated more than two decades to coaching runners and the three aforementioned athletes are some of the best the school has produced.

Machemer should finish with a time of under 19 minutes, while Zoellner wants to improve on last year's 13th-place finish (20:03.3) in the Division IV state finals.

East's girls team was 24th out of 27 squads in the state finals, making it for a second straight year.

They should make it for a third straight season if Mahabir, senior Shanel Bryant, sophomore Jessica Hanyok and junior Karen and Wittie continue to improve.

## Rowinski has HW believing

## Fall preview

By Bob St. John Staff writer

Can head coach Mike Rowinski take the Harper Woods girls basketball program to heights not reached in more than a decade?

"We had a good summer with the girls and the extra work shows in their improved skill level," said Rowinski, in his second year at the helm. "The girls are athletic and they are anxious to play basketball."

For years the Pioneers suffered from a lack of interest in girls basketball and many of the girls never played during the summer camps.

The lack of enthusiasm showed with poor records in and out of the Metro Conference.

Rowinski, who guided the boys baseball team to a state championship in 2000, has captured the interest of his

the second half."

magical season in which the "We're more consistent, but I Pioneers finish .500 or bet-

"Getting to the .500 level is important for our program," Rowinski said. "We got off to a 3-0 mark a year ago, but fell off during the second half of the season.

"I don't see that happening this year because our girls have varsity experi-

The team's best all-around player is junior point guard Ashley Marshall, who made all-conference second team last year.

"She has a nose for the basket, but she can't do it all," Rowinski said. "Her teammates have to get ket. involved in the offense, as well as defense." Other top returning play-

ers are junior Meghan Huot and sophomores Marian Mahon, Sally Smolinski, Briget Wagner and Natalie Barranca.

"We're young, but experi- ketball team opens its sea-

would like to see a few more girls come out for the team."

Rowinski has 19 girls in the program, including junior Angela Wisniewski (one of the best pure shooters on the team), sophomore Stacey White, senior Kristin Fox, junior Kahra Fox and freshman Shana King. "Shana has the potential

to be a very good basketball player," Rowinski said. "She has to really want it because she has the skills needed to be a good low-post player." The Pioneers can be a

good team if more players, such as Huot, Mahon and King, put the ball in the bas-

They have a shot to finish in the top half of the Metro Conference for the first time since the early 1990s, while Macomb Lutheran North is the favorite to win the title.

The Harper Woods bas-See BARONS, page 12C players and this could be the enced," Rowinski said. son on Tuesday, Sept. 3.

# LeFevre takes over as Irinity's girls basketball coach

## Fall preview

By Bob St. John Staff writer

It's all new as Bishop Gallagher and Hamtramck St. Florian merged to form Trinity Catholic High.

Former head coach Ron Biotti retired and Derek LeFevre steps in to take the

seniors, but we have some made all-league last year at teams for four quarters."
St. Florian) and junior The Lancers have alw

LeFevre said. "It will take Stephanie Sosa. some time for everyone to jell, but we will be OK once ers are freshman Angel the girls to get a lot of poseveryone gets on the same Cooper, sophomore Nicole sessions," LeFevre said.

and Erika Canty are the only returning players off last year's Class D quarterfi- Scales. nal squad.

newcomers Hamilton (freshman), "This team lost a lot of Danielle Cooper (junior who the court, so we will press

The rest of LeFevre's play- turnovers because I want sophomore Gaillard, Seniors Katie Masserang Maureen Poirer, sophomore Erin Stanley, senior Orelia The defending Catholic and Brown and senior Patrice League A-East Division Borgess.

"We have a roster loaded The other starters are with girls 5 foot, 9 inches

> The Lancers have always been a team that has lived and died by the press, but now LeFevre has thrown three-point shooting into the

## Fitness Firm classes start on Sept. 9

The Fitness Firm will begin a fall series of lowimpact aerobics classes on Monday, Sept. 9.

Classes will be held Mondays and Wednesdays from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. at First English Lutheran Church in Grosse Pointe Woods and on Monday through Thursday evenings from 6:45 to 7:45 at the JFK Library in Harper Woods.

The fee is \$58 and participants may attend any and all of the classes for that

For more information, call (313) 886-7534.

"We have to force stiff tests.

league games against the A-West squads — Allen Park "We can wear down teams in Cabrini, Ann Arbor Gabriel Richard, Waterford Lakes Redford Bishop

champions are once again "Our schedule is tough one of the teams to beat, but from top to bottom," LeFevre Marine City Cardinal said. "I was a late hire, so I Jasmine and taller," LeFevre said. Mooney, Detroit Dominican didn't have a chance to see "They are quick and can run and Royal Oak Shrine offer the girls play in a summer against Oak Park Academy.

league, so we will see what The Lancers also play happens when we open the season."

In nonleague action, the Lancers face Oak Park Academy, Detroit St. Martin dePorres, St. Clair Shores Lakeview and University Liggett School.

LeFevre and Trinity play their first game tonight, Thursday, Aug. 29, at home



## Swim champs

The Grosse Pointe Farms Barracudas swimming team won the team championship at the recent Lakefront Swimming Association meet at the City of Grosse Pointe's new pool.

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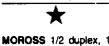
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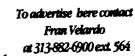
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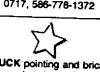
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"From a fan-friendly standpoint, this stadium is

"I can't imagine anything town hosts the 2006 Super close to it in the NFL," Bowl.

McLeod added. "The intimacy strikes you. A top-row seat is a great seat."

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of-the-art," he said. "I have never seen a sports facility is important."

prowess and the quality of its stadiums.

Green said that he could see how fans would enjoy um means the Lions will play better football," he said.

Despite two new, impresmarvelous," said Green, who within feet of each other sive sports stadiums located has covered every Super downtown, Green said Bowl. "I have never seen a sports facility this good."

Detroit city leaders have a lot of work to do before the lot of work to do before the

He nodded his head past the stadium's immaculate Green liked the eclectic interior toward rundown neighborhoods within walk-"It's both retro and state"It's both retro and state"the set" he said "I have
and Comerica Park.

"Unless they clean out this good. It has a lot of com- those burned-out hulks of fortable features — restau-rants and wide-open corri-dors. It's more than a football field. It's a place for of criticism," Green said. events beyond sports, which "The neighborhood is still s important."

extremely bad despite these
McLeod, referring to a two beautiful stadiums."

## State champions

The Grosse Points Farms-City 12-year-old All Stars won the state Little League championship and played in the Great Lakes Regional in Indianapolis., which produced the Little League champion Louisville, Ky. team. In front is Jack Monark. In the second row, from left, are Michael Thomas, Chris Stephens, Sam Dauphinais, Sam Mott, Max Getz, Michael Sheehy, Curtis Flaher, Eric Allison and Sean McLaughlin. In back, from left, are Brian Barclay, league president Mike Sheehy, Tommy Remillet, coach Paul Monark, manager Mike Getz, coach John Hackett and Dave Fleming. Not pictured is coach Bob Conway.

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The returning underclassmen are juniors Natalie Deponio, Jenny Gwinn, Katie Lengyel, Mary Mullins, Ann Porier and Brittany Ranich; and sophomores Krysten Allam, Alison Brennan, Brittanie Darnell, Nancy Diehl, Allie Dombrowski, Laura Dunaway, Holly Hanzaruk, Laura Jennifer Miski, Trisha Monahan, Paige Martinko, Meghann O'Connor, Mary Perzyk, Erycca Sarver, Jackie Sheridan and Dana

The Saddlelites' road to a Catholic League title has to go through Mercy and Marian, which leaves meets against Ladywood, Notre

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