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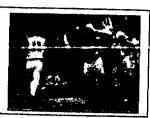
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WEEK AHEAD

Thursday, June 3

The combined Grosse Pointe North and South jazz bands headline the season opener of Music on the Plaza outdoor concert series at St. Clair and Kercheval in the Village at 7 p.m.

Friday, June 4

The exclusive Detroit premier of "Second Coming" opens at the Scottish Rite Theater at the Masonic Temple in Detroit.

Former Grosse Pointe Shores resident and 1992 Grosse Pointe North High School graduate Christos Moisides is the film's producer and cinematographer.

Doors open at 7 p.m. Tickets are \$10 and are available at www.secondcom-

Monday, June 7

The Grosse Pointe Woods and Grosse Pointe Farms city councils meet at their respective city halls at 7:30 p.m.

Pointes for Peace will host an Interfaith Forum of regional faith leaders at 7:30 p.m. at the Grosse Pointe Unitarian Church. Moderated by Steve Spreitzer, interfaith coordinator of the Spreitzer, interraith coordinator of the National Conference for Community and Justice—Michigan Region, the program will feature panelists from Christian, Jewish, Muslim, Buddhist and Baha'i faiths who will discuss their respective religions' positions on war, peace and what constitutes a "just war."

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The Grosse Pointe Board of Education meets in the Wicking Library of Grosse Pointe South High School at

Tuesday, June 8

Dr. Philip Hessburg of the Detroit Institute of Ophthalmology is the guest speaker at the Senior Men's Club of Grosse Pointe's meeting at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial at 11 a.m. Twenty-year members will also be recognized.

For more information, call (313) 881-

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74 Kercheval, G.P. Farms



The Grosse Pointe Farms Historic District Commission wants the house 60 Lakeshore, above, preserved, rather than razed to make room for luxury condominiums as proposed by the War Memorial.



Photo by Brad Lindberg

Take that, ash borer

Chuck Irish, standing, president of Charles F. Irish Inc., a tree care company founded in 1910, monitors injections to one of 225 ash trees on Lakeshore and Osius Park in Grosse Pointe Shores. Irish has teamed with the Arborjet company to try to save villageowned ash trees from the invasive emerald ash borer. "My great aunt originally planted Lakeshore in the 1920s," Irish said. "We planted the trees again in the 1980s. We felt it was our time to give back to the community. We want to do our part to help preserve the trees.

Trees are being treated with Imidacloprid, said Peter Wild from Arborjet, based in Winchester, Mass. "We're injecting in so there's no exposure to the applicator or environment," Wild said. "We're not spraying it all over the place. We're not dumping it into the soil where it could contaminate the water table." Emerald ash borers, native to Southeast Asia, kill ash trees by boring into the vascular tissue. "This insect is moving fast and furious," Wild said. "Municipalities don't have funding to invest in these trees. He hopes helping the Shores will not only save trees, but also help spread the word on treatments. "This is a good venue for us to do

60 Lakeshore By Brad Lindberg Staff Writer Preservationists are hop-"We've demoning to shield a lakeside manstrated a long-term sion from demolition. Mike Farley, chairman of commitment to histhe Grosse Pointe Farms toric preservation." Historic District

Historic battle

begins over

Mark Weber, President

Commission, wants 60 Lakeshore saved from being replaced by a condominium project. The project was proposed earlier this month by the Grosse Pointe War Pointe

Memorial, which bought 60 Lakeshore and neighboring properties to remove deed restrictions on single family

"It's not an historic house," said Mark Weber, War Memorial president, whose supervisory duties include preserving the Alger House, a state and national historic site that has housed the veteran's center for 50 years. "We've demonstrated a long-term commitment to historic preservation. We look forward to meeting with the Historic Commission."

Farley told the city council last week, "We are not opposed to development as long as 60 Lakeshore is preserved.

He said the house is historically and architecturally significant. It was built by the predecessor to Smith, Hinchman & Grylls, a wellknow Detroit architectural

"It's a very good example of Tudor revival style with elements of gothic and shingle," Farley said.

If the property were designated a Farms historic district, such as Beverly Road, owners would qualify for a 25 percent Michigan income tax credit on improvements, such as a new roof and kitchen work.

We think is it particularly inappropriate for the War Memorial to tear down a his-

Grosse Pointe War Memorial

toric house," Farley said. The War memorial itself is the recipient of the beautiful Alger House, which was thoughtfully preserved and donated for the benefit of the community."

He denied claims that the

property is in poor condition

and unmarketable.

"I've been in that house many times," he said. "That house could be preserved and turned into two or three condominiums. The architecture for the rest of the condominium development could be tailored to be complementary toward 60 Lakeshore or other houses in the surrounding neigh-borhood."

He said the Grosse Pointes have a lot of large, older homes that might be suitable for adaptive reuse as condominiums. He asked for the Historic Commission to be included in deciding the War Memorial's propos

"If it's done in a way that preserves 60 Lakeshore, it could bring regional or even national acclaim to the city,' Farley said. "We should set our standards very high to preserve what we have in coming up with a very attractive and marketable project."

Weber added, "Our primary interest is to preserve the historic Alger House. So it is important that our efforts consider the financial outcomes of any re-use of 60 Lakeshore.

POINTER OF INTEREST

Libby Pachota

Home: Grosse Pointe Park

Age: 29

Family: Single

Occupation: Jefferson East Business Association

Quote: "It's really important to me to feel like I am having an impact and making a difference.'

See story, page 4A



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50 years ago this week

Success in spring sports enables Grosse Pointe High School to capture the Border Cities League All Sports trophy for the seventh time since its inception in 1936.

Scoring 30 points in both baseball and tennis by win-ning the league titles, and 15 points for finishing fourth in track, the Blue Devils compile a total of 125 points for the 1953-54 school year to take the much sought-after trophy.

■ The Grosse Pointe War Memorial's annual fund raising drive reaches \$25,685, but falls \$4,500 short of the 1954 goal.

■ Vincent Depetris, president of the Men's Garden Club of Grosse Pointe, celebrate's the group's one-year anniversary by lighting a floral birthday cake during ceremonies at the Grosse

Pointe War Memorial. The club has 106 mem-

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25 years ago this week

■ An 18-year-old Grosse Pointe Park man is bound over for trial on what police say is the community's first homicide in 12 years. The teenager faces second degree murder charges in the shotgun death of his father.

Police don't believe the son's story that his father's death was suicide.

■ The Punch and Judy Theater returns to center stage at a Grosse Pointe Farms city council meeting, where police report continued complaints about latenight noise and outdoor drinking associated with punk rock concerts.

■ Drivers who have been irritated by bone-jarring potholes on Lakeshore may soon get relief as the Grosse Pointe Shores village council agrees to meet the Wayne County Road Commission's terms for resurfacing the deteriorating roadway.

The Shores will pay 8.66 percent of resurfacing costs with the county, or about

The decision ends a twoyear dispute between the village and county authorities but leaves Grosse Pointe Farms alone to fight its version of the battle against the county.

10 years ago this week

City of Grosse Pointe merchants on Fisher Road across from Grosse Pointe South High School request increased police presence due to rowdy students who disrupt business and bother customers.

One shopkeeper tells of spending \$5,000 last year to

repair vandalism students caused to his building facade and front door.

Fifth-grader Elizabeth Nault wins the Grand Theme Prize in the eighth annual Paint the Window Contest sponsored by the Village Association in the Kercheval business district of the City of Grosse Pointe.

Nault's winning painting portrays the Farms Joy Bells park at sunset. The image appears on a picture window at Damman Hard-

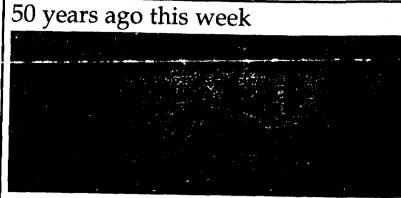
■ The Lady Blue Devils soccer team of Grosse Pointe South High School beats Pointe North's Norsemen 1-0 to win the Class A district title.

North had beaten South twice during the regular season as the Lady Norsemen won the Macomb Area Conference White Division by one game over South.

5 years ago this week

Grosse Pointe public library trustees consider expanding the system's three existing branches or constructing entirely new buildings to accommodate increased usage and demands for technology.

Woods and Central branch-



Grosse Pointe High School's championship baseball team

Under the leadership of Coach Ed Wernet, the Grosse Pointe Blue Devils made history when they finished the Boarder Cities League baseball campaign with a 7-3 record. This is the high school's first baseball title since the league started in 1936. The best the Pointers had ever finished before this season was second, but that was in the Southeastern Michigan League when Coach Wernet was a standout player in 1931. Players who helped the Blue Devils win the crown are, front row from left, Manager Jim Passante, Ken Steil, Charles Moceri, Art Wible, Don Eugenio, Jim MacMillan, Jim Clyma, Walter Eversman and Dwight Watkins. In the second row from left are Bob Scheurle, Steve Horn, Bill Dow, Al Underwood, Sam Moceri, Bob Ritter and Norm Wolfe. Third row from left are Coach Wernet, Dan Follis, Terry Brown, Tom Ireland, Bill Ross, Frank Billner, Bob Scalby, John Russell, Doug McBride, assistant Coach Ernest Bauer and Jim Garza, manager. (From the June 3, 1954 Grosse Pointe News. Photo by Fred Runnells.)

es, complete reconstruction tic Club holds it annual pic- cer district championship of the Central branch or replacing the Woods and Park branches.

Wayne County Sheriff Strategies being discussed Robert Ficano will be guest expanding the speaker this month when High School wins its second the Grosse Pointe Democra- straight Division II girls soc-

Ficano will address gun Anchor Bay.

safety.

Sophomore Beth Colaluca scores the game's only goal ■ Grosse Pointe North with 15 minutes remaining.

- Brad Lindberg

with a 1-0 victory over

nterfaith Forum on war and peace

Pointes for Peace will host and Justice - Michigan served. an Interfaith Forum of Region, the program will fearegional faith leaders Monday, June 7, at 7:30 p.m. the Grosse Pointe

Unitarian Church, 17150 Maumee in Grosse Pointe. Moderated by Steve

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ture panelists from Christian, Jewish, Muslim, Buddhist and Baha'i faiths who will discuss their respective religions' positions on war, peace and what

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gatherings Sundays at 7 p.m. at the corner of Kercheval and St. Clair in the Grosse Pointe Village.

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Paint, air guns not OK in the Pointes

Any shooting projectile is against the law

By Bonnie Caprara Staff Writer

Their function is less than lethal, but their looks may not be.

Air guns and paint ball guns are becoming increasingly popular with children. As the number of these recreational toys increase, so have the number of police

people and four incidents of at the end of the barrel. using cars and a house as paint ball targets.

"Using any shooting projectile is a violation of the city ordinance," Woods Public Safety Director Michael Makowski said. "If they use them on somebody, we'll deal with them to the full extent of the law."

According to Makowski, paint ball guns use watersoluble paint ammunition, and the guns do not resemble actual firearms. However, many of the air guns, which fire plastic pel-

"They're not lethal, but if it's a toy gun first." they can cause an eye

injury," Makowski said. The authentic look of air guns can pose a risk to users and police, as it did in an incident in Grosse Pointe Farms in March 2003 when an officer drew his weapon at a 12-year-old boy playing

with an air gun. "Some of these toy guns look very realistic, especially at night," Grosse Pointe Farms Deputy Director of Public Safety Dan Jensen told the Grosse Pointe News in April 2003. "Sometimes it's hard to tell if you're deal-Since the beginning of the year, Grosse Pointe Woods has recorded six incidents firearms — Glock, Smith & ing with a 13- or 14-year-old with an orange tip ing with a 13- or 14-year-old man, and if he has a toy gun or an

actual weapon. You don't ask

Given the growing popularity of air guns and paint ball guns, Child pyschologist Dr. William Irving said he hasn't seen an increase in problems.

"We haven't seen an increase in problems with proper supervision," Irving said. "It becomes problematic when the kids aren't

supervised."
"Air guns and paint ball guns should be used in an appropriate place where they're allowed," Makowski

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Stock market holds bottom, recovers in May

Floor traders said that Not for us! stocks had become oversold in mid-May. Volume, prior to the Memorial Day holiday, was pathetic, but investors were nibbling.

Last week was the first positive week for the Dow and the S&P 500 after four straight weeks of losses. Some analysts said the markets reached their shortterm lows in May and will move higher in June.

Technicians, who had kept their eyes on the Nasdaq quadruple lows, were jubilant that the lows held.

Dates to watch!

Thursday, June 3: OPEC meets in Beirut to increase crude oil production.

Friday June 4: Employment expected to Friday rise 250,000; unemployment estimated at 5.5 percent, down from 5.6 percent.

Wednesday, June 30: Federal Reserve Open Market Committee meets to raise short-term interest

Gretchen Morgenson, feature writer for The New York Times, compares (May 23) our scandal-ridden mutual fund industry with Congress' Thrift Savings Plan (TSP), its \$130 billion assets and 3.2 million participants, including elected officials, all other government employees and the armed services.

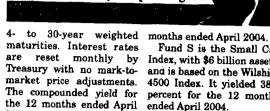
The simplicity of TSP's structure and fees make it the very model of how mutual funds should be run for the benefit of its partici-

TSP participants are offered a cafeteria choice of five index funds, whose total fees in 2003 were 0.10 percent (1/10th of 1 percent) of assets, versus 0.78 percent for the mutual funds' S&P 500 Index Funds, according

to Lipper Inc.
Fund G is the
Government Fund, with \$53 billion assets at year-end 2003, self-managed by TSP's board. It consists of Special-Issue Treasury securities of

Let's talk... **STOCKS**

By Joseph Mengden



2004 was 4.05 percent. TSP puts the investmentmanager contract out for competitive bid annually. 2004 manager is Barclay's Global, based on its 0.10 percent annual fee.

Fund F is the Fixed Income Index, with \$10 billion assets, and is based on Lehman Brothers Aggregate ABA Index. It yielded 1.77 percent for the 12 months ended April 2004.

assets, and is based on the S&P 500 Index. It yielded 22.7 percent for the 12

Fund S is the Small Cap Index, with \$6 billion assets, and is based on the Wilshire 4500 Index. It yielded 38.7 percent for the 12 months ended April 2004.

Fund International Stock Index, with \$2.3 billion assets, and is based on the Morgan Stanley Capital International EAFE Index. It yielded 39.2 percent for the 12 months ended April 2004.

TCP requires its managers to rebate all income received for stock lent-out on a fully collateralized basis. \$2.3 million was col-Fund C is the Common lected in 2002. Mutual fund Stock Index, with \$56 billion managers pocket this cash, even though the shares

belong to its shareholders! Morgenson concluded,

"It's easy to see why Congress feels no need to right the wrongs in the fund industry. Those folks know how to take care of them-

Insider selling

LTS wrote about "Insider Selling" last summer (see LTS Aug. 14 and Sept. 18). You'd think with last year's feverish rally (DJI, up 21 percent and Nasdaq up 43 percent) and 2004's flat market, insiders might have slowed their selling.

Not so. Insiders (corporate directors, executive officers and founders' families) have sold over \$14.4 billions of their own company stock in the first four months of 2004, versus buying outright only \$430 million, a 33-to-1 sell-to-buy ratio

Since July 1, Larry Best, CFO of Boston Scientific, sold 4 million shares, or 71.3 percent of his holdings, reporting a \$140 million

Nigel Norris, former vice chairman and founder of Capital One Financial (a bank card issuer) sold 69.4 percent of his grub stake for profit of \$147 million and then left the company this past April.

If questioned, most executives will say that their selling should not indicate a lack of confidence in the company's future; their

Stock Market at a Glance

Friday Close, 5/28/04 Dow Jones Ind.....10,188 Nasdaq Comp......1,987 S&P 500 Index.....1,121 \$ in EUROs1.2214 Crude Oil (Bbl.)...... 39.88 Gold (Oz.)......394.00 3-Mo. T-Bills.....1.07% 30-Yr. T-Bonds......5.34%

financial adviser "urged selling to diversify their portfo-

Many executives who plan to sell their option/shares arrange to sell them directly back to the company's stock repurchase plan; so their sale does not depress the public trading market.

This direct sale sounds as if the company's cash is being used to enrich the executives. But the buy back program, recommended by management and the board of directors, was approved by shareholder vote at a recent annual meeting!

Joseph Mengden is a resident of the City of Grosse Pointe and former chairman of First of Michigan. "Let's Talk Stocks' is sponsored by the following Grosse Pointe investment-related firms: John M. Rickel CPA, P.C. and Rickel & Baun P.C.

Stay fit — let your fingers do the walking

This one is from the "I didn't see that coming" depart-

Michigan State University educators are using a video game to improve the eating and nutrition habits of adults.

"The Fantastic Food Challenge" was developed by MSU's Communication Technology Laboratory and MSU Extension's Family Nutrition Program. It's a series of games modeled after non-computer games, such as card and dice games, and television shows like "The Price is Right."

...The games are designed to appeal to casual game players, particularly young adult women. Players role-play as a contestant on a futuristic game show where the more they know about food groups, recipes, food cost and food-handling safety, the better their chances of winning.

The project was created in conjunction with the Michigan Family Nutrition Program, which helps lowincome Michigan adults acquire the knowledge, skills and confidence to feed their families nutritious, cost-conscious meals. Nutrition instructors provide these opportunities by working with families in their homes or at various community sites.

However (this is instead of our usual "But"!), MSU officials said those instructors are finding it increasingly difficult using traditional means to recruit and retain young adults. The game was created for playback on standard desktop and portable computers running Windows or Macintosh operating systems.

Go to the MSU Web site and follow the links.

Don't forget: It's a great way to get your fingers in shape!

While I'm ruining your day by talking about nutrition, let's take a peek at diet supplements.

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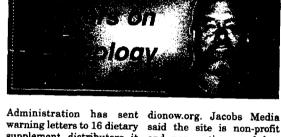
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supplement distributors it said were making false and misleading claims for weight loss products promoted over the Internet. Claims such as "eat all you want" and "watch" the Tat arshippear must be removed.

"Obesity in America is at epidemic proportions, and we will not tolerate companies making false claims promising easy fixes," said Health and Human Services Secretary Tommy G. Thompson. "There is no substitute for eating well and remaining physically

Among the sites targeted by the government were Better Bodz, Evitamins.com and VitaMaker.com.

All right, I've got it. Play video games in my easy chair, take pills and eat all I body of Arnold Swartz...I ernmental involvement in mean...Arnold Ziffle. This

just in

Media had created a new that bothers them in any www.savera- way. site,

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Second: To enable Americans to share ideas

and opinions on the topic via chats, blogs and meet-ups.

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Jacobs Media also said it had conducted a Web poll of more than 13,000 rock radio listeners with Edison Media Research, the results of which are posted or the site.

The poll showed few listeners are offended by what they hear on the radio. (I wish they had called me!) want and soon I'll have the They are sensitive to govacıo programming. from More often than not, they simply change stations Radio consultants Jacobs when they hear material

"It is also noteworthy that these listeners are suspicious of the politics behind this current environment aimed at ending 'indecency' on the radio," Jacobs said in a statement.

OK, already! I'll just change the station. Oh, wait. My sons already change the station every 10 seconds.

Have a tech question or subject you would like addressed in this column? Want to comment or add your two cents worth? My email address is mimaurer@comcast:net:.....

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Property cases dominate crime in G.P. Farms

Staff Writer

Crime in the Grosse Pointes is typically committed against property. Lawbreakers maintained the Farms.

Property crimes accounted for 99.985 percent of all of car thefts and burglaries major offenses reported in sent major crime totals 14 the Farms during 2003, percent above last year. according to a year-end sum-

theft — amounted to only .015 percent of the total.

Three instances of robbery, all unarmed, were the only major violent crimes reported last year in the that tradition last year in Farms. Of those three cases, police solved two.

Overall, however, a rash sent major crime totals 14

Fourteen of the city's 20 mary compiled by the public safety department. home invasions during 2003 occurred from March

during

September.
"We were fortunate to for a majority of our home invasions," said Detective Rick Good.

These gays are usually drug addicts supporting their habit," added Mike McCarthy, detective. "They target jewelry because it's easy to pawn.

The Farms was among many eastside communities last year invaded by car thieves.

Cases reached 31, including three failed attempts, a Macomb County — spent 148 percent increase from hundreds of hours collective-2002. There were only 11 car thefts last year in the districts during overnight

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MAY 17, 2004

The regular City Council meeting was called to order by Mayor Kenneth A Poynter at 7:30 P.M.

ROLL CALL: All Councilpersons were present except Councilman Palmer

1) To excuse Councilman Daniel S. Palmer from tonight's meeting because of a prior commitment.

2) To receive, approve and file the minutes of the regular City Council meeting held May 3, 2004, and furthermore, receive and file the minutes of the Beautification Commission meeting held on April 29, 2004, and the minutes of the Brownfield Redevelopment Authority meeting held on May 3, 2004.

2004.
That the agenda of the regular City Council meeting having been acted upon, the meeting is hereby adjourned at 7:39 p.m.

To approve the following item on the Consent Agenda: the Accounts Payable listing for Check Numbers 70555 through 70678 in the amount of \$335,208.03 as submitted by the City Manager and Finance Director, and further, authorize the Mayor and City Clerk to sign the listing.

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PROPOSED 2004-2005 BUDGET

The Board of Education of The Grosse Pointe Public School

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Grosse Pointe Bayleyard Grosse Pointe Farms, to review and

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available on Friday, June 11, 2004 at 12:00 noon at the

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consider the School System's 2004-2005 Budget.

On average for each of the four years preceding 2003, apprehend those responsible thieves stole or attempted to steal 18.75 motor vehicles in the Farms. When 2003 statistics were added, the aver-

age went up to 21.2.

The increase in car thefts was our biggest problem," McCarthy said.

A multi-agency task force just wrapped up an investigation of the problem.

Undercover police from numerous jurisdictions the Grosse Pointes, Harper Woods, Detroit, Wayne and ly cruising Detroit's eastern

Mickey D. Todd,

interdictions. Culprits turned out to be

"Young kids are stealing cars and using them for transportation, not necessarily stripping them," McCarthy said.

Juveniles also have been caught taking cars for more than joyrides.

"They're little teen gangs hired to steal by professional thieves because (the adults) know that juveniles are not going to go to jail," said Dan Jensen, Farms deputy director of public safety. "It's almost like drug dealers. You arrest three or four, and there are three or four behind them ready to take their place."

During a two-week period in February, the task force made 53 arrests, recovered 41 cars and detained seven iuveniles. Jensen said.

"If they're not already back out on the street they will be. They'll go right back at it, or someone will take their place," Jensen said.

Fires

Given the value of residential property in the Farms, it takes only one major house fire to balloon fire losses for the year. That's what happened last February when a house burned down on Tonnancour Place.

Public safety officers from three communities were unable to save the estimated \$895,000 dwelling.

Overall during 2003, a variety of fire runs, such as a \$100,000 kitchen fire and a marital squabble where a husband tossed his wife's clothing in the fireplace, brought yearly fire loses to \$1,140,824. The figure dwarfed 2002's estimated losses of \$65,500.

Casualties were limited to five public safety officers who suffered minon injuries, but no burns. A female resident in January suffered first-degree burns on a finger during a Sterno fuel accident.

Traffic safety

Of 333 traffic crashes reported last year in the mission. "So, we revisited Farms, 16 occurred on the the ordinance." Farms, 16 occurred on the Grosse Pointe side of Mack and Moross.

Only two other intersec-

site of three crashes, those fresh faced and streetwise. being Kercheval-Moross and Grosse Pointe Boulevard-

> There were no fatalities. Twenty percent of all crashes were hit and run.

> The traffic division also responded to citizen complaints. In April, officers clamped down on speeders using Moran between Beaupre and Williams.

Shores puts limits on garage doors

By Brad Lindberg Staff Writer

There will be no forwardfacing four-bay garages in Grosse Pointe Shores. Village trustees are allow-

ing only three garage spaces to face the street. "Additional garage vehicle

space can be approved by the Board of Appeals upon request for a variance," said Mark McInerney, village council. Additional vehicle spaces

must open to a dwelling's side or rear yard "so they do not open directly on a road-way," according to according Ordinance 232, as amended by a unanimous village council. "In other words, they do

not face the front," McInerney said. "They cannot infringe on any setback

Trustees also required each single family residence in the village to have either a two or three-car garage.

Single space garage doors were defined as eight to 10 feet wide. Two-car garages can have doors 16 to 20 feet wide.

Trustees accepted the amendment as recommended by members of the planning commission. Four-stall. forward facing garage doors had been a non-issue until a resident recently proposed

building one.
"Neighbors were opposed to it," said Mary Matuja, chair of the planning com-

Cherokee four-door through a red light on westbound Mack to East Warren. Police woman had a .15 percent blood alcohol con-

Heroine bust

A minor traffic offense in the 19000 block of Mack drew Grosse Pointe Farms police to a wanted felon on Monday, May 23, at 1:37

Police said the 39-year-old man from Bay City was wanted in Saginaw for home invasion and two misdemeanor drug crimes. He was wanted in Midland for shoplifting.

Police found a crack pipe in the man's pocket. The car contained a crack pipe and syringes, one loaded with a brown liquid believed to be heroine.

Toasted

Public safety officers manning two fire trucks answered an alarm in the first block of Lakeshore in Grosse Pointe Shores on Sunday, May 30, at 2:51 p.m.

Smoke coming from a toaster was caused by careless cooking, officers said. Officers used fans to clear smoke from the house.

Lightning

Lightning struck a tree in the first block of Vernier in Grosse Pointe Shores on Sunday, May 23, at 7:30 p.m. The tree fell over and cut power lines and cable service to a couple dwellings.

- Brad Lindberg

Exceptions — robbery, through August. Four of six burglary, larceny and auto business burglaries occurred City of Grosse Pointe, Michigan COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT

TRANSFER OF FUNDS Notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held on MONDAY, June 21, 2004 at 7:30 P.M. by the City of Grosse Pointe City Council in the Council Chambers, 17145 Maumee Avenue, Grosse Pointe, Michigan 48230 (telephone 313.885.5800) for the purpose of:

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

- Approving a transfer of 2003 Community Development Block Grant Funds from Clearance/Demolition Programs to Planning Programs. Funds total \$58,400.
- Approving the allocation of 2004 Community Development Block Grant Funds for removal of Architectural Barriers. Funds total \$51,200.

The City invites its citizens to submit comments concerning the proposed programs.

> Julie E. Arthurs, City Clerk

GPN: 06/03/2004

CITY OF HARPER WOODS POLICE DEPARTMENT WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN

NOTICE **AUCTION OF IMPOUNDED/ABANDONED VEHICLES** Pursuant to PA 104, an auction will be held on June 10, 2004 at 5:00 p.m. at Woods Towing, located at 22755 Lexington, Eastpointe, Ml. The following impounded/abandoned vehicles

1 6	e auctioned:		
	1995 Ford Windster	sw	2FMDA5146SBA80902
	1993 Ford	2DR	1FAFP6244PH156683
	1995 Chrysler Circus	4DR	1C3EJ56HX5N525106
	1990 VW Jetta	4DR	WWVWRA21G2LW47698
	1992 Ford Bronco	sw	W W V W KAZIGZEW47698
	1984 Mercury	4DR	IFMEUISN8NLA43460
	1987 Ford Crown Victoria		2MEBP95F7EX635441
	1993 Dodge	2DR	2FABP71F1HX155160
	1775 Douge	4DR	3B3XA5633PT571846
	1987 Acura Legend	4DR	JH4KA2643HC021882
	1989 Chevy Sport Van		2GNEG25H3K4138785
	1988 Ford Aerostar	sw	IFMCAITUXJZB18051
	1988 Cadillac	4DR	1G6DW41Y3J9719230
	1979 Ford	PU	FIOBNOPO066
	1987 Cadillac Deville	4DR	IG6CD5181H4286189
	1989 Mercury Cougar	2DR	IMEPM6046KH608245
	1989 Ford Bronco	sw	IPMCU14751KUA36010
	1983 Ford Ranger	PU	IFTBR10C9DUC20783
	1994 Dodge Caravan	sw	1B4GH4436RX265073
	1990 Ford Probe	2DR	B4GF144.36KX265073
	1985 Pontiac Grand Prix	2DR	IZVPT21U2L5214429
	Olana Prix	2337	2G2GK37H5F2309254

Sgt. Raiph E. Selvaggi,

NOTICE OF PUBLIC TESTING OF ELECTRONIC **SCANNING DEVICE** FOR

REGULAR ELECTION IN THE GROSSE POINTE PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM

NOTICE is hereby given that The Grosse Pointe Public School System will use the electronic scanning device system in all precincts during the Regular Election to be held on Monday. June 14, 2004. All Voters in the City of Grosse Pointe Park (Precinct A), the City of Grosse Pointe (Precinct B), The City of Grosse Pointe Farms (Precinct C), and in the City of Grosse Pointe Woods (Precinct D), the Township of Grosse Pointe (Precinct E), and the City of Harper Woods (Precinct F) will be using the electronic scanning device.

NOTICE is further given that the public testing of the electronic scanning device for the Regular Election will be held on June 3, 2004, at 9:30 a.m. at the election office in the Administration Building, 389 St. Clair, Grosse Pointe.

Stephen Matthews,

Secretary, Board of Education

City of Grosse Printe, Michigan **PUBLIC NOTICE** ORDINANCE No. 347 & Ordinance No. 348

Please take notice that the City Council of the City of Grosse Pointe has passed Ordinances No. 347 and 348

Ordinance No. 347 adds Section 90-76 to Chapter 90, Zoning: Ordinance No. 291 adds Section 90-70 to Chapter 90. Zoning: to provide through the use of the planned unit development (PUD) concept an added degree of flexibility in the density, placement, bulk and interrelation of buildings and uses on major redevelopment sites within the City and the implementation of new design concepts to encourage efficient, innovative and compatible use of land and compatible use of land.

Ordinance No. 348 amends and restates Sections 266-273 of Chapter 90; and Section 90-351 Line 5 and Note E of Chapter 90; regarding RO-1 Restricted Office District, permitted uses, permitted uses after special approval, site plan approval and area, height, bulk and placement requirements within the RO-1

These ordinances will become effective ten days after the publication of this Notice. The complete text of Ordinance No. 347 & 348 are available at the Grosse Pointe Municipal Offices, 17147 Maumee Avenue.

GPN: 06/03/2004

Julie E. Arthurs. City Clerk

Secretary, Grosse Pointe Board of Education NOTICE OF REGULAR ELECTION OF THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE GROSSE POINTE PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM.

WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN, TO BE HELD ON JUNE 14, 2004

Steve Mathews,

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF SAID SCHOOL DISTRICT:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Regular Election of The Grosse Pointe Public School System, Wayne County, Michigan, will be held in the School District on Monday, the 14th day of June, 2004.

THE POLLS OF ELECTION WILL BE OPEN FROM 7:00 A.M. TO 8:00 P.M., EASTERN DAYLIGHT TIME, ON JUNE 14, 2004.

Notice is further given that at this election there will be elected two (2) members of the Board of Education of the School District for a full term of four (4) years, beginning July 1, 2004 and ending June 30, 2008.

The following persons have been nominated as candidates for the two four (4) year terms:

Ahmed V. Ismail Angela Kennedy Steve Matthews

The places of election will be the fully designated voting places in each election precinct in the School District

PRECINCT A - All voters in the City of Grosse Pointe Park vote at PIERCE MIDDLE SCHOOL. 15430 Kercheval, Grosse Pointe Park, Michigan. PRECINCT B - All voters in the City of Grosse Pointe vote at MAIRE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL. 740 Cadieux, City of Grosse Pointe, Michigan. PRECINCT C - All voters in the City of Grosse Pointe Farms vote at BROWNELL MIDDLE SCHOOL, 260 Chalfonte, Grosse Pointe Farms, Michigan

PRECINCT D - All voters in the City of Grosse Pointe Woods vote at PARCELLS MIDDLE SCHOOL. 20600 Mack, Grosse Pointe Woods, Michigan PRECINCT E - All voters in the Township of Grosse Pointe

vote at the GROSSE POINTE SHORES ADMINISTRATION OFFICES. 795 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Shores, Michigan. PRECINCT F - All voters in the City of Harper Woods portion of the Grosse Pointe Public School System vote at POUPARD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL,

20655 Lennon, City of Harper Woods, Michigan. ABSENT VOTER COUNTING BOARD: (All absentee voter ballots) Voting place at ADMINISTRATION OFFICES, 389 St. Clair, Grosse Pointe, Michigan.

Each person voting in this election must be a registered elector in the City of Township within the School District in which the person resides.

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education of The Grosse Pointe Public School System, Wayne

Dated: May 27, 2004

G.P.N.: 05/27/2004

Stephen Matthews. Secretary, Board of Education

Woods residents mull over direction of master plan will be decided by Woods alleys to allow for more off-

Staff Writer

If the people in Grosse Pointe Woods get their way, the city will remain the same, only better.

Ninety-four residents turned out at the Grosse Pointe Woods Community Center on Tuesday, May 18, to give their input on developing the city's master plan. It was a record turnout for planning consultant Dan Wortman, of Carlisle & Wortman, who has worked with 20 other public input master plan sessions.

Residents met in small groups to discuss the things they'd like to see in businesses along Mack, their neighborhoods, traffic, park-

ing, zoning and land use.

Many of the participants said they thought highly of the city and its services and took a high interest in the commercial interests of the city. Offering tax incentives to lure more businesses to Mack. allowing

business/residential development on Mack, and eliminating the Colonial theme on Mack ranked high on many lists.

There was also a desire to see more and diverse retail businesses and restaurants on Mack, and some felt there were too many banks and pharmacies on Mack. There was a split in opinion on allowing more Class C liquor licenses. That issue ideas included

voters in the August primary election.

Other high priority commercial issues included limiting the stories of new construction, enforcing window sign ordinances, allowing for two-story commercial development on Mack, limiting the number of stories of new construction on Mack, and rodent control.

Parking along Mack was another critical issue addressed at the brainissue storming session. There was much interest in purchasing properties behind the businesses on Mack as they become available to expand off-street parking. Other

street parking and building parking decks to provide more convenient parking on Mack

Building a pedestrianfriendly environment on was also highly desired for many residents. There was also a suggestion to build a safe pedestrian walkway on Vernier east of

Preserving the single-family quality of neighborhoods was the paramount concern of the residents, particularly in the areas of zoning. They said they wanted to see more frequent and stringent enforcement inspections of rental proper-

There were many concerns about the city having too many building ordinances, the desire to see more common sense used in developing those ordinances and a suggestion to establish a Zoning Board of Appeals separate from the city council. And as more people renovate and expand their homes, some wanted to

nance put in place. The residents also wanted to see more condominiums and senior housing. They also were concerned about the growing tax inequities as a result of Proposal A and how it may affect people who want to move into the community or those who want to

see an anti-"Bigfoot" ordi-

scale down their living quarters but remain in the city.

Overall, the residents in attendance said they would like to see the continued maintenance and quality of the schools, city services and parks.

"Your input will provide direction to our planning commission," Wortman said. Our job will be to distill this information and bring it back to you in about two to

"I found tonight to be invigorating and motivating," Planning Commission Chairman Tom Vaughn said. This input will be incredibly valuable as we go on with this process."

Village merchants excited about retail consultant

By Brad Lindberg Staff Writer

Village merchants are excited that a consultant has been charged with seeking a high-quality replacement for Jacobson's department store.

Positive reviews have come from established business shopkeepers and newcomers, both of whom have set their futures in the City of Grosse Pointe's central shopping district.

The consultant, Jim Bieri of the Bieri Company, received exclusive province from the City council to rep-Village resent the prospective retailers.

"It's extremely proactive and positive that they hired consulting firm, Ellen Durand, owner of the Village Toy Company for 16 years and second-term pres-

years and second-term pres-ident of the Grosse Pointe Village Association. said Beverly Leinweber, the association's director strategic partnerships.

"I wish they would have done it a while ago," said Allison Haus, owner of Madi Lu & Ethan Too!, a chiidren's clothing store that has expanded since relocating to the Village last year from Grosse Pointe Woods.

"Maybe it's a bit late, but better late than not at all, which has been my experience," said Lisa Rennell, moved her store. Rennell & Co. Creative Gift Design, from the Woods fol-

use the strength of his tion, not just any direction national consulting firm to contact well-known department stores to fill the loss of Jacobson's.

Jacobson's, which had stores from Michigan to Florida, declared bankruptcy two years ago. Even though their block-long store in the Village always turned a profit, the building was sold at auction to The Velmeir Companies, devel-

property has sat vacant ever since, although plans are in the works. Velmeir partnered recently with Sunrise Development to transform the site into a combination of retail and senior living.

The idea didn't go over well at a city council meeting last month attended by more than 300 residents.

"After meeting with some derful attendance, from all walks of life to support the Village — they (council members) had their ears

wide open," Haus said.
"The City has been patient," Durand said. "The City has said this is a high priority; we're going to tack-le it. We're going to go forward and see what we can

do."
"We don't want the building sitting there for another two or three years," Haus

"My biggest concern is people are beginning to become impatient and feel the Village needs to move in a long-term direction."

Bieri also will canvass Village merchants, property owners and customers for ideas on the district's strengths and weaknesses.

"That's great," Haus said.
"Hopefully, they're going to
have him look at different areas of retail, what's underused, talk about development, and try to empower local people who have local retail experience to create something special."

Citizens and shoppers in the Grosse Pointes have to realize what shopping provides them: It provides good products at a fair price," said Charleen Blondy, who has operated Posterity: A Gallery in the Village for 14 years. "There is a premium on convenience but there's premium for perfect service. That's what we need to focus on. We need to know if the ple, want us to carry differ-

ent products or expand product lines." Since moving to the Village, Rennell's business has picked up. She took over

adjacent space formerly occupied by a shoe repair company. "It's an investment in the

community," Rennell said. "I believe in the Village, or I wouldn't be expanding.

"The power of what's going to happen when the Village is complete again is going to be unbelievable," said Haus.

"I'm excited for my business and from being a memlowing nearly two years of haggling with Woods officials about zoning issues.

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Rotary aids Realtors' Habitat house

John Maliszewski, president of the Grosse Pointe Rotary, handed over a John Maliszewski, president of the Grosse Pointe Rotary, handed over a \$18,000 checkfish the Grosse Pointe Rotary Foundation to Grosse Pointe Board of Realtors member Myrna Smith. The gift, the Rotarians' centennial project, will go toward the board's Rabital for Humanity house being built in Tri-Centennial Village in Detroit. "We're now within \$7,000 to \$8,000 of meeting our (\$60,000) goal," Smith told the Rotarians at their Monday, May 3, meeting.

Price goes up to raze wall

By Brad Lindberg Staff Writer

Robert Frost isn't the only one to say "Something there that doesn't love a wall.'

But as members of the City of Grosse Pointe council learned this week, the price of not loving a wall isn't what it used to be.

Councilman John Stevens lined up a contractor nearly two months ago who agreed to tear down the largest component of the decorative wall sculpture at Kressbach Place for \$9,500.

The money was pledged by the City of Grosse Pointe Foundation, the private group which raised funds for the massive melding of rock and cement in the first place.

Rather than move forward on the project in time for demolition to be finished by Memorial Day, City leaders opted to seek bid proposals, although at the time city funds weren't needed.

Now the construction season has started. Companies are busy. The initial contractor increased his fee to \$17,150. Another contractor bid \$26,000.

City funds will now have to be used in addition to the

Foundation's \$10,000.

"They were gracious enough to give \$10,000 to tear down their own edifice. I'd hate to go back and ask them for more," said Richard Clarke, councilman.

City officials contractor,'

approved allocating the additional \$7,150. Stephens doesn't like the

wall. He feels it's out of scale and wants the center por-tion leveled as soon as possible. Smaller sections of the wall will remain.

Stevens plans to pursue negotiations for demolition at the lowest price possible.

big hammer and working on wall.

Stevens. Demolition can't be expe-

dited by conscripting public works employees "If it weren't the busiest

time (of year) for our workers, we'd be there," said Brian Vick, assistant city manager.

Municipal workers are already scheduled to play a "It's a matter of taking a big role in taking down the

3,000 expected in Arnie's Army at Country Club on Aug. 30

By Brad Lindberg Staff Writer

Thousands of soldiers will escort their general when Arnie's Army conducts a campaign of nostalgia Aug. 30 at the Country Club of Three thousand specta-

tors are expected to attend when Arnold Palmer returns to the Club in celebration of winning the 1954 United States Amateur Championship.

Palmer called his comefrom-behind victory the turning point in his life.

In addition to spectators and millions watching on The Golf Channel, 27 past amateur champions will be in town to play a round honoring an event many golfers regard as opening day of the sport's modern era

Committed to playing in the Arnold Palmer Turning Point Invitational charity tournament are Phil Nicholson, Mark O'Meara, Craig Stadler and Lanny Wadkins.

Tournament organizers hope to raise \$5 million to establish the Arnold Palmer Education Fund. Most of the money will support urban children attending Cornerstone Schools in

"The 1954 U.S. Amateur was a turning point in my life." Palmer said in a prepared statement. thrilled that so many other U.S. Amateur Champions have agreed to join me in this endeavor to create a turning point in the lives of these children.

Also benefitting from the tournamment will include First Tee of Michigan Foundation to provide youngsters an opportunity to develop, through golf and character education, values such as honesty, integrity sportsmanship; and dren's Scholarship Children's Fund-Detroit, which gives urban primary and secondary students an opportu-

nity for excellent education; At Palmer's request, a

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gala fundraiser dinner has been planned for an estimated 1,500 sponsors the night before the tournament.

Martin West, a club representative and former councilman of Grosse Pointe Farms, said the invitational and related events will have only slight impact on residents.

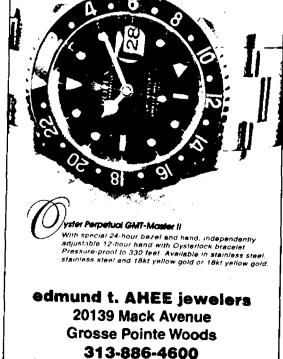
Spectators will be transported to the club from parking area reserved at the Edsel & Eleanor Ford House and University Liggett School. Club members will park on site.

"We expect little impact on the city," West said.

For more information on the Arnold Palmer Turning Point Invitational, visit the Web site: turningpointinvitational.org.

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Park resident helps Jefferson business district

By Carrie Cunningham Staff Writer

Tucked on the left side of Jefferson a few blocks from Grosse Pointe Park is the Jefferson East Business Association, a development organization housed in a small, unassuming building that holds passionate employees full of ideas for the growth of Detroit.

One of these employees is: a 29-year-old woman named Libby Pachota, a Grosse Pointe Park resident and rookie urban planner who exemplifies the innovative concepts the business association hopes to make a real-

Jefferson East is working to make Detroit a more attractive, economically vigorous place. It focuses on a four square mile area, with borders that include St. Jean Road on the west, the Park's Alter Road to the east, Charlevoix to the north and the Detroit River to the south.

Pachota's efforts are centered on a 12-block area on Jefferson.

"This particular neighborhood is one of those hidden gems. We've got these gorgeous buildings. It has all this phenomenal potential, and yet it has a lot of challenges, " Pachota said.

Pachota and Jefferson East have a template of five principles they adhere to in trying to make Detroit a better place to live and work.

They work on organizing, which involves meeting with property owners and business owners to ascertain their needs and concerns.

Jefferson East wants to promote a dialogue that will help people work together and spur progress.

Design involves the physical refurbishment and conthis area.

Some projects Jefferson East has witnessed include makeovers of seven storePOINTER OF INTEREST



Libby Pachota is program director for planning and development for the Jefferson East Business Association. She helps property and business owners thrive and prosper in a four square mile area of

front facades as well as ment and technology incustreetscape improvements.

The area from Alter to Eastlawn Roads has recently been listed on a national registry as a historic place, and consequently businesses and property owners in this area are eligible for a 20 percent historic tax credit.

A third area Pachota and her organization work on is economic restructuring.

The group hopes to retain and attract businesses. They have a database of business names and send out mailing to potential businesses.

They assist nascent entrepreneurs in getting access to capital and credit, including they will host an event struction of roads, stores a loan from National City, called Jazzin on Jefferson property. Package property by Package two percentage, which will infeature two pends most of her time in points, below the average stages of jazz and blues per points, below the average

borrowing rate. Jefferson East has applied to the state's cool cities program with the expectation of

bator of businesses where prospective businesses can receive a lower than normal rent as well as advice on business and marketing strategies.

Making the area clean and safe is another priority of Pachota and Jefferson East. They are involved in beautification projects like flower planting and the installment of banners. They also keep in touch with the local police precinct

Lastly, Pachota and her employer work on promotional events for the area.

At the end of this month, formers as well as food and art vendors and activities

"It's really important to developing an entertain- me to feel like I am having

ference," Pachota says about her work.

While Pachota beams with optimism about the possibilities for Detroit, she realizes people who have witnessed difficult years in the city might not share her enthusiasm.

Making people hope and believe that they will get results from an investment in the area is one of her main objectives.

Increasing the population in the area as well as dispelling false perceptions about crime are related aims.

A one-time social psychology major at Kalamazoo College, Pachota's interest in urban planning grew from family traditions.

Her father, Bob, runs a business called Best Block, which manufactures building materials. Learning about the business piqued nature.

an impact and making a dif- an interest in development within Pachota.

up in Detroit and passed onto her daughter a love for the city.

"Urban planning is the area. place where both of these worlds meet," Pachota said.

Pachota got a degree in urban planning from the University of Michigan. The program had a specific focus on community and economic areas that fascinate Pachota.

Pachota began working for Jefferson East in the vear 2000 and hasn't looked back since. Her title is program director for planning and development.

She moved to Grosse Pointe Park the same year she started working. She likes the Park for both its proximity to work and its charming and quaint

bors who used to live in the Her mom, Marilyn, grew Detroit neighborhood she concentrates on at Jefferson East and finds it moving that they care about the

Pachota has two siblings Andy, 33, and Mary, 40, who both have families. She grew up in Livonia and attended elementary and high school

Detroit is where Pachota development, which are two and Jefferson East's heart resides.

in that city.

We want to celebrate the Jefferson business district," she said.

Jazzin on Jefferson will take place on the corner of Jefferson and Chalmers from noon to 9 p.m. on Saturday June 26. If you are interested in volunteering for the Jefferson East Business Association, call Pachota at (313) 331-7939

Drafty Farms city hall gets new boiler

By Brad Lindberg Staff Writer

Cooler heads should prevail now that better air conditioning will be installed at Grosse Pointe

Farms city hall. Some \$447,000 worth of work has been contracted to Byrne Mechanical, Inc., the same company that did major renovations to city hall in 1988.

Administrators budgeted \$365,000 for the work. The shortfall will be made up from money saved for contingencies.

Parts of city hall on Grosse Pointe Boulevard date to 1912. The boiler is vintage-1953 and based on a 1912

design.

The existing boiler is maintenance intensive and inefficient," said Matthew operate at 80-plus percent inadequate.

Tepper, assistant city man-

ager. Paul Byrne, owner of Byrne Mechanical, said he's been patching portions of the rattley old pip-

ing system "for years."

He said, "Eight years ago, the boiler was jump-

ing off the floor."

Conditions inside the building often prompt complaints from residents, city council members and uncomfortably cold in winter and hot in summer.

Byrne's low-bid beat two Kerby between Kercheval includes replacing the boiler, which operates at no more than 60 percent efficiency, with a modern unit. conditioning installation should be recompleted by the field Bloom in the stand.

"The new boiler will

efficiency, resulting in Tepper said.

He said the unit will pay for itself in four or five

Byrnes workers also will replace cooling and ventilation ducts in city council chambers. The room doubles as a municipal court.

"Currently, even on mild days, the room reaches sweltering temperatures employees about being during meetings because of the inadequate cooling system," Tepper said.

Council members chose competitors. The contract not to authorize boilerrelated upgrades costing \$664,000.

The council deferred air improvements for the public safety which Tepper said are

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Enjoy a beautiful stroll of up to five miles at the Edsel & Eleanor Ford House while you help the more than 48,000 homeless animals cared for annually by the Michigan Humane Society's three shelters.

All walkers who turn in \$100 or more in donations the day of the walk will receive an official Michigan Humane Society Mutt March T-Shirt, All canine walkers will receive a free bandanna.

For more information or to pre-register, call 1-866-MHUMANE!



Grosse Pointe News & SHORES CONNECTION



Pumped up over gas prices

A few things have been bothering me lately, and they all seem to deal with the same topic: The high price of gasoline.

First, I don't understand why so many folks feel that they need to drive around on the paved roads of Grosse Pointe and other surrounding communities in vehicles that are intended for offroad use.

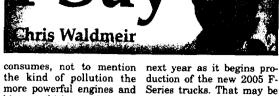
Second, I find it interesting that more and more people who own boats are still using them. However, I see a lot more of them just moored in the harbor rather than firing up the engine to cruise around Lake St. Clair. That, I suspect, mainly is due to the fact that gas is close to \$3.00 per gallon at most gas docks in the area.

One gallon of gas on land is up to \$2.05 on average across the nation. But I've seen much higher prices in Grosse Pointe, and people can't stop complaining. Ironically, at the same time the numbers of trucks and SUVs continue to increase at a steady rate.

Go figure. The vehicle that gets the worst gas mileage and has the highest price tag is what everyone wants.

We live in Southeast Michigan, where one may need to kick that gas guz-zling monster truck into four-wheel drive maybe five times per year. However, the other 360 or so days, two-wheel drive is more than enough to keep drivers and

passengers adequately safe. Another thing that bothers me is the way people justify wasting their money on such a vehicle and the preposterous amounts of gas it



bigger vehicles tend to cre-

SUV owners say things like, "My SUV is the safest car on the road," and "I like to be higher than all the other cars; it makes me feel more secure."

That's true. But in some cases it also makes motorists drive like morons because they feel untouchable and have some kind of power over people in smaller

Ford expects that its truck sales will increase over the

great for Ford, but not so good for the people who will have to pay to fill their gas tanks — not to mention the added pollution they may create.

The new Ford 150 series is being built with two innovative engine options, a Triton V-8 and a 355 h.p. Triton V-10. The new engines are built with new technology, which is supposed to improve both the gas mileage and the emissions rating. At this writing, however, Ford had not yet produced the actual numbers

But then, history has shown that purchasers of these types of trucks normally don't care much about the emissions rating -- or their gas mileage, either. They just want a strong truck, regardless of the obvious drawbacks.

As for boaters, most of them understand, too, that owners of Hummers and Land Rovers are feeling the burn of abnormally high gas prices just like everyone else. So what are they doing when they have time away from the office on the weekend? Not much.

I've been out on the water a handful of times already this year, and I've noticed that boat traffic on Lake St. Clair is down. Some may blame it on the less than beautiful weather that Mother Nature has served up thus far this Spring, but I place at least part of the blame on skyrocketing gas prices.

"It seems that boating is not a top priority for some people this year. They've got too many other interests, like golf, cottages, soccer games and graduation par-ties," said Mark Conley, of Len's Gas Dock in St. Clair Shores.

When it comes to gas prices, I feel that we have no one to blame but ourselves. We presently are engaged in an unpopular war that many claim is over oil. We are in dire need of more oil because we drive vehicles that burn more fuel than necessary, and, frankly, we don't care. The Saudis have promised to bump up production and sell more oil to the U.S.

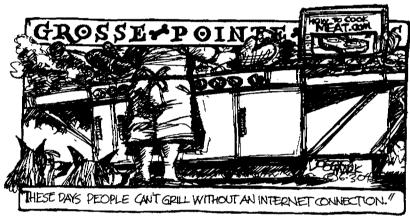
Then what? Lower prices? Doubt it.

Prices will remain high due greatly to the fact that people are in love with their trucks and SUVs. After all. they insist, you can't put a price tag on safety.

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Question of the Week:

Why is it important that we celebrate Memorial Day?



"It is important to remember everybody who died for our country during the wars, and also for families to remember loved ones."

Regina Udo-Inyang City of Grosse Pointe

"To remember the veterans and everything they fought for.'

Rachel Day Grosse Pointe Farms



Rachel Day



Dorothy Mengden

"It's very important. I'm very tired of war. I wish we could have peace always.

Dorothy Mengden City of Grosse Pointe (Dorothy remembers the joy of marching from school to the cemetery in honor of fallen soldiers when it was then called "Decoration Day.")

"For all the soldiers fighting for our country."

Jim Muniz

St. Clair Shores



Jim Muniz



Sandy Grimmer

"Spending time with family and friends in honor of our country's heroes. Sandy Grimmer

Grosse Pointe Park

"I think it's very important to remember those who have done so much for our coun-

> **Bette Kettelhut Grosse Pointe Farms**



Bette Kettlehut

If you have a question you would like asked, drop us a note at 96 Kercheval on The Hill in Grosse Pointe Farms, MI 48236 or email to editor@grossepointenews.com

Correction

Last week's item on the viewing on Friday, June 4, of the film "Second Coming" had the email address wrong for obtaining tickets. The correct email address is www.secondcomingfilm.com.

The screening of the film by Grossse Pointe Park cinematographer Christos Moisides is at the Masonic Temple in Detroit at 8 p.m. Doors open at 7 p.m. for cocktails and hors d'oeuvres before and after the screening. Tickets are \$10.

Success formula

Reid Miller Creedon was not the top student at Grosse Pointe South when he graduated in 1999. He would be the first to admit that. While charming and showing comedic talent in Second Suburb, he had a casual, good-spirited indif-

the top of his class. You might conclude he was more like his father, Gaylord, an inveterately cheerful sort who once raced boats at high speeds on the

ference to matriculating at

St. Clair River, than he is like his mother, Betsy, a highly efficient, former Junior Leaguer and now a GM executive.

by Ben Burns

When Reid was looking for a college to attend, one that would accept his insouciant disregard for 4-point averages and recognize his other talents, he found Earlham College, a Quaker school in Richmond, Ind.

population Richmond, Richmond, population 38,000, is not, in the middle of nowhere, but it could be mistaken for such a locale. It

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Points about the Pointes

The arts, classical music and our children.... where will the money come from?

Within the next thirty days, the members of our School Board will have to make some very tough decisions as to what goes and what stays in light of a \$3.7 million shortfall in funds we are facing for the coming school year. It doesn't take a rocket scientist to figure out that something has to go. No matter what is cut, someone is going

This chopping of programs doesn't stop at our School Board. There are many enrichment programs which our students enjoy after school which are also on the block. Many of these programs have gone along unnoticed, with all of us assuming that they are parts of our lives that will always be there to expand the minds of our chil-

The State of Michigan had previously earmarked \$23 million for last year to be distributed through its Art Council to use as a funding mechanism for about 400 grants for the arts. It was originally announced that next year's Art Council funding would be reduced to \$11 million. Now, the rumor is that it will be cut to only \$1 million!



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One of the organizations that depends on these grants is the Detroit Symphony chestra's Civic Ensembles.

This ensemble consists of three groups comprised of students, many of whom are from the Pointes. Pointers like Clyde and Helen Wu and Bruce and Marcia Ferguson (to name a few) are passionate about keeping these programs alive. If you have had the hearing these students passionately perform Mahler or Mozart, you will know why the Wus, the Fergusons and many others are justifiably passionate about keeping these programs alive.

If the sin tax passes, we may see a few more dollars go to programs like these programs. As members of a community who has always taken pride in exposing our children to excellence in a well rounded education, we have to remember that these programs are part of that education. The music that these students play is world history without words. Whether your children play an instrument or not, the programs that the DSO puts on for children such as the one this past Saturday help prepare our children for being global citizens rather than citizens of the protected bubble of Grosse Pointe that was acceptable when job hunting in years past.

In order to save these programs, we as parents have to get proactive. We need to start contacting our State representatives and the members of the State Appropriations Commit-tee and let them know the important part that these programs play in preparing our children for competing in the global job market. We also need to support the programs through attendance and reaching into our pockets as we

We have the same challenge in saving our own school programs. We need to get out there and support them in anyway possible. Grosse Pointe South's Choir will be performing a Broadway Musical Review: A Salute to Sen-iors this coming weekend. Instead of taking your kids to the movies, take them to the North Performing Arts Center this weekend for the show. We have purchased a block of tickets for the show for the seniors in the community. Contact Sue Kopf at Services for Older Citizens (SOC) at 882-9600 for further information. Get out there this weekend and make a differ-

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Curves for Women has become a great success in the City of Grosse Pointe. So much so that neighboring businesses are feeling muscled out - of parking Scrace, mayor. spaces.

Members of the city council are trying to make sure the error doesn't happen

"That doesn't help us," for Women moved in next said Della Pavlock, of the family-owned Framing their weight around.

"I guess you co announcing plans to open on shame on us," said family-owned Gallery on Mack in the City of Grosse Pointe.

Pavlock has been in business 33 years at 18140 as early as 6 a.m.
Mack. She didn't have problems until two years ago when customers of Curves

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According to complaints Mack. presented to the city council, "But it might help the clients of the popular fitness next person," said Dale center hog area parking spots and make too much noise arriving for workouts

Curves, which touts pound-shedding 30-minute exercise routines, presented

announcing plans to open on

"None of our ordinances addressed a Curves-type To make amends, Scrace facility," said Mike Overton, and other members of the city manager. "In absence of anywhere."

There's nothing Pavlock can do about it.

"This is impacting our

Give life to your

"I guess you could say shame on us," said Scrace. He was on the council when Curves moved in.

council instructed the chief an ordinance, they can go of public safety to address parking and noise com-plaints through the nuisance ordinance.

"Anywhere it can apply, it

will apply," Fincham, chief.

In addition, council mem bers amended the zoning ordinance to deal with nev breeds of businesses like

"If someone comes in with a use slightly off of what's specifically permitted in the RO-1 district, they would have to submit a request for special use approval," said John Jackson, vice president McKenna Associates, the City's planning consultants.

Requests would require site plan approval during a public hearing.

"The planning commission can make sure (the request) is compatible with uses permitted in the RO-1 (restricted office) district, Jackson said. "The commission (could) put conditions on it so they can't open before 8 a.m."

"Unfortunately it's too late with Curves," Scrace said. "It happened the first time. It's not going to happen again."

In other action, the council eliminated the RO-1 district's 30-foot front-yard setback. Officials amended zoning rules to require new structures to be built up to

the front property line.
"That will free-up some undevelopable space in the RO-1 district," Jackson said.

He said the change is consistent with the existing nature of buildings on Mack.

"Most are built right up to the sidewalk," he said.

Another change reduced the 20-foot rear-yard parking setback to a five-foot buffer between adjacent property lines.

That more accurately reflects what's on Mack than the 20-foot setback requirement right now,"
Jackson said.

money

transfers

Grosse Pointe Farms resi-

dents will soon be able to pay money due the city

directly from bank accounts. "Processing electronic transfers is less expensive

than processing handwrit-

ten checks, which will lower bank fees," said John Modzinski, Farms comptrol-By enacting the new policy at last week's city council meeting, Farms officials

endorsed a 2002 law backed

by Gov. Jennifer Granholm authorizing electronic trans-

actions by local government.

their transfer program on a

draft from the Michigan Municipal Finance Officers

Park to flush

fire hydrants

Wayburn, will be done between Monday, June 7, and Wednesday, June 9. The

area south of Jefferson, from Cadieux to Barrington, will be done Thursday, June 10, to Saturday, June 12.

During this process, small

amounts of sediment may

become dislodged and give

the water a rusty appear-

ance. If this occurs, run the

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The Grosse Pointe Park Public Safety Department will conduct its annual fire hydrant testing and flush-

area north of Jefferson, from Cadieux to

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Anthony P. Bist

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Grosse Pointe Woods resident Anthony "Andie" Bist, 79, died Friday, April 9, 2004, at his home.

Mr. Bist was born June 6, 1924, in Iron Mountain, Mich., and while still young his mother moved the family to Detroit. He was double promoted during high school and graduated at age 16; and later, graduated with an engineering degree from Gettysburg College Pennsylvania.

In 1942, Mr. Bist joined the U.S. Army Air Corps and served during World War II as a ferry pilot and transport pilot assigned to flag officers. He was ranked first lieutenant and was promoted to second lieutenant in the reserves.

Mr. Bist was an engineer and vice president with H.R. Krueger Inc., a machine tool shop.

He was an usher at St. Lucy Catholic Church for more than 40 years, belonged to the Radio Control Club and the Investment Club.

Mr. Bist enjoyed ballroom dancing with his wife, Charlotte, who he met at the Vanity Ballroom in Detroit, and big band music, especially Artie Shaw (he coneced every song areas ed except one). He frequent-ed Las Vegas golf tournaments and was in the holein-one club. He also enjoyed traveling, including trips to Australia, England, Alaska and Hawaii. His basement was his hobby shop with model airplanes, including Stearman biplanes which he

flew. He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Charlotte; daughters, Beverly (Simon) Cook, Dottie Deneau; sons, (James) Kenneth (Nancy) and Brian (Lisa); grandchildren, Kris (Misty) and Kevin Fowler, Joseph Anthony Shock, Heather (Joe) Leone, Jeffrey Shock; great-grandchildren, Kendall Ellen Fowler, Joseph Fowler, Joseph Anthony Leone, and Haven Kristina Fowler; and half siblings, Gary (Marianne) Cindee (Bill) Dombrowski, Gloria (Bob)

Krause, Jim (Nancy) Bist, Tom (Christina) Novak, and Audrey (Gerald) Check.

Mr. Bist was predeceased by his brother, Robert (Patricia) Bist; and grandchildren, Jonathan and Holly

A funeral Mass was celebrated April 13 at St. Lucy Catholic Church with the Air Force Honor Guard in attendance. Interment will be held Saturday, June 5, (in honor of his 80th birthday) at Resurrection Cemetery in Clinton Township.

Merle J. Elliott

Grosse Pointe Park resident Merle J. Elliott died Tuesday, May 25, 2004, at her residence.

Mrs. Elliott was born in Ferndale and attended two years of college. She was a managing partner at Elliott-Elliott and Company and a 40-year resident of the Grosse Pointe area.

She is survived by her husband, Bill Elliott; daughter, Jane (Jim) Walling, five grandchildren; three greatgrandchildren; and brother, Jack (Pat) Carr.

Mrs. Elliott was predeceased by her brother, Russell Carr.

Funeral arrangements were provided by Kaul Funeral Home in St. Clair Shores. Interment was held at White Chapel Memorial

Guido Umberto Giordimaina

Grosse Pointe Farms resident Guido Umberto dent Guido Umberto Giordimaina, 72, died Friday, May 28, 2004, at St. John Hospital in Detroit.

Mr. Giordimaina was born in Cairo, Egypt, on April 18, 1932. His father, Antonio, was a fighter pilot for the English army and his mother, Linda, was an Italian

spoke Italian at home and Arabic at school. He completed his university studies in French, majoring in management, and would go on to become fluent in five languages.

In his late teens, he excelled in grueling cycling national tournaments. He also learned to play numerous musical instruments, and together with the infa-Rataplan mous band. brought smiles to countless audiences in smoky clubs throughout Asmara.

his early 20s. Mr. Giordimaina was employed as a pilot for Aden Airways. He logged thousands of miles flying pilgrims from Cairo to Mecca, and very quickly climbed to the position of assistant deputy general manager. After a series of positions in more than 29 countries, Mr. Giordimaina became CEO for FIAT. responsible for African and

Gaffney receives safety award

The Michigan Driver and Traffic Safety Education Association has presented state Rep. Ed Gaffney, R-Grosse Pointe Farms, with organization's Distinguished Achievement Award.

The award recognizes Gaffney for his significant and identifiable contribution to Michigan's driver education program during 2003.

"I am honored to receive this award," said Gaffney, R-Grosse Pointe Farms. appreciate the Michigan Driver and Traffic Safety Education Association's support of my legislation. We must continue to do everything we can to help teenagers become safer drivers. It is a terrible tragedy when you see a young person's life end prematurely

Gaffney was chosen for his sponsorship of House Bill 4600, which amended the Graduated Driver License system to prohibit a first-year teenage driver with a Level 2 license from transporting more than one passenger other than family members

Studies show that accident and death rates for teenage drivers increase license.

when more passengers are in the vehicle.

"With the prom and graduation season upon us, it is vital that teenage drivers take extra care to drive carefully," Gaffney said. "In addition, parents should make an effort to urge their children to drive with only one passenger and celebrate safely."

A study published in March 2000 by The Journal of the American Medical Association found that death rates per 10 million trips for 16-year-old drivers were 1.99 with no passengers, 2.76 with one passenger, and 3.69 with two passengers.

The study also noted that nighttime driver restrictions are helpful but do not go far enough, as more than half of the fatal crashes involving teenage drivers with passengers occurred during daylight hours.

More than 20 states already have enacted passenger limitations as part of graduated licensing restrictions. Eight states allow only one or no passengers up through the time the driver receives an unrestricted



Guido Umberto Giordimaina

Arab nations. His other achievements include Fellowship for the British Institute of Management, member of the British Institute of Travel Agents, president of Travel Agents Association of Zambia and president of the Rotary Club of Lusaka.

After 58 years in Africa, Mr. Giordimaina and his wife moved to the United States where he started a new career as a management consultant and ultimately chairman for TEC.

He enjoyed flying, writing, contract bridge, tennis, racquetball, reading and paint-

Mr. Giordimaina is survived by his wife of 38 years, Elli Giordimaina; daughter. Lorella (Drew); son, Karim (Liz): grandchildren, Massimiliano, Gianluca and Nicolo.

He was predeceased by his Rolando brothers, and Gastone.

A memorial Mass will be celebrated Friday, June 4, at 11 a.m. at St. Paul Catholic Church, 157 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Farms. Arrangements were provided by Chas. Verheyden Inc., Grosse Pointe Park.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Judes Childrens Hospital of Covenant House.

Helen Gregory

A librarian at the Grosse Pointe Public Library, Helen Gregory, 65, died Saturday, May 22, 2004, at her St. Clair Shores home.

Mrs. Gregory was born on Feb. 27, 1939, in Toledo to James and Helen Byrne. She was runner-up for the Miss University of Toledo in 1960, and earned her Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of Toledo in 1962. In 1968, she earned her Master of Arts degree in Theater Arts from Pennsylvania State University and an A.M.L.S. in Library Science from the University of Michigan in 1978.

Prior to coming to the Grosse Pointe Public Library, she served as head children's librarian at the Reynolds Corners Branch of the Toledo-Lucas County Public Library and Head of Children's Services at the Albion Public Library. She was a guest lecturer at the University of Michigan, as well as an instructor in Children's Literature at Albion College.

Mrs. Gregory had the distinction of serving on the Newbery-Caldecott Committee in 1979-1980 and the Newbery Committee in 1982-1983 for the prestigious children's literature awards. She had numerous book reviews published in the School Library Journal and was awarded the Friends of the Grosse Pointe Library 2004 Annual Award for enthusiasm, dedication and support.

A mainstay at the library since 1985, Mrs. Gregory served as children's librarian for 10 years, and then moved to adult services. Her reference skills were legendary - with prodigious memory and intellect she could track down the most esoteric of facts. A voracious reader, she was adept at rec



Helen Gregory

She was known in the Grosse Pointes for her weekly column "The Book Return," which ran in the Grosse Pointe News from 1998 to 2003.

She enjoyed theater and was a member of the original company at South Coast Repertory Theater in Costa Mesa, Calif., and locally she played the part of Mrs. Laraby in the Grosse Pointe Theatre production Sabrina. She also enjoyed riding horses, ballet, reading, writing and was an avid trivia enthusiast.

Mrs. Gregory is survived by her sons, Dylan and J.C. A memorial Mass will be

celebrated on Saturday, June 5, at 10 a.m. at St. Paul Catholic Church in Grosse Pointe Farms.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Friends of the Grosse Pointe Library, 10 Kercheval, Grosse Pointe Farms, MI 48236.

Elizabeth Macrae Hammen

Detroit resident Elizabeth "Starr" Macrae Hammen, 88, died Tuesday, May 18, 2004, at Bon Secours Hospital.

Mrs. Hammen was born March 16, 1916, telle

She earned a bachelor's degree in chemistry and was the first female chemist to work for Dow Chemical Co.

She belonged to the Grosse Pointe Bonsai Club, the Grosse Pointe Camera Club and the Grosse Pointe Orchid Society.

Mrs. Hammen enjoyed life and was interested in music and reading.

She is survived by her sister-in-law, Laura Belle Macrae; nephew, Stewart; and cousin, Penelope Devlin.

Mrs. Hammen was predeceased by her husband, Jay L. Hammen; brother, Bruce F. Macrae; and brother-inlaw, Theodore F. Hammen

Memorial contributions may be made to the Michigan Humane Society or the Alzheimer's Association.

Bruce A. Kirk

Livonia resident Bruce A. Kirk, 93, formerly of Grosse Pointe, died Tuesday, May 25, 2004, in Livonia.

Mr. Kirk was born on Feb. 15, 1911, in Detroit. He attended Hudson School and the Detroit College of Law.

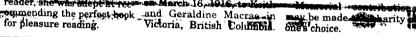
Mr. Kirk was an attorney with the firm of Kirk, Distin & MacDonald.

He belonged to Michigan Bar Association, Circumnavigators and the Detroit Athletic Club. Mr. Kirk loved to travel and read and had a quick sense of humor.

He is survived by his children, Joann, Ronald, James, Gordon and Lois; brothers, Kenneth, Donald, Gordon, Emerson and Alvin.

Mr. Kirk was predeceased by his wife, Joan MacDonald Kirk.

A service was held at Woodlawn Cemetery on May 29. Arrangements were provided by Chas. Verheyden



Residents rid themselves of hazardous waste

By Brad Lindberg

Staff Writer Pointers jumped the gun

on Household Hazardous Waste Dropoff day last month at Osius Park, and Brett Smith couldn't have been happier.

"This is a great thing for all the communities to get together for hazardous setting up a table to accept waste drop off," said Smith, household medical ther-Grosse Pointe Shores.
"Everybody does his part.
We look forward to it."

Ten minutes before the event was scheduled to begin at 9 a.m., a number of residents had already dropped off accumulated waste, such as oil-based paint and garden chemicals.

By 8:55 a.m., a line of cars filled the Osius Park lot. Others were stacked to Lakeshore.

All told, 485 vehicles passed through the drop-off

line by the 3 p.m. deadline. Communities taking part were the City, Farms, Park,

Shores and Harper Woods. Fran Schonenberg, former Farms council member, tallied the drop-off as one of many volunteers representing Citizens for Recycling.

LocalMotion helped by director of public works in mometers containing mercurv and give the er a safe digital thermomeexchange," in Schonenberg said. "One proud Girl Scout leader "One came with a carefully lidded container of thermometers collected by a Girl Scout

troop." Residents dropped of 325 cans of paint or solvents, 64 containers of household cleaning products, 43 batteries, 95 containers of gasoline and 319 miscellaneous items.

"Paint will be used for fuel blending," said Alex Dawson, a 1987 graduate of Grosse Pointe North High School now living in Kalamazoo as an employee of Drugs and Laboratories Disposal.

The most spectacular hazardous waste that volunteers saw was 15 pounds of liquid mercury contributed a retired dentist," by

Schonenberg said. According to a survey, most participants deposited waste that had been accumulating for one to five

"The oldest hazardous waste may have come from a 90-year-old resident who was clearing out 60 years of living in the same house," Schonenberg said.

Although residents were encouraged to drop off oilbased paint, latex paint wasn't allowed.

"Latex paint is not inherently dangerous, Schonenberg said

Disposal adds to the cost of the drop-off day.

"It's expensive to get rid Schonenberg said. "If residents have latex paint, open the cans, let it dry and put it in the trash. If they have half a can or more, they can save it for the spring building and materials exchange day. Habitat for Humanity will take it."

Schonenberg praised the Shores and Harper Woods for giving residents special notice of this year's drop off. She said the two communities represented the greatest number of first-time participants.

"Congratulations to them. They made a real impact,' Schonenberg said.

Ford House landscape architect featured in NY Times

Ford House landscape architect featured in NY TimesThe gardening restoration efforts of Edsel TimesThe & Eleanor Ford House and its legendary landscape architect, Jens Jensen, are featured in the current New York Times magazine.

In his article, "Native Grounds," New York Times magazine writer Jim Robbins chronicles the personal and professional life of Jensen — called "the dean of the world's landscape architects" in his 1951 obituary - and what Robbins refers to as Jensen's finest work on private estate, Ford House.

"Jensen conceived the Grosse Pointe Shores grounds as a 'nerve retreat' where Edsel Ford and his family could leave behind the daily anxieties of being America's royalty," Robbins writes in his article. Virtually every feature, from the topography to the trees to a small peninsula and cove, was meticulously created out of bare dirt."

Visitors are invited to explore the 86-acre grounds of Ford House on their own or with a narrated audio tape rental. Admission to the grounds is \$3, and tape rental is \$2. Guided house tours also are available all year long. Admission to both the house and grounds is \$7 for adults, \$6 for seniors and \$5 for children 6-12.

Invasive plants like garlic mustard, diseases such as Dutch elm and exotic insects like emerald ash borer have taken their toll on Jensen's landscape architecture Dutch elm disease, in fact, has killed more than 100 of the 150 American elms on the home's grounds.

But Ford House has maintained a restoration process that includes replanting hundreds of trees and wildflowers, the removal of multiple invasive plants, improving irrigation systems and a complete restoration of the rose gar-

when Jensen designed the

Ford House landscape, he drew upon his naturalistic approach to landscaping, which combines woodlands, meadows and we lands in such a natural way that guests are usually not conscious of any man-made design. Jensen was known for his

use of native plants, the sense of vast open space, the play of light and shadow and the element of time and season's change. Writes Robbins, "The out-

come (of the Ford House grounds) was vintage Jensen, a landscape that begged visitors to discover

Edsel & Eleanor Ford House is celebrating 25 years since opening to the public in 1978.

Since that time, Ford House has shared Eleanor Ford's vision of preserving and maintaining the house and grounds for future generations to enjoy through interpretive tours, family Between 1926 and 1932, activities, lectures, exhibits, and gardens and grounds

events.

For more information about Ford House, go to information www.fordhouse.org or call (313) 884-4222.

Offices closed for holidays

Secretary of State Terri Lynn Land says all offices will be closed in observation of state holidays and for an unpaid furlough day during July and September.

The offices will be closed for: Independence Day on Friday, July 2, and Monday, July 5; and Labor Day on Monday, Sept. 6.

Motorists whose driver's license or license plates expire over the holiday should renew early.

Branch offices are open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. On Wednesdays the majority of offices are open from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. with those in city centers open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Smaller branch offices may close during the lunch hour.

Elect Ismail to school board post

hmed Ismail is a passionate supporter of the Grosse Ponice Public School System. Over the years he has attended nearly as many school board meetings and work sessions as an incum-

But though he is a school supporter, Mr. Ismail is no yes man. He asks questions. That is why Mr. Ismail will make an excellent addition to the school board.

Two seats are up for election in the Monday, June 14, school board election. One is being sought by an incumbent, while the other has been vacated. This gives voters an opportunity to elect a new member to the board.

Time could not be more critical for new thinking on the school board. With state funding not living up to expectations, hard decisions need to be made. It is a time for creative solu-

tions, for thinking "outside the box."
With a \$100 million annual budget, the school board will spend half a billion dollars over the next five years.



We think Mr. Ismail, a successful businessman, is needed on the board. Mr. Ismail owns a number of busi-

nesses, all based in Grosse Pointe Woods. He started working at Studio Camera as a stock boy after school while attending Parcells Middle School. He continued to work after school and during summers through high school and was given the opportunity by the owner, Carl Joyner, to purchase the store in 1971. Now called Speedi Photo, the store is still owned and operated by Mr. Ismail and his wife, Mary Ann.

Not only did Mr. Ismail successfully run and expand the business, in 1987 he founded a new company, PHC Construction Corp., which specializes in commercial construction project cost analysis and management.

With all the bond money being spent by the school district, Mr. Ismail's business background makes him ideally suited to help oversee construction projects for the school dis-

People who do not know Mr. Ismail may mistakenly believe he is not from the Grosse Pointes, but they would seriously be mistaken.

Unlike the other candidates, Mr. Ismail is a product of our schools. His parents still live in his childhood home on Country Club in Harper Woods. He attended Poupard Elementary, Parcells Middle and Grosse Pointe South High schools. He transferred to Grosse Pointe North, from which he graduated in 1970.

He continues to live in and support the community. He still lives in Grosse Pointe Woods with his wife and sons Jonathan, Scott and Alex. Mr. Ismail also serves as a Grosse Pointe Woods planning commissioner. He is a major contributor to Services for Older Citizens (SOC) and Special Kids, a Pointe-based aid program for families with special-needs children.

Mr. Ismail is a former board member of the Ferry Elementary School PTO. He resigned from the board after he was forced to shame the PTO

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vertising Representat Mary Ellen Zander,

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into helping pay for air conditioning at the school. (He offered to pay the PTO's portion of the bill out of his own pocket.}

Though Mr. Ismail is not the school board's "handpicked successor," he is the best candidate for the board. His endorsements include George and Betty Mikhail, Clyde and Helen Wu, Tom and Mary Marie Berschback, Joe and Beverly Fromm, Peter and Sheila Gormley, Bruce and Marcia Ferguson, Peter and Camille Ecklund, Bob and Lucy Gorski, Margot Kessler, Frank and Betsy Schulte, Chip and Suzy Berschback, Jim and Patti Chylinski, Rodger and Michelle Hunwick, Joe and Pat Bourbeau, Al LaHood and Marquita Bedway, Karl and Cyndi Tech, Greg and Jackie Muller, Kevin and Clarisa Piecuch, John and Terry Lizza, Chris and Laura Wenz, Charlie and Laura Bommarito, Mike and Alice Kosinski, Richard and Pat Benz, Bill and Mary Leonard, Allan and Cindy Koziol, Bob and Susie Hicks and many others.

The Grosse Pointe News is proud to add its name to those endorsing Mr. Ismail, and we urge all school district voters to vote for him.

You do not have to vote for two candidates, even though the ballot says you can vote for up to two. The June 14 ballot provides that you vote for one or two of the candidates, but not all three.

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Letters

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See the light To the Editor:

I am writing in response I am writing in response to your front page and editorial articles on May 27th regarding the use of the station lights at Grosse Politic South High School. I am surprised and disappointed to resi that you are clearly in opposition to using the lights more than the current lights are changed" with graduated from South 30 years ago. Today, we have 62 separate athletic teams with lookey for girls. There is a thing called Title IX, which requires equality for girls light more lights are changed with time. Ten years ago, we did not have field hockey for girls. There is a thing called Title IX, which requires equality for girls. It is ports, all male, when I graduated from South 30 years ago. Today, we have 62 separate athletic teams with lookey for girls. There is a thing called Title IX, which requires equality for girls. It is ports, all male, when I graduated from South 30 years ago. Today, we have 62 separate athletic teams with lookey for girls. There is a thing called Title IX, which requires equality for girls. It is ports, all male, when I was a sports, all male, when I graduated from South 30 years ago. Today, we have 62 separate athletic teams with lookey for girls. There is a thing called Title IX, which requires equality for girls are called Title IX.

six times per year. wanting to "renege on the lights pact." In fact, G.P. South representatives had a not doing that to the best of lam a proud and active

ing agreement as "reneging" change!

attempt to change any exist- your opinion. We

There were seven varsity The simple facts are that sports, all male, when I

and taxpayer in our commu-responsive to its neighbors. I You accuse the school of fulfill its responsibility to such as sound, traffic and being on a "fast track" and my student to provide an trash are being addressed

meeting with G.P. Farms its ability because it cannot member of our great comrepresentatives in November 2003 to discuss this issue We also met with this issue. We also met with that "daytime games worked our community. I know that the G.P. Farms City Council well for 50 years and would there is great public support back in January 2003. And I do so for another 50," you to utilize the lights more. guess you could label any are very naive and myopic in Our stadium should be a

NEWS ITEM: HIGH SCHOOL WANTS TO USE SPORTS FIELD LIGHTS FOR MORE EVEN THE KICK BUP.

Address comments to cartoonist Phil Hands at phands@grossepointenews com or go to www.philtoons.com

Through the darkness an unexpected light

A couple weeks ago, we experienced a brownout. It was early in the evening, and thunderstorms had been predicted but had not yet hit

our area. I called DTE immediately, attempting to get a jump ahead of possible multiple problems later that night. It worked, and within an hour, I received a call from an employee who verified our address and directions.

My husband answered the door when the technician arrived. I joined them in the back yard near the elec-

tric meter with a flashlight in hand. The upbeat service man greeted me with a smile and kind word and asked if my husband had served me breakfast in bed for Mother's Day, adding that was what all men should do for their women. Naturally, I took an instant liking to this fellow

He went about his business of tracking our problem, and we showed him to the basement where he could inspect the circuit breakers, etc. He quickly determined that we had lost a main "leg" and that he would have to summon a team to fix

When the call had been placed, we offered this nice gentleman a soft drink and a chair at our kitchen table. We started with small talk and soon were exchanging philosophies, value systems and commentary on many things including politics and the raising of families in

this time in history. We learned that he was one of 10 children, seven boys and three girls; all had received a college education. Two were doctors, a couple lawyers, and several owned their own businesses. Theirs was an enormous extended family with many prominent members, including a well known movie star, an NFL football player and a pro golfer to name a

This lovely man has been married to the same woman for 36 years, held a job with the same company for many decades, fathered five children and lives in a wonderful home in Indian Village. He intends to retire in a few years and will become a full-time minister

When I inquired about his spiritual education and exposure, he told about how his grandmother would take them all to church and bid them to "come to the table." They sat right up front where the message would be received and learned, a practice he continued with his own family. We feel it would be an honor

to attend his church one day. What a delightful surprise the evening turned out to be. My hushand and I agreed that we had been more enlightened than a 1,000-watt hulb could provide that night. We were reluctant to say good night to our new friend and were enriched by the time shared.

-- Offering from the loft

point of pride, not embar- Return," printed in the District rassment. I'm sorry and Grosse Pointe News. shocked that you "oppose It was a good idea to read we may have an elected the lights" and "would like the column in private library board fully accountthe lights taken down." Angelo Tocco, O.D. began as a perfunctory We are also deeply cor Grosse Pointe Park laugh-out-loud turned into cerned that the library staff

Grosse Pointe South laughter.

Enlightened

To the Editor:

Congratulations to Jennie Miller for telling it like it is in her I Say, "Don't look away" (May 20, Grosse Pointe News), rather than following the naive line of those who choose to not understand the true relationship of terrorism and our actions in Iraq.

Fortunately we have enlightened citizens like Jennie Miller, who refuse to make a self-interested political issue out of the obvious Internet poll need to attack the terrorist agenda wherever it might To the Editor:

appear that emanates from some of Grosse Pointe News improve their salaries and your readers is totally dis- Internet poll ("Library poll benefits." your readers is totally disgraceful and unacceptable.

The state of th Thank you, Jennie.

Immortalized librarian

To the Editor:

Pointe South laughter. years. It seems disgraceful that our staff is the lowest

eled than most. Her readers were fortu- Poor salaries result in nate to be able to avail high turnover. In the last caliber, the quality of which turnover of 11 librarians out one normally found in the of a total of 11.5 positions.

We loved her, we'll cele- benefits. brate her, we'll miss her ter- We find this unbelievable

Sixty-three percent of Grosse Pointe News) regis-

accountability to the taxpayers while overseeing revtime librarian at Grosse bond issues for two new Pointe Central Library, has buildings of almost \$20 milimmortalized herself in the lion.

hearts of those who read her We fully support Rep. weekly column, "The Book Gaffney to amend the

Establishment Act so that what able to the taxpayers.

and uncontrollable, uncontain- has been working without a board member of the able, throw back your head contract for the past two and unique critique of the paid of all the libraries in world around her provided southeast Michigan accordher readers with still anothing to annual salary surveys er road — one far less travissued by the Library of Michigan.

themselves of a writer of her nine years there has been a New York Times or the New Health coverage is minimal and there are no pension

because Grosse Pointe ranks Elizabeth Wall third after Bloomfield City of Grosse Pointe Township and West Bloomfield for highest median household income. Our employees only have to go as far as Harper Woods, Roseville, Eastpointe or St. The inexcusable deception respondents to the May 13 Clair Shores to substantially

There are sufficient funds to give employees salaries Arlene R. Hendrie tered dissatisfaction with and benefits comparable to Grosse Pointe Farms the current method of other libraries in the metro appointing Grosse Pointe area. Our teachers and Public Library board mem- municipal workers certainly compare favorably with We must have direct other communities, and this should hold true for our library staff as well.

Although she died a week enues of \$4 million, a fund As longtime library users ago, Helen Gregory, long- equity of \$5 million, and and supporters, we are distressed by the current situa-

> Anne and John Roberte Grosse Pointe Farms

Attempted car theft

Someone attempted to steal a 1984 Oldsmobile Delta 88 parked in the 1400 block of Lakepointe in the 1800 block of Wayburn in the Park.

Like an ice cream truck. He further said his young daughter had become uncertainty of the park. Grosse Pointe Park sometime between Friday, May 21, and Tuesday, May 25. The car could not be were damaged.

Park car thefts

A 1984 Pontiac Grand Nottingham in Grosse Pointe Park was stolen dur-

A 1984 Pontiac Grand Prix parked in the street in the 1000 block of Stolen bike Nottingham was stolen during the night of Sunday, May

A 1995 Dodge Stratus parked in the street in the 1300 block of Wayburn in Grosse Pointe Park was stolen during the night of

CD player stolen

the 5900 block

Marlborough in Detroit.

A compact disc player was taken from an SUV parked lighters and a glass pipe in in a driveway in the 700 his jacket, which he left in block of Hawthorne in her classroom on Monday, Grosse Pointe Woods some- May 24. time between 9:10 p.m. on Sunday, May 23, and 8:45 He screams a.m. on Monday, May 24.

Cop finds own bike

POLICE BRIEFS

Hawthorne.

by an individual walking

into the store in the 20800

day before from the officer's like an ice cream truck.

Grosse Pointe Park detec-

tives are still on the lookout moved; its lock and ignition for two men who held up and robbed a store in the 15000 block of Charlevoix on Tuesday, May 25, at 8:50 Monday, May 24. The men entered the store 39-year-old Grosse Pointe

blue steel revolver. They got away with cases of beer and other mis-

A red and silver Trek bike block of Mack in Grosse was taken from an unlocked Pointe Woods. garage in the 2000 block of He left the cart in the VanAntwerp in Grosse store but was apprehended Pointe Woods sometime by store personnel when he between Monday, May 24, tried to exit. and Wednesday, May 26.

'High' school of suspension

A 16-year-old Grosse drove northbound on Mack Pointe Woods high school at about 3 p.m. Officers student was suspended from his Woods high school and cited for possessing nar- Attempted cotics paraphernalia. His teacher found two armed robbery

A manager of a store in Grosse Pointe Woods was

approached by a man at knife point demanding The for ice cream

A teenage boy filed a com-holding a 3-inch knife. The plaint with the Grosse man said, "Give me your An off-duty Grosse Pointe
Park public safety officer

Pointe Woods Department of money, while the manager was loading boxes into his car behind the store at 8:30 recovered his own bike when adult neighbor had used p.m. on Monday, May 24. he saw the thief suspect riding it in the area of Ashland and Kercheval in Detroit on

The adult neighbor told said, "I know you do. I've officers he was upset been watching you for the

door behind him before he called police. Witnesses said the man got into a black, westbound on Prestwick

The suspect is described daughter had become upset as being a clean-shaven 17when she realized the ice to 23-year-old male; 5-feet, 8 Armed robbery cream man was not on her inches to 6 feet tall with a street in the 2000 block of medium build and short brown hair who was wearing a light blue T-shirt, dark pants and inline skates.

Gassed

a.m. was no happy hour for a at 8:50 p.m. wearing ski Farms man who attempted on and damaged newly 1000 block of masks and armed with a to walk out of a grocery store planted sedum on the side of without paying for seven a house in the 19900 block of Pointe Park was stolen during the night of Sunday, May approximately \$1,000. A cellaneous items.

Pointe Woods sometime between 8 p.m. on Tuesday,

May 25. and 8 a.m. about taking off with his May 25, and 8 a.m. goods when he was spotted Wednesday, May 26.

Basement fire Grosse Pointe Park firefighters quickly put out a

fire in a basement of a house in the 1300 block of Maryland at 2:10 p.m. on safety officer found a blue Grosse Pointe Woods Water Wednesday, May 26. On Saturday, May 29, a man left the same store

Car stereo without paying for a 12-pack of beer, got into a gray Pontiac Grand Am, and

drove northbound on Mack A car stereo was taken from an SUV parked in the 700 block of Lakepointe in could not locate the suspect. the night of Thursday, May

Deadbeat the 19300 block of Mack in swashbuckler

A Detroit man riding a moped in the 1000 block of Park at 3:09 a.m. on was being repositioned. was Thursday, May 27, was pulled over for possessing a 20-inch sword.

child support warrant.

Treasure in

The suspect, a Detroit because the boy had a sound last five weeks."

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Music on the Plaza concerts set to begin tonight

Tonight, Thursday, June 3, 2004, marks the beginning of the 2004 Smile Enhancement Studio Music on the Plaza concert series. The concert will begin at

The Grosse Pointe North and South Jazz band's will kick off the first of eight concerts of the series. Conducting the North band will be David Cleveland and conducting the South band will be Dan White.

The concert will include swing music and rock. Some of the songs performed will include Caravan, by Duke Ellington, The Tiger of San Pedro, by LaBarber and Misty, by Errol Garner.

Each band will perform separately and combine at the end for a grand finale.

The concert will take place in the Festival Plaza located at the intersection of Kercheval and St. Clair, in Downtown Grosse Pointe's Village shopping district. The concert begins at 7:00pm.

Trek Navigator bike in a pile Department employees of trash at the rear of a failed to get inside of the building in the 20100 block house and obtain cash from of Mack. The bike is in excel- a resident in the 2100 block of Ridgemont at 3 p.m. on

Construction

accident

A 25-year-old Waterford man was injured after a large concrete pipe fell on his arm at a construction site at Mack and Huntington in Grosse Pointe not give them any money. Woods shortly before 2 p.m.

on Thursday, May 27. Maryland in Grosse Pointe excavator bucket while it on city business. Neither The pipe fell out of an The excavator operator told a public safety officer cle.

A background check of the faulty since he did not hit man revealed a \$56,000 the quick release button. The injured man refused to release information on his

MIOSHA has investigated incident

Suspected paint ball

Friday, May 28.

The men said they needed to get into the house in order

to shut the man's water off.

When the men could not

produce city identification.

the resident did not allow

the men in his house and did

drive official vehicles when

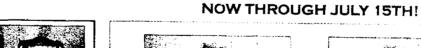
or driving a city-owned vehi-

City employees always

\$45 shutoff fee up front.

Several cars parked in a lot in the 20800 block of Mack in Grosse Pointe

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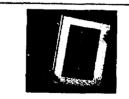




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whom had white paint on accepted their offer. himself. He said he was hit by a paint ball.

B&E suspect

Someone threw a jar of processed cheese spread through the window of a It's my party minivan parked at Hampton and Helen in Grosse Pointe female teen tried but failed arrest.

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Soup's on (car)

down two boys who admitted to throwing a bowl of soup at a car parked in a driveway in the 21300 block of Van K on Friday, May 28. disoriented

not know the owner of the house.

about 5:20 p.m., one of owner of the vandalized car An officer drove the man to the couple had been smok-

Bad news, good news

Grosse Pointe Park public safety officers caught a Detroit man in the act of possibly stealing items from a garage in the 1000 block of a processible state of a garage in the 1000 block of a processible state of a garage in the 1000 block of a ga

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woods sometime between 5 p.m. on Saturday, May 29, and 9 a.m. on Sunday, May 30.

Bikes found

City of Grosse Pointe of Maryland in Grosse of Maryland in Grosse Pointe of Maryland in Grosse

Grosse Pointe Woods public safety officers tracked down two bays who was taken into custody.

The teen, who was intoxitended for three days in the cated and obstructed officers. was taken into custody.

A witness saw one of the boys, a 15-year-old Woods in the 1800 block of Memorable

The 16-year-old son of the Woods public safety officers Moross near Beaupre. owner of the car admitted when she heard someone Officers are investigating high beams on. being the driver of the get-away car and his friend enter the front and side being the driver of the get-away car and his friend enter the front and side found in the man's 1993 .12 percent blood alcohol residents.

admitted to throwing the doors of the house. Officers Pontiac Bonneville and a level. Both boys said they did trying to gain entry into the Cloverly.

The ma came in time to see the man burgled van parked on Police found brandy, of marijuana and found two

vandalized car, and did not The man, who appeared to alcohol consumption despite Sheriff's deputies took the Woods were splashed in have an explanation of why white paint in the late afterwhite paint in the late afterthey committed the vandalofficers that he had been out

flushed face and unsteady

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of Maryland in Grosse Pointe Park at 12:34 a.m. on Sunday, May 31.

City of Grosse Pointe Pointe In the Sunday May 31.

City of Grosse Pointe Pointe In the Sunday Mercedes in the 200 block of southbound Kerby in the Farms.

cers, was taken into custody. A red and black Raleigh One stop nets mountain bike bore a Farms license. A silver and blue two arrests BMX model didn't have a license tag.

license plate number of the Pointe Farms man who Warren man when Grosse The 21-year-old Detroit May 26, at about 1 a.m., a getaway car, which was reg- thought he was having a dif- Pointe Farms police arrest- woman was riding in a Grosse Pointe Farms patrol- runs red light istered to a Woods resident ficult time getting into his on the 1300 block of South in the 1300 block of South Renaud.

The house sitter called illegal drugs on southbound illegal drugs on southboun

The man tested clean for the vehicle.

Ping golf clubs, a blue golf watching and photograph-A 29-year-old Dearborn bag and Kodak Easyshare in the man's Police were told the first Runs light The bad news: The driver man with a history of dridigital camera in the man's

refused to take a breath test of Berkshire in Grosse white car was seen taking tion. to determine his blood alco- Pointe Park when the man pictures of the daughter in

CLK320.

On Saturday, May 29, at 1 a.m., Grosse Pointe Farms police arrested a drunken While investigating an driver and a female passen-unoccupied green and beige for possession of a controlled

Officers detected an odor champagne and a flask in marijuana cigarettes in the

A search of her vehicle marijuana ash residue and an open 40-ounce bottle of

The man was wanted on a the couple had been smoking crack cocaine. Police found crack pipes in the woman's pants.

Officers found a set of police someone has been of the couple had been smoking crack cocaine. Police first block of Moran in Grosse Pointe Farms told police someone has been smoking and photograph.

A woman living in the first block of Moran in Grosse Pointe Farms told police someone has been watching and photograph.

incident occurred on On Tuesday, May 25, at Sunday, May 23. 1:13 a.m., Grosse Pointe A white male and female Farms police caught a 45were parked on the street in year-old Detroit man rolling a brown vehicle watching his 1995 Oldsmobile

hol level, but was adminis- suspected in the crime drove the family driveway on percent blood alcohol level. tered a blood test adminis- up in a freshly damaged, Wednesday, May 26.

An open bottle of beer was found between the front pas-

Checked out

man wearing a baseball cap On Monday, May 24, at reached over the checkout 3:37 p.m., a Grosse Pointe counter of a store on Mack Farms public safety officer near Moross and grabbed reportedly saw a 17-year-old approximately \$100 from City male discard a marijua-

in the alley.

Drug couple

boy, throw the soup at the Cara and get into a black Mustang at about 8:45 p.m.

The resident recorded the license plate number of the points Farms man when Grosse plate number of the points Farms man when Grosse Marran man when Grosse and a female passenger who was wanted in Wayne County on a \$500 warrant for felonious in the 100 block of assault.

Monday, May 31, became memorable for a 50-year-old warrant man when Grosse Marran ma Mack near Calvin with its sitting across the street by Grosse Pointe was seen dri-Lake St. Clair.

the cash register.

na cigarette while walking
The man ran westbound on Lothrup near Charlevoix. na cigarette while walking The officer found a bag of marijuana in the suspect's

ving her silver 2000 Jeep

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Relay For Life Pull-Out Section

Three candidates to run in school board election June 14

Staff Writer

Three candidates are running for two seats on the Grosse Pointe Public School
Board of Education: Ahmed Ismail, Angela Kennedy and incumbent Steve Matthews.

Dunlap.

Ismail resides in Grosse Pointe Woods with his wife amount of money, (and) unless we have that strategic plan, it's like steering a ship without a rudder," he said.

He also advocates having more town magings similar. incumbent Steve Matthews. serves on the Grosse Pointe more town meetings, similar They bring with them a wide Woods range of experience coupled Commission. with a passion for students Ismail is involved with election.

Ahmed Ismail

dates, Ismail is a product of needs children. the Grosse Pointe Public Ismail is very involved in Ismail thinks the econom-

Ahned Ismail is running for a seat on the school board for the second time.

Services for Older Citizens be. "They're not where they should be."

Solvices for Older Citizens be. "They're not where they board for the second time.

Pointe-based aid program need to be for us to keep our Unlike the other candi-

Planning to the meeting he recently held before the sinking fund

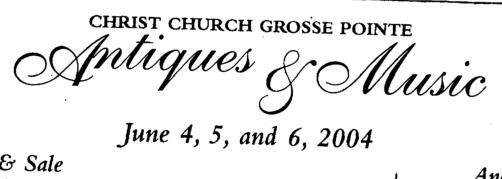
many charitable organiza- Ismail believes the MEAP tions in the community and is a major contributor to the high as where they should



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South science class first to tour Rouge plant in 25 years

By Chris Waldmeir Special Writer

Over the years, field trips have become a regular thing for students in Greg Heffner's science class at Grosse Pointe South High School. With the school year coming to an end, the final bus has been cleared out, and the final trip is now just a memory.

However, this class, comsenior students, got to do something different for their last trip of the year, something that had never been done before.

Their final tour was one of monumental proportions: the year that is my theme." they were invited to be the first group through the Ford Rouge Factory. The plant tour, which opened just a few weeks ago, is the first Ford plant to offer tours to the public in nearly 25

Heffner, a long time science teacher at the school, said, "I was very impressed with the job they did (at the Rouge plant). The responses that I got from the kids were very positive, and so I plan to make this an annual

event." Kyle Bruen, said, "I love field trips, and it's not only because we get out of school. I went on three this year, and they have definitely made an impact on me. I also think I learn more on field trips than I do in class watching movies or doing packets. It is definitely effec-

During the year Heffner tries to get his kids out of as possible because he believes that they learn was more out in the field than lot." they do in the classroom. Some of these outside activi-

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house, and even a trip to the Detroit Zoo.

"It's a wonderful world out there, and when I can get the kids out to see other parts of life, it broadens their perspective, and that's what life's about," Heffner

He added, "Everything posed of mostly juniors and has a niche; everything has a purpose here on earth, and it shouldn't be our purpose to kill it, mine it, alter it, cut together." it down, blow it up, poison it-pollute it, all the things that we do. So, throughout

> The tour started with two short videos, the first of which, outlined the history of Ford Motor Co., and the second, "The Art of Manufacturing," is a 360 degree film that takes the audience through the process of becoming a Ford

The tour then moved into the factory where visitors walked through the rafters and observed the vehicle assembly line.

Michelle Fikany said, Our trip out here wasn't all about how cars are made: it is more how Ford conserves energy (while producing the cars) that really ties in well with what we have learned in class. It's cool how the grass roof is in the Guinness Book of World Records."

what I thought it was going to be. I thought it would be a smelly, dirty, old factory," said Peter Hrtanek. He the school building as much added, "The movie that we watched about Henry Ford was really cool. I liked that a

"I had a wonderful time," said Meredith Scheiwe; "I and surveying, water quali-ty testing in Lake St. Clair, the people worked, and see-

a tour of the Macomb ing what they were doing County medical examiner's and how it all works on an office, a trip to a slaughter assembly line. It was surprising to see how clean it was. I had no idea; I did not expect that."

Bruen said, "The thing that interested me the most was how it was a lot more manual labor than I thought. I expected to see mostly machines and robots doing everything, but it was pretty much all humans. I thought it was pretty cool that a real person put it

Bruen added, "I think it's cool that we are lucky enough to have that plant so close and able to see it. I think everyone should take advantage of it and go check it out."

The school seems to have different goals for the science department, goals that must be reached by including a textbook in the class-

"I'm not a book person and I never have been. As a matter of fact this is the first year that we have ever had an environmental science book, and it was not my choice to have it. Books are expensive, and we weren't going to make that an expense for the school if we aren't going to use them, but I have been instructed (by the school) that, yes, we will use it because we spent so much money on it," Heffner "It was completely not said, "The kids haven't been really happy about that. I like to think that we stay a lot more current than text books do.'

"I wouldn't mind getting more field trips. Sometimes the administrators raise their eyebrows, but most of them (field trips) are no ties include: Tree planting definitely enjoyed walking busses so as long as the kids expenses other than the are willing to go, I'm willing to take them," said Heffner.



Grosse Pointe South High School students, Michelle Fikany, Vinnie Panizzi, Jill Girodat, and Ben Beutel-Gunz take a break after touring the Ford Rouge Plant, which opened it's doors to the public in May.

North, South Latin students excel in studies of the classics

Latin students instructed by David Smith at Grosse Pointe North and Grosse Pointe South high schools performed in an excellent fashion at this year's Michigan Junior Classical League Spring Convention held on March 19 and 20 at Calvin College in Grand Rapids. In addition to individual efforts, the clubs were awarded third place school spirit.

From North:

Kyle Bird: Latin III, Latin Club President: first place Latin Quiz Bowl, first place in Roman history and culgrammar, second place in Latin vocabulary, third place in Latin derivatives and elected to MJCL state Registration committee and board as Parliamentarian.

Tawney Fuhrmann: Latin Bowl and third place in

derivatives.

Robert Ingalls: Latin II: School Spirit Team. first place Latin Quiz Bowl, second place Latin grammar, second place in Roman third place Latin mythology. history and culture and first place in Latin vocabulary. From South:

Robert Arcand: Latin III;

ing delegate

Robert Batten: Latin II: first place in Roman culture. Jennifer Bradley: Latin I: School Spirit Team.

Appointed State Historian and voting delegate.

Rachel Dombi: Latin II: first place classical costume contest for her portrayal of Camilla.

overall in the state for III: reelected to the MJCL state board as treasurer and director of registration for Paul C. Thomas: Latin III: the convention.

Alex Garbarino: Latin III: South Latin Club President, first place Latin Quiz Bowl, first placê ture, first place in Latin Derivatives, second place Latin Mythology and candidate for state president. Carlin Hauck: Latin III:

candidate for secretary. Alexander Jendrusina:

II: first place Latin Quiz Latin II: School Spirit Team and quiz bowl.

Jane Kellett: Latin I:

Maureen Kellett: Latin III: School Spirit Team and Annie Krueger: Latin I: third place Latin deriva-

Joann Matthews: Latin School Spirit Team and vot- III: School Spirit Team.

Katherine Parker: Latin I: first place Latin mythology, second place Latin derivatives and voting delegate.
Alexandra Ploechl: Latin

Andrew Dixon: Latin III: I: second place Latin culture, first place vocabulary and second place grammar. Emily Richardson-Rossbach: Latin III: School

Spirit Team. Duncan Spangler: Latin Caroline Dowers: Latin III: School Spirit Team. George Tecos: Latin I:

Elected to MJCL state board as vice president.

Alice Walker: Latin I: third place Latin mythology. Alexander Weiner: Latin II: School Spirit Team.

South blood drive

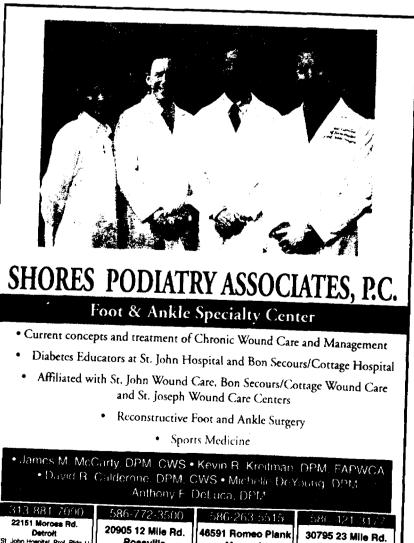
The Grosse Pointe South Class of 2005 is sponsoring a blood drive on Sunday, June 6, from 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at Grosse Pointe Methodist Church, on Moross west of Kercheval. Blood stem cells are needed to help people with diseases such as leukemia. For further information, call Debra Mitchelson at (313) 640-2012.



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Norman Dueweke ends his HW tenure

By Jennie Miller Staff Writer

Norman Dueweke looked outside his classroom window at the tree he knows all too well.

"That tree was planted the year I started working here," he said of his 38 years as an English teacher at Harper Woods High School. He also noticed that the

tree is starting to die.

I think it's a symbol that I'd better go," he laughed.
And so, the famed teacher who dubs himself a "traditionalist," has decided to join the replacement. join the ranks of retirement.

"I'm 62 years old," he said. "It isn't that I can't do the job anymore, but I think it's time I move on. I'd hate to have them carry me out of here on my desk. I think I'll quit while I'm still healthy and active.

But quitting isn't the word most would use to describe Dueweke's decision. After 38 and a half years in the district, the Harper Woods native has given his all to the English curriculum.

"He has been a fixture for so many years; through at least two generations of students," said Harper Woods School Board president Don Lusch. "His presence here will surely be missed."

His legacy within the community goes back long before Harper Woods even existed on a map.

I go way back to 1947, before it was even a city," he said, remembering attendkindergarten Elementary Eastwood School in what was then called Gratiot Township. Four years later, the city of

Harper Woods was formed, and the rest is history. "It has been very good to work with the people I grew up with," he said of the close relationship he has with the

staff and parents. "Being a part of the community and teaching within the community have been very nice."

Although he now lives in

"I have connections here; there's so much history here for me," he said.

After earning his bachelor's degree from Wayne State University in 1965, Dueweke was hired in the Harper Woods School Harper Woods School District the same day he applied for the job. He has taught English in some form or another for all those years. He even dedicated ten years to developing a journalism department at the school, which later was eliminated due to budget constraints. But through it all, Dueweke has maintained his steadfast dedication to the craft and to his students.

English has always been the subject in which he found his passion; however, he once considered teaching

physics.
"I've always like to write, and I enjoy reading immensely," Dueweke said. "And I knew I wanted a career in which I worked with people. A lot of people in my family were teachers, and so it just kind of fell into

He fit right into the field and into Harper Woods as well. He enjoyed those first few years so much that he never left the hallways of the district, happy to find a home within a small school.

The students are great; the staff is nice, and the administrators gave me the freedom to teach what I wanted," he said of a career one would find few complaints. "You really get to know people here and become a family. That is very nice to have in a job; it becomes more personal.
That is the major reason
why I've stuck it out over the

He has also maintained his traditional style of teaching. Dueweke said he sticks to the book and keeps lectures at a minimum. He enjoys reading Hamlet and Macomb Township, MacBeth every year with his Dueweke still considers class of seniors studying

Shakespeare, and he relishes his American Literature classes when they role-play the scenes of American plays like "Our Town."

Upon hearing of his impending retirement, Dueweke's former students have been turning up to say goodbye to their old teacher, and let him know how much of an impact he had on Even a student Dueweke says caused him a lot of trouble, returned to give advice to his current students.

"I dismissed this boy five times — I've never done that before — but he came back and gave my class a 15 minute talk about how they should behave themselves. he said, pleased to see success in his students. "He told them that anything is possible as long as they stick to their dreams, and I thought that was really nice.

But even in retirement, Dueweke will still have an impact on students as he continues to teach composition courses at Macomb Community College, which he has been doing since 1988. Prior to that, he had been teaching at the Detroit College of Business since 1973.

"I'm going to keep going until my pistons wear out, he said.

Dueweke will also have more time to spend with his wife, his daughter, and their three cats. "I still have things to do,

like putzing around the house," he said, not to mention the novels he is writing.

"I have already written one novel that I'm trying to sell, and I'm in the middle of another one."

So it seems that at 62, Duewake isn't hanging up his hat altogether. He still has plenty of life left to live.

Perhaps when he looks out his classroom window for that last time, he should stop and notice that there are some greeen leaves still lingering on that tree's weakened branches.



Congresswoman talks on war costs

Mary Read, of Grosse Pointe Park, a founder of Pointes for Peace, thanks U.S. Rep. Carolyn Cheeks Kilpatrick, D-Detroit, following the congress-woman's presentation to about 100 area residents at a May 24 town hall meeting on "The Economic and Social Costs of War" at the Albanian Islamic Center in Harper Woods. Kilpatrick urged attendees to exercise their right to vote and to contact elected officials at all levels of government about issues that matter to them. "We still live in the greatest country in the world," she said.

For its final educational event this spring, Pointes for Peace will host an Interfaith Forum of regional faith leaders Monday, June 7, at 7:30 p.m. at the Grosse Pointe Unitarian Church, 17150 Maumee in Grosse Pointe. Moderated by Steve Spreitzer, interfaith coordinator of the National Conference for Community and Justice - Michigan Region, the program will feature panelists from Christian, Jewish, Muslim, Buddhist and Baha'l faiths to dis-

cuss their respective religions' positions on war and peace
Pointes for Peace is a community-based group of eastsiders and others who are committed to educating for conflict resolution and other strategies to work for peace on local, national and international levels. Membership is free. All are welcome at Pointes for Peace weekly gatherings Sundays at 7 p.m. at the corner of Kercheval and St. Clair in the Village business district in the City of Grosse Pointe.

For more information or to be added to the Pointes for Peace mailing list, call Carol Bendure at (313) 882-7732 or Mary Read at (313) 822-2702, or email pointesforpeace@yahoo.com.

ops. From Page 24A Purse

snatched

30, at 8 p.m. in the 19200 block of Harper, a Harper Woods woman approached by two males, one of whom grabbed her purse. Both men ran off as police were called. One, a 17 year-old male, was found traveling eastbound on Bournemouth toward Tyrone and was promptly arrested. He said he didn't know where the other subject was, although the woman was later notified her credit cards were used at the BP and Marathon near Ashland on Jefferson in Detroit. Harper Woods police are working with Grosse Pointe Park police to

Bike theft

A black and blue Huffy bike was stolen from the unlocked garage of the 19944 block of Woodland. The theft could have occurred within the last month, the homeowner said.

obtain video surveillance

tapes of the transactions.

While a boy was playing on the playscape in a school in the 20600 block of Lennon on Sunday, May 30, at 4:30 p.m., his bicycle was stolen. He witnessed the perpetraor ride the bike over the oot bridge on Harper.

Auto larceny

A CD player was stolen rom a black 2003 Chevy ick-up truck on Monday, May 17, between 12:10 and a.m. The car was parked nd left unlocked in the 8800 block of Woodcrest.

valued at \$1,200 were stolen from an open garage in the 20300 block of Anita on While loading groceries Monday, May 17, between 4 and 5:30 p.m.

> A CD player was stolen from a dark blue 1992 Chevrolet Lumina on Wednesday, May 26, from the 21200 block of Norwood. The driver's side door lock was punched.

Reckless driving, accident

23-year-old Harper Woods male was arrested for reckless driving, property damage, and leaving the scene of an accident on Monday, May 17, at 6:09 p.m. in the 20500 block of

The man, driving a 2000 dark green Jeep Cherokee, was reportedly backing out of a driveway at a high rate of speed when he lost control and hit a tree. He then proceeded to spin the tires of the Jeep and flee the scene, again at a high rate of speed.

Auto theft

A black 1996 Chevrolet Caprice was stolen from the 19200 block of Rockcastle on Tuesday, May 18, between 8:30 p.m. and 4:40 a.m.

A Herper Woods resident had only parked his 2000 Jeep Cherokee five minutes before, but it was stolen from a driveway in the 20300 block of Roscommon on Sunday, May 30, at 8:30 a.m. A neighbor witnessed a black Chrysler pull up next to the Cherokee. Two males

and children were seated A set of Ping golf clubs inside. One of the subjects exited the Chrysler and drove off in the Cherokee.

auto theft

A Detroit man saw the red minivan flee the scene after breaking into his 2000 Crown Victoria in the 19800 block of Kelly on Tuesday, May 18, at 8:17 p.m.

His driver's side window was broken, and the radio, a purse, jacket and \$500 in cash was stolen from the car.

Larceny

Money to purchase a prom dress was stolen out of the hands of a 16-year-old girl in the 18000 block of Vernier on Saturday, May 22, at 8:50 p.m. A man between the ages of 30 and 40 snatched a \$100 bill from a girl who was paying for her dress.

Bleachers stolen

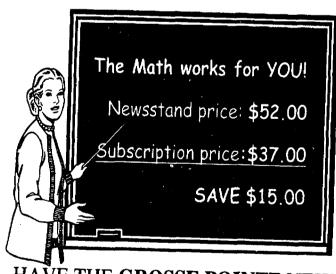
Two 15-foot long aluminum bleachers stolen from a baseball diamond in the 20200 block of Beaconsfield Friday, May 21 at 3:30 p.m. and Saturday, May 22 at

Recovered vehicle

A 2002 Chrysler Concorde reported stolen out of Detroit early on Saturday, May 30, was discovered later that day parked in the 20000 block of Elkhart. It had a punched door lock and ignition column.

– Jennie Miller

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School board names Hedemark as trustee

By Jennie Miller Staff Writer

Sue Hedemark wants to help unify the Harper Woods School District, and to address the needs of every student in its diverse population. She understands the financial constraints that will face schools over the next several years, and she demands that the district establish some form of accountability.

For these reasons and many more, Hedemark was selected to join the school board as a trustee and replace resigning member Claudia Mahon, who vacated the position in April.

Hedemark was one of three quality candidates for the position, each of whom gathered before the board for a public interview session on Thursday, May 27.

A former teacher and mother of three daughters under the age of 10, Hedemark is already committed to education in the district.

"I want the same for the

as her motive for seeking a term on the school board. "I am in the school every day. I represent different viewpoints as a former teacher and now as a parent. I believe I can really help the board to know what's going on in the community.'

Valerie Biro and Susan Dunn Ciechanowski were also seeking a position on the school board. All three were commended for their effort, interest, and credentials. Board members posed seven questions to each of the candidates, who took turns responding. School board president Dan Lusch first asked what the candidates saw as the major issues facing the district. All recognized the financial crises that all schools are facing and the need to better communicate with the com-

"All school districts are facing pretty challenging Hedemark said. issues,' "There are a lot more demands on the schools. We



Harper Woods Board of Education appointed its newest trustee, Sue Hedemark, during a special

meeting on Thursday, May 27. money we have. We need to the first hurdle."

help the community under-Hedemark also demanded rest of the kids that I would can only do with what stand the cuts. That will be accountability, which has

trators following the rejection of two bond issues for capitol improvements and the looming infractions from the Office of Civil Rights.

"We're all good at pointing the finger, but we have to take responsibility," she said, adding that communication is vital if the board expects residents to consider a third bond issue with a lower price tag. "I refuse to believe that everyone in this community voted having all the information. We need to work at that harder."

Hedemark also stressed the importance of the school board operating as a team with more involvement in the schools.
"We should, as a team,

know what is going on in every building," she said, something she can already bring to the board. "We all have a job to try to make the best decisions possible. I think it's crucial that we make ourselves a team player. We represent our commuagendas. When you sit on that board and you make decisions on behalf of the kids, you are representing

the community." Hedemark was selected to fill the vacant seat following a silent ballot. She was immediately sworn in and accepted a seat at the table to participate in the remain-

der of the meeting.

Mahon, who retired for personal reasons after several years of dedication to the district, was present for the entire interview process. She addressed the board and candidates, thanking each one for their own commitment and noted how lucky the district was to have such a high caliber of

applicants.
"I would have chosen any

one of you," she said. Dunn-Ciechanowski is an attorney with a private practice in Grosse Pointe Park and has two children in the Harper Woods School District. Biro has six children, three of whom are alumni of the school district, nity. We don't have our own and three of whom are currently enrolled.



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Dancing for 20 fun-filled years

Through the Harper Woods Parks and Recreation Department, the dance program celebrated its 20th anniversary last month with its annual spring recital.

Pictured above are the three and four-year-olds in the program's creative movement class, including Leyton Pesegna, Erin Morris, Sarah Charbon-neau, , Cassidy Gontko, Maria Harbin, Taryn Moesle, Holland McClinton, Marissa Scott and Carla Voigt.

POLICE AND FIRE REPORTS

Felonious assault

After pulling a screwdriver on a couple landscapers in the 19800 block of Arthur, a Detroit male was arrested by Harper Woods Police on Tuesday, May 18, at 1 p.m.

The man, a 50-year-old with a record for disorderly conduct, approached two 22year-old males who were working on a house. He asked if he could help them work for money to buy food. After the boys declined, the man became irate and verbally abusive, and pulled a screwdriver from his pocket. He walked towards one of the workers, pointing the screwdriver at him, saying,

"Go ahead, call the cops. I ain't afraid.

Harper Woods Police were called and the man was arrested.

Car damaged, woman assaulted

A Eastpointe woman noticed the green Pontiac Grand Am next to her when she parked her own car in a parking lot of the 18000 block of Vernier on Friday, May 21, at 8:30 p.m.

But it wasn't until she retugned to her car that she knew semething was suspi-cious. She heard a loud pop and saw an unidentified man jump up from her vehicle and quickly enter the Grand Am. She yelled for the man to stop as she ran towards his car. But he backed up into her legs, yelling for her to get out of the way. Witnesses said he did this several times before fleeing the scene, but the woman wasn't seriously hurt. Harper Woods Police caught up with the 24-yearold Detroit male, who was immediately arrested.

OWI, false identification

A concerned citizen noti-fied Harper Woods police officers as she drove behind a woman she suspected of drunken driving on Harper

at 8 Mile on Friday, May 28. Police observed the driver of a white 2000 Oldsmobile Bravada crossing over the center line without a signal. After stopping at a traffic signal, the driver did not respond when the light turned green. Police officers approached the vehicle and found the driver, a 33-year-old St. Clair Shores resident, passed out with her foot on the brake pedal.

After turning off the vehicle, the woman got out of the car and immediately began staggering. Police noted that she reeked of intoxicants although she said she hadn't been drinking. She gave a false name and birth date before failing three field sobriety tests and demonstrating a .08 on a preliminary breath test.

The woman was arrested and taken to St. John Hospital for blood work, and the vehicle was impounded.

Weapon possession

After flashing a pellet gun at an individual in a parking lot in the 18000 block of Vernier on Friday, May 28. at 6:40 p.m., a 14-year-old Detroit boy was arrested by Harper Woods Police.

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to help smooth out the process in a responsible and open way all while maintaining high academic standards and excellent programming. She believes she has the educational and professional background to help deal with budget woes.

Kennedy thinks MEAP scores are comparable to other similar districts, with improvement needed in the social studies area. She is confident teachers like Barb Davis, who was named the Michigan Social Studies Teacher of the Year, can

Kennedy sees the economic outlook for the district to be problematic.

"The real question is how can the school district maximize the current tax revenue," she said.

She thinks there are many ways to raise more money for the district such as naming capital projects after people and soliciting corporations to give money to the district. She points to Ford's contribution to The Grosse Pointe Academy's Action Auction as an example of how corporations can

Kennedy believes that the passage of the \$62.9 million dollar bond was a generous commitment to the schools by the public. Projects like the South swimming pool and roof replacements are worthy in her opinion.

She sees some projects as dubious like the temporary parking lot at South as well as the proposed Brownell outbuilding. She thinks the details of the bond projects need to be disseminated in a more clear and understandable fashion.

Kennedy thinks board members should be focused on overseeing the administration.

"You try to have excellent employees. You use your

best professional judgement," she said.

Kennedy believes would be an able and productive board member. Her work experience and schooling as well as her involvement in the district makes her a candidate who would contribute a lot if elected, she said.

"I know how schools work. I am very committed to the community," she said.

Kennedy is endorsed by Jeff Broderick, Cheryl Costantino, Joan Dindoffer, Rep. Ed Gaffney (R-Grosse Pointe) Palmer Heenan, Joseph Jennings, Samuel A. Nouhan, Robert Novitke, Joan Richardson, Andrew Richner, James E. Robson, Doug Roby, Dale N. Scrace, Stephen Sholty, John Stephen John Stempfle, Mary Ellen Stempfle, G. John Stevens, Ellen Shores trustee Linda Walton and Jean Weipert.

Steve Matthews

Steve Matthews has been on the board for two terms for the past six years. He is running for a third term. He is married to wife Jan and has three sons: Tyler, 22, Zach, 17, at North, and Jake, 15, also at North.

He grew up in New Mexico and earned a bachelor's degree in comparative religion from the University of Washington, a master's in education from Texas Tech University and a doctorate, also in education, from Wayne State University. He has lived in Harper Woods since 1992.

Matthews is the current director of curriculum and staff development for the Troy school district, one of the highest performing dis-tricts in the state. He is also soon to be a career and technical education director.

Matthews has been an enthusiastic contributor to both the school district and the community. He was a treasurer of the PTO at

member of the technology committee for the district as well as a member of the high school future study committee. As a board member, he was part of the bond oversight committee.

He was a past member of the library board and has been involved with both Little League and the Red Barons.

Matthews is pleased that Grosse Pointe has performed well on the MEAP, ranking in the top 10 per-cent in the state. He thinks there are glowing successes as well as areas that are ripe for improvement. Certain schools need to work on certain areas.

One issue that needs to be tackled is how to prepare students moving into the district who have not been prepared as well as other students.

"We need to look at our teaching strategies to make sure they're effective," he

Ultimately, he feels MEAP scores are just one piece of the puzzle in determining how students can become successful adults.

Matthews wants to complete a third term in order to see through current problems the board is working on, like the budget process. He also wants to be part of the school community that nurtures his children.

"I find this is a way for me to keep in touch with things going on," he said.

Matthews thinks the economic outlook for the district is unsteady. He believes Proposal A is good in the sense that it reduced the overall tax burden families have to bear, but he would like it to be based on a more stable source of funding than the sales tax. The volatility of the sales tax makes budgeting difficult. Also, he would like to see an inflationary factor added into the hold harmless mill-

Matthews sees the bond Marie Brennan, Jeff and

Poupard Elementary, a and sinking fund as good ways to raise money, allowing for much-needed projects to move forward. Other ways the district can increase revenue in his opinion are through a foundation, booster clubs, naming rights to projects and alumni gifts.

The bond oversight committee on the board is essential to make sure projects fit within the budget, in his

Matthews thinks the responsibilities of board members are two-fold: one, to serve as a policy maker to empower staff and to guide the district on a productive path. Second, board members have a fiduciary role to make sure money coming into the district is spent in a responsible fashion.

Matthews believes he should serve a third term because he has been very involved in and cares about the community. His professional background posits him to contribute to important curriculum discussions. He also sees himself as a listener who can absorb concerns and set the district on the right road.

"I don't believe I am a person who has all the answers, but I'm willing to learn and as a result, make good choices. I am a consensus builder," he said. "We have a great district, and I want to continue to build on that strong foundation.'

Matthews is endorsed by Harvey Weaver, Mart Weaver, Russ Chavey, Alice Kosinski, Peggy and Vic Ptasznick, Christina Ptasznick, Christina Winder, Bill and Debbie Carmody, Joan and Fred Dindoffer, Sandra Lowden, Steve Lowden, Stuart Stuart Pettitt, Debbie Pettitt, Jack and Elaine Ryan, Brett Marshall, Jan and Tom McGraw, Jon and Linda Walton, Patrick Arsenault, Diane Arsenault, Gary L. Bennett, Teresa Bennett, Jane Bertelsen,

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G.P. City adds PUD option to zoning

City of Grosse Pointe officials have added a new component to the zoning process they said will improve handling proposed develop-ments that don't fit established guidelines

"It gives flexibility for coming up with what's best Mayor Dale Scrace.

Changes involved the city unit development, or PUD, nance. as part of the zoning ordinance.
A PUD could come in

handy when discussing developments in the Village shopping district.

'It's a standard tool," said Mike Overton, city manager. We've been talking about it for a long time."

PUDs lie between the zoning ordinance and master plan.

vision of what you want to achieve," said John Jackson, vice president of the City's consultants, Associates of

Novi. "A PUD is how you ing zoning ordinance," achieve it. The PUD is a zon- Jackson said. "In other ing ordinance in terms of how you achieve it from a sets the minimum standards zoning standpoint. If someone comes in and wants to do a mixed-use project downtown, this would allow you to do it.'

Jackson said a PUD could apply when somebody wants for the common good," said to do a creative mixed-use development that is consistent with the master plan council's adopting a planned but not the zoning ordi-

> "The worst project you get from a PUD will be better The than what you could get from the underlying zoning," said Jackson. "That's the

By designating a proposed development a PUD, city planners could go beyond zoning ordinances to achieve more control over site plans. Factors include the development's effect on density, "The master plan is your open space, landscaping, big picture blueprint, the parking and how the project open space, landscaping, would impact utilities and traffic volume.

"It is to encourage higher quality development than we can get under our exist-

words, our zoning ordinance required. The PUD can encourage people to do bet-ter projects. Setbacks, building heights, density, signage and things like that can be modified to get a better proiect in the long run.'

Establishing requires a five-step process beginning with a preapplication meeting to determine if the project has enough

The process includes meetings of the planning commission, a public hearing and site plan review.

The most important part of this process is the public hearing," Jackson said. "The public will come and hear what deviation from the zoning ordinance may be requested?

He added, "You would be looking for something consistent with the principles, goals and objectives of the master plan in terms of an improved physical environment and better range of



Judges against drunk driving

Judge James Chylinski walked John Glenn High School student Meghan Ramsey down the runway at Westland Shopping Center recently as part of the "Get Dressed Up Not Messed Up" prom fash-ion show to promote a safe prom and gradua-tion season alcoholfree. The April 24 event was hosted by the Southeast Michigan Community Alliance and Mothers Against Drunk Driving

Escorts taking part, included, above from left, Judge Richard Hammer, 21st District Court; Judge Anthony Guerriero, 24th District Court; and Timothy Kenny and Chylinski, Third Circuit Court.



From page 11A

is actually about halfway I-75 and Indianapolis. It is not a hotbed of college-age social activity.

In any event, Reid thrived at the 1,138-student school, had some great learning experiences, got a good liberal arts education and graduated in 2003 with a degree in politics.

What do you do in 2003 in a tough job market with a liberal arts degree from a tiny Midwest Quaker institution that not one in 10 folks has ever heard of? Well, Reid had always had it in mind that he would like to get involved is making the world a better place to live. He is interested in issues.

So he figuratively tucked his diploma into his duffel and headed to Washington, D.C., world capital of folks who want to improve the world. And what kind of job did he get?

He found a job with the kind of people who had similar interests in bettering life for those less fortunate tor." The title is a fancy telephone answerer, receptionist and supply clerk. Not much of a spot from which to place a lever and move the globe.

But Reid didn't sulk because he was a highly educated gopher. He educated gopher. He embraced his lowly, but necessary job and decided to have fun in it. Here is a series of e-mail messages he sent to get supply orders in a timely manner and a regular package off to the Pediatric Aids offices in Santa Monica, Calif.
Nov. 19, 2003 — Supplies

and Philosophy

"As the molten ball of magma began to cool, life took hold. First it was small and uncomplicated, in the form of single-celled organisms. Then came the time of dinosaurs that dominated the landscape due to their superior evolutionary adaptation of great size. Then came mammals and with them Man. Man had a new trait that would soon help to transform the world to his will. The use of tools. Stone was used to slice animal skins; bones were made into daggers, and clips were utilized to bind paper.

So in the interests of continuity, a connection with our roots and synergy with the flow of time, please submit all office supply requests to me by 2 p.m.

"We are all just sand in the hour glass. - Tempus Fugit."

Dec. 10, 2003 - Supplies and Santa Monica Package

"The holiday season is once again upon us, and as we all settle down to enjoy the merriment and cheer please remember the global conspiracy that we are supporting. The USSR might have fallen, but the propaganda machine that they started still churns on. Just think of the benevolent redsuited patriarch (Stalin anyone?) who forces his way into your homes once a year. As this central authority dictates both the distribution and contents of what we receive, his belly (bureaucracy) grows ever larger on the cookies over which we labored. We forgive the lack of choice and transparency, though, in hopes of some day reaching the proletariat utopia of equality that is Santa's workshop, a workshop we will never see due to the racial exclusionism of this all-elf protectorate. So open your eyes and don't let the man Ho, Ho, Hold you

make this the final supply order of the year; so please plan ahead and have all your requests to me by 3:30 p.m. I would appreciate anything you need shipped to Santa Monica at the same time please.

"A man who doesn't stand for something will fall for and Santa Monica anything." Peter

Jan. 07, 2004 — Supplies and Santa Monica

"Pens, Paper, Tacks, Clips "Acquisition of your needs "All things office and work Communication

"Through our words we create hope

"Letter flies west today. "Just a little haiku for the New Year. Please have all supplies, orders and contents for the Santa Monica Package to me by 3. Thanks.

"Science is organized knowledge. Wisdom is organized life." — Immanuel

Jan. 14, 2004 - Supplies and Santa Monica

What light upon vonder window breaks?

"Is it true hope's eye beaming with the promise of a new day,

"The radiance of cardinal life and experience, expectation of the road not traveled.

"Or perhaps it is the smoldering fire of unrequited love.

consumes the heart in phone at (313) 882-2810.

its quest for vengeance. "Alas no, This is the cold flash of winter's dawn on

hardened steel "Wretched grief as the day's first blush glints off your last paperclip. "Do not despair supplies

day is here. "Please have all supplies orders to me by 3 in e-mail

"Great thanks."

Jan. 21, 2004 — Supplies and Santa Monica

"Hear ye, Hear ye, "Due to a change in our ordering system, I am going to need all supplies requests by 12:30. Any requests that come in after that time will not be met until next week. I assure you that I can meet all of your office needs, whether they be paperclips, pencils, a hot cup of fat or the head of Anando Garcia, but they must be submitted to me by 12:30. I would also greatly appreciate if you could try to project what you might need for the next week as I have had to make down any more. Coming in many trips to Staples this April: Clandestine links week, and the clerk thinks at the Elizabeth Glaser
Pediatric AIDS Foundation
and the Illuminati.

April.

Claimestife
Bunny that I am courting her (a lovely girl but my heart By the way I am trying to belongs to the Ocean).
ake this the final supply Thank you for all of your cooperation and loving care

"I like pigs. Dogs look up to us. Cats look down on us. Pigs treat us as equals." Sir Winston Churchill.

Jan. 28, 2004 - Supplies

"Rejoice with trumpets and dancing; it is yet again that fabled time that comes but once every seven moons. A festival of the Earth's bounty and all it can supply us, as well as an occasion to commune with those members of our kibbutz who inhabit the distant land of the setting sun. It is, however, a transient epoch that will be extinguished at third tolling of the bell; so please

A.k.a: Please have all supplies requests and contents for the Santa Monica package to me by 3 p.m. Thank you. Reid Miller Creedon.

impart your material yearn-

ings before then.

Shortly thereafter the bosses at the Elizabeth Glaser Pediatric AIDS Foundation gave Reid a new title and new responsibilities. He is now a development associate and carries a brief case when he comes home to Grosse Pointe.

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in county commission race

By Bonnie Caprara Staff Writer

Wayne County Commissioner Christopher Cavanagh is expecting some competition in the chance to run for a third term in this year's general election.

Tim Killeen of Detroit, have filed as a Democratic candidate for the County Commission's First District

Killeen, the son of former County Clerk James Killeen, is a science teacher at Detroit's Denby High

bility in the community," Killeen said.

Cavanagh faces Dem opponent

budget oversight, environmental issues and county mental health needs as being high on his list of priorities.

Cavanagh said he didn't know much about his opponent and said he would "just push full steam ahead" in the upcoming race.

"After four years, there are things I'm able to get Harper done I wouldn't have been "There needs to be more able to do as a freshman Constantino in the communication with the candidate," Cavanagh said. November general election.

constituents and more visi- "There's a lot of work that still needs to get done. I want to make sure the tax Killeen also mentioned rates are lowered in the Pointes.

> Cavanagh, a Grosse Pointe Woods resident, has served as chair of the economic development committee and is vice chair of the ways and means committee.

The winner of the Democratic race in the August primary election will face Republican candidate Woods Councilwoman

Liability for skiing accidents

Michigan's most popular winter sports. We are blessed with numerous ski resorts throughout our great state. With so many people hitting the slopes, there are bound to be injuries.

Many injuries are due to falls occurring because of a lack of skill, or lack of courtesy by and between skiers. However, who is responsible if a skier is injured after crashing into an unnatural object placed on or about the ski slope by the resort? Is the ski resort liable for any injuries resulting from such a crash'?

The Michigan Supreme Court recently answered that question in Anderson vs. Pine Knob Ski Resort.

On January 5, 1999, Robert Anderson was participating with his high school ski team in an interscholastic giant slalom competition at Pine Knob Ski Resort in southeast Michigan. Toward the end of his second run, he "caught an edge," consequently lost his balance, and crashed into a timing shack located past the finish line. Anderson, who suffered numerous bodily injuries,

sued the ski resort. Pine Knob argued that the case should be dismissed because it was immune from suit under the Michigan Ski Area Safety Act (SASA). Pine Knob argued that skiers have the responsibility to ski under control and are deemed to have accepted the risk resulting from unnatural hazards located placement at the end of the skier enjoying the slopes.

It's in

Your COURT



By Brian K. Zahra and Christopher M. Murray

Judges of the Michigan Court of Appeals

on ski slopes that are "obvious and necessary. The trial court disagreed,

ruling that Pine Knob did not have immunity under the SASA and the Court of Appeals affirmed that deci-

The Supreme reversed, concluding that the timing shack was the type of unnatural hazard that was inherent in the sport. In reaching its decision, the Court reviewed the illustrative list of examples of unnatural hazards set forth in the SASA that are inherent in the sport, which included ski lift towers and their components, other skiers, or "properly marked or plainly visible snowmaking or snow grooming equip-

The Court observed that all of these objects inhere in the sport of skiing and are obvious to a skier and necessary to the sport.

Because timing is necessary for ski racing, and a shack is necessary to protect the timing equipment from the elements, the timing shack was a necessary danger on the ski hill.

There was also no dispute amongst the parties that the shack was obvious in its

ski run. As a result of this analysis, the Court concluded that the Legislature, in enacting the SASA, granted Pine Knob immunity from liability for plaintiff's injuries resulting from the collision with the timing shack.

The Court also rejected Anderson's argument that the timing shack was larger and more unforgiving than needed. The SASA did not allow for such considerations, the Court concluded. because the SASA only stated that hazards that were either unnecessary or not obvious would subject a ski operator to liability

This case was decided by a 4-3 vote.

Two lessons come from Anderson:

First, courts must focus their decision-making on the language of the statute, in this case the legislatively provided examples of unnatural hazards and the words "necessary" and "obvious."

Second, as a result of the SASA, a ski operator is not liable for those injuries occurring from a collision with objects that are necessary to the enjoyment of ski slopes and obvious to the

Memorial Day reminds Americans of sacrifices

By Jennie Miller Staff Writer

"Forty-one million soldiers served the cause of freedom during the course of our history. One million of those soldiers died," said Harper Woods Mayor Ken Poynter. "America is proud to remember."

This year's Memorial Day Service at Veteran's Memorial Park in Harper Woods was a somber and retrospective occasion. It served as a chance for those in attendance to take a step back and thank those fallen soldiers who gave their lives for the freedom we as Americans enjoy today. It gave the opportunity to mourn and

rejoice the supreme sacrifices made throughout our nation's history. And in addition, it allowed for silent prayer for those still fight-

America as a society has so much to be grateful for," said Wayne County Commissioner Chris Cavanaugh, D-Detroit, who reminded Harper Woods residents not to take our freedoms for granted. "This is truly the land of the free and the home of the brave."

The Memorial Day service has been a long tradition in Harper Woods. The holiday itself has been an even longer tradition in this

Branch Berger

Photo by Jennie Miller

Many Harper Woods residents came out to salute fallen soldiers during the city's annual Memorial Day service on Monday. May 31, which was held at Veteran's Memorial Park.

Cavanaugh spoke of its history, first dubbed "Decoration Day," and only honoring those who fell dur-ing the Civil War. After World War II, the holiday was expanded to recognize all American soldiers who had given their lives in battle.

"We continue that tradition today," Poynter said, acknowledging this as the 136th Memorial

State Rep. Edward Gaffney, R-Grosse Pointe Woods, roused the crowd by encouraging remembrance.

"This day belongs to our fallen soldiers — not of one war but of all wars," he said. "Our nation's histo-ry is marked by war ... from the Revolutionary War to the current heartwrenching struggle in Iraq."

Gaffney also placed heavy emphasis on recognizing the 1.4 million veterans of World War II who are still living today, but are quickly passing on.

"We are losing 1,100 per day," he said with sadness. "They truly are the 'greatest generation.' Many of them are among the founding fathers of the City of Harper Woods. If you know a World War II vet, say thank you to them."

Each speaker pleaded with those listening to cherish national unity in our current time of war, regardless of political opinion.

The ties which bind us together are stronger than those which tear us apart," Cavanaugh said.

"The prize we must pay for peace — it comes with great burden," added Poynter. "(While honoring) the fallen patriots of the past, we must be inspired to equally acknowledge the heroes of today and not let our political opinions get in the way.'

Gaffney sent a message of 'godspeed' to those serving overseas. "Brave Americans have answered the call to freedom for "It is the veteran, not the preacher, who has given us freedom of religion. "It is the veteran, not the reporter, who has given us freedom of the press. "It is the veteran, not the poet, who has given us freedom of speech.

"It is the veteran, not the campus organizer, who has given us freedom to assemble. "It is the veteran, not the lawyer, who has given us the right to a fair trial. "It is the veteran, not the politician, who has

given us the right to vote. "It is the veteran, who salutes the Flag, who serves under the Flag, whose coffin is

draped by the Flag.'

– Mayor Ken Povnter during Harper Woods' Memorial Day service

over 200 years, and they will continue to do so," he said, adding special recognition to the country's police and fire departments, EMS units and first responders.

Each speaker also cited great thinkers and leaders as inspiration to their words. Cavanaugh quoted Pope John Paul II and spoke of achieving peace through numerous struggles and sacrifice. Gaffney quoted Abraham Lincoln's Gettysburg Address which com-forted Americans in a previous time of war about the great costs of a free nation. Poynter cited Tom Brokaw's preface to "The Greatest Generation," in which he spoke of a nation united by common values.

Numerous veterans organizations were in attendance during the ceremony including American Legion Post No. 99 and Amvets Post No. 57, which participated in special wreath presentation а

along with representatives from the Harper Woods Dads Club, Lions Club, Senior Club, Little League and Cub Scout Pack No. 273. City dignitaries were also present, such as City Manager Jim Leidlein, Mayor Pro Tem Cheryl Costantino, City Clerk Mickey Todd, City Council members John Szymanski, Vivian Sawicki, Hugh Marshall, Michael Monaghan and Daniel Palmer, Judge Roger LaRose, Board of Education President Dan Lusch and former council members.

Harper Woods resident Kristin Ries led the crowd in singing the National Anthem and America the Beautiful. Harper Woods High School students Tom Wash and Laura Wright performed "Taps." The Midnight Riders Fife and Drum Corps kicked off the service. Afterward, guests were invited

to enjoy a continental breakfast.

Cub Scouts celebrate accomplishments

During an annual picnic held at Salter Park, Cub Scout Pack No. 273 celebrated a year of accomplishments.

"This year was a great success," said the pack's assistant cub master Jode Wilber, thinking back to the various activities held throughout the year. "Thanks to all the leaders, parents and Harper Woods Parks and Recreation."

The pack has seen a busy year, full of fun and charitable activities. During last October's popcorn sale, Pack No. 273 was top in the Lakeshore District with sales of more than \$17,000, which equaled to more than 10 percent of the district's total sales. Douglas Wilber II was the pack's top seller with more than \$1,300. Billy Nocita, Jakob Hook, Douglas Wilber III and Zachary

Skerritt II each sold more than \$1,000. In November, Pack No. 273 participated in the Can Do project with the Boy Scouts of America, also placing as the top ranking pack in the district.

During the holiday season, the pack held a bottle drive and collected enough money to host Christmas for three adopted families in Harper Woods. While participating in the Toys for Tots program, several U.S. Marines visited with the scouts with Santa Claus, to collect the toys donated by the pack.

In January, the pack celebrated with its annual winter camping trip at D-Bar-A, followed by attendance at the Red Wings alumni game. March was the time for the annual Pinewood Derby race, during which Andrew Toutant, Billy Nocita, Kenny Stilwell and Jakob Hook took home awards.

This May was the second annual bowl-athon to raise money to fund outdoor opportunities for area handicapped scouts.

The pack is looking forward to its upcoming events, from the annual scout vs. parent baseball game to summer camp at Freedom Hill, from Scouts Day at Comerica Park to the sleep-out at Silversides Submarine in Muskegon.

Cub Scout Pack No. 273 includes Tiger Cubs Kyle Boyer, Matthew Brown, Roberto Fagoaga, Kameron Fekete, Nicholas Gbur, Garrett Gersch, Zachary Guerra, Nicholas Kelly, Zachary Skerritt II, Mikie Smith, Lupe Moreno, Brent Lathen, Jacob Kopp

and leaders Mike Gbur and David Guerra.

The Wolf Den includes David Cawley, Kyle Cichocki, Trevon Godfrey, Andrew Toutant and leaders Kevin Cichocki, Jesse Godfrey and David Toutant.

The Bear Den includes Andrew Cyburt, Jakob Hook, Bradley Howard, Brian Jaminet, Ryan Sauers, Kenny Stilwell, Jerry Taylor, Joshua Bryzelak, Wendel Cook Jr., Nicholas McEvoy, Ryan Schmidt, Shawn Smith and leaders Mike Hook, Rob Sauers and Joe Bryzelak.

The Webelos Den includes Bryan James Boyer, Seth Ross, Douglas Wilber III, Quinton Jones, Tyreese Duncan, Joseph Gaffrey, Brandon Kelly, Billy Nocita, Brandon Stewart and leaders Jode Wilber and Bill Nocita.

Nocita also serves as cub master, while Wilber serves as assistant cub master. Dode Cichocki serves as committee chair.
Webelos II scouts Max Bothe, Mitchell

Gatzke, Santino Palazzola, Nick Wisby, Johnny Aiken, Gabe Lancaster, Kyle Malone and Zachary Zichi crossed over during the Pack's Blue and Gold ceremony in February. Leaders are Donna Bothe and Paula Lancaster.



Air Force graduate

Air Force Reserve Airman First Class Daniel Duchon has graduated from basic military training at Lackland Air Force Base in San Anto-

During the six weeks of training, the airman studied the Air Force mission, organization and military customs and courtesies; performed drill and ceremony marches and received physical training, rifle marksmanship, field training exercises and special training in human relations. In addition, airmen who complete basic training earn credits toward an associate degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

Duchon is the son of Douglas Duchon of Chesterfield and the grandson of Mary Duchon of Harper Woods. He is a 2003 graduate of Harper Woods High School.



Cub Scout Pack No. 273

District's FAC to hold second public forum

The Harper Woods School District's years because it had been in the process of Facility Advisory Committee will hold a second community forum at the high school on Tuesday, June 8, at 7 p.m.

At the meeting, members will discuss with the public the repairs deemed necessary to improve district buildings and the possibility of once again asking residents to approve a bond issue to cover funding.

The committee is comprised of more than 20 community members who meet weekly to discuss these issues. The committee was formed in February, shortly after the Office of Civil Rights cited the district with numerous infractions that must be complied with by the end of 2004. The infractions include bathrooms, classrooms and and drinking fountains that are inaccessible to handicapped students. Administrators claim the district did not seek to comply with these infractions over the last several

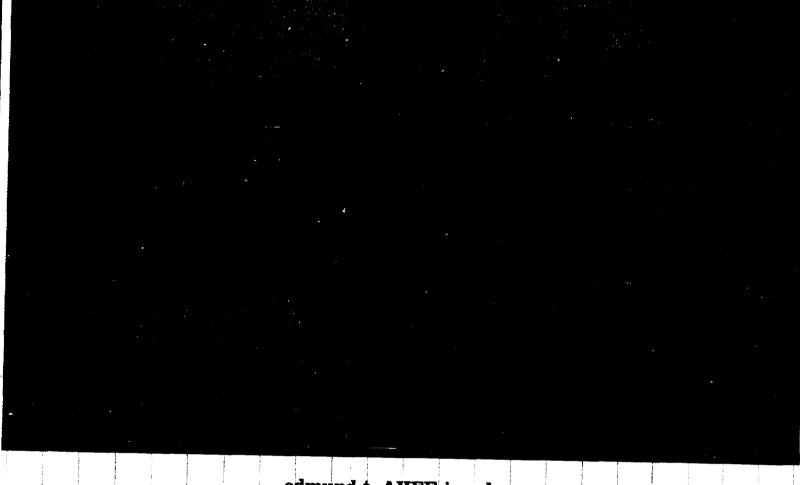
raze the schools and build anew. But with two failed bond issues, administrators are now at crunch time and are committed to establishing some form of accountability if a new bond issue is approved.

The committee is looking into the possibility of offering a choice to residents as to how much they are willing to fund for the needed repairs. If approved, the school board will consider the establishment of an oversight committee as well as hiring a fulltime building manager.

Architect Dan Kritta of Strat Wold will be on hand during the forum to answer any questions posed by community members. Kritta has been conducting thorough analyses of the district's building and works withthe FAC on a weekly basis.

- Jonnie Miller

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E. Jefferson, north of Nine Mile Road



You are invited!

Communities go round-the-clock in the fight against cancer

Hundreds of eastsiders from across the area will come together for a celebration of life at the sixth annual American Cancer Society Relay For Life of St. Clair Shores. The event takes place Friday, June 4, through Saturday, June 5, at Blossom Heath Park off Jefferson just past Nine

team-based event, is a cele-

cer. Billed as the area's biggest slumber party, teams of family members, friends, churches and even local businesses camp-out and walk the track all night while enjoying food, music, games and all-night festivi-

Gordon Klatt of Dr. Relay For Life, a 24-hour Tacoma, Wash., began the eam-based event, is a celevery first Relay For Life in bration of survivorship, a 1985, walking 24 hours by memorial for loved ones lost, himself to help raise money and a rally for the communi- in the fight against cancer.

ty to raise funds to fight can-cer. Today, Relay For Life is the American Cancer Society's national signature event taking place in more than 4,200 communities across the United Sates and in nine countries. To date, the event has raised more than \$1 billion. And it is easy to see why the Relay For Life is the most successful fund-raising event in America - one in every 100 people across the country has participated in Relay. Last year in metro Detroit, \$1.7 million was raised at 22 events.

St. Clair Shores Grosse Pointe and surrounding communities have enthusiastically embraced Relay since the first event in 1999, when six dedicated volunteers raised \$20,000 at the parking lot of the St. Clair Shores Civic

Arena. The following year demonstrated huge growth as the event grew to 25 teams raising more than \$65,000. This pattern has continued each year and 2004 holds great potential with more than 45 teams expected to participate.

"Event growth of this magnitude is directly related to the strong leadership of volunteer chairs Colleen Kelly and Cindy Siterlet," said Megan Cyrulewski, community development director, American Cancer Society. "For the past five years, Colleen and Cindy have been passionate leaders with the power to motivate and I am so thankful for their dedication to this event."

Sponsorships are also an essential piece to the success story. Sponsor dollars help event costs to ensure funds raised are directly supporting lifesaving research, educational initiatives, advocacy efforts and patient service programs like Road to Recovery, a free transportation program



The Relay For Life in St. Clair Shores opens with cancer survivors passing a torch through the park until it reaches the flame of hope where it shines brightly throughout the 24-hour event.

9 p.m.

11 p.m.

offered to cancer patients needing rides to and from treatment.

While there is much to do and see at Relay, two activities in particular are highlights of the event. The American Cancer Society invites all cancer survivors to attend the Survivor's Victory Lap on Saturday, June 5, at 11 a.m. to be honored by event participants and recognized for their triumph over the disease. The community is also encouraged to attend the Luminaria Ceremony at 9:30 p.m. Friday, June Luminarias are small candle-lit bags, decorated to honor or remember loved ones, which Relay organizers line the track with for the inspirational ceremony. As the track is set aglow, many reflect on the purpose of

their involvement.
"The Survivor's Victory and Luminaria Ceremony really ring true to those who have been affected in some way by this disease," said Cyrulewski. "They are perfect examples of what is at the heart of Relay - celebration and remembrance.



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2 p.m. Life-size Candy Land game - Meet at pavilion Registration for Egg Toss. 2:50 616 71 3:30 p.m.

Closing Ceremony Pavilion

Watch for Polyp Man who will be making special a throughout the Relay spreading the message. Get the the polyp, get the cure:



Co-chair Cindy Siterlet leads the way in the first lap of the 2003 Relay For Life.

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"Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed people can change the world," said Margaret Meade, anthropologist. "Indeed, it is the only thing that



Luminaria honoring or in memory of loved ones who have faced cancer line the Relay path and are lit at dusk in an emotional ceremony. A silent lap provides an opportunity for all in attendance to absorb the true meaning and importance of the Relay.

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Since 1946, more than \$2.5 billion has been invested in breakthrough research, making the American Cancer Society (ACS) the largest private funder of cancer research in the world — second only to the U.S. government. Much of this support comes to researchers early in their careers, giving them the opportunity to develop new ideas in labo-

Thus far, 33 ACS grantees have won the Nobel Prize. Among their findings, researchers have:

- Structured and sequenced DNA
- Found a cure for childhood leukemia
- Discovered the link between smoking and lung cancer.
- Created the Pap test to screen for cervical cancer.
- Developed the first therapies to attack the genetic roots of cancer
- Used the first successful bone marrow transplant to treat cancer.
- Identified the link between diet and cancer.
- · Showed that tamoxifen can help reduce the breast can-
- Developed the prostate specific antigen (PSA) test for

early detection of prostate cancer. Because of these combined efforts, today more than 60 percent of people diagnosed with cancer live longer than

five years, up from a mere 25 percent in 1946. Currently, ACS is funding more than \$7.7 million in research programs at Michigan State University, Wayne State University and the University of Michigan, among others.

Unfortunately, the fight against cancer has not yet been won and hundreds of intelligent researchers are denied grants because of financial limitations. The generosity of more than 2.5 million Relay For Life participants and volunteers will ultimately see to the funding of more studies and even greater advancements.



Local Relay is a winner

It's only six years old, but already the Relay For Life in St. Clair Shores has garnered more than its share of awards.

In both 2002 and 2003, it received the Terry Zahn Communications Award for the Great Lakes Division, and last year went on to win this coveted prize at the national level. The local Relay has received Honorable Mention in the Student Outreach and Youth Involvement category three years running. Heart of the Relay Honorable Mention awards also were received in the Survivorship and Cancer Con-

Many of the trophies and plaques were displayed recently at the St. Clair Shores Public Library and at Bon Secours Hospital in the City of Grosse Pointe. They are visible reminders of the spirit, dedication, and hundreds of volunteer hours of the steering committee, sub-committees and teams.

Volunteers share message of hope, progress and answers

By Lindsay Buhagiar

has a different story about on the treatment success why they Relay, the rate.

American Langer Society I I don't thin peop reached the property of purpose. Two local women against cancer, and give number," said Crissman. back to the American Following her diagnosis Cancer Society, by become in 2001, Crissman was

ing volunteers. was cancerous. She had played a role in her recov-the rare form of spinal cord cancer and was bedridden "I want to support the for eight weeks recovering research done by the from surgery. Dealing with American Cancer Society," the emotional impact of the disease, Crissman said she was in immense pain and felt hopeless.

"I thought I was going to

die," said Crissman. While researching her disease on the Internet, Crissman surfed onto the American Cancer Society Web site, cancer.org. On the site, she found information about the Society's National Cancer Information Center (NCIC) - a resource available 24 hours a day, seven days a week to answer cancer related questions from patients and caregivers. NCIC can be accessed tollfree at (800) ACS-2345.

talked to a Cancer Information Specialist (CIS) for four hours. The CIS not only answered Crissman's questions, but sent her additional information about the type of cancer she had been diag-

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nosed with, e-mailed her Though each individual articles, and educated her

purpose. Two local women though treatment, or how decided to fight back easy it is to dial that 800

g volunteers. urged by a friend to join her Lynne Crissman, 35, of Relay For Life team. On Eastpointe, was diagnosed the day of the event, it had with cancer three years been just 50 days since ago. After undergoing an Crissman was diagnosed eight-hour spinal cord with cancer. She said surgery to remove a tumor, Relay was a therapeutic Crissman awoke to hear it experience for her and

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That night, Crissman said Crissman. "It helped me and I hope it will help someone else.

Crissman has been cancer-free for two years. Her miracle is not only her own life, but the life of her second son, Cole. Three days after being told by her obstetrician/oncologist that her reproductive organs had been destroyed by radiation, Crissman became

pregnant.
This year, Crissman is the team captain for team "Our Friends Care" and is a ceremony chairperson.

Cancer has also affected the family of longtime St. Clair Shores volunteer Toni Gerbasi. Gerbasi became involved in Relay For Life because of her husband Kenneth's battle with multiple myeloma. Diagnosed in 1989, Kenneth, 58, had been in remission since 1992. Just recently,



Kenneth has been rediag-

Cancer is no stranger to her husband's family, said the opportunity to speak Gerbasi. His father and his father's eight siblings died of cancer. Because of this, Gerbasi considers her children to be at "high risk." Her sons, Timothy, 39; and Matthew, 28; and daughter Charlyne, 37, are conscientious of their health and are examined by their physicians regularly.

"You have to be aggressive when it comes to cancer prevention and detection," said Gerbasi.

On Sept. 19, 2002, Gerbasi traveled to Washington, D.C., as an ACS advocacy volunteer at Celebration on the Hill. She was joined by other Relay For Life volunteers as well as cancer survivors from across the nation to celebrate survivorship, remember lost friends and family members and lobby for support of cancer initia-

tives nationally.
"There were no sour notes while we were there,"

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said Gerbasi.

Gerbasi was moved by a 6-year-old boy she met who had been a cancer survivor for five years. She also met a 90 year old man who was fighting his fourth bout of cancer in 50 years. Gerbasi also took comfort in knowing she was able to give hope to a person she spoke to who had been diagnosed with the same type of can-

cer as her husband. Celebration on the Hill was also a day to educate elected officials on the issues surrounding cancer. Representatives from communities met with their respective officials to explain the concern cancer places on so many Americans. Gerbasi had

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with the wives of a few senators, sharing her family's story and driving home the importance of supporting cancer related legislation. Between taking care of

her husband and elderly parents and babysitting her five grandchildren, Gerbasi wasn't able to organize her Relay team this vear, but will be there in spirit.

Gerbasi, like Crissman, feels people don't understand how beneficial the services provided by the American Cancer Society can be to patients and their families. "The efforts of Relay For Life and other events support a great cause," said Gerbasi. Funds raised help support many lifesaving research projects in metro Detroit and patient service programs such as Road to Recovery, which provides



Cindy Siterlet and Colleen Kelly are the sparkplugs behind the immense success of the Relay For Life in St. Clair Shores. They have co-chaired the event for the past five years. Credit and much thanks also go to St. Clair Shores Mayor Curt Dumas, Parks and Recreation Director Greg Elser, and other city staff members who support their efforts in the fight against cancer.

free transportation for cancer patients attending treatment.

"They don't just collect oney," said Gerbasi. money," They collect the money to help people. They really

The American Cancer Society thanks Crissman, Gerbasi and all of the Eastside Relayers and volunteers dedicated to the fight against cancer. For more information on ACS programs and services, or to become a volunteer, call (248) 557-5353.

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A look at what's happening at the Relay

ebration of hope and tri-umph over cancer and the culmination of many months of team fundraising activities to support the American

Prior to this event, the teams have held bake sales, golf outings, bowling benefits and bingo parties. They sold thousands of candy bars, Relay bears and luminaria bags that honor friends and family members who have been touched by cancer. But it doesn't stop there. The fundraising and fun continue for the 24 hours of the Relay.

As you walk around the park, take part in the activities and enjoy the treats available at the team campsites. A donation is requested for most food items, or to participate in the drawings, games and activities.

The following is a sampling of what you'll find:
• Christian's Crusaders

Casino-themed bake sale. Bon Secours Cottage Butterfly Tent - Butterfly tattoos, photo buttons, make a bead and butterfly bracelet 6 to 8 p.m. Friday and 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Saturday, enter drawing for fabulous prizes including a Longaberger basket, professional massage, Coca-Cola

collectibles and more. Breakfast Champions" served to every-one in the park at 7 a.m.

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 JKJ Family & Friends 50/50 drawings at 8 and 11 p.m. Friday and 9 a.m., Cancer Society's efforts in noon and 3 p.m. on education, advocacy, research and support ser-available for a \$1 donation beginning at noon Saturday. Taking donations for Flower of Hope garden.
• Thumbs Up — Face

painting, "paint your own" pet rock, drawing for an afghan, candy-coated pret-

· Hope Floats -- Wish-n-Fish includes a special wishing well tribute, a fishing game to win a goldfish, French hair-braiding Friday afternoon and Saturday morning; drawing for a mountain bike, weight bench, Creative Memories scrapbooking basket, gift certificates, and more. Also

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as we celebrate the St. Clair Shores Realy for Life supporting the American Cancer Society.



Polyp Man, the American Cancer Society's colon cancer screening spokesperson, has agreed to make a special return appearance at the St. Clair Shores Relay For Life. No doubt, he'll be hotly pursued by medical personnel, reminding everyone to "Get the test, get the polyp, get the cure!'

available are cold beverages and homemade goodies including Beth's famous cookies and bars.

 Aiming Beyond Stars — Mini massage and chiropractic evaluation provided by Complete Care for a minimum donation Friday evening and Saturday morn-

Legree's Legacy -Customized luminaria created on order for a \$10 donation on Friday until the Luminaria Ceremony Luminaria Ceremony begins. Slices of watermelon available Friday evening.

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• Rays of Sunshine — Water; prize drawings, ice cream, novelty items.

 Wings of Hope — Munch on nachos and cheese or a pickle on a stick, prize draw-

ings include a bicycle. Our Friends Care Face painting, bake sale, drawings for quilts and jew-

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painting. Neighbors — Karaoke machine drawing, Mason jar and tea cup birdfeeders, angel bookmarks, record bowls, nachos, kids games.

 Ardmore's Kids That Kare — Water, soda, coffee and tea, nachos, their famous popcorn, and s'mores, bracelets, a special drawing, and more.

• Grosse Pointe Interact Hawaiian Team — Tropical Skittles and Starbursts, Hawaiian Punch and freeze pops, leis, grass skirts, glow necklaces, and a gift draw-

All this fun and much, much more.

Discovery Shops team up for St. Clair Shores Relay

expensive than donates all of its proceeds to a great cause? It's the American Cancer Society Discovery Shops and there is one located in your neighborhood

The Discovery Shops have been rooted within the Grosse Pointe and St. Clair Shores communicies for the past several years. The Grosse Pointe Shop at 110 Kercheval Ave. on the Hill in Grosse Pointe Farms, has provided unique and quality merchandise at affordable over six years. The St. Clair during normal hours.
Shores Discovery Shop at Along with raising funds the Shores Shopping Center at 13 Mile and Harper has also been providing service for four years.

These quality resale shops are owned and operated by Cancer American Society, and run by volunteers from local communities. Discovery Shops are located throughout the United States, including eight in Michigan.

the Discovery Shops is

By Kim Kapelanski donated by co What is more upscale members who was American vance store, and All proceeds raised from the sale of donated items are

and services. Quality donations are always accepted, and a variety of volunteer opportunities are available at all locations.

variety of merchandise from unique furniture (perfect for those trying to create that shabby-chic look), to seasonal and holiday merchandise, there is something for everyone. Donations of these prices to the community for items are always accepted

for the American Cancer Society by selling quality merchandise, Discovery Shops also contribute to Relay For Life. This year, both the Grosse Pointe and St. Clair Shores locations will gather volunteers, fami-

er of the Discovery Shop in Grosse Pointe Farms, enjoys All of the merchandise in volunteering for the event.

used to help fund cancer research and local programs

Discovery Shops offer a

ly and friends to participate and represent the shops.

Anita Sandercott, manag-"Relay is a great opportu-

donated by community nity to volunteer my time and services outside the says Sandercott. shop, enjoy working With other American Cancer Society employees as well as friends and volunteers from the community in the fight

against cancer." Dawn Symonds, Relay team captain as well as a six-year shop volunteer, is gearing up for yet another great Relay.

"Relay is about cama-raderie of all teams," said involved is there with the same goal and just knowing that we are all in it together creates an overwhelming sense of happiness.'

Both shops have been fundraising for the upcoming Relay. Customers can donate \$10 and receive a Relay For Life bear or can purchase an assortment of candy bars for \$1 each. Luminarias can also be purchased for \$10.

For more information, stop by or call your American Cancer Society Discovery Shop in Grosse Pointe at (313) 881-6458 or St. Clair Shores at (586) 285-7467.



Train rides around the park are a popular attraction. Fares are added to the final collection total and help to fund American Cancer Society's education, advocacy, research and support services.

Young survivors realize their dreams

Program in need of volunteer support

The American Cancer Society is recruiting volunteers to help cancer patients when they need it most. Road to Recovery is a volunteer-based driving program that provides free transportation to and from medical centers in the metro Detroit area for cancer

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Currently, more than 100 drivers are needed to support transportation needs in the tri-county area.

Since the American Cancer Society was founded in 1913, it has been dedicated to helping people with their cancer needs. Today, as people are forced to deal with the burden of cancer treatment, the need for transportation assistance has grown and the American Cancer Society has established Road to Recovery to help eliminate these bur-

"Sadly, patients every day are canceling and postponing their cancer treatment simply because they do not have a ride," said John Burns, quality of life director, American Cancer Society. "Right here in the metro Detroit area, 10 to 20 percent of newly diagnosed cancer patients are not get-

need simply because they do not have transportation. It is our job to help them get back on the road to recov-

Right now, the American Cancer Society is recruiting volunteers from throughout Southeast Michigan to help drive cancer patients to and from their treatment at various area hospitals. All volunteers need is a reliable means of transportation and a few hours each month.

"Businesses and organizations are also encouraged to participate as a group," said Burns. "No matter who they are or when they are available, we could really use any and all volunteer support to assist with this great pro-

To learn more about Road to Recovery or to volunteer for this program, call your local American Cancer Society at (248) 557-5353.

through scholarship program Local students are learn- Detroit last year, nearly 100 ing that cancer doesn't have

to interrupt their dreams of college and career thanks to American Society College Scholarship program.

According to Vicki Rakowski, executive vice president of medical activities for the American Cancer Great Lakes Society, Division Inc., the program was launched six years ago to help young cancer sur-vivors rebuild their lives and pursue their goal of higher education.

The lives of these young students and their families have been shattered by the emotional and financial burden of cancer," 88V8 Rakowski. "They have fought and won, and can once again focus on their future. We want to help them get their lives back on

The college scholarship program is made possible by generous donations to the Foundation, Great Lakes Division. At the inaugural American Cancer Society college scholarships were auctioned off in support of the program and more than \$1 million was raised in support of the Society's mission. The increase in scholarships for the 2004/2005 year is unprecedented in metro Detroit - the Ball helped to facilitate a sevenfold increase in the number of scholarships supported.

The need to expand and preserve the college scholarship program is important now more than ever due to the increasing number of childhood cancer survivors. "We have an endowment to provide ongoing funding of the grants and ensure that funds of this type are always available to young cancer survivors," said Whitten, senior vice president, American Cancer Society Foundation.

To qualify for an American Cancer Society scholarship, student must be an Indiana or Michigan resi-American Cancer Society dent diagnosed with cancer under the age of 21. All applications are reviewed by a panel of volunteers and Cattle Baron's Ball in awarded based on letters of

recommendation, financial information, grades and a written essay.

For information on the American Cancer Society Foundation College Scholarship program, or to make a gift in support of the program, contact your local American Cancer Society office at (248) 557-5353 or write Rick Whitten at 6030

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Lisa May McCurdy and Arthur Upshur Scott

McCurdy-Scott

and Marie McCurdy of Grosse Pointe Park have announced the engagement of their daughter, Lisa May McCurdy, to Arthur Upshur Scott, son of William and Jacquelyn Scott of Grosse Pointe Farms. An October wedding is planned.

McCurdy is a graduate of Michigan State University where she earned a bachelor's degree in merchandising management.

Scott is a graduate of The Citadel, where he earned a bachelor's degree in international politics.

Batts-Sutorka

Gayla Batts of Grosse Pointe Park has announced the engagement of her daughter, Susan Batts, to Scott Sutorka, son of Stephen and Sandra Sutorka of Farmington Hills. Batts is also the daughter of the late John Batts. A September wedding is planned

Batts earned a bachelor's degree in biology from Calvin College and a mas-ter's of public health degree in occupational and environmental epidemiology from



Susan Batts and Scott Sutorka

the University of Michigan School of Public Health.

Sutorka earned a bachelor's degree in business administration from University of Detroit-Mercy.

He is the general manager of Ypsi-Arbor Lanes in Ypsilanti.



Melisea Lynn Pleitt and Jason Michael Rolka

Pleitt-Rolka

Rick and Debbie Pleitt of Lake in the Hills, Ill., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Melissa Lynn Pleitt, to Jason

Michael Rolks, the son of Mike and Cindy Rolka of Grosse Pointe Farms.

Pleitt earned a bachelor's Marquette University. She is a customer service supervisor for Remedy Intelligent Staffing in Chicago.

Rolka is a graduate of Michigan State University where he earned a bachelor's degree in medical technology.

He is an account executive with Polymedco Inc. in Chicago.



Carolyn Barr Smith and Michael Patrick McLaughlin

Smith-McLaughlin

Janice Montague and John Smith of Grand Rapids have announced the engagement of their daughter, Carolyn Barr Smith, to Michael Patrick McLaughlin, son of Paul and Margaret McLaughlin of the City of Grosse Pointe.

A September wedding is planned

Smith earned a degree in nursing from Ferris State University.

McLaughlin earned Bachelor of Science degrees in business administration and in HVACR technology from I University. Ferris

He is a sales engineer

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Chantal Nicole Hegy of London, England, daughter of Pierre Hegy of Glen Cove, N.Y. and Nancy Roenfeldt of Glen Cove, N.Y., married Francis Joseph Markey of London, England, son of Frank and Marilyn Markey of Grosse Pointe Woods, on Aug. 9, 2003, at Church of Our Lady of the Rosary in New York City.

The Rev. Peter Meehan officiated at the ceremony, which was followed by a reception at American Park at the Battery in New York City.

The maid of honor was the bride's twin sister, Claire Hegy of Glen Cove, N.Y. Bridesmaids were Laura Dorofeev of Bay City and



Mr. and Mrs. Francis Joseph Markey

Cynthia Ferngren of Glen

The best man was Kevan Flanigan of Manhattan Beach, Calif.

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Young of Hickory Corners; Jeff Stought of London, England; and Tim Jametta of Philadelphia, Pa. Readers were Erik Garr of

Chicago and Ann Markey of Grosse Pointe Woods.

The bride earned a Bachelor of Science degree from Cornell University and a master's degree in finance from London Business School. She is a vice president of structured credit trading with Merrill Lynch in London, England.

The groom earned a bachelor's degree in business administration from the University of Michigan and an MBA from the Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania. He is a vice president in the fixed income group of Merrill Lynch in London, England.

The couple honeymooned in the Canadian Rockies and Vancouver. They live in

Babies

Alexander George Joseph Downey and **Tyler Scott Downey**

Sean and Ann Downey of Harper Woods are the parents of twin sons, Alexander George Joseph Downey and Tyler Scott Downey, born April 20, 2004

Maternal grandparents are Carol and George Schulte of Grosse Pointe Farms.

Paternal grandparents are Patricia Downey of Lenox Township and the late Patrick Downey.

Sophie Rose Konkey

Stref and Detorah Konkey of Harper Woods are the parents of a daughter, Sophie Rose Konkey, born May 5, 2004.

Maternal grandparents are Ronald and Linda Solterisch of Grosse Pointe Park

Paternal Paternal grandparents are Kim and Kim Luginbuhl of Bridgman.

Molly Ruth Ryszewski

the City of Grosse Pointe are the parents of a daughter, Molly Ruth Ryszewski, born Sept. 17, 2003.

Maternal grandparents are Patricia M. Gmeiner of the City of Grosse Pointe and the late Douglas W. Gmeiner.

Paternal grandparents are Dr. and Mrs. Richard Ryszewski of Williamston. Great-grandparents are Dr. Daniel W. McKinley of Grosse Pointe Woods, Mrs. Wilfred D. Gmeiner of Hendersonville, N.C., and Mrs. Magdalena Schlachter of Warren.

James Parker Cole

Chicago are the parents of a son, James Parker Cole, born April 21, 2004. Paternal grandparents are Maternal grandparents are ents are Dr. and Mrs. Benjamin Paolucci of Grosse Shores. Maternal Grosse Pointe Farms and the late James D. Standish are Dr. Sandra Cole of Ann Shores.

Arbor and Dr. Theodore Cole, also of Ann Arbor.

Jim and Kim Ryszewski of Amelia Marie Hoyle

Julie and Brad Hoyle of Danville, Calif., are the parents of a daughter, Amelia Marie Hoyle, born April 20, 2004. Maternal grandparents are Lynn and Tom McGann of Grosse Pointe Farms. Paternal grandparents are Jackie and Dan Hoyle of Oakton, Va. Paternal great-grandparents are Emma Lou Hoyle of Henderson, N.C., William Barnola of Jackson,

Benjamin John

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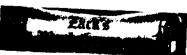
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Animals at the Detroit Zoo no longer have to worry about long lines at the emergency room.

Thanks to great financial support the zoo has completed its third new facility, out of four planned to be built, with the fourth not far behind.

Grosse Pointe resident Ruth Glancy is one of the biggest supporters of the Detroit Zoological Institute.

She is also the chairman of the Detroit Zoological Society Board, chairman of the Capital Campaign Committee and also a member of the Detroit Zoo Commission.

The zoo is an important educational and recreational asset for our region, Glancy said. "(Private funding is) absolutely critical. (with goals of) \$40 million in private funding and \$10 million in public funding.
These buildings wouldn't have happened without the incredible private support that we've had."

The campaign has raised nearly \$50 million which will fund the construction of four projects, the National Amphibian Conservation Center, the Polar Bear Exhibit, the Animal Health Complex, and the Ford Center for Environmental Conservation and Education. Also, some of the money will go into the zoo's endowment program.
"Private philanthropy is

very important. Our zoo is considered one of the best in the country in terms of attendance, quality of programming, and size of animal collection (just to name a few)," Glancy said. "That is thanks in large part not



A Detroit Zoo veterinarian peers down the throat of a polar bear. During routine check-ups, hospital patients receive a thorough physical exam.

only to public funding, which is important, but also we've got far more private funding than we have ever had before."

The Detroit Zoo has recently completed the new, 18,000 sq. ft., animal health complex, which is equipped to take care of all types and species of animals. The new complex cost roughly \$4.5

"This state of the art building will help us better serve all of our wildlife patients, from the tiniest fish to the largest polar bear," said zoo director Ron

Kagan. He added, "Our new Animal Health Complex is a testament to our commitment to offering the most advanced, complete medical care to animals, from diag-

nosis and preventative care to emergency medicine, pathology, and other medical disciplines.

Whether performing a routine physical exam on a zebra, determining an appropriate diet for penguins, or administering dental work to a polar bear, the zoo veterinarians are an integral part of keeping our animals healthy and active," Kagan said.

From the surgery room to the intensive care nursery, rest assured, these animals are in good hands as this new facility is one of the top facilities in the country, according to Kagan

The medical facility has three goals in mind when opening its doors for the first time.

First, it is dedicated to

providing the best medical care for the institute's 7,000 animals of 500 species.

Second, it will provide space and resources necessary for conservation, education, reproduction, and research for the current and future needs of the zoo.

Our new Animal Health Complex is designed to do more than just care for our current charges. Research and educational opportunities abound in this complex of which visitors, students, and medical professionals will be able to take advantage," Kagan said.

Third, it wants to form a center for the veterinary and medical community of greater Detroit to gather in support of the zoo's mission.
"A circular path of hall-ways surrounds the clinical

view the working areas of the hospital. In addition, overhead cameras throughout the hospital allow upclose views of these same areas through closed-circuit TV monitors," Kagan said.

"The technology and esources of the new Animal Health Complex will enable our vets to treat almost any animal ailment imaginable. It will also give us new capabilities to further our efforts in education and research. We are immensely grateful to all of those who have helped," Kagan said.

Financial support is not the only thing local citizens provide to help the zoo flourish. The zoo also depends on its 900 volunteers, from docents to gardeners; the zoo is always in search of kind people who love animals and understand the mission of the Detroit Zoo.

Grosse Pointe Farms resident, Richard Platt, has been volunteering at the zoo for more than 10 years. His volunteer positions include being the Vice Chairman and Treasurer of the Detroit Zoological

Society board.

They (volunteers) are invaluable for several reasons. By their nature, people who volunteer share an understanding of the zoo's mission; they enhance the experience of all the zoo's visitors by interfacing with them directly and by working behind the scenes," Platt said.

Grosse Pointe Park resident, Ellen Kulie, is a perfect example.

Kulie recently started her 19th summer as a volunteer docent at the zoo.

They've given me the chance to learn and grow, and I feel that the mission of the zoo, the celebrating and saving of wildlife, is very important, and the conservation message is very important, and I support that," Kulie said.

As a docent at the zoo Kulie loves to give tours and teach others about the animals. She also enjoys being involved in the outreach presentations.

"I love to give the tours, where you take people around the zoo, and I also like giving the outreach presentations in the community. Some of those can be very rewarding. We have a program where we go out to Children's Hospital, and I love the humane education, which is teaching people about pets; they all are

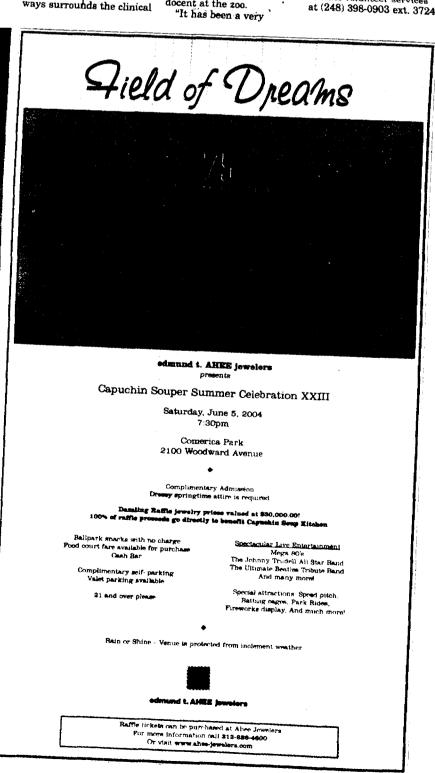
very rewarding," Kulie said. When asked how much longer she planned to volunteer at the zoo, Kulie said, "Forever. When I can no longer walk around the zoo I will help out in the office or hospital or something like that."

"It would be impossible to run the zoo without volunteers because the type of person attracted to volunteering could never be paid what they would have to be paid if they were seeking compensation," Platt said.

That passion is what keeps the gates open and the smiles glowing on the children's faces at the zoo, which, in a way, is worth more than any financial donation.

If you would like to volunteer at the Detroit Zoo, contact volunteer services at (248) 398-0903 ext. 3724.





Grosse Pointe Historical Society awards plaques

The Grosse Pointe claims a romantic vision of In the early part of the Historical Society awarded French Norman architec 20th century, Sears, Plaques went to the Grosse St. Clair, a Sears kit home Owen Skelton House on every year and then reviewed and selected by a committee. ings as follows:

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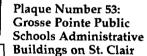
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20th century, Sears, Roebuck and Co. offered for sale a variety of houses as "kits" from the Sears catalog. Home No. 7013 was 1928, far from Normandy, called The Kilbourne model. The cost of this house was \$2,785. The catalog stated that "at the price quoted we will furnish all the material to build this five-room bungalow - mill work, medicine case, kitchen cabinet, lumber, lath, shingles, flooring, finishing lumber, porch ceiling, building paper, eaves trough, down spout, sash weights, mantel, hard-ware and painting material. No extras, as we guarantee enough material to build this bungalow. Price does not include cement, brick or plaster."

Several options were also available, including an attic to provide three additional rooms, and options for brick facing, oak trim, and clear maple floors.

The current homeowners discovered the history of the house by accident when some interior remodeling revealed a shipping tag from Sears, Roebuck stapled to the underside of a door casing facer board. This discovery started their investigation into the history of the house. The house today looks almost exactly as it did when it was built in 1926. The windows have been updated but remain consistent with the original design.



In 1905-06, Grosse Pointe School District No. 1 built a second school building, a two-story brick structure at 389 St. Clair Avenue in the Village of Grosse Pointe. There were eight classrooms serving 240 pupils. It was named the Cadieux School after the Cadieux family who lived in the Village. Francis Cadieux served as the District No. 1 school inspector for 33 years.

In 1916-18, a north building, 399 St. Clair, was added, due to the increased classroom demand. Students wanting a sec-ondary education were given stipends to attend Detroit's Central Eastern High Schools.

In 1921, the original five Grosse Pointe Township School Districts were consolidated to form the Rural Agricultural District No. 1, administered high school. Secondary education was immediately offered at the Board took action to pur-Cadieux School.

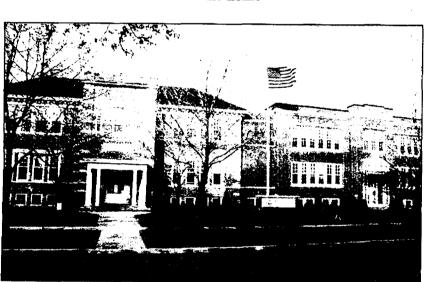
By 1923, the Cadieux School housed all area students from kindergarten through the 10th grade. The



The Owen Skelton House.



Sears kit home



Grosse Pointe Public Schools Administrative Buildings

was resoundingly defeated.

Despite the defeat, the belonging to the Newberry family (originally the Jane L. Fisher farm) at the corner of Fisher and Grosse Pointe Boulevard.
In 1924, 12th grade was

added to the curriculum. The first graduating class 24 Cadieux

same year, an 11th grade that double sessions had to there was added, and the board of be scheduled (34 different Agricultural District No. 1, which met state requirements to create a locally administrated to a prove the building of a new school. The proposal public agreed that a new the new school, but in 1930 school was necessary, and the board moved back to the planning began. In Cadieux School. Since that Board took action to pur-chase 22.5 acres of land breaking for the new school took place, and the corner-

stone was laid in April. On February 1, 1928, all students in grades 7 through 12, as well as their instructors, marched from the Cadieux School down the road to the new building on Fisher and Grosse Pointe School was so overcrowded Boulevard to begin classes

To help fill the new school, time, the buildings on St. Clair have housed the offices of the Grosse Pointe Public School System.

In 1992, the school board announced plans to vacate the two buildings on St. Clair, but the decision was met with public outcry, and a bid to purchase the property was rejected. In 2002-03, the buildings underwent a major renovation, including a full connection between the two buildings and other major improvements.

The purpose of the Grosse Pointe Historical Society is to preserve and promote the history of the Grosse Pointe community. The Society's historic Provencal-Weir House, circa 1823, is open for tours the second Saturday of each month from 1 to 4 p.m. The Society's Resource Center is open for research on Tuesday and Wednesday, from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and 1:30 to 4 p.m.

To become a member of the Grosse Pointe Historical Society or to get more information, call (313) 884-7010 or visit the Web site at www.gphistorical.com.

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Advice for graduates

By the Rev. Timothy A. Holzerland hrist the King Lutheran Church

Last year while walking on Kercheval on "the Hill," I was asked by a Grosse Pointe News reporter what advice I would give future graduates. I said, "Do something meaningful with your life, and don't forget to have a good time."

If I could do it over again, I would add, "Stay close to the Lord, and He will give you success!" Graduation involves a major transition in life,

and this can be both exciting and frightening at the same time. At these times it is good to remember the words of King David in Psalm 63:8: "My soul clings to You; Your right hand upholds me.'

This verse gives me reassurance and strength when I am faced with changes in my life.
As I told the graduates, "Don't forget to have a

good time." Well, we rarely forget to do that, because we are all looking for pleasure and enjoyment in life.

We frequently hear of graduates who have too good a time over the summer and end up in trouble with the law, in an automobile accident, or something even worse.

In order to avoid the pitfalls of bad choices, it is good to remember the first part of Psalm 63:8: "My soul clings to You." When I cling to the Lord, my thoughts and

actions will reflect my need to please Him as I enjoy myself this summer.

When I want to do something meaningful, I remember the next half of Psalm 63:8: "Your right hand upholds me.'

King David praised God for the security He offered when changes threatened him. As we move from one change to the next in life, we are never alone. When we cling to the Lord Jesus, He promises to give us His presence and blessing as we work to make a difference in our community and in the world this summer. The presence of Christ gives us the peace and confidence to know He will never let us down as we move from one life change to another.

Transitions are a natural part of life, and many of them take place during the summer months. God's blessings to all who will experience these changes and remember Psalm 63:8: "My soul clings to You; Your right hand upholds

Spine surgery to be discussed

rological surgeon Dr. John Cadieux in the City of Zinkel will discuss "Spine Grosse Pointe. and Brain Surgery: The Incisions Keep Shrinking," at a community lecture from 7 to 8 p.m. Thursday, June 7900 weekdays 3, in Connelly Auditorium, a.m. and 4 p.m.

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Local teenagers help

Creekside Community members and teen and adult parishioners from St. Ambrose and St. Paul Catholic churches who are members of River of Life -Detroit River Watershed Project joined forces recently to plant flowers and

bushes and spread mulch around the Lenox Recreational Center. The center is at the foot of Lenox Street along the Detroit River in Detroit.

Teens from St. Ambrose and St. Paul parishes worked diligently under the direction of adults. This effort was part of the larger Motor City Makeover Project on May 22.

Mary Burnbreyer and Cormac O'Byrne, members of St. Ambrose, worked with Creekside Community members, assisted by Connie Boris and Virginia Sendelbach of St. Paul.

River of Life is an interfaith group dedicated to environmental steward-ship. It focuses locally on the Detroit River and Lake St. Clair.

The group's fall project will include bush and tree plantings along a berm on the shoreline of the Detroit River which will help reduce sediment and debris flowing into the Detroit River. From left, are youth ministers Eve and Nate Kaczmarck, Sarah Parker, Michele Dunsky, Mark Yavor, Christian Bielski and Robbie Brownell.

Families Anonymous, self help support group, is open to public

friends who are concerned him or her. about and affected by a loved one's substance abuse or behavioral problem, meets from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. Thursdays at Cottage Hospital, Lower Level, Board Room B.

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Teenagers 15 and older may attend. The group is not recommended for those younger than 15.

No dues or fees are required. First names only are used at meetings to preserve individual anonymity. Advance notice or registration is not necessary to attend a meeting. Visitors and support persons are welcome. Call (313) 882-



The Rev. Scott T. Davis

Pettipointe Questers

Betty Sorenson will host a meeting of Pettipointe Questers No. 243 beginning at 11:30 a.m. Thursday, June 3, at her home in St. Clair Shores. A salad lun-cheon will be followed by a program of Sorenson's European antiques. Regrets only: (586) 445-1804.

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Women's Connection

The Women's Connection of Grosse Pointe will meet at 6 p.m. Thursday, June 10, at a private Grosse Pointe club. Dinner will be at 6 p.m. For reservations or information about the club, call Nancy Neat at (313) 882-1855 or Marcia Pikielek at (313) 884-4201.

Windmill Pointe Questers

Windmill Pointe Questers No. 385 will meet at 11 a.m. Monday, June 14, at the Victorian Tea Parlor, 15212 Charlevoix in Grosse Pointe Park. The program will be followed by High Tea. Guests are welcome. Call Sylvia at (586) 979-2868 for reservations or more infor-

Correction

The wrong photo of Grosse Pointe United Church's Associate Pastor Scott T. Davis ran on last week's church page.

Davis has accepted a from call Second Congregational United Church of Christ, Grand Rapids to become their

The article also should have said Davis was president of the Lay Theological Academy for two years. The correct photo is at the left.

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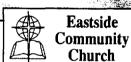
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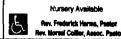
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Scent, touch, sound, taste showcased in this garden

Special Writer

Everyone is in the garden. Well, almost everyone. Those of us who don't have Mother Nature-made ponds in our yards from all the

The folks at the Detroit Institute of Ophthalmology last week invited me to join a gardener-led tour through their specially made Sensory Garden.

Volunteer Hedy Coeman

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began by giving a mini-lecture to a roomful of folks about her love of all things herbal. Coeman is losing her sight, but that didn't stop her from sharing her knowledge with others going through a similar time in their lives. Participants had the chance to touch, taste and smell the herbs that Coeman

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last year, I was eager to see how it was progressing. After Coeman's talk inside, we ventured outside to enjoy and learn more about the plants. Coeman said she simply wanted to be on the committee and share some of what she knew. But that committee work led to advice and plans for the Sensory Garden.

The garden is set up with sedum edges and cedar mulch along the short pathways. A half barrel in the center has white summer snow cascading down its edges and a delightful wind chime. Within the garden are plants filled with fragrance, taste and texture. Soon to come will be signs to let visitors know more about what's planted there.

A few DIO volunteers and staff had an idea awhile back. If someone is a lifelong gardener, why should the loss of sight arrest the passion many gardeners

No reason, says Marie Perchan, another blind gardener who helped to plan the DIO Sensory Garden.

"Just because you're blind, it doesn't mean you can't enjoy the plants," Perchan said. "When you lose that sense, you use the others." She dispelled the myth that when someone goes blind, the other senses become stronger.

You become more aware of other senses," she said.

Keeping those thoughts in mind, the idea of a demonstration garden went forward to become a delightful addition to the community. Visit the DIO Sensory Garden at 15415 E. Jefferson in Grosse Pointe

"Gertrude Jekyll, like Monet, was a painter with poor eyesight, and their gardens - his at Giverny in the Seine valley, hers in Surrey - had resemblances that may have sprung from this condition. Both loved plants that foamed and frothed over walls and pergolas and spread in tides beneath trees; both saw flowers in islands of colored light — an image the normal eye captures only by squinting," wrote Eleanor Perenyi in 1981 in "Green Thoughts.'

If you would like specific information on gardening with a visual impairment, good tips can be found by Larry Caplan at the

Vanderburgh County Extension Service site, www2.ces.purdue.edu/ces/v anderburgh/horticulture/gar den4blind.htm. He also provides a list of recently released books on the sub-

Perchan recommends a listserve especially for gardeners with sight challenges. Contact them at blind-gardener-

subscribe@vahoogroups.com

Gardening for senses Many gardeners choose plants for their visual beauty. Consider adding plants to your garden to stimulate other senses as well.

To taste the garden, that's pretty easy. Plant vegetables or culinary herbs. Don't spray your plants with pesticides, and you will be able to munch your way right through your garden. Consider vegetables that become brightly colored when ripe, such as golden zucchini squash, red leaf lettuce, and purple podded beans. These will stand out from the surrounding green foliage and make harvesting easier for the visually impaired gardener.

The numbers of culinary herbs are almost endless. Try nasturtium with its peppery leaves and flowers Any type of mint is a treat to the palate. Plant a separate raised culinary herb garden to become familiar with the taste and feel of each plant. Marking with Braille signs will help those who are blind learn the various plants.

Smelling flowers is something we learn to do as children. A whole host of plants have a lemon scent. Included are lemon balm, lemon basil and lemon thyme. Consider a plant that's fruit scented, such as Roman chamomile.

Other plants may have the scent of licorice, such as caraway; honey, such as the butterfly bush; or a spicy aroma, such as carnation or China pink. What better scent than that of chocolate like that found in chocolate cosmos or the scented geranium 'Chocolate peppermint."

When considering plants that appeal to the sense of touch, be sure to avoid prickly plants or those that may cause a skin reaction. Plants such as lamb's ear or pussy willow are soft to touch. The blooms of



Above, gardeners Marie Perchan and Hedy Coeman enjoy the fruits of their labors in the spring Sensory Garden at the Detroit Institute of Ophthalmology. Below, Hedy Coeman shares her love of herbs with others at the DIO Sensory Garden.



cockscomb or poppy feel different from each other, vet both are delightful to feel. Take a tour of your favorite nursery and feel the texture

of blooms and leaves. We don't often think of the sounds of our plants, but Perchan mentioned the sound of the aspen tree as the wind blows through it. Can't you just imagine it?

These delicate sounds made by your garden can create subtle moods for visitors. The whisper of weeping plants, such as willows and birch, has a calming influence. The rustling of ornamental grasses and bamboo can create a sense

of excitement and activity, and they make excellent audio signals to help gardeners orient themselves. Also good for orientation is a wind chime.

Whatever sensory plants you discover to put in your garden, remember the words of John Burroughs: "I go to nature to be soothed and healed and to have my senses put in order.

Kathleen Maslanka Peabody is a master garden-er who lives (and gardens) in Grosse Pointe Woods. Reach her online at kmaslankapeabody@sbcglobal.net.

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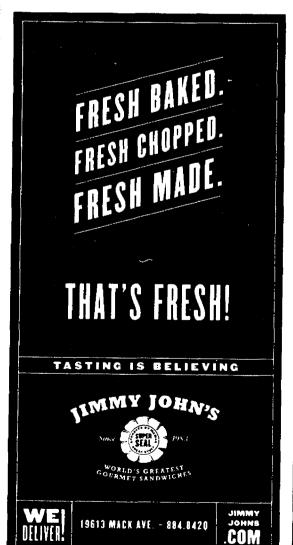
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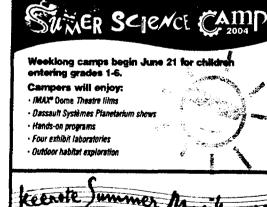
The Indian Village Home and Garden Tour is Saturday, June 5, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Homes and gardens never seen before will be open. \$15. Call (313) 922-0911 for details.

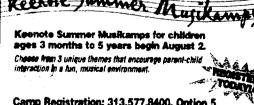
For the House and Garden, a Pewabic Pottery Show and Sale, will be Saturday and Sunday, June 5 and 6, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Free admission. Call (313) 822-0954, ext. 125, or go to www.pewabic.com

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held on Sunday, June 6, from noon to 5 p.m. Tickets are \$12 and are available at the Gaelic League. Call (313) 962-5660 for details.

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What women know about water may save their skin

(NAPSI) - Here's a quick quiz for women: which part of your body first shows signs of dehydration: your face, hands, elbows, feet, legs, chest or neck? If you answered as nearly half the women (41 percent) did in a recent national survey called "Tap Into Power of Hydration," you also confirm that American women only know half the story on the importance of water and hydration when it comes to maintaining skin's youthful

body can show the effects of a woman's hands and face

older than her Women have numerous skin care options to combat these dehydrating effects and elements," said Dr. Myra Barker. "This survey indicates women also need more information about the importance of adding facial hydration to their daily skincare regimen to add moisture and radiance. It's about knowing your skin and knowing what to do when your face needs hydration - not just your body."

appearance. Barker is an executive While most areas of the vice president of marketing/research and developdehydration, it's the skin on ment at Mary Kay Inc. The company recently introthat tend to make her look duced two new hydration

Keep your eyes open to dangers of fatigue

Sleeping and driving don't mix. When you are behind the wheel of a car, fatigue can slow your reaction time, decrease your overall awareness, impair judgment, and quadruple your chance of being involved in an accident, just like drugs or alco-

Are you "asleep at the wheel" when it comes to the facts about fatigue? Find out how you rate by testing your knowledge with the following quiz by the AAA
Foundation for Traffic Safety.

True or false:

- 1. Drinking coffee, tea or anything caffeinated overcomes the effects of drowsiness while driving.
- 2. You'll always know if you're about to fall asleep.
- 3. If you're a cautious driver overall, fatigue is not a
- 4. Most people get the right amount of sleep each night.
- 5. Teens and young adults need less sleep; so fatigue isn't an issue for them.

Answers:

1. False — Stimulants are no substitute for sleep. Products containing caffeine can make you more alert, especially when used in conwith naps. However, when they are only for a short time. If you drink coffee and are seriously sleep-deprived, you still are likely to have "microsleeps" — brief naps that last four or five seconds. At 55 mph, that's more than

2. False — If you're like most people, you believe you can control your sleep. The truth is sleep is not voluntary. If you're drowsy, you can fall asleep and never know it. You cannot tell how long you've been asleep. When you're driving, being asleep even for a few seconds can be fatal.

3. False - The only safe driver is an alert driver. Even the safest drivers become confused and use poor judgment when they are sleepy.

4. False — Chances are good that you really aren't getting all the sleep you need. The average person needs seven or eight hours of sleep a night.

5. False -- In fact, teens and young adults need more sleep than people in their They often get less because they enjoy staying up late or wake up early for

Still, when they get up early, they still feel alert in the evening. In turn, they think that means it's OK they don't get enough sleep. Unfortunately, temporary alertness wears off later, and people can end up driving home drowsy.

cific needs of normal/dry and oily skin. Intense Moisturizing Cream infuses skin with a concentrated moisture boost, resulting in a more radiant look and soft feel, and Oil-Free Hydrating is immediately absorbed. It transforms skin

by restoring moisture balance and hydration for up to 10 hours. Many women have the misconception that oily skin does not need hydration. In

fact, oil and moisture are

two different things; oily skin can actually be dehy-

drated just as dry skin can. According to Barker, the survey was taken to better understand the current perception women have about hydration and the need to supply and maintain the moisture balance in their

The good news: Women have a fairly strong knowledge about the causes and effects of dehydration on

· Eighty-three percent of respondents believe cold air dries the skin.

 Alcohol consumption (77 percent) and smoking (66 percent) were also blamed for drying the skin.

· Caffeine was accurately cited by 71 percent of women as a dehydrating agent that depletes the body of water.

· Sixty-two percent of women believe drinking eight glasses of water daily is enough to hydrate their

 Only nine percent of women said topical hydration would have a lasting positive effect.

"Despite the fact that some women are educated about the effects of hydration, our survey indicates that many are still unclear about the importance of moisture to sustain healthy, radiant skin," said Barker.
"A woman knows her skin best and can tell when she needs a little something extra to give it a more radiant appearance. By evaluating her lifestyle she can determine those dehydrating elements, such as stress, hormones or the environment, and personally tailor her skin care regimen. Drinking eight glasses of water a day is only the beginning. Properly hydrated skin is not only healthier.

SOC plans Medicare prescription drug benefit community forum

Randy Block from the Detroit Area Agency on Aging will present а Medicare Prescription Drug Benefit Forum on Monday, June 7, at 11:30 a.m. at Services for Older Citizens (SOC). Lunch will be served at 11 a.m.

If you have questions about the new Medicare Drug Cards, this is a presentation not to be missed.

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will be addressed: Who can get a Medicare-approved drug discount card? When do you choose a drug discount card? How do you enroll? Can you enroll in

there any involved in getting the card? What happens if you choose a discount card, and your doctor changes your pre-

The following questions you do if a company that offers a discount drug card

contacts you directly? Other questions to be can you get the card? How addressed are whether you can get a discount card if you are in a Medicare Managed Care plan; can you more than one discount leave a discount card pro-card?

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Senior voices are heard

Seniors last year scored a home run with their loud and vehement protest against the new Medicare Prescription Drug bill.

You recall AARP's traitorous action which tipped the scales and convinced legislators that seniors would approve the bill. In fact, without AARP's support, it is highly unlikely the bill would have passed. Loads of seniors didn't like the bill, and according to AARP, 45,000 members dropped out of AARP.

My belief is that many more seniors let AARP know of their outrage. That's what I believe is behind AARP's new foursquare effort to change the bill so government can negotiate with drug companies on the price of drugs. It also now agrees that U.S. drugs should be allowed to be reimported from Canada and other countries.

Do you have any idea how hard it is to change a bill once passed by Congress and signed by the president? Wouldn't it have been more reasonable if AARP had surveyed its members and then informed Congress before the bill was passed that seniors would not support the bill if these elements were not included? But that would not have advanced AARP's special interests.

AARP's new stand demonstrates the power of numbers, and seniors' strongest ally is their numbers. It's important to cast your vote in the November election and urge others to do so.

Speaking of prescription drugs, how about the 100 different cards now being offered to help low-income seniors pay for their drugs? The criteria for seniors in selecting the card that's best for them



is to find what drugs the card covers and what prices are charged for these drugs. I can't begin to imagine going through 100 cards to figure out which is the best card for my needs.

One other disturbing element is that once seniors have made their decision on what card to go with, they are stuck with that card for a full year. On the other hand, the groups offering the cards oan increase the amounts they charge at any time without having to obtain permission from

the government.
What a boondoggle! But wait until the Medicare Prescription Drug bill takes effect in 2006. The co-pays and deductibles quoted in newspapers from government experts will be higher by the time the hill goes into effect because of rises in drug costs during the two-year interim. It's also a given that drug costs, and of course copays and deductibles, will continue to rise each year as new and expensive drugs come into the marketplace.

The high costs of both the interim card benefit and the new Medicare Prescription Drug bill are difficult to understand, especially when compared to a prescription drug plan recently offered to low-income seniors in Oakland County.

many as 100,000 working poor residents of Oakland County. They are defined as individuals making \$16,000 or less a year and families with an income of \$25,000 or less.

Oakland County offers the plan through Prescription Relief, a Columbus, Ohio, nonprofit company. The group works with more than 100 pharmaceutical companies' charitable units to supply prescriptions to individuals for \$7 a month. In return, the drug companies get a tax write-off and an avenue to get rid of drugs that are nearing their expiration date.

Prescription Relief has 44,000 clients in Ohio and is starting a program in Washoe County in Nevada.

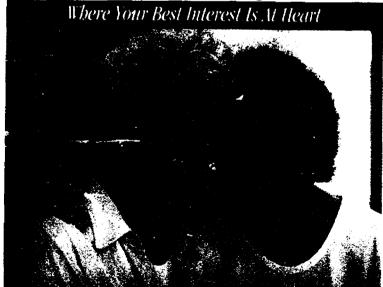
Under the Oakland County program, enrollees pay a \$25 application fee, in addition to the \$7 per prescription.

The program comes at no cost to Oakland County, according to Oakland County Executive L. Brooks Patterson, because the \$25 enrollment fee pays the costs of management and enrollment.

Some 1,400 drugs are covered under the program, and Patterson says that includes Viagra. Can the new cards match that?

The information above confuses me. The new Medicare Prescription Drug bill specifically bans government from negotiating drug prices with pharmaceutical companies. The drug companies claimed this could lead to price controls. Yet here is a what is apparently a private nonprofit group negotiating with pharma ceutical companies for lower prices based on a quid pro quo basis. Strange.

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Aging can cause ear, nose, throat problems

By Douglas Kubek, D.O. Special Writer

The aging process leaves no part of the body untouched. We do not, however, have to accept every

ache, pain and inconvenience associated with aging. Severely arthritic joints can be replaced, cataracts can be removed, and many of the ear, nose and throat problems common in the aging patient can be treated or even eliminated.

The following are some of the more common agerelated ear, nose and throat (ENT) complaints and various treatment options:

 Hearing loss — The gradual loss of hearing as we age is common. In fact, as many as one-half of individuals older than 75 have some degree of hearing loss. This most often is due to heredity, long-term exposure to loud noise and a build up of ear wax.

In heavy manufacturing cities like Detroit, noiserelated hearing loss is common in older individuals who have spent many years working in factories and stamping plants before labor laws regulated such exposure. Also, the generations of soldiers who saw live combat in WW II, the Korean War and the Vietnam War may have some noise-related hearing

Within the inner ear are thousands of tiny hairs that help transmit sound vibrations into electrical signals that are read by the brain. Most hearing loss is a result of these tiny hairs breaking or becoming damaged and losing their ability to efficiently transmit signals. With this damage, higher pitched tones, such as women's and children's voices, become diffi-

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wound care, and injuries to the foot and ankle.

Unfortunately, many individuals suffer with inadequate hearing because of their reluctance to wear a hearing aid. But some hearing aids today are so small they fit entirely in the ear canal. Also, most insurance plans pay for at least some of the cost of a hearing aid.

For some individuals hearing loss can be the result of a gradual build up of ear wax in the ear canal, which restricts sound waves from entering the ear. Cerumen glands in the ear produce this waxy substance. Most individuals' ears are self-cleaning. However, some people's ears produce large amounts of sticky wax that should be removed by an ENT physician on a regular basis. Trying to remove ear wax yourself with a cotton swab may only push the wax further into the ear canal and can injure the

Voice changes — Another widely held belief is that once a person reaches a certain age his or her voice will become weak and gravelly. Some common causes of voice changes are aging muscles in the larynx, bowed or thinning vocal cords, Parkinson's disease, stroke, certain medications and reflux of stomach acid into the upper throat. Many of these are treatable and need not be tolerated because of advancing age.

For persons who do a great deal of public speaking, singing or who rely on their voice for their profession, treatment options may be as simple as lifestyle changes and might include voice therapy, injections to plump up vocal cords and sometimes surgery

ENT surgeon may suggest examination of the vocal cords using a flexible endoscope. This thin tube is inserted through the nose and allows the physician to closely examine the vocal cords to check for abnormalities.

in the elderly population is laryngeal reflux disease. This happens when stomach acids reflux into the throat causing tissue injury and symptoms like hoarseness, throat clearing, increased phlegm and cough. If lifestyle changes like raising the head of the bed and avoiding certain foods does not help, certain medications, which reduce the amount of acids pro-

 Balance problems and dizziness — Problems with balance can be incapacitating to the aging patient since it affects one's ability to move about and to drive. Dizziness is often diagnosed by excluding possible causes, which commonly include medications, decreased blood flow to the brain, neurological

called the utricle. Inside the utricle are sensory hair cells that are surrounded by a gelatinous layer in which tiny stone-like particles are embedded. When we bend down, the particles drop downward in the gelatinous layer, pulling the sensony hairs down. 10 1 This tells our brain where our head is relative to the

tient procedures, an ENT physician can maneuver the position of the head to move the loose particles in the ear to a place where they won't cause dizziness. The success rate of this procedure is

Dr. Kubek is a boardcertified Bon Secours Cottage ear, nose and throat surgeon. He also is board certified in head and neck surgery and facial plastic and reconstructive surgery. For an appointment,

cult to hear, especially if there is background noise.

If the cause for voice changes is not apparent, an

A common cause of hoarseness and gravelly voice duced by the stomach, can be prescribed.

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When these tiny particles become dislodged, they send misinformation to our brain causing dizziness.

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DWIs: You drink, you drive, you lose

Criminal defense attorney Dave Ayers of St. Paul, Minn., tells his children the same thing he tells his clients and the many student and parent groups that he has lectured to over the last 25 years: "Don't get behind the wheel if you've been drinking. It's much cheaper to call a cab or your parents than to pay me and the state and risk losing your license, your job, and

He delivers this message even more passionately this time of year, when young people are gearing up for proms and graduation par-

Whether your state calls it DWI (driving while intoxicated) or DUI (driving under the influence), the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration sums it up best in its impaired driving campaign: "You Drink & Drive. You Lose."

According to NHTSA, in 2002, 17,419 people were killed and 258,000 injured in alcohol-related motor vehicle crashes. The vast majority of deaths - 15,000 occurred in crashes that involved at least one person who had a blood alcohol concentration of at least .08, the legal limit for drivers in most states. Last year 2,000 young people ages 15-20 died in alcoholrelated crashes.

Ayers said parents and students are shocked to learn what is at stake for people who drive while impaired by alcohol, especially young people with just small amounts of alcohol in their systems. He said that in Minnesota one of just a few states that still has a BAC limit of .10 – a first-time DWI is a misdemeanor offense that

can result in: beat Up to 90 days in jail A fine of up to \$1,000 Probation of up to two years with a \$180 probation

 Chemical assessment of \$150 required by state statute to determine if

there is an alcohol problem Chemical dependency treatment if needed, which can cost thousands of dol-

• Attendance at a MADD (Mothers Against Drunk Driving) victim impact panel, where you hear from families of people whose loved ones have been killed or from victims who have been severely injured by a drunken driver

 Attendance at substance abuse education classes, which can cost about \$150

· Driver's license revoca-

tion of 30-90 days Driver's license rein-

statement fee of \$700 Cancellation of automo-

bile insurance, requiring you to buy risk insurance. which costs about twice as much as regular insurance

Attorneys' fees of about

\$2,500-\$3,000

• Towing fee of \$133-\$175 and storage fees of \$18 per

In all, that DWI can easily cost \$5,000, not to mention the time and effort to address non-monetary penalties and requirements. Ayers said if a Minnesota lice officer arrests you for DWI, the vehicle is impounded and an "inventory search" is conducted. If drugs or other contraband are found, you can be prosecuted for that too, and your vehicle can become the property of the police.

"All of a sudden, the DWI has led to a big felony, and you are in major trouble," Ayers said. The consequences are much worse for repeat offenders or for drunken drivers who crash a car or cause injuries or

Zero tolerance for underage drinkers

Minnesota has a "zero tolerance" law for underage drinkers called "Not a Drop," which means there is no legal BAC level for drivers under 21 (some states allow up to .02 BAC). That means that in St. Paul, Minn., for instance. just a few swallows of alcohol for a 17-year-old driver can lead to an "underage drinking and driving" offense with penalties similar to those for a first-time DWI.

In fact, the young offender loses his or her license for six months, at least twice as long as that for DWI drivers 21 and over.

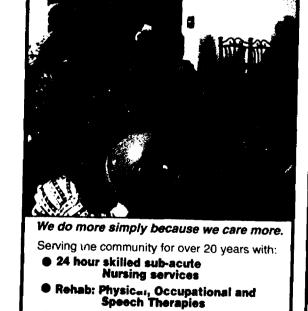
According to NHTSA, thousands of young lives have been saved since enactment of zero tolerance

Adults need to understand they also risk jail time and a fine if they supply alcohol to minors whether or not the minor drives. If an underage drinker kills or injures another person, the person who supplied the alcohol could be charged with a serious crime — felony for a death or gross misdemeanor or misdemeanor for injury

and face a civil lawsuit. For more information on impaired driving, underage drinking and driving and zero tolerance laws, go to the NHTSA's www.stopimpaireddriving.org.
This health column offers

information needed to help prevent substance abuse problems and address such problems. It is provided by Hazelden, a nonprofit agency based in Center Minn., that offers a wide range of information and services on addiction and recovery. For more resources, call Hazelden at (800) 257-7800 or check its

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Remembering . . .

If books had hearts they would be breaking. For they've lost a tireless champion this week. Helen Gregory, librarian at the Grosse author of The

Pointe Library and Grosse Pointe News "Book Return" col-

umn, passed away on May 22, 2004. With wit, grace and humor, Helen demonstrated, week after week, that reading connects intricately with everything we do, from politics, love, enter-

tainment, illness, pets, even sex . . . Equally at home with William Blake and Dr. Phil, her columns were a joy to read, a kick to read, and they promoted literacy and the library steadfastly. Her down-to-earth humor disguised the weight of her literary knowledge and

Helen had been too ill to write the column for the last half year. But we would like to run one last Book Return column as a tribute to her, with some favorite quips from former columns on a wide array of topics.

Media

Night-night, Nightline (March 14, 2002)

It's been a while since I lost sleep over a man. Lately, however, I've realized sleep is impossible before I've found out what Ted Koppel wants to talk about. For 20 years, Koppel has been encouraging us to think.

GPPL is ready for a taxing situa-

tion (January 3, 2002)

Doing taxes is about as much fun as brushing a cat's teeth. Even so, while the rest of the world was celebrating the holidays, a few of you came to the library to find out when we'll put the tax stuff out . . . There's lots of information out there, brave souls. On the other hand, you could come to the aid of the economy by hiring an accountant. President Bush will thank you. Alan Greenspan will thank you. Most of all: your accountant will thank you.

Who's up for a cozy little murder? (April 18, 2002)

Spring in Michigan means a lot of rainy nights; possible thunderstorms. What better time for a cup of tea with a little light-hearted bloodletting on the side? . . . Some people work puzzles to relax. Murder gives the puzzle urgency. Cozy mysteries offer the comforts of fantasy in the guise of reality. Justice will be served, possibly with a recipe for cookies on the side.

Plastic bimbos

Barbie's in trouble again (May 30,

Early on the Wednesday morning before Memorial Day, a radio newscast-er announced that Barbie is being confiscated from Iranian stores for, I quote, "her un-Islamic sensibilities." What? This was news to me. I mean to say, I have known that girl for years

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> and — for a fact — she had no sensibilities whatsoever. She was too busy changing clothes. If you've been given a brain, use it. If you haven't, use whatever you've got.

Sex and interlibrary loan Inappropriate sex (now that I

have your attention) (October 3, 2002)

The other day a newscaster announced that a certain politician admitted to having "inappropriate sex with a woman other than his wife." It distracted me from the rest of the news as I speculated on what might be inappropriate with his wife. What might be appropriate sex with a woman other than his wife? Librarians have been using jargon for years. Take for example the term "interloan."

Guilty pleasures Guilty pleasures: Peek into pri-

vate lives, letters (May 2, 2002)
The last taboo is reading someone else's private papers without their knowledge or permission. Nothing is worse than having our diaries or love letters broadcast to the world at large. If they're scandalous, we're reviled. If they're not, worse. We're boring. Diaries have been popular from Pepys

Ethics

to Bridget Jones.

The good, the bad and the difference (January 2, 2003)

There are benefits to being flawed. I have a much easier time with the New Year than the near-perfect people. While they're ferreting about for a few good resolutions, I can rattle off a Top 10 list in less time than it takes to lose money in the stock market. I could opt to write a kinder, gentler column. But what fun would that be?

Canada and travel Can you go home again?

(November 29, 2001) deleve Canadians. For starters, d. hear. the cutest turns of phrase from them. They say things like "Don't be daft," and "Are you barking mad?" So I crossed the border yet again, looking forward to that engaging chitchat. Getting into Canada was easy — easily accepting my voter's registration card as a second ID and proof of citizenship. When she asked if we had any weapons, I said, "Not even a nail file. There is not much one can do with an emery board." My friends reminded me, later — please refrain from flippancy. Don't do as I do; do as I tell you. Adios

and au revoir. Goodbye Helen. The pearly gates have just become a much more literate and glamorous place. We will miss you.

- G.P. Central Library staff

Red Hat Society

The Scarlett O'Hara chapter of the Red Hat Society celebrated its second birthday at a recent

The tongue-in-cheek organization for women of a certain age is led by Pam Stanley "the Queen

Seated, from left, are Suzanne Roland, Baroness of Music; Flo Bernhardt, Countess of Wayne County; Mary Klobuchar, Duchess of Mindfulness; Mary Trybus, Duchess of Etiquette; and Carolyn Ugval, Lady Barristress.

Standing, from left, are Carol Gibson, Baroness of Information; Gloria Kaiser, Empress of Female E-Mail; Stanley, Queen Mum; Bethany Mazzoline, Countess of Eastpointe; Pat Gay, Lady Hysterian; Gail Overall, Countess of Metro Detroi; Mary Ferrari, Countess of Grosse Pointe Woods; Rosanne Marrow, Lady Anti-Parliamentarian; and Gloria Arslanian, Vice Queen Mum.

Not shown, are Margaret Hahn, Duchess of Inspiration; and Karen Loosvelt, Lady Artiste in Residence.



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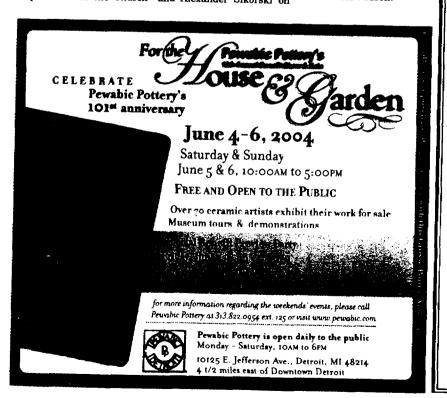
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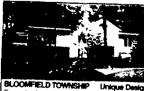
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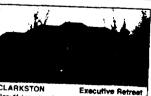
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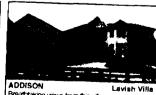
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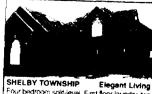
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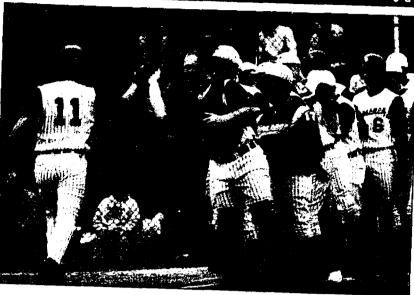
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Grosse Pointe North's baseball players line up to congratulate teammate Jon Zalenski after one of his two home runs in the Norsemen's 14-2 win over Grosse

Norsemen have a strong finish

Grosse Pointe North's and a walk to Josh Lewis baseball team had a strong start and an impressive finish in the Macomb Area Conference White Division this year.

Unfortunately, a luli in the middle of the year, was costly for the Norsemen.

"We lost three straight league games," said coach Frank Sumbera after North's 14-2 win over divichampion Grosse Pointe South in the league finale for both teams. "That knocked us right out of the

South finished 11-3 in the MAC White, Utica Ford II was 10-4 and the Norsemen were third at 9-5.

The Blue Devils jumped ahead with a run in the top of the first inning on Drew Bedan's RBI single, but North came back with three runs in the bottom of the

A single by Adam Miller

started the rally. The next two batters made outs, but Lawrence Briski drove in two runs with a single, and Zac Matthews followed with an RBI single.

North made it 8-1 with five runs in the second. Singles by David Shiell and Miller around a walk to Michael Kaiser loaded the bases. Lewis drove in two runs with a single and Jon Zalenski followed with a three-run homer.
"He really crushed that

' Sumbera said. "The one.' cars four rows deep in the parking lot weren't safe."

South picked up a run in the third when P.J. Janutol singled and scored on a bases-loaded walk to Ben Schrode.

Zalenski hit his second homer of the game after a single by Kaiser in the third

North capped the scoring

with four runs in the fifth. Matthews homered after Briski reached base on an error. Xander Wagner dou-bled, Kaiser walked and Miller was hit by a pitch to load the bases. Lewis drove in one run with a sacrifice fly and the other one scored on a wild pitch.

Andrew Shanley and Jon Tibaudo combined on a twohitter for North.

"We're hitting on all cylinders right now," Sumbera

said. "Now we have to keep it up." North finished the regular

season with a 24-9 record. North played Detroit
Finney in a pre-district
game. The winner was
scheduled to play Detroit
Kettering at South at 10
a.m. Saturday, while the
Rive Devils played Detroit Blue Devils played Detroit King at noon. The district championship game will be at South at 3 p.m. Saturday.

North boys win league meet

By Chuck Klonke Sports Editor

Grosse Pointe North senior Dave Selak put quite an exclamation point on the end of his high school track career.

Selak, who wrapped up his career at the Michigan Interscholastic Track Coaches Association team state meet in Ypsilanti last weekend, posted personal records in both the shot put and discus.

"He capped off his senior season in tremendous fashion," said coach Dan Quinn. It was his last opportunity and he certainly made the most of it."

Selak threw a personal record of 125-feet-1 in the discus. He then had a throw of 40-1 in the shot put, which was also a PR. It was also the best throw by a North shot putter in five years.
"We've been trying for a

long time to get a 40-footer, and Dave did it at the last possible moment of his

career," Quinn said.
North finished sixth, but Quinn was excited about the Norsemen's performance.
"We used this to prepare

for the state meet (on Saturday at Rockford High School), and we had a good day," Quinn said.

Grand Rapids Forest Hills Northern was first, followed Canton, Ypsilanti Lincoln, Pinckney Saline.

Marcell Maxwell got a taste of state competition and finished third in the 100-meter dash with a time

"A run like that equates to about 11.0 for a hand-timed race, which is what Marcell had to do to win the region-al the week before," Quinn Maxwell had an outstand-ing day. He won the 100 in

Quinn was encouraged by the performance of his middle distance runners. North's 3,200 relay team of Mario Sexton, Robbie Fisher, Mike Pokladek and John Bremer ran an 8:13.64, which is two seconds off the school record.

"It was a good meet for those guys because they were able to see some of the best runners in the state, and to get an idea of how close they are to breaking the record," Quinn said.

"They should have a solid chance of breaking it (at the state meet) if they run like they can."

State finalist Spencer Channel finished fourth in the discus with a throw of 138-3

Earlier, North added the Macomb Area Conference Gold Division meet championship to the MAC Gold dual meet title that the Norsemen won with a 6-0 record.

North finished with 143.75 points to 134.75 for runner-up Marine City. Fraser was third with 85 points, followed by Marysville 73.75, Warren Woods-Tower 34, Lakeview 31 and Cousino 24.75.

"The boys ran well," Quinn sadi. "We were coming off a high point at regionals. and it is often tough to come back and run your best.'

The Norsemen placed three runners in the 100, 1,600, 800 and 3,200 and won the 800 and 3,200 relays.

"It came down to a lot of the same issues as the dual meet-with Marine City," Quinn said.

10.6, which was .05 off the school record, and he was first in the 200 in 23.3. He also anchored the winning 800 relay and was part of the second-place 400 relay team.

Maxwell, Robert Bailiff, who was second in the 100, and Cam Cecchini, who was sixth, all had PRs.

Fisher also won events, and his 4:29.3 effort in winning the 1,600 run was the best ever by a North freshman.

"He outsprinted a good senior runner (Fraser's Steve Cullen)," Quinn said. "Then he came back and had a nice race against Bremer and Cullen in the 800. They let him stay in the race and he was able to pull ahead of the veterans."

Steven Joseph was fifth, and Stefan Cross was sixth with a PR in the 1,600.

In the 800, Bremer was third and Nate Loree came in fifth for North.

Sexton won the 400 dash in 53.4 and Pokladek was third with a PR of 54.0.

Sexton, Bremer, Pokladek and Fisher won the 3,200 relay in 8:31.5, while the 800 relay team of Bailiff, Kevin Kwiatkowski, Cecchini and Maxwell had a

winning time of 1:35.5.

Dan Minturn gave the Norsemen some important points with a third in the 200 dash.

North took three places in the 3,200 run. Cross was third, Joseph finished fourth and Eric Burton came in sixth with a PR.

The Norsemen's team of Bailiff, Kwiatkowski, Cecchini and Maxwell was second in the 400 relay, while the 1,600 relay team

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North sending six individuals;

at this weekend's Division I were personal records.

relay teams from North qualified out of the regional meet held at Grosse Pointe

Devils in the team standings. South had 113 points to 109 for North.

The Norsemen won five regional championships.

was second in the pole vault, won the shot put with a throw of 34-feet.

cus with a throw of 108-9. the 800-meter run. Melissa

North's team of Winterfield, Anderson, Betsy Graney and Jennifer DeFauw won the 3,200 relay in 9:46, which was also a season-best. It was the second-best time in school his-

Norsemen also recorded their best time of the season in winning the 1,600 relay in 4:15.5. Members of that team were DeFauw, Winterfield, Anderson Jessica and Melissa Anderson.

Graney qualified for the state meet with a second place time of 12:17 in the 3,200 run. It was also a PR for Graney.

DeFauw had a PR of 58.8 as she finished second in the

The top two finishers in

North's Korene Jones and Jessica Anderson had third places in the hurdles. Jones had a PR of 17.0 in the 100 high hurdies, while Anderson ran a 50.7 in the 300 hurldes.

Christine Bourgeois was fourth in the discus with a personal-best throw of 103. Szymborski was Kelly fourth in the 3,200 run, and Cara Miserendino had a PR of 5:35 as she took fourth in the 1.600.

Sixth-place finishes came from Nagel in the shot put and Jones in the long jump. formances from

North also had fine per-Katie Horne, Danielle Hubler, Rebecca Pollard, Margaret and

two relays to girls state meet Grosse Pointe North will and Patty Winterfield was have a good representation second in 2:24.2. Both times each event qualified for the

girls track and field championships at Rockford High Six individuals and two

The Norsemen finished a close second to the host Blue

Emily Schleicher, who

Elise Nagel won the dis-North had a 1-2 finish in Anderson was first in 2:23.6, 400 dash.

Grosse Pointe South's

girls lacrosse team picked

up three more victories

recently to improve to 9-0 in

Pearce Pavle and Alexis

win over

Kingswood,

Pavle each scored four goals

in a 16-5 win over Grosse

Casey Scavone and Allison

Ambrozy had four goals apiece to lead the Blue

Ambrozy scored five goals,

Pearce Pavle added three

apiece in a 15-4 romp over

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In a 14-5

South girls stay perfect in lacrosse Birmingham United.

> Krystin MacConnachie. Kristin Inger and Natalie Relich led the Blue Devils' defense. Jessie Pogue was outstanding in goal.

South also competed in the Midwest Schoolgirls Lacrosse Association Tournament in Buffalo, N.Y., and the Blue Devils advanced to the championship game where they lost 10-7 to Mount Lebanon, Ohio.

Scavone, Alexis Pavle and Ambrozy scored two goals apiece and Jami Morris had for South.

MacConnachie and Alexis Pavle made the Midwest alltournament team.

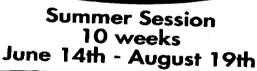
South quickly advanced to the semifinals with wins against two Michigan

In the semifinals, the Blue Devils beat previouslyunbeaten Hathaway Brown from Cleveland, 9-8 in sudden death overtime.

Alexis Pavle scored the winning goal — her second of the game. Louisell, Pearce Pavle and Scavone also had two goals apiece and Anna Millich scored Ambrozy had four assists

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Maggie Collison hands off to Sam Mackenzie in the 1,600-meter relay. Collison also won the 1,600 run at the state team championship meet in Ypsilanti last weekend.

South girls fifth in state team track meet

Grosse Pointe South's girls track team finished fifth at last weekend's Michigan Interscholastic Track Coaches Association state team championship

South's Maggie Collison won the 1,600-meter run. Collison pulled away from the field in the final 300 meters to win in 5:20.

Collison teamed up with Megan Zaranek, Liz Petit Zaranek. and Sarah Petit to place second in the 3,200 relay.

Freshman Mackenzie gave the Blue Devils a second in the high

Others placing in the top six were Kara Trowell and Kristen Morici in the long Grunberger, jump, Stephanie Royer in Franchett and Liz Baxter.

the pole vault, Christina Jacovides in the 100 hurdles, Jill McLaughlin in the 1,600, and McLaughlin, Kat Carmody and Jessica Palffy in the 3,200.

All three of South's sprint relays placed in the top five. Team members included Kelly Connor, Trowell, Morici, Mackenzie, Crystal Coates, Iris Alao, Michelle O'Donoghue and Julie

Others who did well in the state meet were Carly Czajka, Megan Smale, Sarah Dionne, Madelyn Mollison, Sam Carr, Sarah Hansen, Elsida Konakciu, Mackenzie Whims, Leigh Emily

Blue Devils defeat Eisenhower to win outright MAC Red soccer championship

Grosse Pointe South's girls soccer team when it beat Utica Eisenhower 2-0 in a Macomb Area Conference Red Division match.

right division title for the Gene Harkins his first conwas also South's first win toire, it was to no avail. over the Eagles since 2000.

South was in control.

Eisenhower coach Chris Corteg, who hadn't lost to South since he was coaching ed Division match. Stevenson, was effusive in The win clinched the outhis praise of the Blue Devils.

Corteg said that he "never Blue Devils, giving coach saw a South team play so well, and, while I pulled out ference championship. It all the stops in my reper-

The Blue Devils controlled The Blue Devils started the midfield with Whitney slowly as both teams were Cahill, Hilliary Inger, tentative for the first 10 Jessica Leonard, Lauren Inger.

It was a day of firsts for minutes, but after that McLaughlin and Margi leading 11th goal. Scholtes. Liz Ridgway, Stephanie Kostiuk, Anne Cunningham and Laura Danforth made speedy attacking runs from both

> Defensively, the outstand-Galea, and defenders Sarah Stanczyk, Molly Burns and Kelly Springborn thwarted all of Eisenhower's offensive thrusts.

Goalkeeper Ali Morawski made 11 saves to earn her third shutout.

South's first goal was nullified by an offside call, but that provided only momentary relief for the Eagles.

The Blue Devils continued to press the attack, and Cunningham's perfect crossing pass was sent home by Ridgway with 12:36 to play in the first half.

It was Ridgway's team- record.

At halftime,

Harkins praised his team for winning the 50-50 balls, playing the ball to the outside and beating the opponents physical-

He correctly predicted ing play of stopper Megan that Eisenhower would Switalski, sweeper Liz change its formation for the second half, and alerted his players to make the necesadjustments defense

Inger's line drive shot gave South its second goal 15 minutes into the second half. It came off an excellent pass from Kostiuk.

Also contributing to the victory were Lisa Repicky, Jessica and Jennifer Marsh, Greta Schaltenbrand, Jackie Madison, Jae March and Allison Fennell.

South finished 6-1-1 in the MAC Red and ended the regular season with a 11-5-1

another tough loss Sarah Kurtz provided relief for the North starters. Grosse Pointe North's girls soccer team suffered

Norsemen suffer

another one-goal defeat in Macomb Conference Red Division last week when ninth-ranked Stevenson beat the Norsemen 1-0.

The scoreless first half featured strong play by North in all areas of the field.

Alexa Kaminski challenged the Titans defenders from her striker position for much of the game, along with Erin MacLeod, Jill Kronner and Joyce Ann Mazzei.

midfielders and received support from Melissa Carron, Rachel Zurek and Kelly Ritter.

Anna Staperfenne led the

Stevenson scored the game's only goal midway through the second half.

Kelly Poletis and the rest of the defense corps controlled the high-powered Titans offense for the entire game, allowing few scoring 11-1 record.

In the MAC Red finale, the Norsemen dropped a 4-0 decision to Utica Ford II.

Since the match didn't affect the league standings. both coaches used it as a tuneup for state district

Trailing 4-0 at halftime, North coach Chip Stencel juggled his lineup in the second half in an attempt to spark the team.

Theresa Lleshai saw her first varsity action in goal, allowing Betsy Schrage to spend some time at forward. Schrage has played so well in goal this year, that her field skills have been overlooked. Defenders Jeannie Taylor and Poletis also saw their first action at striker.

Megan Warren and Anna Alschbach played at stopper and midfield, respectively, in the second half.

The Norsemen finished the regular season with a 5-

North netters win Holly tournament

Grosse Pointe North's tennis team won three of the four singles flights in Shovein and Chris Rizzo. taking first place at the recent Holly Invitational.

However, the victory was a costly one for the Norsemen. Brandon Still, one of North's captains and a member of the No. 1 doubles team, suffered a serious knee injury in his second match of the day at No. 2 singles and had to retire.

Still easily won his first match and was winning his second when he injured.

Robbie Barlow was the No. 1 singles, Michael Savalle won the third sin-gles flight, and Robbie Sessions was the fourth sinlost only three matches all other North win.

North won the No. 4 doubles flight behind Eric

The Norsemen were runners-up at first and third doubles. The No. 1 doubles team of Michael Hicks and Luis Versical and the No. 3 team of Johnny Vinson and John Butts lost tough threeset matches in the finals.

At No. 2 doubles, Ben
Czerniawski and Matt

Georke played well in losing some close matches. North alao

Cranbrook Kingswood 5-3 in a dual meet.

Barlow, Michel Jabur, tournament champion at Savalle and Sessions each won their singles matches. Jabur is a foreign exchange student from Brazil.

Goerke and Versical won gles champion. Sessions has at No. 2 doubles for the

diamond teams fall in tourney final

By Bob St. John Sports Writer

Harper Woods' girls softball team lost the Metro Conference Tournament championship game, falling 6-0 to Macomb Lutheran

It was North's 11th straight conference championship.

"We played poorly against a good team," head coach Carol Arthmire said. "North went at us. We didn't play well offensively or defensively in a big game."

inning to break open a close

Junior Maria Mahon suffered the loss, striking out Pioneers' five hits.

The Harper Woods softball team fell to 9-2 in the Metro Conference (both losses came to Lutheran North) and 16-6 overall.

The softball team reached the finals by beating University Liggett School 7

"It wasn't pretty, but we won," Arthmire said. was tough playing in the rain and tough for both pitchers because the mound was very slick, but we were able to get a win."

Mahon struggled on the mound but picked up the

The host Pioneers trailed 3-0 before scoring six runs in the bottom of the fourth inning to regain control of the semifinal.

During the six-run out-The Mustangs scored burst, the Pioneers had just runs. three runs in the third two hits but benefited from Art three walks and three ULS errors.

Juniors Solomon and . Sally eight, while junior Jade Smolinski each had two King had two of the hits, while junior Natalie Smolinski each had two Barranca had a run-scoring single in the fourth inning.

In the conference quarterfinals, the Pioneers beat Lutheran Westland 4-2 as Mahon struck out 15 and gave up only one hit to post the victory.

Barranca continued her

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hot-hitting, getting two hits. The Pioneers also played a nonleague game against Clawson last week, coming from behind to win 10-5.

"The girls don't quit," Arthmire said. "We seem to fall behind early in games, but the girls find a way to win."

Junior Bridget Wagner started, and Mahon pitched

in relief, picking up the win. Offensively, Solomon had two hits and five stolen bases, while Smolinski doubled twice and drove in two

Arthmire's squad trailed 3-0 before exploding for seven runs in the bottom of the third inning to take the lead for good.

for the Coming up Pioneers is a Division III district tournament on Saturday, June 5, on their home field.

Baseball

The Harper Woods boys baseball team was upset in the Metro Conference Tournament championship game early last week, losing 5-1 to Rochester Hills Lutheran Northwest.

North •

David Klein, who tied for fourth in the high jump, was also fourth in the 110 hur-

Channel was fourth in the control in the first inning. iscus, while Selak was "The ball was wet from discus, while Selak was sixth with a PR.

Utley cleared 11-0 to finish fourth in the pole vault. Cooper said. In the MITCA state meet, Utley set a freshman record after the first inning, but of 12-0.

a 12-foot freshman pole vaulter." Quinn said.

Other PRs for North came from Jacob Masinick, Selak and Jacob Nellis in the shot put, and DeAndré Henderson in the 110 and 300 hurdles races.

"We came out flat, and the guys never played with any enthusiasm," head coach DeAndre Cooper said. "We played so well a few days before, playing tough against tougher competition, but for some reason they didn't have the same passion against Northwest.

Senior Frank Pietrangelo pitched the first five innings, suffering the loss. The offense took the after-

noon off as they collected only a few hits, and they struck out 12 times. "He (Northwest's No. 1 pitcher) handed it to us not

once, but twice this season Cooper said. "We got lucky to beat him the first time we faced him, but he got the best of us today."

The loss dropped the Pioneers to 10-1 in the Metro Conference and 17-6 overall.

"We have to regain our focus before the state playoffs begin," Cooper said. "We can't play like this and expect to win.'

Earlier, the Pioneers postwins in the Metro Conference semifinals and quarterfinala crushing Bloomfield Hills Cranbrook Kingswood 12-2 and Livonia Clarenceville 15-0, respec-

"The guys want to be challenged because it makes of Sexton, Pokladek, Will Utley and Bremer also was Cooper said. "These kids "These kids enjoy playing baseball, and they want to win."

> Junior James earned the win against Cranbrook Kingswood, despite struggling with his

> the rain, but once he calmed down he was terrific,"

The game was tied 2-2 the host Pioneers put two "I'm excited about having runs on the board in the second inning and eight more in the third to make it a route.

Slago helped his own cause, getting two hits and two RBIs, while junior

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ULS lacrosse team gets impressive win

A recent victory over "After that we settled down, Liggett School lacrosse coach Zac Hubbell smiling

for several reasons. this season," Hubbell said

after the 12-10 win. loss in the Grosse Pointe South tournament. plus this was a league game.

Joe Burchi had three goals and four assists to lead the Knights' attack. Tommy Russell, Adam Rock and Chris McGriff each scored two goals. Russell also had an assist

Joey Cobb, Yash Prasad and Barré Mackie added a goal apiece.

Freshman Ryan Deane continued to play at a high level in goal, and he had 22 saves. Defensively, Greg Jones and Mike Giancarlo played well.

ULS played an undefeated East Lansing (15-0) squad and lost 7-1.

Knights' only goal, assisted by Burchi

"We started out bad and were down 4-1 after the first Hubbell said. the game."

Notre Dame had University and played them pretty Liggett School lacrosse well." The ULS defense of

Barret Young, Giancarlo and "This was probably our Jones held the Trojans' leadmost complete game so far ing scorer to one goal.
this season," Hubbell said "Mike Olsen also played

very well in his first game at "This was an important a new position," Hubbell win for us. We avenged the said. "We switched him to a long-stick middie, and he played very well.*

ULS turned in another fine performance in a 6-4 victory over L'Anse Creuse North. "This was a very good

game for us defensively," Hubbell said. "Greg Jones, Mike Giancarlo, Barret Young, Mike Olsen and Jack Gray all played very well on the defensive end.'

The Knights held the Crusaders to 22 shots. Deane made 11 saves. Hubbell said that Peter

Altshuler and Mackie both played strong two-way games.

"All in all, it was a very strong effort for our team. Hubbell said. "We were able to shut them down, and control the ball near the end of the game when we needed to, and not let them back in





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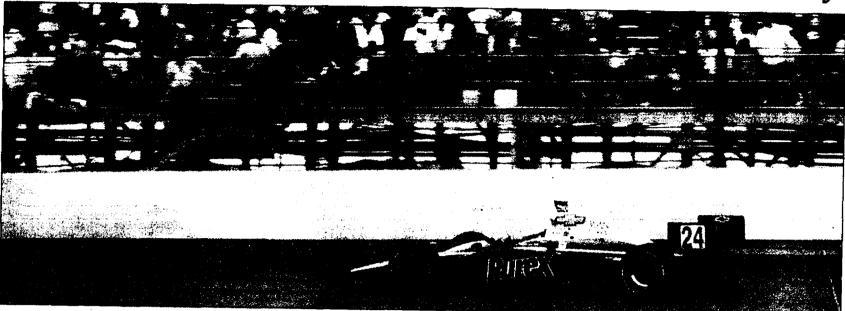
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Buhl's driver gains 10 spots to finish 15th at Indy



By Brad Lindberg

An Indianapolis 500 winner and former Indy Racing League champion has compared the circuit's newest team owner to one of motor sport's living legends.

The compliment came from Buddy Lazier shortly before starting the 88th Indy 500 as a driver for Robbie Buhl's Dreyer & Reinbold Racing.

"Robbie is going to be excellent in his new role, said Lazier, winner of the 1996 500 and 2000 IRL series champ. "He reminds me a lot of Roger Penske."

Like Penske, Buhl drove race cars before retiring from the cockpit to become a full-time owner. Penske stopped driving in 1965 and led Penske Racing to its first of 13 Indys in 1972. Buhl, a Grosse Pointe Farms native, made the switch last month.

"I don't think Robbie fully grasps how much potential he has in his role," Lazier

Buhl handled race strategy last Sunday for Lazier's No. 91 LifeFitness DRR/Hemelgarn/Dallara/Ch evrolet/Firestone.

Lazier started the race in 28th. He had a flat tire on the back straight, lost a lap, got it back and finished 23rd. He pulled out of the rain-shortened, 180-lap race on lap 164 with fuel system problems.

"We had a top-10 car," Lazier said. "The car was making intermittent noises down the backstretch for the last 15-to-20 laps, and the dash kept blinking

team's second car at Indianapolis.

Felipe Giaffone, a former IRL rookie of the year from Brazil hired in April to replace Buhl as the team's driver of the No. 24 Team Purex/Dreyer

Reinbold/Dallara/Chevrolet/ Firestone, started 25th and finished one lap down in

"I missed our pit box on the next-to-last stop and had to go around another lap, which probably cost us three or four spots," Giaffone said. 'I'm looking forward to the rest of the season."

Buhl joined at least six fan to stop singing and has-



As rain delays the start of the 88th Indianapolis 500, Robbie Buhl, above, reviews race strategy with driver Buddy Lazier in Dreyer & Reinbold Water garage on Gasoline Alley. Discussion continues garage on Gasoline Alley. Discussion continues between team co-owners Buhl and Dennis Reinbold . right, during staging on the front straight. Lazier, winner of the 1996 Indy 500, was hired specifically to drive the team's No. 91 car for this year's race. The team's permanent driver, Felipe Giaffone, took over cockpit duties in May when Buhl retired from the No. 24 Team Purex/Dreyer & Reinbold/Dallara/Chevrolet/Firestone. Giaffone, top, speeds through turn one to finish 15th in Sunday's race. Lazier's day ended early with fuel system problems.

for this year's Indy. The list since," according to an event included Bobby Rahal, the retired 1986 Indy 500 winner whose driver, Buddy Rice, won this year's outing from the pole.

Reinbold in May to drive the said. "In racing, anything can happen, but this is great."

Michael Andretti, another former racer, fielded cars that finished second through

Buhl's former tcammate (and employee) of last year, Sarah Fisher, finished 21st for Kelly Racing. As rain clouds camped around the Indianapolis Motor Speedway during a caution period late in the race, a fan tuned into Fisher's radio frequency and crooned "Singin' in the Rain," said race moni-

tors. "Fisher politely asked the

other drivers-turned-owners n't heard from the fan

summary Buhl drove eight consecutive Indy 500s before retiring. Sunday was his first race as a fulltime owner and team strategist.

"It's a new responsibility," Buhl said. "That's kept me concentrated and focused. I was thinking I'd have a little extra time this month to get caught up and spend more time with people. I've been as busy as ever."

"For me, it's excellent," Lazier said before the race. "It's like having two race car drivers' minds in one."

Buhl stopped driving to focus on building his team.

"I want this team to be competitive day-in, day-out and 10 years from now, Buhl said. "I have mixed emotions, but I don't have any regrets. If I had regrets, I wouldn't have made the



decision."

"You can see a distinctive difference in the team in just the last several weeks," Lazier said. "They've stepped up. This team is growing. It's a team of the future. It's exiting to be part of it. This team is capable of winning this race."

Giaffone and his new teammates are adjusting to

each other. Jeff Dickerson, who spotted for Buhl during three seasons and is now assigned to Giaffone, sees a funda-mental difference between the two drivers.

"Robbie was smoother with the wheel than Felipe," Dickerson

said. "Robbie drove the corners smooth. He didn't like to put a lot of input into the

Giaffone is more aggressive, requiring more manhandling of the steering "There's different ways to

skin the cat," Dickerson said.

In racing slang, Giaffone's

"a gasser.' "He's a pro's pro," Dickerson said. "I don't think he's been comfortable with the car this whole month. But when the curtain went up for qualifying, he was on the gas. When it was time to go, he went."

members, Dickerson, 28, is from Indianapolis. He studied political science at a local college, but while still in high school started working for a neighbor who drove sprint cars.

"I washed the car," Dickerson said. A few years later, he was on the circuit 'living the dream.'

In addition to spotting for Buhl since 2000, Dickerson works for a company that manages race car drivers. He enjoys spotting but misses keeping an eye out for Buhl around the track

"With Robbie, I didn't just want the team to succeed, Dickerson said. "I wanted

As with many Indy crew Robbie to succeed.' Notre Dame's Jones, Dudley get spot in state track finals

By Bob St. John Sports Writer

Notre Dame's Chris Jones and Alex_Dudley qualified for the Division II state finals, which will be held this weekend.

Jones won the 110-yard high hurdles and the high jump with a time of 15.3 and a mark of 5-feet, 10-inches, and was second in the 300intermediate hurdles with a time of 42.5 to get to the finals.

Alex Dudley was second in the 110-high hurdles with a time of 15.7

'Chris and Alex have been in this spot before; so they know what it would take to get to the finals," head coach Stan Wegrzynowicz said. "All of our kids did a nice

job, but only two of our guys

made it through."
Pat Williams and Justin Bensett just missed making the finals after finishing third in the shot put and dis-

The top two in each event earned a spot in the June 5

state championship meet. The Fightin' Irish's 800yard relay team also came close to making the finals, placing third.

Aaron Gant also had a good meet, making the semi-finals of the 100- and 200yard dashes.

the team standings with 55 our share of the title." points. Hazel Park was first with 98, followed by Detroit and field team finished its Central with 92, Detroit season 5-0-1 in the Double-A

Renaissance with 63 and Division and overall. Center Line with 58.

Earlier in the week, the Irish earned a share of the Catholic League Double-A Division title, beating Detroit St. Martin dePorres

"It was a rainy afternoon, and dePorres' coach finally called me and said that only half of his kids were ready for the meet," Wegrzynowicz

"It's a shame because we really wanted to run against ard dashes.

A good team such as
The Irish finished fifth in dePorres. We're happy with

The Notre Dame track

Lacrosse

Notre Dame's lacrosse team won one of its three recent games to end its regular season 5-11 overall.

We played pretty well, and that is a positive sign even though our record isn't the best," head coach Kevin

The Fightin' Irish crushed Romeo 14-3 as Chris Hentrich had four goals and four assists, while Mike DeCrane and Palazzolo were offensive standouts.

Defensively, Scott Keefer the finals, finishing with 30

played well.

In other action, the Irish lost 12-10 to University Liggett School and 11-8 to Rochester.

"We had a chance to win both of those games but fell short," Coyro said. "We have one week of practice before the state playoffs begin."

Tennis

The Notre Dame tennis team finished in the middle of the pack in the Division III regional tournament.

St. Clair and Croswell-Lexington were the only two teams that earned a spot in

and 18 points, respectively.
The Fightin' Irish were led by Bill Dokianos, Dan Krgovic, Marcus Jonathan Fells. Strobehn, Dan Mlynarek, Mike Radke, Jeff Simmons, Eric Babecki, Brian Shea, Matt Babecki and Derek

Baseball

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The Notre Dame baseball team ended its longest losing streak in 14 years, beating Pontiac Notre Dame Prep 10-1 in the second game of a doubleheader.

The Irish lost the first game 7-2 as they stand at 9-22 overall.

Sports Writer

Head coach Gregg Golden guided the Regina track and field team to one of its bestever state regional finishes,

placing third with 48 points. Last year the Saddlelites earned only 15 points in the same regional.

"It's the best season we have had here at Regina during my coaching tenure," Golden said.

Host Grosse Pointe South won the regional with 113 points and Grosse Pointe North was second with 109.

Liz Stone made the state finals for the Saddlelites, winning the high jump with a mark of 5-feet, 2-inches, and Sarah Frontczak made the finals by placing second in the long jump with a mark of 15-feet, 1 1/4-inch-

The 400-meter relay team of Sarah Moore, Anita Blount, Kellyn Mackerl-Cooper and Stone placed second with a time of 51.6 to earn a spot in the state

placers were

Rhonda Crittle in the discus (sixth), Moore in the high jump (fifth), Ashley Couture in the long jump (sixth), Emily Delmotte in the high hurdles (fifth), Kiki Barkovic in the 400-dash (fourth) and Stone in the 200-dash (fourth).

Schultz, Chevenne Xiomara Okonkwo, Katie Eisen, Renee Keefe and Blount also ran well in the 1,600-run, the 400-dash, the 400-dash, the 800-run and 200-dash.

The 3,200-relay team of Shaina Buhl, Keefe, Eisen and Barkovic placed fourth, while the 1,600-relay squad of Okonkwo, Barkovic, Stone and Couture was third.

"It's great that we were able to get several girls to the finals," Golden said. We had a very good meet against some good competition.

Earlier in the week, the Saddlelites beat Farmington Hills Mercy 77-51, finishing second in the Catholic League Central Division with a 4-1 mark.

Dearborn Divine Child was the champ at 5-0.
"This was our best season

by far in quite a long time," Golden said. "The girls have really come together, and it's not over yet."

Softball

Regina's softball team earned another spot in the Catholic League Central/Double-A Division playoff championship game after edging Ladywood 1-0. Livonia

"It wasn't pretty, but it Diane Laffey said.

The game was scoreless until the bottom of the sixth inning when senior Melanie Dupont led-off with a walk.

She advanced to second on a passed ball and scored on a fielding error by the catcher and an error by the centerfielder.

"It was a weird way to win 2 game, but we will take it," Laffey said. "Neither team hit the ball, and the pitching was great. It is amazing that one run won the game."

Sophomore Nikky Nemitz 0 in the final 40 minutes. gave up only one hit, striking out eight, including each of the three hitters she faced in the top of the seventh

inning.
The Regina softball team improved to 26-2 overall.

Soccer

The Regina soccer team ended its league schedule, losing 6-0 to the top-ranked squad in the state, Birmingham Marian.

"We played one of our best games of the season the first time we played them (a 1-0 loss), but the girls didn't have the same output this time around," head coach Matt Naidow said. "Marian hasn't lost this season, and I can see why. They are a very complete team.

The visiting Saddlelites nearly played Marian to a draw in the first half, thanks to an offense that generated several shots on

Marian made outscored Naidow's squad 4- son during the past couple of 110.

"We can put our league

season behind us and prepare for the state district finals."
playoffs," Naidow said.

Dans

The Regina soccer team finished 1-9-2 in the Catholic League Central Division and fell to 3-9-2

Golf It took a few more days than anticipated to complete, but the Regina golf team finally finished its

ment. The tournament started on Friday, May 21, but heavy rains and lightning forced everyone off the course with three holes remaining.

Division II regional tourna-

Head coach Bob Artymovich and his Saddlelites finished their two holes on Monday morning, placing third with a season-low score of 381 to advance to the state finals.

"The girls have been playadjustments at the half and ing their best golf of the sea"Now we will see what the girls can do at the state

Dana Zak was fourth overall, earning all-regional

honors with an 89. The Saddlelites' other scorers were Courtney Kersich with a 94, Jenny Gwinn with a 96 and Katie

McCarroll with a 102. Earlier, the Saddlelites placed third in the Catholic League Tournament at St. John's Golf Course.

Livonia Ladywood won with a 356, followed by Farmington Hills Mercy at 362, Regina at 391, Birmingham Marian at 404, Pontiac Notre Dame Prep at 426, Ann Arbor Gabriel Richard at 430, Dearborn Divine Child at 444 and Madison Heights Bishop

Foley at 503. Kersich finished fifth overall, shooting a 90, while the rest of the scorers were Gwinn at 95, McCarroll at 102, Zak at 104, Katie Artymovich at 108 and Breanne Chodkiewicz at

Trinity track and field runs well in state regional meet

Sports Writer

A dozen members of Trinity Catholic's boys and girls track and field team earned a trip to this weekend's Division IV state championship meet.

"Our kids had a really good meet," head coach Michelle Batten said. "I'm happy with our results, and now we have to practice for another week so we can try and win some medals at the state finals."

The Lancers' boys team finished second with 84.33 points, while New Lothrop won with 110.33 points in a regional meet hosted by Webberville.

Ron Hildreth made the state finals, placing second in the high jump, clearing 5feet, 10-inches by using the old-fashioned scissor-kick method.

Lance Caldwell made the finals by winning the long jump and 400-meter dash, posting a mark of 18-feet, 8 1/4-inches and a time of

Caldwell was also a member of the 1,600-relay team that made the finals, along with Shannon Scott, Nick Jones and Kyle Williams, who placed second with a

Quentin Washington also made the finals in the 100dash, finishing third with a qualifying time of 11.4.

The 800-relay squad of Washington, Greg Frye, Jamal Gause and Ernest Cornelius made the finals with a time of 46.9 (second place), while the 400-relay quartet of Washington, Frye, Cornelius and Terrence Johnson made the big meet by taking second

with a time of 46.9. Others who came close to making the finals were Williams in the 400-dash; Jones in the 300-intermediate hurdles; Washington in the 200-dash; Cornelius in the 200-dash; and Ahmad Gause in the discus.

The girls finished fourth with 39 points. Lutheran Northwest won with 124 points, followed by New Lothrop with 88 and Burton-Atherton with 73.

Krystle Wilson made the finals, winning the 100-dash with a personal best time of 12.4 and the 200-dash with a personal best time of 25.9.

"Krystle had a very good meet for us," Batten said. We didn't get the results we were looking for, but overall all of our kids did a nice job." Annica Brown was third

96-feet, 11-inches and was district title." third in the shot put with a personal best throw of 32feet. 9 3/4-inches.

Lauren Franklin was sixth in the 100-high hurdles with a time of 19.8, while Margarie Washington with a time of 30.1.

The foursome of Tierra Lodge, Franklin, Washington and Wilson finished fourth in the 800-relay and fifth in the 400-relay.

Earlier in the week, the boys earned a share of the Catholic League Double-A Division title by blasting Madison Heights Bishop Foley 100-9, and the girls followed suit, winning 68-

"It's always nice to win a division title," Batten said. "The boys and girls worked hard to achieve their success.

Softball

The Trinity Catholic girls softball team is taking a breather before beginning

the important stretch run.
"We need to pick up a few nonleague games before the districts start," head coach Julie Becker said. "The girls need to play a little more The Trinity Catholic soft-

ball team is 11-9 overall.

Baseball

The Trinity Catholic boys baseball team beat Detroit was eighth in the 200-dash Finney 5-2, improving to 9-12 overall.

"The kids played a good game after losing a couple of tough ones," head coach Lancers lost 5-3 to host Ann improved to 2-9 overall. Larry Geromin said. Senior Joe Williams earned the win, striking out

13 and giving up only one hit in seven innings. "We need to get on a little

roll as the state playoffs begin," Geromin said.

Socces... 42

The Trinity Catholic/Detroit Dominican girls soccer team blasted Bloomfield Hills Jewish Academy 8-0.

It was the Lancers' largest margin of victory in more than a decade, and the win ended the squad's Catholic League schedule on a positive note.

"The girls played their best game of the season," head coach Al Velasco said. "All of the girls are doing the little things they weren't in the discus with a throw of consistently if we're to win a doing earlier in the season.

By Bob St. John Sports Writer

Notre Dame's track and field team inched closer to sharing a division title, beating Ann Arbor Gabriel Richard 90-38

"Our kids have improved a lot during the season, and today they had a pretty good meet against a team that lacked numbers," head coach Stan Wegrzynowicz said. 'We had a much larger team, which helped us earn some points because Gabriel Richard didn't have the kids to fill some of the slots."

Chris Jones and Alex Dudley tied for first place in the high jump, clearning 5-8-inches, Jonathan Denys won the long jump, and Justin Bensett placed third.

Pat Williams was first in the shot put, and Bensett set a personal best with a throw

Pioneers=

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Bryan Mueller had two hits and three RBIs.

Other standouts were Pietrangelo and Jesus

In the Clarenceville game, Jake Bertges earned the win, giving up only one hit in the three-inning mercy win, and hit a home run to

go along with his four RBIs. Alex Curcuru was 2-for-3 with five RBIs, including a three-run homer.

of 124-feet, 11-inches to win the discus.

Notre Dame track continues to

Quentin Trotter was second in the discus, and Dudley took first place in the 110-yard high hurdles.

Jones won the 100-yard dash with a time of 11.8, followed by Aaron Gant and Edgar Martin, and Vince Mazzocco took second in the 1,600-yard run with a time

Elise Baksis turned in a

pair of strong pitching per-

Macomb Area Conference

shutout in the Blue Devils'

2-0 win over L'Anse Creuse.

Evans hit RBI singles for

Buckley, Stacey Ash and

Katherine Buchholz also

hits in South's 4-2 win over

game in the bottom of the

sixth inning but the Blue

Devils broke the deadlock

with a pair of runs in the

The Falcons tied the

Sara Crandall and Jenny

Baksis pitched a four-hit

formances recently

White Division.

South, while

contributed singles.

Utica Ford II.

top of the seventh.

South softball gets

Grosse Pointe South's soft- bases. Mary Kate Peltz sin-

ball team won twice in the gled home Peters, and

Baksis allowed only two of their runs in the first

Colleen

an error.

seventh.

a pair of victories

of Paul Nielson, Mitchell, DeRon Gordon and Martin won, as did the 400-relay squad of Matt McDaniel, Jones, Gant and Terry Brown.

Martin was first in the 400-dash, and Mark Winfield was first in the 300-intermediate hurdles.

Other top performances were turned in by Max Mattei (second in the 300-The 800-yard relay team hurdles), Denys (third in the

Singles by Kara Peters

and Crandall and a walk to

Kristen Caretti loaded the

Crandall scored when

Buchholz reached base on

Baksis retired Ford in

Crandall finished with

Earlier, South dropped a

The Blue Devils scored all

order in the bottom of the

three hits and two RBIs.

5-3 decision to Anchor Bay.

inning. Peters led off with a

double, and Buckley, Caretti and Ash followed

In a 15-5 loss to Fraser,

Buchholz and Evan had two

Crandall,

with RBI singles.

hits apiece for South.

Buckley,

300-hurdles), Mazzocco (third in the 800), Jones (first in the 200 with a time of 23.9) and McDaniel (second in the 200 at 24.0). The 1,600-relay team won

photo finish as Denys, Bensett, Paul White and Dudley were one step ahead of the Gabriel Richard quar-

"That 1,600-relay was close through the entire race," Wegryznowicz said. Wegryznowicz said. Each of the four runners never had a lead of more than a foot or two. It was that close.'

Lacrosse

The Notre Dame lacrosse team played its worst game of the season, losing 13-1 to rival Pontiac Notre Dame Prep in a Catholic League playoff semifinal.

We were horrible in every

phase of the game, and that showed in the final score,' head coach Kevin Coyro said. "We fell behind early (4-0 after five minutes) and never could get into the The guys weren't game. focused from the start, and that was a disappointing finish to our Catholic League schedule."

The loss dropped the Fightin' Irish to 4-9 overall. The guys have to get back the edge they lost against Prep," Coyro said. "We're a much better team than we showed today."

The team is taking shape at the right time of the season. Milan Allen played most of the game in goal, stopping every shot that Jewish Academy fired her way, and she scored three goals.

Ke-Ke Linebarger also tal-Lauren Machusiak and Dee Dee Kimble each scored one. Earlier in the week, the

the Lancers' three goals in the defeat. lied three goals, while Catholic/Detroit Dominican soccer team finished its

Arbor Gabriel Richard.

"I like the way the girls are playing," Velasco said.

"They're playing as a team." DeAndrea Kimble scored

Catholic League Double-A Division record at 1-9, and it

ULS baseball shows much improvement

By Chuck Klonke

Sports Editor pons Editor
Dan Cimini didn't know years," Cimini said. what to expect from his University Liggett School baseball team when the sea-

son started. "We won one game in the Metro Conference last year, so I thought it would be a great accomplishment if we could finish .500 in the league," Cimini said.

"We won two of our three games in the Metro Conference tournament, so we finished fourth in the tournament and had a 6-5 record in the league."

ULS wrapped up the league tournament with a 7-5 win over Lutheran North. Nike Pashv

four-hitter and struck out the pitches." two hits and four RBIs,

while Jonathan Wright and

this year after not beating

Wright and Posby were both selected to the all-conference first team, while Evangelista was a secondteam selection.

Wright batted .430 and was 17-for-17 in stolen base attempts. Posby was 4-1 in the Metro and had a 2.00 ERA. He struck out 56 in 32 innings.

Evangelista led ULS with a .436 batting average and was also valuable behind the plate.

"His leadership behind the plate was so important." Cimini said. "He was so good with our pitchers the way he locked balls and framed

ULS took an 11-10 record Antonio Evangelista had into this week's district play. "One of the bright spots is the way the pitchers came Posby also had two hits on at the end, and they're so young," Cimini said. "I'm so excited about the future."

Griesbaum school opens on June 15

Baseball School will be held in a safe and positive atmosat the Defer Elementary phere. School fields beginning June 15.

There will be a general skills session from June 15 through 17. Specialty schools for hitting, pitching and catching will be held on June 23 and 24, and June

Each of the sessions will run from 9 a.m. until noon.

The camp is open to players between the ages of 8 and 17.

Griesbaum, who has been the head varsity baseball coach at Grosse Pointe South for 21 seasons, and Matt Reno, who was an assistant at South for four years and has coached youth baseball for 18 seasons, are the co-directors of the school.

The third Dan Griesbaum teaching proper mechanics

The emphasis will be

instructional, not recre-

ational. Enrollment will be limited in order to maintain a proper instructor-student

ratio.

The registration fee for the general skills school is \$110. The fee for the specialty schools is \$85.

Registration forms have been mailed to last year's students. They are also available at the main office at South or by contacting Griesbaum at (313) 884. 7834 or Reno at (313) 886-5537.

All players must pre-register. No registration will be accepted on camp day.

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