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Senior living

This week's Grosse Pointe News features a section of editorial and advertising on senior living. Above, inside The Rivers in Grosse Pointe Woods. See page 7B for more.

Residents want rental enforcement

By Brad Lindberg
 Staff Writer

Real estate rebound offers solution, see page 2A

GROSSE POINTE FARMS — Cheryl Sieber grew up in the Grosse Pointes and thought she knew the community.

She lived in the Shores and Woods before buying a house last spring on Moran between Charlevoix and Beaupre, almost dead center in the Farms.

Instead of feeling like scoring a bull's-eye, it's more like biting an apple and tasting a worm.

"I never expected it," Sieber said. "Some crazy things have gone on."

The same with block resident Geraldine Lacombe.

She wouldn't give spe-

cifics, saying mainly, "See the police reports."

Indeed, a page 1 story in the Jan. 1 Grosse Pointe News headlined, "Crash causes chaos," chronicled three men allegedly fleeing a single-vehicle car wreck to rental property on the block.

Lacombe added, "Code violations on cars, landscape issues, trash issues; cell phone conversations that are completely inappropriate and loud."

Vulgar language? "Oh, yeah," she said.

The nexus, both women and about a dozen neighbors assured the Farms city council Monday, Jan. 12, is the seemingly high number of rental properties in the 200 block of Moran.

Neighbors agreed with Councilman Peter Waldmeir to appoint a liaison to work with the city toward improvements.

"That's exactly what we were trying to do — initiate dialogue, raise our concern to a higher awareness, address what we can, find out what we

need to be doing so we can prevent this," Lacombe said.

"We did something similar a couple years ago on Belanger," said City Manager Shane Reeside. "We made good progress."

"We want to take care of things to bring them up to a standard," said Mayor James Farquhar.

Waldmeir, an attorney, said it's premature for the group to form a neighborhood association disallowing rentals, even with a grandfather clause.

"There's a mechanism in place," said Waldmeir, referring to fixing problems through the

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Bad pipe on way out

By Brad Lindberg
 Staff Writer

GROSSE POINTE FARMS — Water pipes due for replacement on seven roads this year are among the most troublesome in the city.

They're old, brittle and clogged. "All mains being replaced were put in the ground in the 1920s," said Scott Homminga, Grosse Pointe Farms water superintendent.

They account, collectively, for up to 29 breaks in the last 10 years, according to a tally by the water department.

"It's not unusual for us to cut out a piece of 8-inch pipe, but see the inside filled with iron and manganese build-up so it's restricted down to 2- and 4-inch capacity," said Jessie VanDeCreek, vice president of

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PHOTO BY BRAD LINDBERG

Duke likes being near his handler, Officer Tim Harris.

Duke gets a hit

By Brad Lindberg
 Staff Writer

GROSSE POINTE FARMS — The K-9 team deployed last weekend at the expense of a 26-year-old Detroit man, arrested for having 1.6 grams of marijuana in his white 2004 Cadillac SRX, according to police.

During a traffic stop at 5:52 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 17, on Mack above Moross, K-9 Duke circled the Cadillac, indicating an odor of narcotics at the seam of the passenger-side doors.

"When the door was opened, a small, clear plastic bag fell from the vehicle," said Officer Tim Harris, the dog's handler.

The bag contained marijuana residue, police said.

Searching inside the car, Duke, a German shepherd, indicated more narcotics around the center cup holder and ash tray.

"Below the cup holder was a small, clear plastic bag with residue," Harris said.

Police stopped the driver upon seeing him enter Mack with a flat tire.

He reportedly said he lacked a spare.

"(I) noted a spare tire in plain view affixed to the bottom rear of the vehicle," said Officer Vincent Finn.

The man was wanted in 36th District Court. A note attached to his criminal record warned officers dealing with him to use caution.

"Due to (his) marijuana-related warrant, (I) requested the K-9 to check the vehicle," Finn said.

Chilly Fest ready to heat up

By John McTaggart
 Staff Writer

GROSSE POINTE PARK — For more than five years, the community has enjoyed Chilly Fest.

The annual event is the highlight of the winter for many because of its wintertime activities and attractions.

This year's event, which kicks off at noon Saturday, Jan. 31, at

Windmill Pointe Park, promises to uphold these lofty expectations and then some.

"We've very excited about this year," Grosse Pointe Park parks and recreation director Terry Solomon said. "We think we have something for everyone to enjoy, no matter how old or young you are. There is something for everyone."

Solomon said the event features

a wide-array of activities both indoors and out.

"There is basically a pampering room in the Lavins Center, complete with massage and manicure," she said. "And inside the Tompkins Center is Blue Pointe Restaurant serving some great food. Then outside, we've got everything from snowman building station to a ice

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A toasty marshmallow on a winter day. Chilly Fest is a popular family event.

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Frank McHugh II

Home: Grosse Pointe Woods
 Family: Wife, Ann and five children
 Occupation: Music teacher and performer



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PHOTO BY RENEE LANDUYT

Cabbage Patch Saloon

Cabbage Patch Saloon is located at 15130 Mack Ave. in Grosse Pointe Park. Cabbage Patch Saloon is newly renovated and offers space for parties, showers, corporate meetings and other events. For more information call (313) 821-1111 or (313) 338-8981. At ribbon cutting ceremonies with the Grosse Pointe Chamber of Commerce, from left, are chamber executive director Jenny Boettcher, Park city councilman Jim Robson, manager Ryan Stepanski, Park Mayor Palmer Heenan, Melissa Bonin of Cabbage Patch Saloon, Chris Likomanov of Cabbage Patch Saloon and chamber director of administration MaryJo Harris.



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Better market means fewer rentals

By Brad Lindberg
Staff Writer

GROSSE POINTE FARMS — Geraldine Lacombe hopes rebounding real estate prices solve her disaffection with rental property.

“The market has changed substantially since most of these properties went to rentals,” said Lacombe, of the 200 block of Moran in Grosse Pointe Farms. “If we hold homeowners more accountable, maybe we can encourage them to sell them to families.”

“We were maintaining a lot of lawns because of foreclosures,” said Shane Reeside, city manager. “We’ve seen sharp decreases of that over the last few years. The market is stabilizing.”

“We have five rentals on our block,” said Cheryl Sieber, one of Lacombe’s

neighbors with the same worries. “It’s getting out of control. I’m concerned that my property value is going to go down.”

“The concerns are more deep-rooted,” Lacombe said. “It changes the nature of the block and our communities. These transient people don’t have a commitment to the home, to the community. There are safety concerns, appearance concerns.”

There’s not much the city can do about a resident’s community spirit.

But appearance of property, that’s a fat pitch to Councilman Louis Theros, head of the ordinance committee.

He advocates tough enforcement of property maintenance codes.

“Please take advantage of our willingness to make this right,” Theros told Lacombe and a

group of Moran residents logging complaints to the council Monday, Jan. 12.

“If a neighbor doesn’t like the way a home is being maintained, they can call the city,” said Mayor James Farquhar. “We can start going after them, the renter or owner.”

A rental ordinance, adopted about five years ago, lets city officials tally rental property and tenants.

Rental properties are supposed to be inspected for compliance with maintenance codes at least once every two years plus upon change of tenant.

“Some slip past us because people rent their house and don’t register with us and tenants or occupants don’t apply for a park pass,” said Terry Brennan, director of public services.

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enforcement of existing building codes. “An investigation will be under-

taken. We need to be given the opportunity to do those things.

He added, “You’re ultimate concern of restricting rental usage on your street or any street — that’s a wrong way to go.

The law is the law.”

There are about 150 rental properties in the Farms, according to Reeside.

They represent less than 1/2 percent of the city’s 4,000 dwellings.

Non-gunman waives preliminary hearing

By Brad Lindberg
Staff Writer

GROSSE POINTE FARMS — The teenage suspect of a reported armed robbery two weeks ago on Mack didn’t have a firearm, according to investigators.

The 19-year-old Detroit male suspect is known to police as a persistent panhandler, not a life-threatening thug, along the Grosse Pointe Farms border of Detroit, police

added.

He may have been gesturing under his coat while begging, inadvertently mimicking pointing a concealed pistol at a female pedestrian, also 19, if the City of Grosse Pointe.

There’s no doubt among police and witness, however, that the suspect snatched the woman’s cell phone from her hand and ran away into Detroit.

A witness reported the incident a few minutes after 6 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 10, near the intersection of Calvin.

Police caught him within minutes a few blocks away and recovered the phone from his pocket.

The suspect, Karasvian Clayton Williams, on Wednesday, Jan. 14, waived his right to a preliminary hearing in

Farms Municipal Court on a charge of larceny from a person.

“Mr. Williams had made a conscious decision to waive his exam,” said his attorney. “I went over his waiver form with him. I read it to him line-by-line.”

Williams sat in the defendant’s chair wearing the clothes in which he was arrested and spent a few days incarcerated: a gray, waffle-knit thermal T-shirt; canvas, khaki pants splattered with white or light yellow paint and tan clodhopper boots sans laces, a la jail garb.

“Mr. Williams, do you understand what you’re being charged with?” asked Judge Matthew Rumora.

“Uh-hum,” Williams answered.

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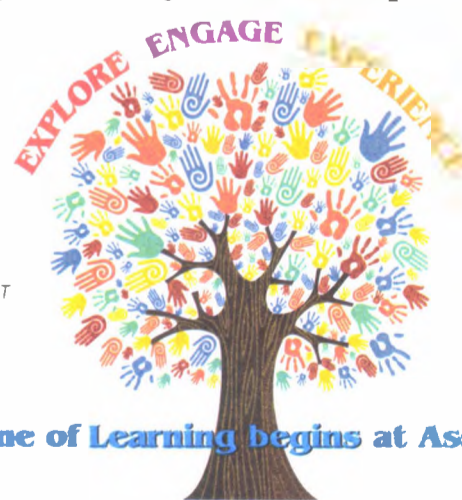


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Shooting accident injures 1 City Fest for residents

By Brad Lindberg
Staff Writer

GROSSE POINTE FARMS — A woman made all kinds of mistakes before getting shot last week by her own pistol, according to a firearms expert.

She dropped her 9 mm trying to retrieve it from inside a hat on a high shelf in the employee locker room of Jo-Ann Fabric and Craft Stores after work at about 5 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 13.

The pistol fired a bullet through her left arm above the elbow and into the ceiling.

The woman, 26, of Detroit, walked to nearby St. John Hospital and Medical Center for treatment.

No one else was hurt. Hospital officials informed police of her arrival in the emergency room.

"(She) indicated she was removing some property from her locker," said Officer Vincent Finn, sent to investigate. "When (she) removed her hat from her locker, the handgun fell out. When the handgun struck the floor, the round in the chamber discharged."

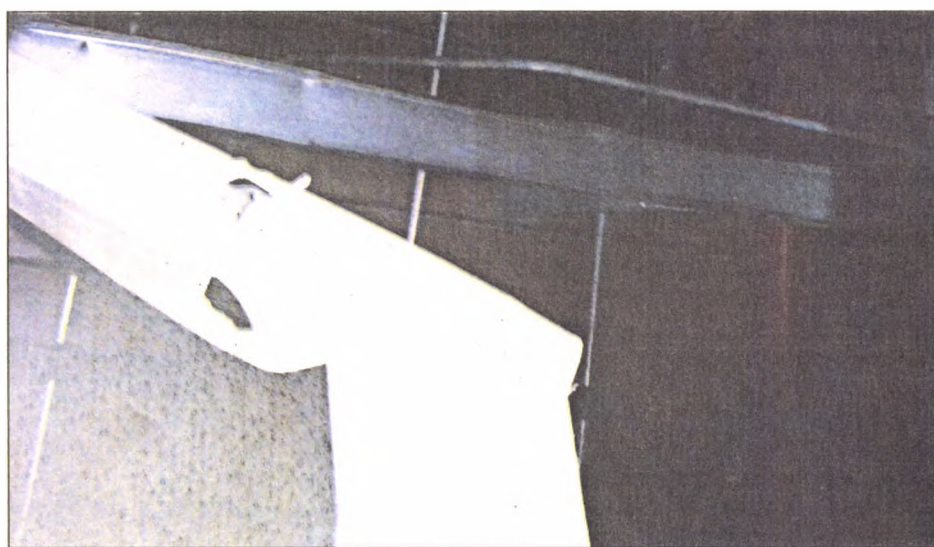


PHOTO FROM THE GROSSE POINTE FARMS PUBLIC SAFETY DEPARTMENT

A 9 mm bullet from a misfiring pistol at work in Grosse Pointe Farms passed through its owner's left arm and pierced the drop ceiling and internal trusses of the employee locker room.

Searching the locker room, Finn found where the bullet passed through the drop ceiling. "(I) located bullet damage to trusses in the ceiling," he said.

If unobstructed, the bullet "easily" could have gone 500 to 600 yards, according to Lt. Jack Patterson, the public safety department's firearms trainer.

The woman is licensed to carry a concealed pistol, police said.

Police aren't charging her with anything.

"We just want to make sure she's OK," said

Detective John Walko.

Her first mistake was buying a \$150 Jimenez pistol, Patterson said.

"The gun is extremely low quality," he said. "The lower the quality, the lower the internal safeties."

Better weapons, such as \$500 Glocks used in law enforcement, have a built-in "drop safety" to prevent the trigger bar from springing into action from the inertia of sharp impacts.

"A low-quality weapon doesn't have one," Patterson said.

Firearms also

shouldn't be jumbled with other things on high shelves.

"Keep the weapon at eye level or below so you can handle it properly," Patterson said. "Don't put it in a hat, bag or purse where it can fall out. It should be worn in a paddle holster that comes off the belt and can be secured."

Patterson has a basic rule about buying firearms.

"If you have to carry a firearm, ask yourself what your life's worth," he said. "Buy the best quality you can afford."

CITY OF GROSSE POINTE — The municipal winter festival later this month at Neff Park is a residents-only event.

It's not open to the general public, as reported incorrectly in the Jan. 15 Grosse Pointe News.

Neither is it held in coordination with comparable events that day in Grosse Pointe Farms and Park.

Entry to Neff Park is restricted by city-issued park pass.

"Each resident is allowed two guests per pass, as long as they come as a guest of a City resident," said

Christopher Hardenbrook, director of parks and recreation.

This year's Winter Fest starts at 1 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 31.

Admission is free. An optional catered pig roast costs \$5 per person.

"Food is usually ready by 2 p.m.," Hardenbrook said.

Activities include:
◆ a petting farm and pony rides, weather permitting;
◆ ice skating,
◆ curling,
◆ a hockey shoot-out,
◆ broom ball and
◆ arts and crafts.

—Brad Lindberg

Back in court

By Brad Lindberg
Staff Writer

GROSSE POINTE FARMS — Another day, another court, another arrest and back to jail.

Grosse Pointe Farms is no garden of delight for 22-year-old Warren resident Brittany Lynn Eden.

Twice within recent months, her trips to the community ended in custody.

Last October, a patrolman arrested her for driving drunk and marijuana possession.

Last week, Wednesday, Jan. 14, she was a passenger in a car crash at Mack and Moross a short time before returning to Farms Municipal Court and pleading guilty.

It contributed to a busy first half of the week.

"I had court yesterday in Romeo as well as Warren," she told Farms Judge Matthew Rumora.

Eden's guilty plea to the alcohol and drug charges didn't end the matter.

"I'm on probation in Warren and Clinton Township," she testified. "I'm going through the court system now for assault issues."

"If you pled guilty, it could violate your probation," Rumora said.

Moreover, she was wanted in Warren on warrants totaling \$10,000 bond, which Farms Officer Geoff McQueen discovered while investi-

gating the car crash.

"There are two warrants," McQueen told Rumora. "The second one's for aggravated assault, your honor."

"You're going to have to get that straightened out," Rumora told Eden.

While Eden disagreed about the warrants, McQueen gathered her wrists behind her back.

"You're under arrest," he told her.

A metallic ratcheting of closing handcuffs sounded in the quiet courtroom.

Eden sighed dolefully.

McQueen led her from court through double doors into public safety headquarters for pickup by Warren authorities.

"She was booked without incident," McQueen said.

Rumora could sentence Eden up to 93 days in jail, require 360 hours of community service and a \$500 fine on each count.

Yet, he's delaying sentencing under a state law giving salvageable offenders a chance to righten ship.

"If ... the defendant is not likely again to engage in offensive or criminal conduct and that the public good does not require that the defendant suffer the penalty imposed by law, the court may place the defendant on probation under the charge and supervision of a probation officer," according to the law.

Bashara gets two life terms, plus

By Kathy Ryan
Staff Writer

"Today there will be justice for Jane."

With that pronouncement, Wayne County Circuit Judge Vonda Evans sentenced Bob Bashara to two life sentences in prison without parole for his role in the January 2012 murder of his wife, Jane, in the garage of their Grosse Pointe Park house.

On Dec. 19, a jury found Bashara guilty on five counts related to his wife's murder. In addition to two mandatory life sentences, Evans sentenced Bashara to 18 to 40 years on a charge of solicitation to murder; one to five years for witness intimidation; and two to 10 years for witness intimidation.

"You were a product of privilege," Evans told Bashara. "Your mother

was wealthy, your father was a judge. But your mother never trained you to be a man. Your mother never allowed you to fail.

"The only person you ever loved was yourself."

Bashara sat passively while Evans handed down the sentences, a marked contrast to his demeanor earlier in the hearing when he petitioned Evans to declare a mistrial, citing ineffective assistance of counsel and prejudicial media coverage.

"There was a blatant use of the media to blacken my eye and make me into a monster," Bashara told Evans.

"I have a 40-year history of service, starting when I was 15 years old," Bashara told the court. "Jane worked with me on many projects, including our church auction in December of 2011. Her family and mine attended it."

Bashara asked the court to delay sentencing until he could read the entire pre-sentence assessment. He said by law, he was entitled to 48 hours to review the document, but had only been given the document the night before.

Evans denied his request for a mistrial and

gave him an hour to review the document.

Several members of Jane's family were in the courtroom for sentencing. Before Evans handed down her sentence, Julie Rowe, Jane Bashara's sister, and her mother, Lorraine Englebrecht, addressed the court.

"You killed my amazing sister," Rowe said. "How could you? You are a ridiculous failure of a man. You watched as she died. But while I am caring for your children and I am holding your grandchildren, it will be sweet knowing you are in prison for the rest of your miserable life."

Englebrecht expressed disgust at Bob Bashara's "scummy lifestyle," and expressed anger that he tried to denigrate Jane's character.

"You took Jane's life, but I want you to live awhile," she said. "and every day I live, I will think about you rotting in jail and burning in hell."

Once Evans completed the sentencing, she ordered Bashara out of the courtroom.

When he moved too slowly for her liking, she ordered deputies to remove him.

"Get him out of here," she demanded.

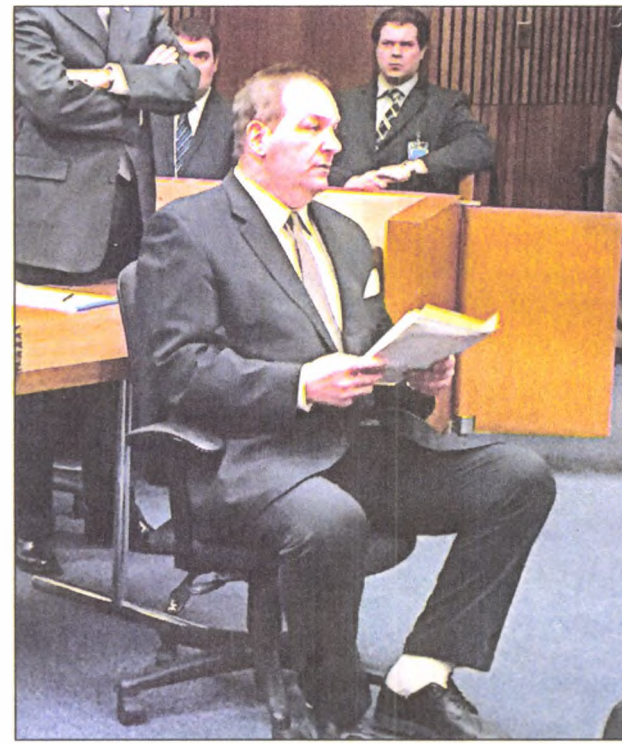


PHOTO BY KATHY RYAN

Bob Bashara listens to Judge Vonda Evans.

The Week Ahead

THURSDAY, JAN. 22

◆ The Grosse Pointe Library Board meets at 7 p.m. in the Woods branch, 20680 Mack. A board packet is available at each branch.
◆ The Friends of the Grosse Pointe Library hold a used book sale from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. in the Woods branch program room.

FRIDAY, JAN. 23

◆ The Grosse Pointe Theatre's production of "Little Women - The Broadway Musical" begins at 7:30 p.m. at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial. For tickets, call (313) 881-4004.
◆ The Friends of the Grosse Pointe Library hold a used book sale from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the program room at the Woods branch.

SATURDAY, JAN. 24

◆ The Neighborhood Club Preschool holds an open house from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.
◆ The Grosse Pointe Theatre's production of "Little Women - The Broadway Musical" begins at 7:30 p.m. at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial. For tickets, call (313) 881-4004.
◆ The Friends of the Grosse Pointe Library hold a used book sale from 10 a.m. 2 p.m. in the program room at the Woods branch.
◆ Grosse Pointe Farms Boat Club co-sponsors its sixth annual Winter Wine Wonderland from 7 to 10 p.m. at the Farms Boat House. Advance tickets for members cost \$25 and \$30 for non-members. Tickets at the door cost \$35. For reser-

ervations, call Tanya Naumenko Bartoszewicz at (313) 506-8447.

SUNDAY, JAN. 25

◆ The Grosse Pointe Theatre's production of "Little Women - The Broadway Musical" begins at 2 p.m. at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial. For tickets, call (313) 881-4004.

MONDAY, JAN. 26

◆ An American Red Cross blood drive is from 2:30 to 8:30 p.m. at Mason Elementary School. To make an appointment, visit redcross-blood.org and use the sponsor code mason1640.
◆ City of Grosse Pointe council meets at 7 p.m. in council chambers.
◆ Grosse Pointe Park council meets at 7 p.m. in

council chambers.

◆ Grosse Pointe Woods city council meets at 7:30 p.m. in council chambers.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 28

◆ In recognition of Paige Stalker's 17th birthday a candlelight vigil begins at 7 p.m. at the Christmas tree in the Village.

THURSDAY, JAN. 29

◆ "Bats, Bats, Bats" is the program presented at 6:30 p.m. at the Grosse Pointe Public Library, Woods branch, by the Bat Conservation Program. To register, visit gp.lib.mi.us.
◆ The Grosse Pointe Theatre's production of "Little Women - The Broadway Musical" begins at 7:30 p.m. at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial. For tickets, call (313) 881-4004.

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Music for life

By Ann L. Fouty
Community Editor

Frank McHugh II said his mother sang with an operatic voice and his father was a whistler.

You might say McHugh was born to a life surrounded by music. Therefore, it's no wonder for more than 40 years, he has had a musical career, working both as a music teacher and a

performer. "Teaching is gratifying," he said from his home in Grosse Pointe Woods. But getting a read of what his listening audience, at paid events and unpaid is a constant goal.

He explained with this story. McHugh had been hired to play the background music at a reunion of lawyers who gathered at the Grosse

Pointe Hunt Club. They hadn't seen each other in 20 years. McHugh played tune after tune and received no response, no nod nor wink that would indicate he was in the right musical era. Then he played "Happy Together," the Turtles 1967 hit. The men joined hands and sang along as McHugh played the piano. Since then "Happy Together" has become his signature song.

Pop tunes are just one genre he plays. He plays classics and songs from the 1930s, 1940s and 1950s, many of which resonate with nursing home residents.

"I'm getting more out it than they are," he said of playing for the residents.

He has seen how music improves the nature of a patient.

The therapist of a St. Clair nursing home resident named Elaine told McHugh, who had been playing piano there for several years, Elaine was uncooperative, except "When she hears music, she will do anything."

McHugh provided music on an MP3 player. It was the turn around needed.

"She sang all the way to the shower," he said.



PHOTOS BY ANN L. FOUTY

McHugh has been giving voice and piano lessons for more than 40 years.



Frank McHugh of Grosse Pointe Woods began his path to a musical career at the age of 4.

"She sang on the way to meals. They were the songs of her life."

Providing the elderly with uplifting music ranks as one of his passions, as is providing both vocal and keyboard opportunities for special needs children, particularly those in the Kids on the Go program of Grosse Pointe, headed by his friend, Kristy Piana Schena.

"It's a love of mine to help these children," he said.

McHugh, a St. Ambrose High School graduate, lived next door to a family of seven children. One of the children, Joey, was a Down Syndrome child.

"He would come over for music lessons. I played for him, 'Don't

Cry Joe.' It made his day," McHugh said.

"I have found that nursing home patients and little kids have a lot in common. They are like-minded in two ways: covering up their emotions and releasing their emotions. The children's positive reaction I've found wakes up their brain, their demeanor changes. If they are having a bad day, we'd get started and, it is like a metamorphosis."

Prelude

McHugh's musical training began at age 4 when a cousin urged McHugh's mother to begin his formal music lessons.

By the time he was 6, McHugh was taking voice and piano lessons

on the fourth floor of the Wurlitzer Building. Following high school, he studied at the College for Creative Studies and under private coaches, including Bernie Katz, who rehearsed legendary singers, among them Barbra Streisand and Judy Garland, when they had appearances in Detroit.

"He was very difficult on me, but we got along so well," he said.

McHugh taught music classes at Our Lady Star of the Sea, St. David High School, St. Paul on the Lake Catholic School and has been an usher at St. Paul on the Lake for 45 years.

He and wife, Ann, have a son, Rod, and four daughters, Cindy, Lisa, Jill and Holly.

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"Is that a 'Yes?'"
"Yes."



PHOTO BY BRAD LINDBERG

Accused street criminal, Karasvian Clayton Williams, 19, of Detroit, sits at the defendants table in Farms Municipal Court in the presence of his attorney and, in back, Farms Detective John Walko.

By giving up his right to a preliminary hearing, Williams was automatically bound over to Wayne County Circuit Court for further proceedings.

Rumora scheduled an arraignment in circuit court at 9 a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 21.

Rumora continued

Williams' \$15,000 cash-only bond.

"That concludes the hearing," Rumora said.

"He's in the Wayne County Jail and will remain there until his circuit court arrangement," said Farms Detective John Walko.

Time elapsed: 1 minute, 54 seconds.

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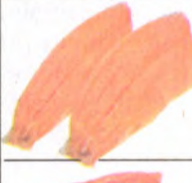
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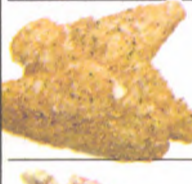
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City of Grosse Pointe
Cleanup, aisle 2

Police cleaned up a mess in aisle 2 at Kroger in the Village shortly before 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 15.

They went to the store in response to a 26-year-old Detroit man holding a double-edged dagger in his left hand and a shovel in his right.

A female officer told him to put them down. "He" stated that he was told that he is a

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slave," she said. She told him again. "(He) became aggressive," she said.

Officers wrestled him to the floor.

She stuck him with a Taser, but he kept resisting.

"(I) Tased (him) a second time," she said.

Officers arrested him for possession of a con-

cealed weapon. — Brad Lindberg
Report information about this or other crimes to the City of Grosse Pointe Public Safety Department at (313) 886-3200.

Grosse Pointe Farms

Cyber stalker

A female resident, 24, gave police evidence last week of being stalked in cyberspace.

"The unknown suspect accessed her computer from another computer and uploaded pictures to her 'drop box' account," said a public safety officer.

It's been going on for more than a year, the resident said.

Her stalker deleted computer files, added photos and moved icons

on her cell phone, she reportedly told police.

"(She) believes they have access to cameras and microphones on her phone and computer," said the officer. "(She) states the unknown suspect (blogged) about her daily habits, including when and what she eats, when she showers (and) what clothes she is wearing."

She also told police of being on the hook for \$1,600 in fraudulent credit card transactions conducted on behalf of her employer, a freelance writing outfit on the Internet.

Two lost

A drunken driver and his intoxicated former passenger wound up at police headquarters last week, one in the backseat of a patrol car, the other

in the good graces of worried citizens.

At 11:18 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 15, the driver, a 29-year-old man from Connecticut with a .207 percent blood alcohol level, was reported acting suspiciously in the 200 block of Lakeshore, according to police.

A resident said he claimed to be looking for a friend's house but didn't know the address.

Two motorists said they found the passenger, a "highly intoxicated and confused" 29-year-old man from Grosse Pointe Woods, walking in the middle of Lakeshore near Harbor Hill.

They drove him to headquarters.

"(He) was heavily intoxicated and had little memory of what happened earlier in the night," said a patrolman.

Officers cited the driver for operating a motor vehicle while intoxicated.

They released the passenger to his fiancée, 26, of the Woods.

Stop & go

Police weren't sure if a suspected drunken driver of a dark gray 2004 Chrysler 300 would stay put when stopped on westbound Lakeshore near Moran at 9:10 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 15.

"(I) exited the patrol car and began to approach the subject's vehicle," said the patrolman. "The subject's vehicle rapidly pulled forward approximately 20 feet, then stopped."

The driver, a 44-year-old woman from Clinton Township, had a .29 percent blood alcohol level, police said.

A motorist had alerted police to the woman driving erratically.

School daze

Grosse Pointe South High School administrators became suspicious of three students, one smelling of marijuana, arriving late to campus Thursday, Jan. 15.

The students are two 15-year-old males from the Park and a female, 17, "staying" with her father in Harper Woods but residing in the Farms, according to police.

At 12:58 p.m., school administrators reported to police finding .02 grams of marijuana and two prescription bottles containing suspected marijuana residue in the female's car parked on campus.

Police said: ♦ the girl admitted smoking the drug, but not that day,

♦ one of the boys denied smoking marijuana, but smelled of it and

♦ the second male admitted smoking marijuana while the girl drove him to school.

Special delivery

Two roadside spots in Grosse Pointe often get in the way of wayward motorists.

One is the iron fence of Osius Park at the base of Vernier in the Shores.

The other is the U.S. Postal Service building and grounds at the intersection of Mack and East Warren in the Farms.

In the building's parking lot at 4 a.m. Tuesday, Jan. 13, a Farms officer questioned a 39-year-old Detroit man about his bloody facial cuts and damaged 1998 Toyota Sienna.

"(He) said he was driving southbound on East Warren (at) Mack, misjudged the turn and crashed into the metal pole and side of the building," said the officer.

The man registered a .3 percent blood alcohol level, nearly four times the state limit to legally operate a motor vehicle, prior to being arrested for drunken driving.

He turned down medical treatment, according to police.

Denies drinking

Some people need convincing.

At 1:59 a.m. Tuesday, Jan. 13, a public safety officer pulled over a 25-year-old male motorist on eastbound Mack near Allard for speeding a 2004 Chevrolet Impala 20 mph over the 35 mph limit.

The officer arrested him for having a .21 percent blood alcohol level and violating 13 driving suspensions.

"(He) stated he had not consumed alcohol on today's date and was uncertain why he was stopped by police," said

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Farms residents will feel the pressure after water work

By Brad Lindberg
Staff Writer

GROSSE POINTE FARMS — Upon completion next winter of a \$3 million water main replacement program, water pressure in the construction zones will be greater than in the lifetimes of most Grosse Pointe Farms residents. Not only are 90-year-old, 8-inch mains being replaced, smaller pipes — 4 and 6 inches in diameter — are being upgraded to the 8-inch specification.

Moreover, many existing 8-inch lines are 8 inches in name only.

Decades of mineral deposits inside some pipes restrict their effective diameter up to 75 percent, limiting flow to 1/4 of normal.

Work begins in phases no later than April 15 on the following roads, mainly in the inland sewer district:

◆ Fisher, from Chalfonteto Charlevoix; McKinley, from Chalfonteto Mack; ◆ Moran, from

Chalfonteto Mack; ◆ Madison, from Chalfonteto Mack; ◆ Touraine, from Charlevoix to Parcels; ◆ Beaupre, from Lothrop to Cloverly and ◆ Provencal above Kercheval.

Low-bid contractor, Murphy Pipeline Contractors, faces financial penalties if not finished within eight months.

“By Dec. 1, if the work’s not complete, there’s a damage clause of \$500 per day built into the contract,” said

Jessie VanDeCreek, vice president of Hubbell, Roth & Clark, the Farms’ consulting engineers.

Murphy’s bid totaled \$2,356,400.

Related expenses boost total costs to \$3,000,379, which is less than expected.

“Because of the favorable bid, we have a remaining \$196,000 available,” said Shane Reeside, city manager. “Our intent would be to make that available for contingencies or additional main work.”

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Hubbell, Roth & Clark, the Farms’ consulting engineers.

Work starts by mid-April and is supposed to end by December.

Murphy Pipeline Contractors will do the \$3 million project with trenchless technology, avoiding the mess, extra time and cost of extensive excavation.

“We’re dealing with about 18,000 feet of water main total, which is about 3.4 miles of water main,” VanDeCreek said. “Had we proceeded with the traditional open cut

trenching excavation, with all the mature foliage and hardscape in this community, this project probably would be well over two years in length.”

“We intend to do it in phases, so the city’s not in construction at one time,” said Shane Reeside, city manager.

“Ten distinct locations we’ll be working in, one at a time, and restoring them before moving on,” VanDeCreek said.

Work adds to the roughly 40 percent of original water mains already replaced, according to Homminga.

“We still have a lot of mains in the system that were put in the 1920s and ‘30s and ‘40s,” he said.

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the officer.

—Brad Lindberg

Report information about these or other crimes to the Grosse Pointe Farms Public Safety Department at (313) 885-2100.

Grosse Pointe Shores

Fake names

Police tapped fingerprint records to circumvent fake names a motorist gave to avoid arrest on outstanding warrants, according to an investigator.

“The driver gave different spellings (of his name) and different birth dates,” reported an officer.

The suspect is a Detroit man, 25.

(He) shows numerous

suspensions, priors and multiple warrants from Detroit as well as Montcalm County, north-east of Grand Rapids.

A patrolman investigated him at 1:42 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 15, for operating a 2007 Pontiac G6 10 mph over the 35 mph speed limit on south-bound Lakeshore near Duval.

Officers cited him for violating the suspensions and giving false information to police.

Unlicensed

At 8:33 a.m. Friday, Jan. 16, a 39-year-old man from Lincoln Park with a Mexican voter card and Green Card, but no driver’s license, was pulled over at Marter and Jefferson for speeding 51 mph on Lakeshore.

“(He) stated he had no license due to an unpaid traffic ticket,” said an officer.

Although the man was wanted on an unspecified

warrant from Ecorse, officials of that city advised Shores police to let him go.

He posted \$300 bail before being released at 10:25 a.m.

—Brad Lindberg

Report information about these or other crimes to the Grosse Pointe Shores Public Safety Department at (313) 881-5500.

Grosse Pointe Woods

Fail

Police were dispatched to a business on the 20000 block of Sunningdale Park Jan. 20, where it was determined someone broke into a thrift shop. Four windows were broken attempting entry into the building, according to the report. The cash register in the thrift shop was destroyed but nothing was taken, the report

said. Surveillance video showed the suspect punching keys on the register in an attempt to gain entry, and then using what appeared to be a small crowbar. His attempts were not successful.

Fail II

A house in the 1800 block of Fleetwood was vandalized in what the report says was an attempted breaking and entering. Security lights were broken out of fixtures, and it appeared the suspect tried to pry the door open. The door handle was broken off and two sections of glass block were broken. According to the police report, entry into the house was never gained.

—John McTaggart

Report information about these or other crimes to the Grosse Pointe Woods Public Safety at (313) 343-2400.

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fishing station.”

A new feature to this year’s Chilly Fest is slip-and-slide.

“We’re going to get some wax on it and give it a go,” Solomon said. “I think it’s something the kids will really enjoy.”

Funny Faces face painting is also on hand. Crafts, bounce houses, s’mores and a free movie, Monsters University at 11 a.m., are all on the roster

for the Chilly Fest.

Weather-permitting, dog sled rides will also be available for children up to about 80 pounds, she said.

“We’re expecting, if the weather cooperates, around 1,000 people,” Solomon said. “And everything is totally free of charge with the exception of the food.”

Solomon added the K-Line Trolley will run from noon to 4 p.m., starting at Kercheval and McMillan to Windmill Pointe Park so residents can enjoy Winterfest on the Hill as well.

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GUEST OPINION By Sara Demir

Group forms to address safety issues

Dear Chief Hiller and Mayor Heenan, I am writing to express my concern about the issue of police within Grosse Pointe Park being criticized for doing their jobs to fight crime and enforce the laws within Metro Detroit. We all have an interest in our communities being safe. As a victim's advocate who worked for years with victim's of stalking, domestic assault and sexual assault. I find it disgusting that some community organizations want to glorify the perpetrator of a recent car jacking perpetrated on a woman and child, and are worried about his "rights." I want to see people worry about his responsibility to be an upstanding citizen, and not to commit the heinous crime has perpetrated over the many years of his criminal career. I am upset and outraged as I acknowledge the fact these law enforcement officers, who unquestionably have a job just as tough as soldiers in a war zone, are not being supported by our community. These officers are working in what the DOJ classified in 2014 as the murder capital of the United States due to the city having more homicides than any other city in America.

If our police are suddenly made afraid to do their jobs here in Metro Detroit, and shamed for enforcing the law, where does that leave the citizens who count on them for protection? The concern is that law enforcement will be hampered in their efforts to fight future crime, and be made to bow down to the rabid political activists who have no concern for the safety of innocent citizens, not for promoting safety.

I have recently helped organize a group of concerned Grosse Pointe citizens and children, mobilized around the idea of promoting safety within out streets and schools. This group has been named, SAFE Grosse Pointe. This was actually my 8-year old daughter's idea, with a friend of he's, and it took shape after Paige Stalker was murdered in December.

This murder occurred blocks from the border with Grosse Pointe, within blocks of our homes, and the AK-47 wielding gunman and things involved have not been found. This is a local issue, and something to be very concerned about. This type of incident does not happen in Grosse Pointe, not on Beaconsfield, Rivard, or Notre Dame. This is because we value safety within our Grosse Pointe communities and work actively and intentionally toward promoting safety, by supporting law enforcement. We realize that a crime against one citizen is a crime that victimizes us all. I realize and appreciate that Grosse Pointe, where I live, is a very safe community. Yet, as there is an undeniable creep of criminal element from across Alter Road border, where the organic street and neighborhood gangs are out of control and the Detroit police remain literally impotent to do anything, I realize the need for adults to also champion the cause of safety her in our community, and to be protective of what Grosse Pointers have built.

I am letting you know today that our group's collective talents and my crime victim advocacy skills are being mobilized as I write this letter. SAFE
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"IF IT'S ANY CONSOLATION, IT'S PRETTY SICK OUT THERE, TOO!"

LETTERS

The Grosse Pointe News welcomes your letters to the editor. All letters should be typed, double-spaced, signed and limited to 250 words. Longer letters may be edited for length and all letters may be edited for content. We reserve the right to refuse any letter. Include a daytime phone number for verification or questions. The deadline for letters is 3 p.m. Monday. Letters to the Editor can be e-mailed to jwarner@grossepointenews.com.

The search for a new GPPS leader

To the Editor:
Announcements from districts across the state and the country are signaling the start of the annual superintendent search season.

With the GPPSS aware of Dr. Harwood's departure in June, it is the fervent hope of many in our district that our Board of Trustees will be out front combing through the best available candidates to find the person who can lead Grosse Pointe schools to excellence.

Our Trustees should be hammering out the details of the search process: national advertising, professional headhunters, public forums, and so on. Ultimately, anyone vying for the position should be required to go before our community to present both his or her credentials and demonstrate passion for the job.

The Grosse Pointe district should be seeking a superintendent with experience as a superintendent. It is also important to hire a person from outside the district.

Thoughtfully submitted,
KELLY BOLL
Grosse Pointe Park, MI

Concerns over Regional Authority raised

To the Editor:
We, Great Lakes Water Protection Committee, are writing to express our concern that the new Regional Authority become aware of some systemic, ongoing problems with the Water and Waste Water Treatment systems, which in our view must be addressed by your body in order to truly protect our great lakes water for the region.

We are a group of citizens who vote. We know that rates keep going up every year. We know we have an old system. We know we must meet certain EPA standards against pollution. Unfortunately, we are afraid that these issues won't truly be addressed. Why are we afraid/very concerned? For one thing, because the new

authority has no real water/sewage treatment expertise aboard. We have accountants, lawyers, policemen, politicians etc. But, to our knowledge, we have no one, or no body in charge which knows the state of the art/science of water/sewage treatment.

Instead, once again, as in the recent past, we have folks on board who depend on contractors and directors with minimal knowledge. Millions of dollars are spent in a patchwork quilt of "solutions" in a wasteful trial-and-error approach which continues to load taxpayer citizens with debt, and results in polluted waters: both the drinking water and the waste water emitted into the Detroit River.

We want the new authority to address the following issues:

1. Use of chlorine for drinking water which is hazardous to health (studies show high rates of bladder and pancreatic cancer using chlorine for this). Chlorine also creates hazardous by-products which are returned into the river. Transporting chlorine is also hazardous for the population.
2. DWSD laboratories are headed by people with less than appropriate education for the job; such as supervisors who are high school grads supervising PhD's. (The laboratories can generate money, if they become certified. The labs could actually do work for outside companies).
3. Chemists are slated to be eliminated, while operators are to be 'turned into chemists'. This is ridiculous and unwise for a system as large as ours and which is as old as ours.
4. Our waste could generate money by turning it into fertilizer.
5. Data gathering for the plants are a joke. No real or reliable data is being collected.
6. Constant Use of contractors raises the price of the (piece-meal) projects they do. This also reduces transparency, and promotes mismanagement and possible corruption.
7. Our water/sewage costs are 2 1/2 x's times the national average. Roughly half of this is

debt. This is because we have no overall plan and because our technology is woefully outdated.

8. The search for a new Director must be nationwide. This person must be a technically, and academically qualified person.

These are major concerns. Given the high costs associated with water/sewage treatment, we feel it is vital to the public trust that a cohesive plan be implemented by the new authority to be grounded in science and technology; not the latest contractor's idea of a get-rich-quick scheme, such as the latest travesty, Nefco. There are plenty of examples in the United States of how to do it right; such as Boston, Chicago, even Ohio. Let's do it right for a change!

We had high hopes for regionalization. From the looks of Nefco and the current hodge-podge of 'plans' being carried out, however, we fear our hopes will once again be dashed. We no longer have a judge overseeing what this body does, so citizens will have to do it. Please consider our concerns.

Sincerely, Great Lakes Water Protection Committee:

- CINDY DARRAH
- IRENE WELCH,
- SUSAN MCDONALD,
- CAROLYN DOHERTY,
- Grosse Pointe

GP Theater's new production impresses

To the Editor:

Do any of us really know how much creative talent is walking among us during any given day? It's in our colleagues, neighbors and acquaintances; it's in that lawyer, this bank manager, that 6th grade teacher.

Never was this more evident than when I saw yesterday's opening performance of The Grosse Pointe Theatre's production of Little Women at the GP War Memorial. Bravo to the entire cast, crew and pit orchestra for an exceptional show! The spot-on casting, the terrific timing of the acting, the awe-inspiring singing and the creativity and precision of the sets just blew me away and moved me to tears. I was pulled in and moved heart and soul. And I wanted to run outside and shout it from the rooftops, to share my admiration with everyone!

Whether you know someone in this production or not, treat yourself to an afternoon or evening performance of Little Women. There are plenty of shows left. Go to www.gpt.org or call directly at 313-881-4004 for tickets. Unplug,

unwind and prepare to be taken away. And to the entire cast and crew, thank you for a thoroughly spectacular performance. You put everything you have into your craft and it shows. What a treasure the Grosse Pointe Theatre is for our entire community!

LAURA GUSHEE
MONAHAN
Grosse Pointe Farms

Television news report overblown

To the Editor:

Fox 2 News ran a story last week on an incident at Grosse Pointe North that was completely irresponsible. This story, which focused on an incident in the hallways of Grosse Pointe North, was designed to inflame, not inform. The reporter interviewed parents from Grosse Pointe South and quoted a teacher who had apparently subbed at Grosse Pointe North to the effect that this was not an isolated incident, and that the school is a dangerous place where incidents like this are a trend rather than the aberration that it actually is. Nothing could be further from the truth- like any school, we have had some isolated instances, but overall there is an atmosphere of respect and discipline that has been apparent for many years to those of us who actually do have children in the school; this atmosphere has been admirably maintained by Kate Murray since she has been the principal at North.

I do not understand the importance of this interview other than to offend and spread misinformation about the Grosse Pointe school system in general and Grosse Pointe North in particular. This opinion seems to be bolstered by the fact that the story included video of a violent fight at Harper Woods High School from last year. Perhaps Fox 2 editors could do just a bit of basic research; if they did, they would find that these are two completely separate schools, from separate districts. Of course, that would not fit their goal, which is to produce news "stories" that bear no relation to the facts, but are simply designed to malign our district.

My hope is that one day these teachers and parents that were interviewed will learn something by the example set by the students and faculty at Grosse Pointe North and spend their time trying to make this community a better one instead of doing the opposite.

KATHY & TOM
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Jurors: Bashara a liar

By Kathy Ryan
Staff Writer

Wyandotte resident Bill Mohney had never heard of Bob Bashara when he was called for jury duty last fall. A scuba diving instructor, Mohney had just returned to his hometown after living out of state for a while.

"I had no idea who Bob Bashara was," he said. "And I had never been called for jury duty before."

Not only would he quickly learn of the January 2012 murder of Grosse Pointe Park resident and the subsequent arrest of her husband for the crime, he would be elected jury foreman and direct his fellow jury members through nearly three months of testimony and an eventual verdict of guilty on all five counts.

On Thursday, Jan. 15, Judge Vonda Evans sentenced Bashara to two counts of life in prison without parole for his role in the death of his wife, along with three lesser sentences.

Mohney and fellow juror Regis Johnson met with reporters this week, and recalled the testimony of several witnesses helped convince jurors of Bashara's guilt, but it was also Bashara's own testimony in several media interviews that played a role in convicting him.

"The footage in many of those interviews showed him speaking in this monotone and he appeared totally disconnected from his wife," Johnson said. "He talked more about his cleaning products than his wife."

Mohney said he watched Bashara's body language through the trial, noting Bashara appeared to be crying at key points, such as when his children took the stand, but Mohney said he didn't believe the tears were real.

But he was quick to point out his personal opinion and the personal opinions of the jurors did not play a role in the guilty verdict.

"All of us did a very good job of keeping evi-

dence separate from our personal opinions," he said.

Johnson agreed. "Bashara was a narcissistic sociopath and a pathological liar," he said.

Both men said they were disappointed Joe Gentz, who pleaded guilty to murdering Jane Bashara at the request of her husband, did not testify, but the prosecution presented enough evidence for them to deliver a guilty verdict.

Johnson said he was most touched by the testimony of Jessica Bashara, Bob and Jane's daughter and Lorraine Englebrecht, Jane Bashara's mother, while Mohney said he was impacted the most by the testimony of Bob's mother, Nancy Bashara.

"I can't imagine emotionally what she had to go through," he said. "She unknowingly was part of this on a personal level."

Both men said members of the jury got along very well throughout the trial, and followed closely the orders of Evans to not

discuss the case until the trial ended.

"We spent the first few hours of jury deliberations just decompressing," Johnson said. "We were finally able to talk about it."

Johnson, a marketing consultant, said setting aside three months of his life was difficult, and actually cost him a job. But even with that, he urged all citizens to step up and do their duty when it comes to serving on a jury.

Mohney agreed. "God forbid I'm ever charged with a crime, but if I am, I hope there's a jury willing to listen to my side of the story."

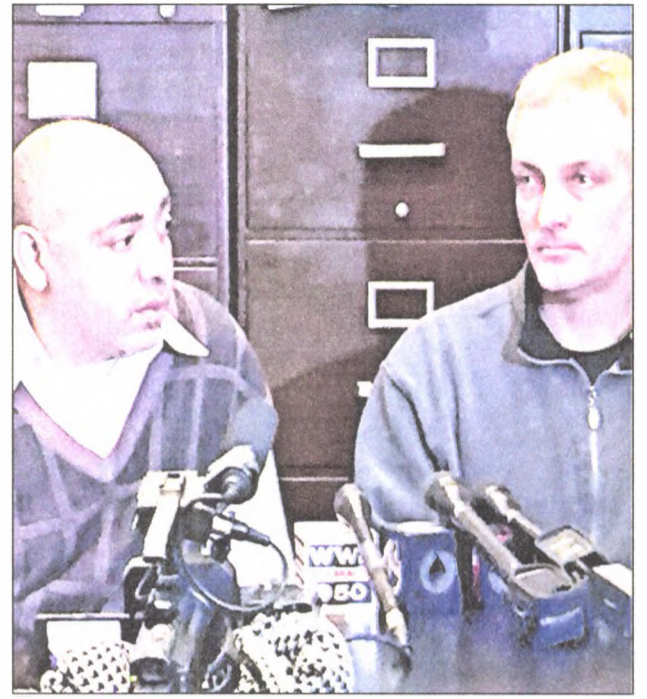


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Jurors Bill Mohney and Regis Johnson met with some members of the media this week to discuss the trial of Bob Bashara, convicted of killing his wife, Jane.

Woods Winterfest set

By John McTaggart
Staff Writer

GROSSE POINTE WOODS — Despite the frigid temperatures and blustery snow of the season, there is an advantage to the winter — at least for a day.

The city's Winterfest gets underway from noon to 2p.m., Saturday, Jan. 31, at Lake Front Park, and organizers are already looking forward to the event.

"We're really excited about it this year," recreation supervisor Nicole Bryon said. "We think we've got a really good event planned for residents."

On the roster of features for this year is a variety of things, Bryon said.

"We're having a chili

cook-off and a cookie challenge," she said. "The competition begins about 10:45 a.m., and the winners are going to be announced about 11:45 a.m."

Lunch and refreshments are also on the agenda, along with activities including an infallible slide for children and a SCORE-O competition.

"Winterfest is for resi-

dents and their guests," Bryon said. "But we do ask that people call and register ahead of time. This way, we have an idea of how many people to expect."

Bryon said last year's event saw between 200 and 250 people, and a similar crowd is expected at this year's Winterfest.

To register, call (313) 343-2408 by Friday, Jan. 23.

GUEST:

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Grosse Pointe is helping local parents to expose school violence this week that seems extreme and out of control. It also appears gender based, as one assault showed dangerous male-on-female violence. We are bringing awareness to our community of these extreme incidents of assault and very violent fights that have become so commonplace within out high school that they are now accepted.

Parents have the right to expect that our children will be safe at school, and we cannot tolerate a breach of that trust in our schools. Though our videos of violent student fights were censored by the news media, and not shown to the public, we will fight to expose them. We as a group of SAFE Grosse Pointe are doing what we can to improve our corner of the universe.

We are asking for a seat at the table in terms of the official city council issues. We want to also be referred to, as Lari Aurora referred safety issues to a diver-

sity council group in the summertime. Now when safety and protection issues arise, we are asking to be involved. SAFE Grosse Pointe is asking officially to be part of any future conversations with outside groups or community activists, ordered police trainings, etc. As a core value, we believe you should taking Grosse Pointer's feedback, not just listening to the extreme and vocal outside-rabble-rousers from outside Grosse Pointe, who make have other agendas that do not help out local citizens and local political situations.

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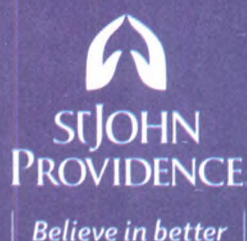
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Turning to another chapter

Celebrating a decade of service

When there is a birthday, there is cake. The Ewald branch of the Grosse Pointe Public Library was serving 100 people cake to celebrate its 10th birthday this week.

Officially opened Jan. 20, 2005, at 15175 E. Jefferson, Grosse Pointe Park, the branch was named in honor of Carolyn Ewald and in memory of her husband, Ted, because the property had been the site of Ted Ewald Chevrolet from 1964 to 1976 and then purchased by the city for the construction of a 15,000 square foot facility.

"I started in 2000," said branch manager John Clextion.

Within a month, he was sitting on a committee with the purpose of bringing a new library from idea to reality.

"It took two years of planning. It was quite an education," he said.

A 12,000 square foot library serving patrons in the southern end of the Grosse Pointes had been housed in Pierce Middle School since the 1930s. More classrooms were needed by the school and the library had limited space to expand its resources in the 1990s.

The property next to Park city hall was just right to build a library featuring 6,864 square feet for the collection and reference services, 1,941 square feet for the youth area, 901 square feet for a community program room, 1,157 square feet as a circulation area, 319 square feet for study rooms and 1,760 square feet for staff work areas. In 2003, building got underway with SG Construction of Brighton. Two years later, the Ewald branch was stocked



The gas fireplace provides a cozy setting on a winter's day.

with books, magazines, reference materials and a salt water fish tank, the latter partially funded by a penny drive by Grosse Pointe school children.

Clextion said students will reminisce while looking into the fish tank.

"One of the best things is kids will come in to solely see the fish tank and remember coming in at two or three and now they are 12 and 13. It's a focal point and soothing atmosphere," he said.

The fireplace is another amenity adding to the tranquil atmosphere.

"The fireplace is cozy, especially on days like this," Clextion said referring to a day's temperature barely hitting double digits.

It is those add-ons, plus the library's

location and visibility that attract patrons.

"We have more library card holders and usage since the closing of the library in Pierce," Clextion said. "The nice thing about each (branch is) they are a neighborhood library. A lot of people bike to the (Ewald) library. The old library had no parking. Kids and families take bike rides to the library. They take strollers and skate boards and play football in front. We are part of the community. We are a community center. We have programs. So that won't go away."

Though there has been a decrease in

Birthday events

Thursday, Jan. 22 — Free video bucks and a 2-for-1 book sale.

Friday, Jan. 23 — Hershey kisses given at the check out.

Saturday, Jan. 24 — Popcorn given out at check out.

the printed material circulation, e-material circulation has increased. "We are still needed," Clextion said. "People still don't have the resources — there is a lag in the community who don't have Internet resources. People have cut their cable and those extras. School assignments want them to e-mail their homework or research. They need a computer."

With the library's WiFi, students do their research on the library's computers or on their laptops.

"Users come for the quiet, the non-distractive atmosphere," Clextion said. "We provide books and references and inhouse data bases."

Printed material, e-material, programs, book clubs, a place to socialize and learn, the library is many things and is reinventing itself as society changes.

However, this week, Ewald staff and patrons pause for a birthday party.

Thursday is free video buck and two-for-one Friends of the Library used book sale. Friday, patrons receive Hershey kisses and cookies at check-out. Saturday is popcorn day, also given out at the check-out counter.



Local artist Sara Dykstra painted the murals in Ewald's story room. She incorporated local scenes with storybook characters in three mural-like oil paintings. Three little pigs, the three Musketeers, a white knight, the big bad wolf, Little Red Riding Hood, Little Bo Peep, Mary Poppins, Humpty Dumpty, Robin Hood and Maid Marian and Peter Pan, Wendy, John and Michael Darling are among the characters that can be seen in the Grosse Pointe War Memorial's garden. Dykstra also used Grosse Pointe Park's Patterson Park and the Village as her settings.



The Ewald branch of the Grosse Pointe Public Library opened 10 years ago to serve patrons at the south end of the Grosse Pointes.



PHOTOS BY RENEE LANDUYT

The Ewald branch of the Grosse Pointe Public Library has more than 6,800 square feet for the collection and reference services.

Financial Resolutions To Make A Happier New Year



Suzanne Antonelli, CFP®
Senior Portfolio Manager

My colleague, Bob Bilkie, shared the following quote in early January and I thought it would provide a good introduction to my topic.

"Let us enter the New Year cheerfully. Let us resolve to look on the bright side, to make the best of whatever may befall, to maintain faith that doing the right

thing will ultimately bring victory. Let us cultivate sunniness, resist sourness. We can better wrestle with difficulties, obstacles, problems in a spirit of buoyancy than in an abject, morose mood. How much more the radiant mortal gets out of life and puts into life than the downcast, long-faced, self-pitying being!"

— B.C. Forces (1937)

It is a fact that financial issues are one of the leading causes of stress. Worrying about debt, if you are saving enough for retirement, paying for college, and all the other financial issues that come up can take a toll on your health, your relationships, and your peace of mind. Much of this stress can be alleviated

by frankly assessing your financial concerns and implementing a plan to alleviate or eliminate those concerns. Resolve in 2015 to take control of your financial future.

1. Reduce Your Debt Burden

Debt is your worst enemy and the greatest obstacle to retirement. Make a resolution to know what you owe and to pay off the high credit card debt first. Resolve to spend what you earn and put your credit cards on ice. Consolidate your debt and make more than the minimum payment. Mortgage interest rates are historically low; if you have not yet remortgaged do your research and see if you can get better terms.

2. Spend Less

Studies have shown that most middle and upper middle class people do not consider themselves well off. The reason? People tend to spend all that they make and live from paycheck to paycheck no matter their level of income. Resolve to shop with a list and stick to your list whether shopping for groceries, clothes, or presents for the grandkids. For large ticket items, set a budget. When I go to buy a car I know exactly what I am willing to pay and I find the car that fits the budget.

3. Save More

Saving for retirement cannot be put off indefinitely, the earlier you start the more comfortable

your retirement! Resolve to increase your retirement savings, increase the percentage you allocate to your 401(k) or other qualified retirement plan, fully fund your IRA this year (it is not too late to fund 2014 you have until April 15, 2015), put a percentage aside in an after-tax account from every paycheck to build your safety net and accumulate wealth.

4. Make a Financial Plan

Create a personal balance sheet. Determine your level of assets and liabilities and decide how you can increase your assets and reduce liabilities. Reflect on your financial goals and set reasonable goals. Draw a financial roadmap; do you need to increase

savings or plan to work a few years longer, or are you on the right track? The fear of the unknown is more stressful than knowing the changes you need to make and resolving to make the necessary adjustments to gain financial security.

All questions and comments are welcome. Happy New Year!

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AREA ACTIVITIES

BNI
Business Network International meets at 7 a.m. Friday, Jan. 23, at Christ the King Lutheran Church, 20338 Mack, Grosse Pointe Woods. Contact Ryan Marier at (313) 638-7526 for more information about this business-oriented group.

Senior Men's Club

Senior Men's Club of Grosse Pointe lunch is at 11 a.m. Tuesday, Jan. 27, at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial, 32 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Farms. The cost is \$10.

Military historian and author John Wukovits discusses War World II.

Men, retired or past 55 years of age, from any community, can attend. Jackets are suggested to

be worn. For tickets or information, call SMCGP president Charlie Rutherford at (313) 885-1823.

Grosse Pointe Woods

◆ Three- to 10-year-old boys and their moms can spend an afternoon together that includes a movie and refreshments at the Grosse Pointe Woods Community Center beginning at 12:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 7. The film shown is "The LEGO Movie."

Woods residents and their guests must register by Thursday, Jan. 29. The cost is \$4 per person.

Both mother and son must register which can be done by visiting the community center, 20025



PHOTO BY JOHN MINNIS

Service men

Col. Rolf E. Mammen, commander of the 127th maintenance Group at Selfridge Air National Guard Base was the Nov. 11 speaker at Rotary of Grosse Pointe's weekly meeting. He discussed how Armistice Day changed to Veterans Day in 1954. Mammen grew up in Grosse Pointe Woods and graduated from Grosse Pointe North High School. At right is club president John Gandelot and at left is program committee chairman Ted Everingham.

Mack Plaza, between 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. or online at recweb.gpwwi.us. For more information, call (313) 343-2408.

◆ "The Hundred Foot Journey" is the featured film for Lunch and a Movie Tuesday, Feb. 17, at the community center.

Lunch is served at noon with the movie following.

Reservations must be in by Tuesday, Feb. 10. Woods residents pay \$9 and non-residents pay \$11.



Award winners

Alliance Française de Grosse Pointe president David Thoms is the recipient of the Belmondo Award of the French Alliances U.S. presented at the Federation of Alliance Française USA's annual October meeting. The award was given in recognition of Thoms' service to the national organization. From left, Alliance Française Toronto treasurer Jim Doak, Federation of French Alliances U.S. president Carole Crosby, honorary president of the Charleston, S.C., Alliance Française Marie-Laure Arnaud and Thoms of West Bloomfield.

Make reservations at the community center.

◆ A trip to Greektown Casino is planned for Tuesday, Feb. 10. The day includes round-trip transportation aboard a luxury motor coach, time to play at the casino and lunch. The fare is \$5 for Grosse Pointe Woods residents, \$7 for non-residents. Guests should arrive at the community center at 9 a.m. to board the bus. The group leaves Greektown for the return trip at 3 p.m.

Registration deadline is Friday, Jan. 30, and can be done at the community center, 20025 Mack Plaza or by calling (313) 343-2408.

Junior League

The Junior League of Detroit awards \$1,000 scholarships to 10 high school graduates, who are residents of Wayne County or attend a high school in Wayne County. Applicants must demonstrate a commitment to volunteering and academics by:

- ◆ GPA of 3.25 or better,
- ◆ extracurricular activities, community service and work experience,
- ◆ awards and honors and
- ◆ two recommendations from teachers, coaches or volunteer coordinators.

The scholarship application can be found at jldetroit.org.

Applications are due March 15.

Boat safety class

The Coast Guard Auxiliary offers a safe boating class for nine weeks from 7 to 9 p.m. beginning Tuesday, Feb. 3, at West Marine, corner of 10 Mile and Jefferson, St. Clair Shores.

The class covers learning the rules of the water, navigation, boat safety and trailering. The cost is \$35 and is payable the first night.

For more information, e-mail sailchaser@sbcglobal.com or call (586) 219-2093 and leave a message.

Habitat for Humanity

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Sign here

Grosse Pointe Rotarian Richard Allison, left, author of "Operation Thunderclap and the Black March: Two World War II Stories for the Unstoppable 91st Bomb Group," signed his book for Rotarians during their Dec. 8 meeting at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial. From left, Allison, Fred Ollison, Al Ceravolo and Ron Vitale.

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More than 450 guests attended the 2014 Detroit Historical Society Ball at the Masonic Temple and raised more than \$500,000 to support the society's exhibition and education programs.

Co-chairwomen for the ball were Jill Johnson of Detroit, Stephanie Nicholson of the City of Grosse Pointe and Pam Wyett of Bloomfield Hills.

With more than 1,000 rooms, the Detroit Masonic Temple is the largest building of its kind in the world. Final plans outlined 12 million cubic feet of space on what was then Braggs Street. Thousands of Detroiters attended the ground-breaking, that took place Thanksgiving Day 1920. During the autumn of 1922, the building's cornerstone was laid with the same tools George Washington used to lay the cornerstone for the national Capitol.

The temple's main theater, designed by architect George D. Mason, has the second largest stage in the country and houses three chandeliers.

Corrado Parducci, the artist responsible for the main lobby and the last master architectural sculptor in America, adapted the decorative scheme from an old castle in Palermo, Sicily. In the classic Gothic style, the Masonic Temple's limestone facade stands at 2109 feet tall at its highest point.

The DHS is a private, nonprofit organiza-



From left, Detroit Historical Society trustee and ball co-chairwoman Stephanie Nicholson of the City of Grosse Pointe, DHS CEO Bob Bury of the City of Grosse Pointe and ball co-chairwoman Jill Johnson of Detroit pose with the society's 1963 Ford Mustang II concept car.

tion located in Midtown. The society operates the Detroit Historical Museum and the Dossin Great Lakes Museum. Additionally, the society is responsible for the conservation and preservation of more than 250,000 artifacts representing three centuries of the region's history.

For more information visit detroitthishistorical.org.



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From left, Mimi McMillan of Grosse Pointe Farms, Detroit Historical Society immediate past president Sandy McMillan of Grosse Pointe Farms, Detroit Mayor Michael Duggan and Lori Maher Duggan.



From left, Betsey and Carl Rashid, Nancy and Sean Cotton and John and Alicia Nicholson, all of Grosse Pointe Farms.

A LA ANNIE By Annie Rouleau-Scheriff

Chicken noodle soup for the cold

A hhhh.....chicken noodle soup. There is nothing quite like it when you have a cold. Or when it is cold.

The following is my favorite go to chicken noodle soup recipe. It begins with a warehouse rotisserie chicken (cooked) and finishes with fresh vegetables and your noodle of choice.



PHOTO BY ANNIE ROULEAU-SCHERRIFF

Warehouse Rotisserie Chicken Noodle Soup

- 1 large cooked rotisserie chicken
- 2 cups chopped celery
- 2 cups chopped carrot
- 2 cups chopped onion
- 4 to 5 garlic cloves, minced
- 1 to 2 tablespoons Better than Broth, chicken flavor (or bullion cubes)

Chicken noodle soup for more than the soul.

- 1 cup chopped fresh parsley
- half package egg noodles (or your choice)

Begin by removing as much chicken from bone as possible, both white and dark meat.

Use your hands to shred

meat then set aside.

Place all bones in an eight quart pot and fill pot with water. Bring pot to a boil, reduce to a simmer and cook for about an hour. Use a large, slotted spoon to remove all bones. Add more water, if needed to fill the pot.

Add celery, carrots, onion and garlic to the pot. Simmer for another 20 minutes or so.

Taste broth and add some chicken base. Add shredded chicken and parsley. Taste and season with more chicken base if needed.

Add noodles and simmer for another 10 to 15 minutes.

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ASK THE EXPERTS

By Cathy Lysack Ph.D. and Tam E. Perry Ph.D.

Downsizing helpful to single senior



Q My mother is more than 80 years old now and she's having difficulty managing the house and yard since my father passed away. I have encouraged her to move into a smaller place but she is resisting. I am concerned the household chores are too demanding and the two-story house with stairs isn't suitable for her. Is household downsizing a good option for older adults facing age-related declines? Should I urge her to move?

A Household downsizing can be helpful when there is a poor fit between the older adults' abilities and the design of the house. A major health event that impairs mobility can make it particularly difficult to remain at home if the bedroom, bathroom or laundry is not on the main floor.

The loss of a spouse is obviously difficult emotionally, but it can also be practically difficult, effectively doubling the physical work required to take care of the house and yard.

A related factor is driving cessation, which can

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also precipitate a move.

While a new residence can provide a more accessible living environment, there is a downside.

The new home may be distant from networks of friends and desirable locations where meaningful activities occur. So while an older adult might be "safer" in the new location, they may lose social ties which, in turn, reduce the social participation in meaningful activities related to these social networks. Social isolation and depression can be even more detrimental to an older adult's health than their ability to independently manage stairs. Thus, families must undertake these conversa-

tions with sensitivity and positive expressions of caring. Families must work together to listen to the expressed wishes of the older person. Safe mobility is relevant of course, but there is so much more to being well and living a meaningful life at any age.

Lysack is professor of occupational therapy and gerontology, and interim dean, College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences, Wayne State University. She can be reached at c.lysack@wayne.edu.

Perry is an assistant professor at WSU, School of Social Work. She can be reached at teperry@wayne.edu or (313) 577-4402.

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HEALTH POINT From Henry Ford Hospital

Taking winter weather precautions

Prevention

The key to avoiding cold weather injuries is to dress appropriately. This includes layering clothing with a first layer that pulls moisture away from the skin, an outer layer that keeps the elements out and a middle layer that insulates. Hats are a must because the head is where 30 percent of the body's heat loss takes place. Gloves and face protection also are necessary in extremely cold weather.

What is frostbite?

Frostbite is caused by exposure to dry, cold temperatures below freezing. It can result in permanent damage and tissue loss. The most susceptible body parts are fingers, toes, cheeks, ear lobes and the tip of the nose because they are located at the most distant points of the circulatory system. A precursor to frostbite is frostnip, in which the skin is numb, white and firm to the touch.

What are the risk factors for frostbite?

Inadequate or poorly fitted clothing, exposure to wind, dampness, contact with cold objects, dehydration, shock and trauma, hardening of the arteries, smoking, a history of frostbite, alcohol and other substance abuse and fatigue.

Symptoms of frostbite

Early symptoms of frostbite include tingling, numbness and pain in the affected area. The skin turns white or gray,

and is cold and hard to the touch. There is no feeling in the affected area. The skin may blacken and form a tough layer that eventually disappears, revealing new skin that will always be more susceptible to frostbite. Deep frostbite can involve underlying tissue, muscle, tendon and bone.

Treating frostbite

Seek medical attention immediately. If transportation is delayed, rewarm the affected area in warm bath water. If a thermometer is not available, the water should feel comfortably warm to unaffected parts. Give the person warm, non-alcoholic fluids. Rewarming at the location should be avoided if medical care is available within two hours.

During rewarming, the affected area will become extremely painful, red and blotchy, indicating return of adequate circulation.

Wash the area thoroughly with soap and water. When color returns, wrap the part in sterile gauze or a clean cloth, separating the fingers and toes. Elevate the affected part after rewarming to decrease swelling and pain.

What is hypothermia?

Hypothermia occurs when the body's core temperature falls below 95 degree Fahrenheit. This happens through exposure to cool and/or damp conditions. Cardiac arrhythmia also is possible when the core body temperature falls

below 95 degrees Fahrenheit. The elderly, immobile and psychiatric patients are most at risk. Often times, hypothermia affects elderly people who live in poorly heated homes.

Hypothermia symptoms

These include slurred speech, decreased coordination, uncontrollable shivering, cold and pale skin, blue lips and nails, stiffening of neck and limbs, memory lapses, stumbling, abnormally slow breathing and a slow, irregular heart beat. The condition becomes grave when the shivering stops, muscles stiffen and the skin turns bluish.

Treating hypothermia

Seek medical attention immediately. In mild hypothermia, give the person warm, non-alcoholic fluids and cover his or her head. When hypothermia is more severe, treatment varies based on age.

A young person can be warmed in a hot bath (115 degrees Fahrenheit). However, this can be fatal for elderly people. Warming should be gradual with the elderly, at about one degree per hour. Make sure clothing is dry and wrap the person in blankets. Hypothermia patients generally have a good prognosis unless they go into cardiac arrest or complications arise from an associated illness.

Source: Henry Ford Hospital's Department of Emergency Medicine.

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Henry Ford Health System appoints vice presidents

Three administrators were appointed product line leaders as part of Henry Ford Health System's delivery system re-design. The product lines are pathology and laboratory medicine, radiology and inpatient pharmacy.

Grosse Pointe Woods resident Edward Szandzik has been appointed to one of those positions, pathology and laboratory medicine vice president. He had been the director of pharmacy services at Henry Ford Hospital.

These areas of service can be managed in a standard manner across the organization. With expenses and the human resources and assets of each organized into one structure to optimize ser-



Ed Szandzik of Grosse Pointe Woods

VICES, staff and equipment across the health system resulting in improved quality, responsiveness, efficiency, employee engagement and cost savings.

"These product lines will better integrate, reduce duplication and

improve efficiency that will ultimately improve the quality of care for patients and enhance the work environment for team members," said Bob Riney, executive vice president and chief operating officer for Henry Ford Health System.

"Product Line best practices at many health systems across the nation have shown a significant improvement in value and quality while reducing costs," Riney said.

Effective Jan. 1, the product line administrative leadership for these areas are:

Cheryl Martin of Canton is the system vice president for radiology services.

See SZANDZIK, page 6B

Get 2015 started on a healthy note

To help improve a workout routine the Neighborhood Club Recreation and Wellness Center holds a free health event from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 24.

The day includes demonstrations covering how basics of becoming more flexible, the terms and poses for those beginning yoga and breathing techniques for stress management. Flexibility demonstrations are at 10 and 11 a.m. and at noon.

Yoga demonstrations

are at 10:20 and 11:20 a.m. and at 12:20 p.m. Stress management techniques are scheduled at 10:40 and 11:40 a.m. and at 12:40 p.m.

There are mini-seminars and booths addressing strength training, sport jump and landing basic techniques, senior medicine and integrative medicine.

A clinical nurse specialist discusses brain health and aging in the senior medicine session and information on medical massage, acu-

puncture and lymphedema are addressed in the integrative medicine session. These sessions are continuous.

There also will be screenings for balance, posture, children's physical and speech development, blood pressure testing and body fat analysis.

Beaumont Health System professionals, including physical occupational and speech therapists and athletic trainers and Neighborhood Club fitness staff will be on hand.

OBITUARIES

Obituary notices are purchased and often prewritten by family or friends. While we try to run obituaries as submitted, we nevertheless reserve the right to edit for accuracy, style and length.

Joyce Alef

City of Grosse Pointe resident Joyce Alef, 84, died Jan. 17, 2015.

She was born May 4, 1930, in Detroit, to Marvin Alef and Troth Olgesby, and graduated from St. Paul High School. She earned a bachelor's degree from Notre Dame College in Ohio.

Ms. Alef was a talented seamstress who taught sewing classes. She enjoyed volunteering and serving her community. She was active at St. Paul on the Lake Catholic Church and was a past president for the Grosse Pointe Theatre, as well as made costumes for its productions.

She enjoyed socializing with family and friends and loved boating, gardening and listening to the Grosse Pointe Symphony. She was a huge fan of Notre Dame College.

Ms. Alef is survived by her loving children, Paul Carey Bauhof, Mark Bauhof (Joyce), Anne Fancovic (Gerard) and Lisa B. Pollard, and grandchildren, Eric, Peter "Max," Michael, Daniel, Jonathan and Christopher.

A funeral Mass will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 22, at St. Paul on the Lake Catholic Church, 157 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Farms. Visitation begins at 9:30 a.m. at the church.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Diabetes Association at diabetes.org or Services for Older Citizens, 158 Ridge Road, Grosse Pointe Farms, MI 48236.

Ethel Crooks

Ethel Crooks, nee Martin, a resident of St. Clair Shores and Marco Island, Fla., died unexpectedly Monday, Jan. 12, 2015. She was 70.

Mrs. Crooks is survived by her husband, Albert Crooks; children, Victoria Crooks, Elizabeth Zieleniewski, Albert Crooks III and Julie Allen-Rains and her beloved grandchildren, Olivia Allen, Albert Crooks IV, Genavieve Crooks and AJ and Ana Zieleniewski.

She was predeceased by her parents, Helen and Blair Martin.

She was born Feb. 24, 1944, in Seattle, to Helen and Blair Martin. On Jan. 18, 1962, she married her high school sweetheart, Albert Crooks and joined him in Italy for two years where he was stationed with the U.S. Army.

In 1978, Mrs. Crooks and her family moved to Venezuela — a bold move at that time — when her husband accepted a foreign assignment for his job. After three years, the family lived in Mexico City for three years and Brazil for two years on two separate occasions.

Mrs. Crooks had an adventurous soul and thrived living in other countries. In 2001, she and her husband retired and moved to Marco Island.

Mrs. Crooks was a devoted wife, mother and grandmother. Her grandchildren were her life and she loved having a houseful of them both in St. Clair Shores and in Marco Island.

She will be greatly missed by those who knew and loved her.

A memorial service will be held at 3 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 24, at Bagnasco and Calcaterra Funeral Home, 25800 Harper, St. Clair Shores. Visitation begins at 1 p.m. and ends at 5 p.m. Share a memory with the family at bcfh.com.

Richard H. Johnson

Former City of Grosse Pointe resident Richard H. "Dick" Johnson, 98, died Saturday, Jan. 10, 2015, in Dearborn.

He was born in Milwaukee and graduated from the University of Wisconsin. A World War II veteran, he worked for Westinghouse Corporation for more than 40 years.

Mr. Johnson was an active member of his church, serving on numerous committees and singing in the choir. He sang with the Grosse Pointe Senior Men's Club choral group and played trumpet in the Music Makers band. An avid sailor who enjoyed both pleasure and competitive sailing on Lake St. Clair, he also built several small sailboats.

Mr. Johnson and his wife, Charlotte, moved to Oakwood Common Retirement Community, in Dearborn, 21 years ago. There he was instrumental in starting many activities including a choral group which performed for the residents.

Mr. Johnson was predeceased by his loving wife, Charlotte.

He is survived by his loving children, James Johnson (Louise), Patricia Nicholl, Betz Johnson; grandchildren, Kimberly Kusch (Christopher), Samuel Robert Nicholl (Sara), Brian Johnson (Leigh-Anne) and Natalie Johnson and great-grandchildren, Abigail, CJ, Brynn, Delilah and Calla.

He also is survived by his dear friend, Meagan Keane; sister, Mayetta Behringer; and sister-in-law, Lillian Johnson.

In addition to his wife, he was predeceased by his brother, Bill.

A memorial service will be held at a later date.

Donations may be made to the Grosse Pointe Congregational Church music program, 240 Chalfonte, Grosse Pointe Farms, MI 48236.

Faith Halfyard

Faith Halfyard, a former longtime, respected and well-loved English teacher at Parcels Junior High School, died Tuesday, Oct. 14, 2014.

She was born in Quincy, Mass., in 1922, and earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in political science and economics from Wellesley College. She earned a master's degree in education from Harvard University.

Miss Halfyard taught 32 years, first in Troy, N.Y., then in the Grosse Pointe Public School System, and then in Plainview, N.Y., where she retired. She then moved to North Carolina and then South Yarmouth, Mass.

Miss Halfyard was especially fond of Cape Cod, which she visited almost every summer. Former students said they will remember her as an outstanding English teacher, as well as for her liberal views and as an ardent member of the Democratic Party.

Peter S. Logan

Peter S. Logan, 89, died Tuesday, Jan. 13, 2015.

He was the beloved husband of Susan for 60 years; loving father of Peter S. Logan Jr. (Patricia) and Jeffrey S. Logan (Lynn); caring grandfather of Peter Spencer, David B., Samantha, Elliot, Max and Grace and dear brother of John Logan.

He was predeceased by his brother, Leon Logan.

Donations may be made to the Michigan Parkinson Foundation at parkinsonsmi.org.

Share a memory at wujekcalcaterra.com.

Edmund Arnold Francone

Edmund Arnold Francone, 97, passed away Wednesday, Jan. 14, 2015, at Fort Walton Beach Medical Center in Florida.

Born Nov. 23, 1917, in Chicago, to Cesare and Carolina Francione, he was the second youngest of nine children. As a young man, he worked his way through Armour Tech — now Illinois Institute of Technology — playing the piano and singing in Chicago's southside bars for \$2 a night with two other musicians. He always said he had a three-piece orchestra.

Mr. Francone earned a bachelor's degree in mechanical engineering. He later earned a master's degree in metallurgy and a bachelor's degree in education from Wayne State University. He worked at Ford Motor Co. in Dearborn as an engine engineer for most of his professional life and retired from Ford in 1982 with more than 40 years of service.

Aside from his work as an engineer, his principal passions were his wife, June, his family and friends, music, Italian food, the stock market, gardening and growing citrus fruit in Texas.

Mr. Francone and his wife traveled extensively in the United States, especially in the west, and annually to Florida. They loved to entertain, enjoying a great meal and conversation with good friends.

Mr. Francone was known for growing tomatoes, peppers, beans and onions, much of that bounty shared with friends. In his later years, he developed culinary interests, his specialty being spaghetti sauce.

Mr. Francone returned to music and singing and became the vocalist with The Silver Foxes, a group of 11 musicians who entertained residents of Shore Pointe Nursing Center every Thursday.

Mr. Francone was predeceased by his wife, June Strickler Francone; two sisters and six brothers.

He is survived by his nieces and nephews, Jacquelyn Francone Paw, Vincent Gentile, JoAnn Russo Blackwell, David Francone, Karlene Gentile Wigston, Francine Francone, and Louis Francone.

Visitation will be held from 2 to 8 p.m. Friday, Jan. 23, at Chas. Verheyden Funeral Home, 16300 Mack, Grosse Pointe Park. A prayer service will be at 7 p.m.

A funeral Mass will be celebrated at 9:30 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 24, at Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic Church, Grosse Pointe Woods. Visitation begins at 9 a.m. at the



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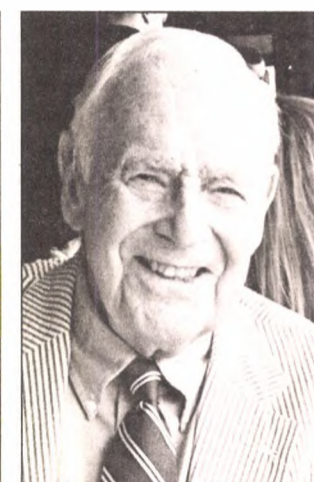
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In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Food for the Poor at foodforthe poor.org or Feed the Children at feedthechildren.org.

Share a memory at verheyden.org.

Albert Martin Mackey Jr.

Grosse Pointe Farms resident Albert Martin "Bill" Mackey Jr., 86, died Wednesday, Jan. 14, 2015, of acute myelogenous leukemia.

He was born Jan. 22, 1928, in Detroit, to Muriel Bauman Mackey and Albert Mackey Sr., graduated from Detroit University School and, in 1949, from Dartmouth College.

Mr. Mackey is survived by his wife of 59 years, Alexandra; sons, Sumner and William; daughters, Jennifer Tyrrell and Leslie Potter, and 10 grandchildren. He also is survived by his brother, Tom Mackey, and sister, Roberta Rigger.

Mr. Mackey was known for his outgoing personality, positive outlook on life and a sense of humor. His family said he was a friend to everyone he encountered and, as a consequence, had friends from all walks of life.

An athlete, he loved skiing and golf and played in regular tennis foursomes for more than 50 years. In recent years he devoted time and energy to restoring the grounds and membership of the Tennis House, a private facility in which he was a longtime member.

Although he never skied before he attended Dartmouth, Mr. Mackey immediately undertook the most challenging runs in the New Hampshire mountains. Later, when skiing in the Rockies, he met his wife, Alexandra, in Aspen, Colo. In spite of three hip replacements, he traveled annually to the slopes of Colorado until 2013.

As a young man, he launched a career in advertising. He later switched to the development and management of commercial property. For many years he lent his skills and expertise to the maintenance of his church, Christ Church Grosse Pointe.

Mr. Mackey was a member of the Country Club of Detroit and the Yondotega Club.

A memorial service will be held at 3 p.m. Friday, Jan. 23, at Christ Church Grosse Pointe, 61 Grosse Pointe Blvd., Grosse Pointe Farms.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Grosse Pointe Animal Adoption Society, 296 Chalfonte, Ave., Grosse Pointe Farms, MI 48236.

Gordon MacGregor Murray M.D.

City of Grosse Pointe resident Gordon MacGregor Murray M.D., 95, passed away Saturday, Jan. 17, 2015. He was a loving husband, beloved father and dedicated physician.

He was born in Auckland, New Zealand, to the Rev. Dr. Alexander A. Murray and Bertha (nee Deans) Murray. His early education was in New Zealand, Pennsylvania, and Nova Scotia, Canada, where he earned an M.D.C.M. degree from Dalhousie University in Halifax, Nova Scotia.

During World War II, Dr. Murray served as a captain in the Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps. Following the war, he completed his post graduate work in Halifax and Toronto and earned a Fellowship of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada. From 1954 to 1966, he was an assistant medical examiner for Wayne County, while establishing his internal medicine practice.

Dr. Murray was in private practice from 1954 to 1982 and medical director of the St. John Medical Center, St. Clair Shores, from 1981 to 1989. He retired in 1989.

Dr. Murray was a longtime member of Grosse Pointe Memorial Church. He was a member of several local, national and international medical associations, a lifetime



Gordon M. Murray M.D.

member of the St. John Hospital Guild and the Senior Men's Club of Grosse Pointe. He was active in many organizations with his children, including the Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts and Little League.

Dr. Murray is survived by his wife, Mildred (nee Keeping) Murray; sons, G. Bradford Murray (Jeanette) and W. Ross Murray; daughters, Elisabeth A. Murray, Cheryl Robitaille (Charles) and Marilyn Penley (Gordon) and grandsons, Joshua Murray (Stephanie) and Adam Murray (Jessi).

He was predeceased by his brother, the Rev. Dr. A. Roy W. Murray and sisters, Bonnie and Elsie.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 24, at Grosse Pointe Memorial Church, 16 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Farms.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorials be made to the charity of the donor's choice.

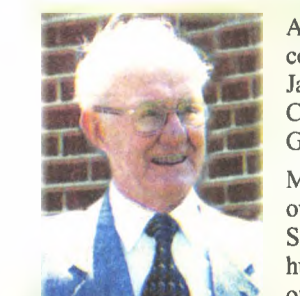
PRIDE OF THE POINTES

The following area students were named to the Dean's List for the Spring 2014 semester at Central Michigan University: **Maureen Andreovich, Kathleen Butler, Jonathan Crandall, Marisa Curran, Kelly Fox, Kimberly Hobson-Hollowell, Dylan LaPratt, Colleen Livingston, Cristina Maniaci, Kara Motschall, Catherine Murray, Harper Pizzimenti, Kaley Sheldon and Anthony West.**

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Anna Kucharski was named to the Dean's List for the Spring 2014

semester at Hillsdale College. She is the daughter of Gary and Valerie Kucharski of Grosse Pointe Park and a 2012 graduate of Grosse Pointe South High School.

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Katherine Steen, a 2014 Phi Beta Kappa graduate of the University of Michigan, has been awarded a 2014-15 Fulbright Scholarship to the Slovak Republic for an English teaching assistantship. The 2010 graduate of Grosse Pointe South High School is the daughter of Greg Steen and Sue Parent of the City of Grosse Pointe.



Linville 'Gene' Stover
1925-2014

A memorial Mass will be celebrated at noon Saturday, Jan. 24, at St. Paul on the Lake Catholic Church, 157 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Farms.

Mr. Stover was the longtime owner of Gene's Club Party Store on Kercheval and served hundreds of Grosse Pointers over the years. The store was a destination for generations of children for its penny candy.

6B | CHURCHES

PASTOR'S CORNER

By Rev. Jimmie Sue Deepe

King did not work alone

Monday, Jan. 19, was marked as a day of remembrance

for the life of Martin Luther King Jr. and I would like to offer some of my own reflections as I have thought about what King strove for and struggled towards.

King did not do the work God called him to do alone.

In order to bring about change, in order to bring recognition of the deserved right to dignity for all people of color in our country required many people placing their bodies on the line along with King.

The Gospel of Luke 6:27-29, Jesus tells those who have gathered round to love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you. If anyone strikes you on the cheek, offer the other.

Jesus is trying to tell us violence is useless in stopping the bringing of God's

kingdom, the bringing of dignity to all people.

When we use violence such as racism we blind ourselves to God, to love, to relationships. Violence distances us from each other, it creates barriers to being able to hear and see one another as a beloved and valued human being.

When I think back to social justice movements that have brought about monumental societal changes, these changes happened through nonviolent peacemakers, people willing to put their bodies on the line, cross and resurrection, embodied in the here and now.

Christians are called to harken Matthew 5:9, blessed are the peacemakers, which is in direct opposition to violence. For Christians this means we need to be modeling what it means to live our lives as peacemakers. As individual

Christians, if we are to live out and into the kingdom of God, as Jesus as our exemplar, then we need to model the beatitudes in Matthew 5:1-12 to help bring an end to oppression and offer up instead a model of the world lived in relationship as beloved children of the Creator.

As I reflect this week on King's life I am reminded that I, too, am called to be a peacemaker, to find opportunities to lift up those who struggle for dignity, to find ways to be an advocate for those who are struggling to find their voice.

And if each one of us does this we can bring positive life-altering change to all of our communities.

Rev. Deepe is the curate associate at St. Michael's Episcopal Church in Grosse Pointe Woods.

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Bloomfield Hills resident, John Waugh is the system vice president for pathology and laboratory medicine.

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Habitat for Humanity Detroit seeks volunteers for its Winter Warriors program.

This month, Habitat Detroit is building two homes in Lincoln Park and one on Morningside Commons.

Volunteers who join Winter Warriors earn perks on winter clothing and accessories at a local sporting goods store.

To register visit habitatdetroit.org/volunteering or call, (313) 521-6691, ext. 106. No experience is necessary.

CHURCH EVENTS

Ecumenical breakfast

The Grosse Pointe Men's Ecumenical breakfast meeting begins with coffee, served at 7:15 a.m. Friday, Jan. 23, at Grosse Pointe Memorial Church, 16 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Farms. A buffet breakfast is served at 7:30 a.m. and the speaker, the Rev. Krister Ulmanis of First English Evangelical Lutheran Church of Grosse Pointe Woods, is the 7:45 a.m. speaker. The meeting adjourns at 8:15 a.m.

Men of any faith from any community can attend.

Christ Church

Christ Church Grosse Pointe, hosts an Ecumenical Evensong service at 7 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 22.

Clery, congregations and choirs from Christ Church, Grosse Pointe

Memorial Church and St. Paul on the Lake Catholic Church are to attend.

A reception follows. The public can attend the free event.

The Men and Boys choir of Christ Church Grosse Pointe sing during the 4:30 p.m. Evensong service Sunday, Jan. 25. The church is located at 61 Grosse Pointe Blvd., Grosse Pointe Farms.

The public can attend. A reception follows the service.

Free and lighted parking is available adjacent to the church.

The Feast of Presentation service begins at 4:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 1, and features the church's Choir of Men and Girls.

A Candlemas procession is followed by a Solemn Holy Eucharist celebrating the Eve of the Presentation of Jesus in the temple.

Mozart's "Mass in C Major," "Sparrow," K 220" is the featured music.

Soroptimist recognized for her work

Grosse Pointe Soroptimist Aleksandra Andjelkovic received the first Michigan Liberator Award in recognition of volunteering as an advocate to raise human trafficking awareness during a January event.

This award was created by Theresa Flores, a human trafficking survivor. She is formerly of Birmingham.

The award highlights the efforts made toward human trafficking awareness and its elimination by individuals, businesses, organizations, students, churches, civic clubs, law enforcement, elected officials, volunteers and survivors of human trafficking in Michigan.

Since 2010, Andjelkovic, a Grosse Pointe Park resident, has immersed herself learning the complex issues of modern day slavery from bondage labor, to sex trafficking, to demand, to supply chain, to child labor, to everything from politics to policies.

She attends conferences locally and nationally, talking with survivors and others who are passionate about this horrific



Aleksandra Andjelkovic and Theresa Flores at the award ceremony.

crime.

Since arriving in Michigan in 2013, Andjelkovic has reached out to the community in order to learn more about local issues related to human trafficking.

As a Soroptimist she helped organize an anti-human trafficking committee to spread the word against this injustice. In the spring, the committee focuses on the education of men and their role in human trafficking and sexual exploitation.

The first forum "Man Up! Ending the Demand for Sex Trafficking" is May 16 at Wayne State University.

"I believe in a collaborative effort to address complex issues of human trafficking and its root causes," she said, "so I can network and share with others what and who I know. I also take any opportunity I have to speak about human trafficking with those I come in contact with, no matter how big or small that conversation might be."

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— JANUARY 22 —



The Rivers a jewel in the Pointes

By Joe Warner
Editor

The message is simple: Welcome to The Rivers Grosse Pointe - your neighborhood, your home.

It's more than a motto as you walk into the sprawling, but close knit community.

Richard Levin, chief executive officer of Riverview Health, with three facilities including The Rivers, said the Grosse Pointe Woods facility offers touches of home and beautiful amenities as soon as you walk in the door.

It fills a need in the community, Levin said.

"The purpose of putting the building here is to provide an alternative for those who are aging so they don't have to leave their community," Levin said. "It allows them to stay close to their families, to their churches, their hometown."

On a cold morning last week, the open area in the three-story independent living building, which faces Cook Road, was filled with beautiful sounds from a grand piano filled the room as residents came out of their suites to listen.

It was Levin - familiar with the piano because it came from his house - drawing the residents together.

"When I play, the doors open," Levin said. "People come out and they sit and listen to the music. To us, this is very personal. These residents are family members to us, too."

The main building has 77 suites on three floors. There are one bedroom and two bedroom units.

There are 40 individually-owned cottages, the Rivers Residence Club, perfectly tucked away as its own neighborhood. All of those residences have been sold. A future project has openings.

Under construction still, but close to ready, are two phases of housing available. There are 40 assisted living suites, 30 memory care and 10 respite care suites.

In all, there is 211,000 square feet.

"There are openings in assisted living and now is the time to come in and speak with us," Levin said. "It's a licensed assisted living facility. We've chosen to be licensed and it brings higher standards. People who want to be part of The Rivers, now is the time to come speak with

us. Community liaison Jeannie Schorman is proud to show off the amenities at The Rivers, which include:

- * Concierge service
- * Various dining alternatives
- * Chauffeured transportation
- * Room service
- * Pub
- * Cooking classes
- * Laundry and house-keeping services
- * Private chapel services
- * Computer library/Wi-Fi
- * Campus park/gazebo
- * Indoor gardens
- * Beauty/hair salon
- * Spa services
- * Fitness/Wellness Center
- * Indoor swimming pool for recreation and therapeutic activities
- * Recreational activities
- * Game room
- * Arts and crafts programs.

"There's so much here for the residents," Schorman said. "It's amazing."

Levin agrees, saying the responsibility of The Rivers is to be a good home for its residents and a good neighbor to



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See RIVERS, page 9B Top, a suite at The Rivers. Above, a common area to relax.

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BrightStar Care of Grosse Pointe/Macomb offers a high standard of private home care

By Joe Warner
Editor

In the spirit of the North American International Auto Show, Anne Marie Gattari fondly remembers what she calls the best job in the auto industry.

At Ford Motor Co. as a public relations manager, she was in charge of marketing the F-series trucks. Not a tough job with their success over the years, named Truck of the Year at Detroit's show last week.

Now, as owner of

BrightStar Care of Grosse Pointe/Macomb, her focus has changed, but it's exactly where she wants it to be.

While at Ford, she did what many adult children of baby boomers have done: Doctors appointments, shopping, cooking, and errands for their parents.

Her Dad, at 90, was nearing the end of his life.

Gattari took a leave from her job to care and comfort her Dad in the last month of his life.

"When he died, I went

back to work" Gattari said. "It just didn't have the same thrill for me."

She also cared for her 89-year-old Mother in the months before her death in 2012.

Her experience drove her desire from the auto industry into home care agencies.

"I started looking at the process to purchase a franchise," she said. "I narrowed it down from 10 or 12. BrightStar Care stood out."

For many reasons, Gattari said, including the fact BrightStar has registered nurse oversight as part of the business model. Gattari's BrightStar Care actually has two.

Another reason is BrightStar is accredited by the Joint Commission, a third-party auditor of health care standards.

In Michigan, there is no requirement to have a license to practice home care. The Joint Commission's Gold Seal tells the public that BrightStar Care is meeting healthcare standards set by a respected third-party auditor.

"When interviewing home care agencies, families should ask if they are accredited by



the Joint Commission or similar health care auditors," Gattari said.

BrightStar Care offers professional care 24/7. An in-home, complimentary health and fitness evaluation with a BrightStar Care registered nurse. Gattari said the company will match a professional caregiver based on personalities, preferences and the unique plan of care.

Nurses and caregivers are fully screened, insured and bonded, licensed and/or certified.

There is care offered daily, weekly, part-time or live-in care.

The services are perfect when daily activities become increasingly difficult, support is needed throughout the night, an outpatient procedure is performed or extra assistance is required in setting up and taking medications.

Services include companion care, with respite and family relief, assistance with hobbies and



Anne Marie Gattari, owner and president of BrightStar Care of Grosse Pointe/Macomb.

pastimes and care for those whose condition compromises their ability to stay alone.

Home support includes laundry and light house-keeping, grocery shopping and meal

preparation and errands. Transitioning home includes review and confirm discharge orders, medication reconciliation, transportation home and follow up appointments and diagnosis-specific services.

Personal care includes bathing, dressing, grooming, toileting, medication reminders, transferring, positioning and ambulation.

Skilled care includes in-home blood draws and injections, infusion, advanced wound care, hospice assistance and medication management.

BrightStar Care of Grosse Pointe/Macomb offers services not covered by Medicare or health care.

"Families pay using longterm care insurance, veterans benefits and by family contributions," Gattari said. "I learned a lot about quality care. When my Dad was ill, the standard of care was not what I would've liked."

Working with the families is the first important step in establishing quality care.

"I know what it's like to be on their side of the table," Gattari said. "They should feel very proud. Their parents are blessed to have caring children in their lives. The goal for most is to stay in their homes as long as they can. Most pray for and want that."

For some, Gattari said it's not practical. But sometimes they just need some assistance to make it on their own.

"There are people who just need a few hours of care each day," she said. "My parents, they absolutely did not want to leave their home. There are options and we work with the families to see if we can provide the help they need."

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Faye LaPorte is a client care coordinator and dementia specialist with BrightStar Care Grosse Pointe/Macomb.

Caregiver support group meets monthly

The Alzheimer's Association's Caregiver Support Groups are designed to provide emotional, educational and social support for caregivers through regularly scheduled meetings.

They help participants develop methods and skills to solve problems. The groups encourage caregivers to maintain their own personal, physical and emotional health, as well as optimally care for the person with dementia.

A meeting is held the first Wednesday of each month from 6 to 7:30 p.m. at St. Michael's Episcopal Church, 20475 Sunningdale Park, Grosse Pointe Woods. Faye LaPorte of BrightStar Care Grosse Pointe/Macomb is facilitator.

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the community.

"We know what a difficult decision it is to make a transition from living in your own home to moving," he said. "We give as much assistance and as much independence as our residents want. We don't ever want to take their importance away."

Levin said the people who work at The Rivers help it stand alone as one of the area's best facilities.

"I'm in awe of the people who work here," Levin said. "They are so caring and loving. We want to provide whatever our residents need. We want them to feel good."

Meals are "great here," Levin said, with meals to order by The Rivers' chefs.

There are several community gathering areas, and in the fall, residents will be on their balconies cheering for University Liggett football.

"We hope to have a great relationship with the community and the young people in the schools here," Levin said. "Whether it's a choir, or students growing flowers



A great meeting place for a treat at The Rivers.

and vegetables and selling them to residents, they just love it. This isn't a place of isolation. This is an opportunity to be a community. We invite schools and churches to share their time with us. It makes our residents smile."

Construction started in March 2013. "The community needs something like this," Levin said. "We're proud of this and

proud to be a part of the Grosse Pointes."



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reminders and administration and much more.

"Our goal is pretty simple," she said. "It's to make people smile. That's so rewarding for us. It's really our main goal."

BrightStar Care has a Care Circle, which includes Engagement, Safety and Cleanliness and Nutrition and Hydration.

The aim is to make a positive impact with a customized plan of care developed to help loved ones reach their optimal state of wellness.

Another aspect of BrightStar Care's staffing is a client care coordinator and dementia specialist, Faye LaPorte.

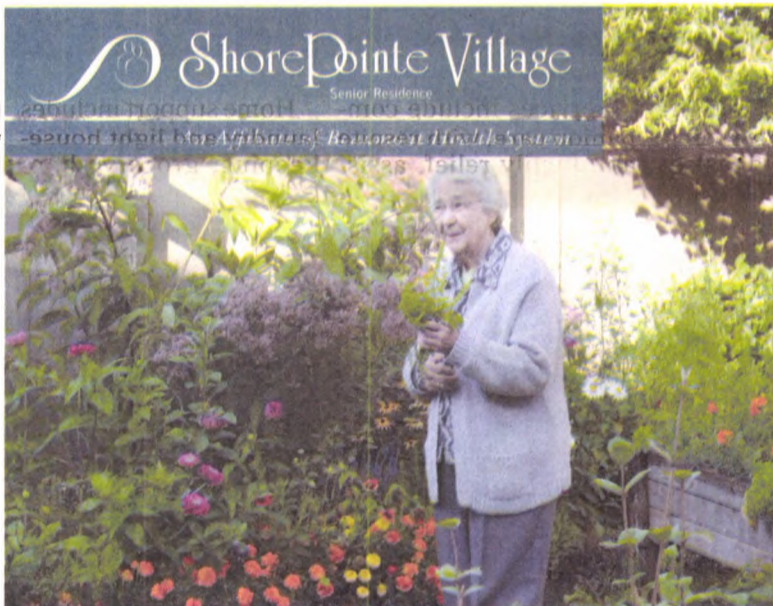
"Faye leads our personalized dementia program, taking our home care for those with dementia to a new level," Gattari said. "She is an excellent resource."

Gattari is a resident of Grosse Pointe Woods with her husband, Raymond. They have two daughters. Catherine is a sophomore at Wayne State University and Theresa is a first-year medical student at Wayne State.

Gattari is chairwoman of the Grosse Pointe Woods Senior Citizens' Commission. She hosts a cable show at the War Memorial called "Aging Well in America" and sponsors many activities for seniors and health care professionals.

BrightStar Care sponsors events in the Grosse Pointes, St. Clair Shores, Clinton Township and throughout Macomb County. They also support Services for Older Citizens, Wayne State University's Institute of Gerontology and many local senior citizen centers.

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The Rivers Grosse Pointe provides senior care on a campus that extends the Riverview Health mission of providing a fresh and innovative perspective on recovery and well-being, located close to some of the area's best medical facilities and professionals.

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BOYS BASKETBALL

Norsemen rebound to beat ED

By Bob St. John
Sports Editor

The Grosse Pointe North boys' basketball team opened its division slate last week splitting two games.

The Norsemen began the week with a tough 56-52 loss to L'Anse Creuse.

Head coach Ron Kochan saw his Norsemen shoot only 59 percent from the foul line making 10-of-17. Those lost points could have come in handy down the stretch.

Leading the way was junior Mitchell Zacharias, who had 15 points, followed by sophomore

Steve Levick with nine, senior Tim Herd with eight and junior Jared Jordan with seven.

After a couple of tough days of practice, the Norsemen put together a strong effort to beat Eastpointe East Detroit 63-46, improving to 1-1 in the Macomb Area Conference White Division and 5-4 overall. "It was a nice way to bounce back," Kochan said.

Herd with 19 points and 10 rebounds, and Zacharias with 15 points, led the way for the Norsemen, Kochan said.

He also pointed out the solid boost from Dillon Webb, with nine points



PHOTO BY BOB BRUCE

North junior Mitchell Zacharias goes strong to the hoop during the Norsemen's win over East Detroit.

and seven rebounds, and Josh Fischer, with nine points and six rebounds. Others who played well were Jordan, E'shawn Rivers and Andrew Bunch.

"We are starting to play for each other and this was our best game passing the basketball," Kochan said. "Everyone is starting to find ways to contribute."

Blue Devils net victories

By Bob St. John
Sports Editor

Grosse Pointe South boys' basketball team put together one of its most complete games of the season when it dismantled Fraser 65-40 last week.

The visiting Blue Devils hit on all cylinders on the offensive side of the court and turned around to do the same on the defensive end.

It was 17-5 after the first quarter and 30-16 at the half.

Head coach Troy Glasser's squad put 23 points on the board in the final stanza and held the Ramblers to only 13 to win by 25 points.

"We came out strong and played well at both ends of the court," Glasser said.

Junior Greg Harris led

the way with 16 points, followed by Sam Kingsley with 10. Sophomore Brennan Buszka nearly had a double-double, finishing with nine points and 10 rebounds.

Everyone else chipped in with a couple of baskets, rebounds, assists and steals to turn this into a rather workmanlike division road win.

In other action last weekend, South traveled to Warren Lincoln for a non-league game.

"Lincoln has some kids who can sky, so this should be a different kind of game for us," Glasser said.

Buszka poured in 19 points, while Harris added 12 and Maher 10 to help push the Blue Devils to 2-0 in the MAC Blue Division and 7-1 overall with a 66-57 victory.

Knights settle for split in division games

By Bob St. John
Sports Editor

The University Liggett boys' basketball team split its Michigan Independent Athletic Conference games last

week. The Knights played Allen Park Inter-City Baptist, losing 56-45, with junior Spencer Ewing netting 11 points and sophomore Sam Durno scoring 10.

Inter-City Baptist has traditionally fielded strong teams and the Knights have been well played.

This was no exception, but the Knights didn't

have the depth to keep up.

Head coach Sidney Johnson and his Knights regrouped to pull out a 52-50 victory over Novi Franklin Road Christian last weekend.

The Knights made enough plays down the stretch to hold off the home team as sophomores Jaren English (17 points) and Jorden Peterson (11 points) paved the way.

Liggett improved to 2-1 in the MIAC and 5-2 overall.

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Girls basketball

LIGGETT

Knights continue division win streak

By Bob St. John
Sports Editor

It was business as usual for University Liggett girls' basketball team.

The host Knights used their successful formula of getting off to a fast

start, keeping the foot on the pedal and cruising in the second half of a 66-37 win over Allen Park Inter-City Baptist last week.

"The girls were focused and came out and played a great first half," head coach Omar Ahart said.

The Knights led 24-10 after the first eight minutes and 35-17 at the half.

Senior Jessica Rotzoll had 25 points, followed by sophomore Nia Ahart with 14 points and seven assists, and junior Kendall McConico with

12 points. "We have a tough one coming up with Franklin Road Christian on the road," Ahart said. "This will be a good test for us."

Senior Lola Ristovski made a statement, scoring 31 points, to lead

Liggett to a 73-46 win over Franklin Road Christian.

McConico added 15 points as the Knights made sure the home team didn't pull off the upset.

Liggett improved to 4-0 in the Michigan

Independent Athletic Conference and 6-3 overall.

Next for the Knights is a home game Friday, Jan. 23, against Birmingham Roeper, followed by an away game Tuesday, Jan. 27, against Baptist Park.

GROSSE POINTE SOUTH



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Another win

Grosse Pointe South junior Benna Ames, above, scored 10 points and grabbed 11 rebounds to help the Blue Devils improve to 2-0 in the Macomb Area Conference Red Division and 6-2 overall with a 48-36 win at Macomb Dakota last week. Senior Cierra Rice had 14 points and junior Natalla Engel added 13 for the winners.

GROSSE POINTE NORTH

Norsemen begin MAC Red Division play with losses

By Bob St. John
Sports Editor

The Grosse Pointe North girls' basketball team fought back from the double-figure deficits and was within striking distance, but could never sink the big basket in a 49-35 loss to Warren Cousino last week.

The Norsemen, playing with just seven players due to injuries and illness, trailed 22-8 in the second quarter before making a run to get within six points, 28-22, at the half.

They used a 6-0 third-quarter run to get within 32-28 and had several good looks at field goal

attempts, but couldn't make those shots which could have cut the deficit to two points or one point.

Near the end of the game, the Patriots spread the court and played keep-away with the Norsemen, running nearly all of the final 3:27 off the clock to win by double digits.

"We just don't have the go-to player like Cousino does with (Kierra) Fletcher," head coach Gary Bennett said. "She is a very good player and had some big baskets for them. We played hard and I'm proud of the girls. We fought back a couple of times."

Junior Erin Armbruster and sophomore Katie Snow were the Norsemen's top two players. Armbruster had 20 points, 10 rebounds and two blocked shots, while Snow finished with five points, nine rebounds and one blocked shot.

On the night, the Norsemen finished with six blocked shots, but had 18 turnovers.

Earlier in the week, North lost 57-43 to Port Huron Northern. Armbruster had a big game, finishing with 24 points, but the Norsemen still fell to 0-2 in the Macomb Area Conference Red Division and 3-4 overall.

Wrestling

GROSSE POINTE SOUTH

Blue Devils on a roll

The Grosse Pointe South wrestling team is off to a successful start in its Macomb Area Conference Silver Division matches the last two weeks, with three straight victories over Eastpointe East Detroit 49-10, Madison Heights Madison 45-12 and St. Clair Shores Lakeview 48-30, before falling to Warren Fitzgerald 51-25.

Leading the way for the Blue Devils were junior captains Joe Kurta, John Gough and Earl Allard,

who are all 4-0 in conference competition.

Sophomore John Drew also rolled up four wins, while fellow sophomore Tyler Thompson lost only once in a last second nail biter against Fitzgerald.

Heavyweight Luke Davey fell just short of four wins, thanks to a tough double-overtime loss to Austin Baustaugh of Lakeview.

Sophomore Matt Ground also contributed to the Blue Devils success, with two pins.

In weekend competition at the Norsemen Classic 10-team duals, Davey, Thompson and Gough each earned silver medals, all garnering 4-1 records.

Grosse Pointe South won several team matches, including a 34-33 upset of Warren Cousino, sparked by Allard's come-from-behind pin.

This was South's first wrestling win over Cousino in more than a decade.

BASEBALL

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Hockey

LIGGETT BOYS

Easy win

By Bob St. John
Sports Editor

The host University Liggett boys' hockey team cruised to another mercy victory last weekend, beating Tri-Valley 8-0.

Senior Stephen Campau posted a four-goal game, including opening the scoring just 23 seconds into the first period.

Head coach Mike Hamilton and his Knights also had goals from senior Mason Demsey, along with freshmen Spencer Warezak, Charles Fruehauf and Dylan Paulsell.



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Liggett freshman Spencer Warezak, No. 11, scored a goal in the Knights' win over Tri-Valley.

The Knights scored three goals in each of the first two periods and put the game away when Campau scored at the 4:59 mark of the third stanza. Earlier in the week, Liggett blasted Macomb Area Conference foe Utica 9-0 in two periods, improving to 12-2 overall.

GROSSE POINTE SOUTH GIRLS

Wins

Grosse Pointe South senior defenseman Libby Erickson, left, and her Grosse Pointe South girls' hockey teammates kept their league record perfect last week with a 4-3 win over Livonia Ladywood. Carson Dennis scored a hat trick and Erin Brannagan scored the game-winning goal at the 9:03 mark of the third period with Dennis netting an assist. South also beat Northville last weekend, improving to 10-0 in the Michigan Metro Girls High School Hockey League and 10-0-1 overall.



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GROSSE POINTE NORTH & LIGGETT GIRLS

Norsemen, Knights on winning streaks

By Bob St. John
Sports Editor

Look out because the Grosse Pointe North girls' hockey team is building momentum after an early season slump.

Head coach Joe Lucchese said his players would get better as they took the time to get on the same page.

Last week, it looked like they were all on the same page as the Norsemen followed a nice win over Livonia Ladywood with victories over Detroit Country Day, 7-2, and Ann Arbor Pioneer, 4-1.

Against Country Day, junior Elizabeth Gallagher had two goals, while senior Kelly LaBarge and freshman Kylee Banaszewski each had a goal and two assists.

Others with goals were freshman Naomi Yoshida, sophomore Lia DeCoste and freshman Lindsey

Ramsdell.

Seniors Karina Lucchese and Devyn LaValley also had assists.

Against Pioneer, Lucchese, Elizabeth Gallagher, two, and LaValley scored goals.

Collecting one assist apiece were Elizabeth Gallagher, junior Lindsey Gallagher, senior Cinnamin Aslanian, Ramsdell, Banaszewski and LaBarge.

Junior goalie Amber Gieseke has been solid during the Norsemen's rise to the .500 mark. She earned both wins against Country Day and Pioneer and her save percentage is rising.

Defensively, Lucchese, senior Nicole Haggerty, Aslanian and sophomore Eve Feldman are making life difficult for opposing forwards to find open ice and get solid shots on net.

Grosse Pointe North improved to 5-5-0-1 in the Michigan Metro Girls High School Hockey

League and 6-6-0-1 overall.

Liggett results

The University Liggett girls' hockey team had an easy time posting a 7-2 win over Warren Regina early last week.

The host Knights led 1-0 in the first period, but put five goals on the board in the second stanza to take control.

Leading the charge for the Knights were junior Allison Stapleton and sophomore Kara Francis, who scored two goals apiece.

Other goal scorers were senior Hannah Marchese, sophomore Emma Shell and freshman Olivia Yates.

Head coach Cassie Jaeckle put junior Molly Murphy in net for her second career start. She stopped a dozen shots to earn the victory.

Liggett improved to 8-2 in the MMGSHL and 10-2 overall.

GROSSE POINTE SOUTH BOYS

Blue Devils net two more victories

By Bob St. John
Sports Editor

The Grosse Pointe South boys' hockey team is getting its game in shape as it heads down the stretch.

The Blue Devils played another round of back-to-back nights last weekend, beating Wyandotte Roosevelt 4-1 and Detroit Country Day 5-2.

"We're working hard and working systematically," head coach Bobby McKillop said. "We're starting to turn the corner, but we're not where we want to be, yet."

Against Roosevelt, senior Ian Corbett had a goal and assist to lead the Blue Devils.

Other goal scorers were senior Cameron Mogk, junior Griffin Brooks and sophomore Adam Pitters.

Collecting assists were juniors William Poplawski, Graham Ryan and Jonathon Theros.

Senior Andy Jakub earned another win in net, stopping 25-of-26 shots.

The following night, the Blue Devils jumped out to a 3-0 lead and never looked back.

Junior Paul Boyer joined Mogk, Brooks, Poplawski and Theros as goal scorers, with Corbett and seniors Will Barrett and Brennan Ifkovits drawing assists.

Jakub had the win in net, stopping 19-of-21 shots.

"The guys are gaining confidence and we have a couple of big weeks ahead of us," McKillop said. "We will see if we made progress."

Grosse Pointe South improved to 7-0 in the Michigan Metro Hockey League East Division and 8-3 overall.

Swimming

GROSSE POINTE NORTH

Norsemen get split of MAC competition

The Grosse Pointe North boys' swimming and diving team dropped a 128-57 decision to Chippewa Valley early last week.

John Cobau won the 100-yard butterfly, while William McNelis won the diving competition.

Head coach Mike O'Connor said season-best performances were recorded in the 50-yard freestyle by Graham Eger, Alex Blunden, Joseph Cobau, Daniel DeZeery, John Leone and Thomas Schaden; 100-

yard freestyle by Eger, Adam Schreck, Ben Sliwinski, DeZeery, Michael Lemanske and Quinn Gallant; 200-yard freestyle by Joseph Cobau and Sam Stafford; 500-yard freestyle by Joseph Cobau and Paul Rakowicz; 100-yard backstroke by Michal Ruprecht, Sliwinski, Leone and Sean Panlilo; 500-yard freestyle, John Cobau in the 200-yard individual medley and 100-yard butterfly, and Eger in the 50- and 100-yard freestyle.

Later in the week, Grosse Pointe North defeated L'Anse Creuse North 111-74.

Double winners for the Norsemen were Joseph Cobau in the 200- and 500-yard freestyle, John Cobau in the 200-yard individual medley and 100-yard butterfly, and Eger in the 50- and 100-yard freestyle. McNelis won the diving

competition, while Matt Stander took the 100-yard breaststroke.

O'Connor said season-best performances were recorded in the 50-yard freestyle by Gallant; 100-yard freestyle by Eger, Sliwinski and Stafford; 200-yard freestyle by Mieczkowski; 100-yard backstroke by Alex Owens; 100-yard butterfly by Stafford; and 200-yard individual medley by Blunden.

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GROSSE POINTE SOUTH

Blue Devils open with loss to Pilots

By Bob St. John
Sports Editor

Grosse Pointe South boys' swimming and diving team dropped its season-opening dual meet to Warren DeLaSalle 115-71 the week of Jan. 8.

It was the first time the Blue Devils lost to a Macomb County team in eons.

Winning events for the Blue Devils were Jacob Montague, winning the 50-yard freestyle with a state-qualifying time of

23.34, and 100-yard freestyle with a state-qualifying time of 49.54; and Erik Romer, winning diving with 278.50 points.

The Blue Devils also took first place in the 200-yard freestyle relay with Montague, Robby Koueiter, Cam Francis and Devlin Francis posting a state-qualifying time of 1:35.40.

The Pilots, under head coach James Singelyn, has several Grosse Pointers on his squad.

Tim Addy was second

in the 50-yard freestyle, posting a state-qualifying time of 23.93, and Ben Rancilio was seventh in the 100-yard butterfly with a time of 1:12.23.

Addy was also in the Pilots' second-place 200-yard freestyle relay team, joining Isaiah Johnson, Nolan Kroha and Josh Hodges who had a time of 1:37.01.

Rancilio was also in the 400-yard freestyle relay with Mateo Tolic, Giovanni Kogowski and Nicholas Colpaert.

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The Week Ahead Schools

Thursday, Jan. 22 – Trombly Multi-Age Classroom information meeting, 6:30 p.m., Trombly Auditorium

Pierce – Incoming 6th grade parent information meeting, 6:30 p.m.

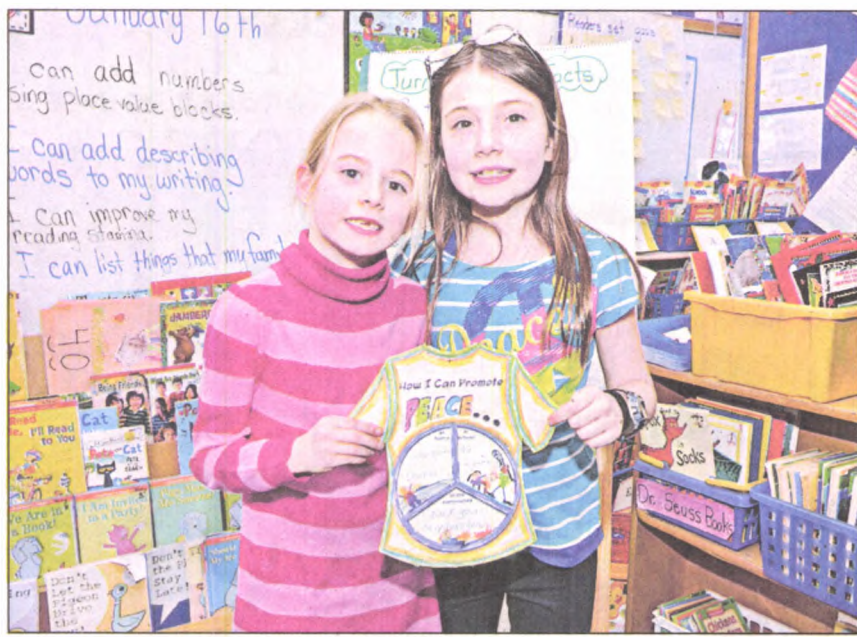
Sunday, Jan. 25 – St. Paul Catholic School Open House for prospective pre-K – 8 students and families, 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., 170 Grosse Pointe Blvd.

Monday, Jan. 26 – Grosse Pointe Public School System Board of Education Meeting, 7 p.m., Brownell Middle School

Tuesday, Jan. 26 – Grosse Pointe Public School System Board of Education Special Meeting, 6:30 p.m. Board Offices, 389 St. Clair. Topic: Selection of a search firm to review candidates for the superintendent's position

Foundation has two new board members

The Grosse Pointe School Foundation for Public Education named two new trustees to its board. Cynthia Sohn has been an active volunteer in the community for many years. She served as the PTO president at Richard Elementary School, was on the executive board of the Brownell PTO, and served as the Mothers' Club president at Grosse Pointe South High School. A graduate of Grosse Pointe North, Cynthia received her bachelor of science in international relations from American University and a high school teaching certificate from Wayne State University. In addition to her many volunteer roles, Sohn also is an author. Jason E. Tinsley is executive director for J.P. See **TWO**, page 6C



Peace

Monteith Elementary first-graders team up with their fourth-grade buddies once a month for a special project. This month they talked about Martin Luther King Jr. They worked on a paper T-shirt project and came up with ways to promote peace in their school. At left, Kennedy Hasting and Rémie Rivel show their finished project.

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Lizzy Rheume helps Piper Crossley color in their shirt after they wrote their ideas to promote peace. For the home they wrote, help mom with the dishes. For the community they wrote pick up litter and for the school they wrote don't interrupt the teacher.



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Helping the homeless

Liggett middle schoolers got together with Liggett pre-K students and decorated lunch bags by placing stickers and writing happy messages on the bags. Each decorated bag was then packed with a lunch and once the bags were packed, a representative from the Eimers Foundation distributed them to the homeless at various locations downtown. Robbie Eimers, 12, of Macomb County, visited with the students. He started the Eimers Foundation when he was 9 years old. Eimers helps get clothing and food to Detroit's homeless. Businessman Dan Gilbert has given Eimers an office downtown for his work. Left, Billy Kopicki and Quinn Nehr, both 8th graders, helped pack lunches. At right, eighth-grader Kaitlin Fox and pre-K student Ava Lawler decorate lunch bags with stickers and messages.

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In a word: Kindness

By Kathy Ryan
Staff Writer

Monteith Elementary students are familiar with a word for the day, but now Principal Keith Howell has challenged them with a word for the year, "Kindness."

With that in mind, Monteith students will be taking part next week in The Great Kindness Challenge, with the goal being creating positive, stronger relationships between students which they can carry over to relationships with teachers, family and members of the community.

"Establishing positive relationships with your students and children, while creating an atmosphere where children have positive relationships with each other,

will truly benefit any classroom, family or community," Howell told parents in his blog. "Quality parent-child, teacher-student and student-student relationships will support and increase a positive community where children want to thrive. It also makes everyone's experience more enjoyable."

A Great Kindness Challenge assembly will kick off a week of activities that include morning kindness quotes, kindness spirit days, lunch recess kindness activities and a Kindness Challenge checklist for each student. Students will also learn the song "Reach Out" in music class. According to Howell, the goal is to support and enhance kindness throughout the school.

"Throughout my experience, it seems that one word is the major force in establishing positive relationships: kindness," Howell said. "A kind, considerate, or helpful comment or act can brighten anyone's day. It solidifies positive relationships between individuals, increasing the likelihood that future positive connections and interactions will take place. Additionally, being kind to others just makes you feel good about yourself."

The Great Kindness Challenge is a global movement sponsored by Kids for Peace Organization.

Additional information can be found on the group's website, www.greatkindnesschallenge.org.

Dulac moves on to state finals

Dominic Dulac, a St. Paul Catholic School 7th grader from Grosse Pointe Farms, was the Level II (grades 7-8) Champion of the Knights of Columbus Metropolitan Detroit

Regional Area 6 Spelling Bee, held Sunday, Jan. 11 at St. Clare de Montefalco.

Dulac will compete in the Knights of Columbus State Championship in Standish March 28.



Dominic Dulac

ULS receives grant

University Liggett School received a grant from the Meemic Foundation to support the school's new 10th-grade U.S. history course that looks at history through the lens of Detroit and the region.

The \$500 grant will be used to further support site visits for the U.S. history class. Earlier this year, the class visited the Sanilac Petroglyphs, River Raisin National Battlefield Park and a

number of Detroit sites including the Charles H. Wright Museum of African-American History, St. Anne's Church and Detroit Historical Museum.

Liggett launched the new U.S. history class this academic year to teach U.S. history through the lens of the region.

Liggett's course focuses the traditional East Coast-centered approach taught in most 10th-grade U.S. history

courses - for instance, the Civil War is taught by looking at Detroit's role in the Underground Railroad; early European settlements are studied from the perspective of the French who settled among the Native tribes who already inhabited the region; and the Industrial Revolution focuses on Detroit's central role producing commodities such as furniture, railroad cars and automobiles.

Liggett class does real-world research at Ford House

It started as a class assignment on how to measure the properties of an ecosystem. It ended as an in-depth research project that will improve the water quality and ecosystem of one of the area's top history attractions.

University Liggett School's environmental science class spent the semester gathering data at the Edsel & Eleanor Ford House that will be used to improve the water quality at the historic home. Ford House is working on a project to

improve the water quality surrounding Bird Island, a manmade peninsula on the site, in two ways: by implementing a filtration system for the runoff and carving a channel through the peninsula to get better water flow from the lake. The data that the Liggett students gathered will help Ford House measure the impact of the project.

The students reported their findings to Ford House administration in December. "What made the project so interesting is that the Ford House

was interested in using our data," said Janet Gocay, who teaches the environmental science class. "We had 10 to 15 people from Ford House in the audience when the students presented. The experience wasn't just meaningful because the students collected and analyzed the data for a long period of time, but also because they were able to report their findings to Ford House. They invited us to come back next year after the Bird Island project is completed and get the after

data."

Gocay said the project mirrors what scientists encounter in the real world - trial and error, surprising findings and the need to do additional testing. "In traditional classroom settings, one of the most difficult things to teach is the authentic experience of doing a science experience as a scientist," she explains. "In non-classroom experiments, things don't always work as executed. Sometimes there is no reliable data or the data doesn't make sense.

Sometimes we get no results at all. That is different from when we do classroom experiments and we often set the experiments up for success. But in the real world, scientists often come to the conclusion that there is a need for additional testing or we have to problem-solve and repeat. That was the case with this project."

The students were surprised with a few of the results. They went into the experiment expecting to find high nitrates in the water, but the results

were normal. One reason could have been due to the heavy rains we had this year.

In addition to testing the water, the students also measured the area's plant and wildlife biodiversity. "We found the biodiversity fairly high on Bird Island, which was not particularly surprising," Gocay said.

Ford House's Megan Wood says it was beneficial for the Ford House staff to hear the results of the Liggett students' data.

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Christ the King Nursery School holds open house

Christ the King preschool will hold an open house for preschoolers and their families on Sunday, Feb. 8 from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. 20338 Mack, Grosse Pointe Woods. Families are invited to come and learn about programs for three year olds, four year olds, while a special presentation on the Young Fives program will be held at 2:30 p.m. Families are welcome to register their children that day for the 2015-2016 school year. Open registration will also be held on Monday, Feb. 10 from 8:30 a.m. to 11 a.m. at the school. All registrations received before Feb. 10 will receive a discount. Please call the preschool, (313) 884-5998 or visit our website, www.christthekingpp.org, for additional information.



All-State Band

Several students from the Grosse Pointe Public School System have been named to the Michigan School Band & Orchestra Association All-State Band & Orchestra. Representing South High School are Alyssa Campbell (violin), Samantha Carr (oboe) and Maddie Burgoyne (flute). Representing Pierce Middle School are Isabelle Adams (violin), Anna Jarboe (violin) and Victoria Ortiz (violin). Receiving Honorable Mention were Pierce students Heming Chen (cello) and Grace Korejwo (viola). The performances by these students will be a showcase of what is happening in our Michigan schools bands and orchestras. On Jan. 24, they will take their seat among the finest musicians from the state. The All-State Band & Orchestra will be in conjunction with the Michigan Music Conference at the Devos Center and Amway Grand Hotel in Grand Rapids. Representing South, from left, are Alyssa Campbell (violin), Samantha Carr (oboe), Maddie Burgoyne (flute). Representing Pierce, from left, Victoria Ortiz (violin), Isabelle Adams (violin), Anna Jarboe (violin), Grace Korejwo (viola), Heming Chen (viola).

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Morgan Private Banking in Birmingham. Tinsley has served on the boards

of several community organizations. His positions include past president of Detroit PAL, member of the Founders Junior Council for the Detroit Institute of Arts and past president of the Urban Financial

Services Coalition - Detroit Chapter. He currently serves as the Treasurer of the Detroit Urban League and Detroit Jazz Festival and board member for Oakwood Hospital Foundation.



Giving tree

Ferry Elementary School put up their annual Giving Tree near the school's main office during the holiday season. The Ferry Giving Tree is a way to pay it forward to families in the community by collecting items they need. The Giving Tree was decorated with tags, each tag representing a gift a child needs. Anyone in school could participate. Here, second-grader Abby Evans picks a tag off the tree for a gift for a 1-year-old girl.

PHOTO BY RENEE LANDUYT

HOUSE:

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"Ford House has been working on plans for making our site more green and improving the water quality of Ford's Cove," she says. "The testing that the students conducted really provides us with a baseline and next year's class should be able to see if our efforts are making a difference."

For the students, the experience was similar to what they'd find at a university, not in a typical high school. "This is what you would find in a university-level course - authentic data collection where you're in the field as opposed to a class-

room," Gocay says. "Our students also designed this study, which is something you usually see at the college level: different ways of collecting data and what types are important to collect. The length of the study was also unique because we were able to return to the field many times to collect data rather than doing a one-time sample."

The project is an example of Liggett's Curriculum for Understanding in which students learn through experience, discover their passions, uncover key questions and turn information into understanding. They then have an opportunity to demonstrate their knowledge - in this case, by presenting to the Ford House staff.

"Ford House is looking for more ways to collaborate with University Liggett and other educational organizations to do meaningful projects, like the water quality testing," Wood says. "Our site can really be used as an unconventional classroom and we welcome different types of uses and partnerships."

Gocay agrees, saying the site is unique because it is a real-world example of sustainability. "The students were able to see how Ford House makes decisions both to maintain the history and the environmental soundness of the property. That interplay is what environmental science looks like in the real world. It was a meaningful, authentic experience for our students."

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Test Drive: 2015 Mazda3i

By Greg Zyla
Special Writer

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This week, we're driving the 2015 Mazda3i Touring sedan, Mazda's most popular selling vehicle underwent a complete redesign last year. With a host of tweaks and upgrades for 2015, we're happy to report many standard features this year were extra cost last year (like rear backup safety camera on our Touring tester), yet the entry price for a "3" sedan stays exactly the same at \$16,945 as last year.

There's much praise coming Mazda's way as to its formula on how to build a car and then market it properly. And, considering that 3.5 million Mazda3's have already been sold, corporate expects that number to rise quickly to five million worldwide thanks to few compact competitors successfully battling Mazda3 on a strict dollar-to-dollar comparison.



Potential buyers can rest assured that even if they choose the base entry \$16,945 Mazda3 sedan, it indeed comes with all the top Skyactiv tech that is built into each and every Mazda. The only real Mazda3 difference is how many amenities ones needs to suit personal needs. Be it entry Mazda3i Sedan, Sport, Touring or Grand Touring, consumers can't go wrong.

Additionally, we must emphasize fuel economy, as Mazda3 with the base four cylinder delivers 30 city and 41 highway, the latter a best in class number.

"Skyactiv" theory finds Mazda utilizing a finely

tuned 2.0-liter four-cylinder engine that delivers 155-horses and 150 pound-foot of torque. Mazda then mates this engine to equally "tuned" mechanicals and drive gear to deliver better economy and enhanced performance. A good example of this is Mazda's engine rotating assembly, where engineers use lightweight yet stronger pieces (crank, rods and pistons), individual tube exhaust headers, a high compression ratio of 13 to 1 and a perfectly matched six-speed automatic transmission with a manual mode gate. Add it all up, and you come up with "Skyactiv."



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If you choose the "s" (Sport) version of the Mazda3 instead of the "i," you receive a 2.5-liter four-cylinder and six speed automatic that puts out 184 horses. Surprisingly, this combo offers 28 city and 39 highway EPA, which yells "give me a try" to the younger demographic Mazda lover. Six speed manuals and hatchback models are also available.

Outwardly, Mazda3

designers did a great job with last year's redesign. The exterior features a smooth aero outline with a sporty fascia and an improved rear design. Drivers will enjoy better handling thanks to grip delivered by standard 16-inch tires on alloy wheels and a fully independent sport tuned suspension.

The Touring models are well mannered on the highway and then respond well on tight and twisty roads. The stiffer suspension really helps, as does large ABS anti-lock brakes, traction and stability control and front and rear stabilizers all of which supplement the experience.

Mazda3 Touring features amenity rich standard items as our tester came nice instrument cluster, cloth trimmed seating, dual-zone climate control, six-way power driver seat, great sounding four speaker HD audio system and much more. All expected safety items are in place, including a rear cross

traffic alert.

Our Touring model, which starts at \$20,645, came with three options: a \$1,600 technology package with dual zone air, moonroof and a nine-speaker Bose CD/stereo with MP3; a \$70 cargo mat; and \$300 more for brilliant red zone metallic paint. This brought the final cost to \$23,410 with \$795 delivery.

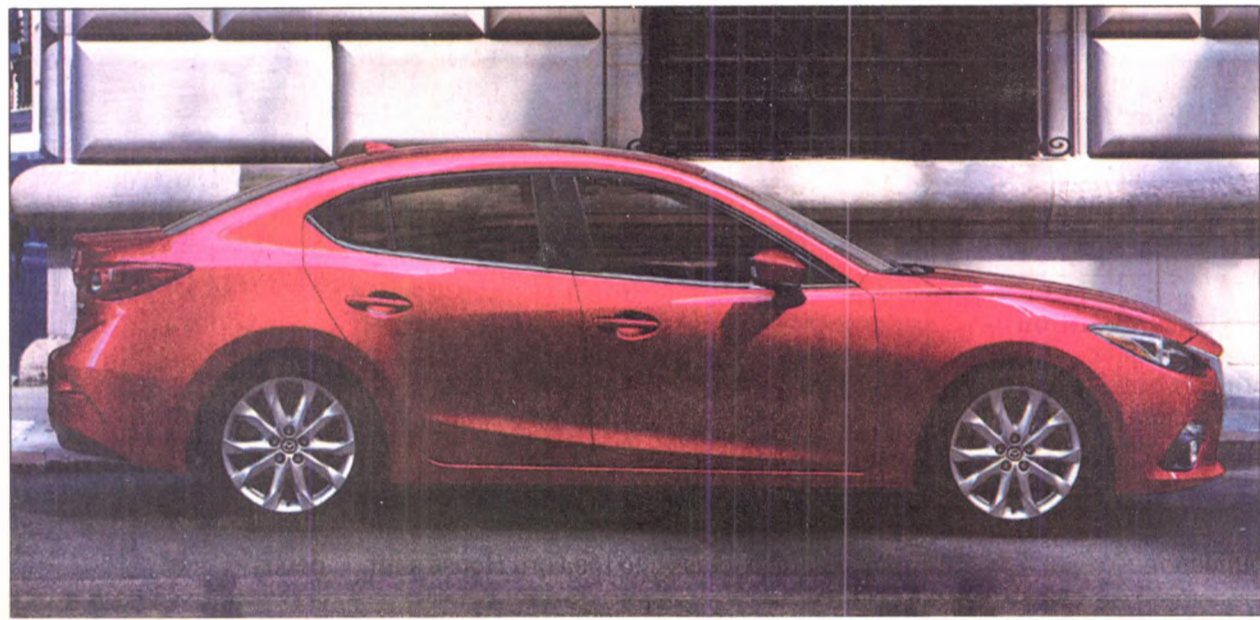
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