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Classic day

EyesOn Design was held Father's Day at the Edsel & Eleanor Ford House in Grosse Pointe Shores. Above, the hood ornament on a 1931 Packard. At right, Julian Wood of Grosse Pointe Park sits in the driver's seat of his grandpa's 1927 Model T Ford. The car has been in the family for more than 50 years.



At left, Betsy Thomas and her husband Ron Thomas dressed in 1920's outfits next to their 1929 Pontiac Sport Cabriolet. Below left, Barbara Saganek cleans the window of the 1950 Oldsmobile 88 2-door Club Sedan she owns with her husband, Charlie.

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 RENEE LANDUYT



Seventeen cars with Grosse Pointe addresses were among the 280-plus vehicles at this year's event. Overall attendance, including a full week of related events, was close to 5,000. The Father's Day concours featured a custom 1964 Rolls-Royce Silver Cloud III, shown by Gail Sidlek of Grosse Pointe Farms.



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Fincham staying longer

By Kathy Ryan
 Staff Writer

GROSSE POINTE WOODS — Try as he might, City Administrator Skip Fincham can't quite retire.

Earlier this year, Fincham informed city officials he hoped to retire around July 1, but that date moved to Dec. 31 as the city continues a search for his replacement.

So far, according to those familiar with the process, that search has not produced any viable candidates.

More than 40 applicants sent in resumes, but none were found acceptable by city council.

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Smart meters on the way

By Brad Lindberg
 Staff Writer

THE GROSSE POINTES — Upgrades to the region's gas utility infrastructure start this summer in the Grosse Pointes.

Work consists of replacing natural gas meters with automated meters — so-called smart meters — plus replacing underground distribution pipes.

"Natural gas meters located inside (buildings) will be moved outside and advanced meters will be installed beginning this summer," said Erica Donerson, a DTE Energy

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Full marina flexes mussels

By Brad Lindberg
 Staff Writer

GROSSE POINTE SHORES — For the first time in years, the municipal marina at Osius Park is full, too full.

"We're getting zebra mussel infiltration," said Mark Wollenweber, manager of Grosse Pointe Shores.

During recent routine inspection of the breakwall, divers found zebra mussels lining submerged openings designed to let

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John Conn

Home: City of Grosse Pointe
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Brush joins GPN edit staff

Grosse Pointe Park resident Mary Anne Brush has joined the editorial staff of the Grosse Pointe News as the schools writer.

Brush will cover the Grosse Pointe Public School System, University Liggett School, Grosse Pointe Academy, St. Paul on the Lake Catholic School, St. Clare of Montefalco Catholic School and Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic School.

Brush was director of marketing and communications at Grosse Pointe Academy for 14 years.

She has a bachelor's degree from Princeton University, completed post-graduate study at the University of Massachusetts at Trinity College, Oxford University and has a Masters of Arts degree from the University of Baltimore. Yale Gordon College of Arts & Sciences.

Brush and her husband, George, have three children, all graduates of Grosse Pointe South High School. Emma is a graduate of Dartmouth and the University of Chicago. Somers is a student at Middlebury College and Jared was part of South's class of 2015.

The Brush family has



Mary Anne Brush

lived in Grosse Pointe Park for 16 years.

"What's not to like about living here?" asked Brush. "It's a great place to raise a family and the schools are such a jewel of the community. I look forward to writing full time and focusing on education in Grosse Pointe."

Brush said she enjoys writing fiction in her spare time, which there is a little more of as her children aren't playing soccer, lacrosse and volleyball every day.

"Mary Anne is well known in the community and her experience and talents will serve the Grosse Pointe News, our readers and advertisers in a very positive way," said Editor and General Manager Joe Warner.

Send ideas or information to Brush at mbrush@grossepointenews.com or call (313) 343-6293.

Scott Shuptrine Interiors opens in Village

Fine furniture and design is more convenient to discriminating homeowners throughout southeastern Michigan. Luxury furniture retailer Scott Shuptrine Interiors opens its new gallery in the City of Grosse Pointe Friday, June 26. The store is located at 17145 Kercheval.

"Scott Shuptrine Interiors' return home to Grosse Pointe is cause for celebration," said Art Van Elslander. "It is an extraordinary feeling to bring this iconic luxury brand back to the city where it first opened its doors nearly a century ago. It will be an historic moment for homeowners here who appreciate fine furnishings, luxury and elegance."

Founded in 1927, Scott-Shuptrine — originally with a hyphen — was located at 6615 E.

Jefferson, opposite the former U.S. Rubber site where The Lofts and Wendy's is located today, south of Grand Boulevard in Detroit.

The company expanded to five stores, including the Grosse Pointe Farms store at 18850 Mack.

The 7,700-square-foot gallery in Grosse Pointe is curated to feature a variety of merchandise with new items arriving monthly. The new gallery boasts a professional interior design team, children's furnishings, the Sleep to Live experience, and comprehensive gifting assortment.

Built upon the foundation of providing clients with luxury furnishings and unparalleled design services, Scott Shuptrine Interiors will work with each client to create an

individualized design schematic, procuring furnishings, window and flooring treatments, and accessories. Like all galleries, the Grosse Pointe location will offer complimentary in-home design consultation.

Scott Shuptrine Interiors also will offer free monthly "Trending With Scott's" design classes, special appearances by top celebrity designers, and it also will be a gathering spot for the community, hosting several annual charitable events.

"The Grosse Pointes have some of the most beautiful historic homes and architecture in Michigan," said Jeanette McNamara, director of Scott Shuptrine Interiors. "Our team of expert interior designers can't wait to work with the community, adding value to their

amazing spaces. The Grosse Pointe gallery will feature a luxurious selection of the finest furniture, decor and art, which can easily be customized to fit the needs and tastes of each individual, giving our clientele the one-of-a-kind designs they've come to expect from Scott Shuptrine. "There is a growing demand for high-end home furnishings and we have been encouraged by customers to bring our exclusive luxury brands and personalized shopping experience to more communities like Grosse Pointe."

Scott Shuptrine Interiors — located in Grand Rapids, Grosse Pointe, Royal Oak, Novi and Petoskey — is a division of Art Van Furniture. For more information, visit scottshuptrine.com.

College students join staff for summer internships

Four college students have joined the staff of the Grosse Pointe News for the summer months.

Two are featured in this week's Grosse Pointe News and two will be featured in the next issue.

Courtney Veneri, a junior at Indiana University, has been working on the editorial staff, handling feature stories, news stories and Pointers of Interest.

Veneri, 19, grew up in Grosse Pointe Woods. She has a younger brother and younger sister, Brian and Jackie. Her parents are Donna Veneri

of Grosse Pointe Woods and Tom Veneri of Grosse Pointe Woods.

She is a student staff writer at the Indiana Daily newspaper and serves several school clubs. She's proficient in French and is majoring in journalism and international studies.

Asked about coming back to Grosse Pointe to work at her hometown paper, Veneri said it's a great learning experience.

"It's really great to be back home," she said. "It's much more relaxing here and there's more down time than when I'm in school."

"I'm learning a lot here and I know what's going on in the community every day. This has been a good learning experience and I like what I'm doing."

In her spare time, Veneri works a second internship at Freedom House Detroit, where she does some marketing, helps clients acclimate to cultural differences and helps translate with French-speaking clients.

"It's a busy summer,



Courtney Veneri

but I'm having fun," she said.

Martinez, 19, grew up in Grosse Pointe Park and attends Miami University in Oxford, Ohio, where she will be a sophomore when she returns to school in August.

She has twin 16-year-old brothers, Robby and Alex. Their parents are Bob and Maureen Martinez.

Martinez is working in the circulation department at the Grosse Pointe News, where she helps with marketing and subscription sales at businesses and special events throughout the five Pointes.

"I want to further some



Rachel Martinez

idea of what I want to do," Martinez said about her internship. "It's definitely different than anything I've done before. I get to meet a lot of people and talk to a lot of people."

In her spare time, Martinez said she enjoys running at the parks and along the lakeshore. She likes to read "pretty much anything, but I like mystery books."

Martinez said after school she would like to live in Chicago or San Francisco, but will end up coming back to Grosse Pointe because she likes it here.

She's studying business and plans to pursue a job in marketing.

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Evening of enchantment

The Grosse Pointe Historical Society hosted its 12th annual Summer Gala, "Some Enchanted Evening," at a home in Grosse Pointe Farms originally built for John B. Ford in 1929 and later lived in by Harley Earl and his family. Earl was the head of design for General Motors. At right, a 1960 Cadillac owned by Robert and Victoria Liggett, sits in front of the house. Below, Dr. Sandra Robinson, provost, Mary Ellen Stempfle University Center; and Elizabeth Soby, president, Grosse Pointe Historical Society. Below right, Diane Woolsey and Fred Woolsey.

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Marlene Harle, a Grosse Pointe Historical Society docent, opens the door for Linda and John Axe.



From left are Louis Theros; Patti Theros, Grosse Pointe Historical Society board member; Lisa Gandelot, Grosse Pointe Historical Society honorary board member; realtor Beline Obeid; David Brooks, president, St. John Hospital and Medical Center; and Laura Brooks.



Above, from left, Robert Liggett, event host Jimmy Rahaim, Victoria Liggett and Ed Russell. At left, Sue Miller, Ray Miller and Richard Earl, grandson of Harley Earl, stand next to the 1959 corvette Ray Miller purchased in 1970 when he was 13 years old. Miller restored it enough so he could drive it when he turned 16, then took another nine years to finish it. Miller works at GM, in the same design studio in which Harley Earl worked, and supervises the fabrication of the show and concept cars.

Officials respond to horrific scene

By Kathy Ryan
Staff Writer

GROSSE POINTE SHORES — A postal carrier noticed a foul odor emanating from a house on Anita last week that made her suspicious. Concerned, she called police.

What responding officers found, which could only be described as horrific, included a large dead dog and a disoriented homeowner who had not been able to attend to his basic needs for several days.

The 51-year-old homeowner told police he had the flu and had been too sick to leave his house. Apparently, he was also too sick to leave his chair, as both he and the chair were covered in waste. Several empty liquor containers also were scattered throughout the house.

Medstar paramedics responding donned HEPA masks and protective clothing. They convinced the man he needed medical treatment, escorted him to an ambulance and he was transported to St. John Hospital. A caseworker from Adult Protective Services was notified.

Woods animal control officer Debbie Reed removed the dog, which had been in a cage, from the house.

Woods building inspector Gene Tutag also responded. He said he had been to the house in April, after the homeowner's mother died in the house. She had been dead several days. Tutag notified relatives then about the condition of the house, both inside and out. The backyard is overgrown and piled with rubble and several blue tarps cover piles of debris in the driveway.

"We notified family members, but it appears nothing was done," Tutag said, noting there was no power to the house which meant no appliances were working. A refrigerator was full of rotting food.

Tutag said the responding officers and paramedics deserved high praise for how they handled the situation.

"This was an extremely sad situation and all who responded handled it with compassion and concern," Tutag said. "The officers, the paramedics and animal control all did an outstanding job. It was a deplorable scene and a difficult situation. They are all to be commended."

Tutag said the city will work with the homeowner's family in getting the house cleaned up. For now, the house has been tagged as unfit for human occupancy.

Adjustments deemed normal

By Brad Lindberg
Staff Writer

GROSSE POINTE SHORES — Spring cleaning includes fiscal year-end amendments to the municipal budget.

"This is viewed as nor-

mal housekeeping with our books," said Ted Kedzierski, mayor of Grosse Pointe Shores.

Each year, the city is required to amend the current fiscal year budget

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Classes set at community center

GROSSE POINTE WOODS — The Community Center offers a plethora of classes and activities for residents and non-residents.

Pre-paid membership passes are available for purchase and can be used for any class. Daily rates are also available.

The pass offers a discounted rate for classes, however.

The following is a list

of classes available at the center.

◆ Keeping the Beat with Miss Bernie — Merry Melodies

This class is geared for ages 1 to 4 years old and is designed to develop speech and interactive language and thinking skills that increase school readiness. Children with special needs are welcome.

◆ Yoga

This class is open to all ages and skill levels and goes through the postures of Hatha Yoga to help participants achieve optimal well-being and dispel restlessness, tension and fatigue.

◆ Chair Yoga

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chronic illness or conditioning. All postures are achieved with the help of a chair for support.

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Grosse Pointe always his home

By Courtney Veneri
Editorial Intern

John Conn has cemented himself in the concrete industry.

Conn has recently been named the director of chapter activities for the American Concrete Institute after having been the manager of certification operations the past 12 years.

"I'll be managing all of our 101 chapters," Conn said. "About 60 percent are domestic and 40 percent are international—in places like the Middle East and South America."

Each chapter puts on events for education, networking as well as community service. All the chapters are made up of volunteer members.

"We're a service organization, not a trade association," Conn said. "We don't promote concrete, we advance the knowledge and technology of concrete."

In order to help advance knowledge and technology, ACI members write business codes and standards for concrete.

"Our volunteer members end up writing codes for concrete that become the standards in different places," Conn said. "Our members write codes that

end up becoming law."

These codes and standards that ACI members write are used around the world. Conn himself has launched certification programs in India, China, Taiwan, Bolivia and Singapore.

Before launching these programs for ACI, Conn had launched a certification program for the Florist Telegraph Delivery Association.

"It was a big change to go from the florist industry to concrete," Conn said. "When I was applying for a job at one of the for-profit organizations

ACI manages, I had one line item on my resume about FTD that I actually almost took off. The human resources director saw that and thought I would be a better fit for ACI."

Through ACI, Conn is currently working on programs in Australia, Indonesia, Italy and South Africa.

"That's definitely the fun part of the job," Conn said. "Getting to do all of the international stuff."

When he isn't abroad, Conn comes back to Grosse Pointe, where he's lived all his life.

"I'm an '82 graduate of Grosse Pointe North," Conn said. "I lived in Grosse Pointe Woods for



John Conn

years, but now I live in the City along with my three kids."

While he's at home, Conn spends time restoring vintage items.

"I've restored several old neon clocks. I have a gas pump too," Conn said. "I collect and restore a lot of things from the '50s and '60s."

Conn also is an avid scuba diver, going down as deep as 150 feet. The recreational limit is usually 130 feet, so while he said he isn't a professional, he's a more advanced diver. He said he usually dives locally.

"I dive almost exclusively in the Great Lakes," Conn said. "My favorite lake by far is Huron. I haven't actually dove in Grosse Pointe at Lake St. Clair — the water is too shallow."



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The bands played on

Music on the Plaza began with the Grosse Pointe North High School and Grosse Pointe South High School jazz bands entertaining the crowd in the Village. Top photo, North, directed by Dave Cleveland, started the evening, followed by South, above, directed by Christopher Takis. The Thursday evening concert series is sponsored by St. John Hospital and Medical Center.

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New contract rewards great service

By Brad Lindberg
Staff Writer

GROSSE POINTE SHORES — Municipal labor negotiators reversed Iago's advice by raising salaries of public safety command officers.

Instead of following Iago's credo to "Put money in thy purse," from Shakespeare's "Othello," Grosse Pointe Shores officials added ducats to the officers' new contract.

"Someone said it was about time we stopped praising them and started putting money

in their pockets," said City Manager Mark Wollenweber.

Members of the city council approved a tentative, three-year contract Tuesday, June 16, with four sergeants and three lieutenants comprising the seven-member command unit.

The current contract expires Wednesday, July 1.

Wollenweber said terms include a:

- ◆ 1 percent signing bonus,
- ◆ 2 percent raise July 1,
- ◆ 1 percent raise Jan. 1, 2016, and

◆ 3 percent raises each of the following two years.

"This will be precedent-setting for other groups and non-union people, regular officers and DPW employees," Wollenweber said.

Shores command staff is represented by the Police Officers Labor Council.

"Negotiations went very well," said Public Safety Director John Schulte. "The union demands were fair. The council accommodated them because, frankly, of the great service they provide."

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to balance changes made throughout the periods. "Our revenue from real property sources decreased slightly," Kedzierski said during

the council's meeting Tuesday, June 16. "But, our overall revenue on the original budget was \$5,517,000. What we're passing today shows revenue of \$5,574,000."

The nearly \$60,000 increase is from a grant, counted as revenue, to

buy a public works truck.

Most amendments this year are of the "nickel and dime" variety, such as "\$1,500 in one account, \$1,200 in another," said Councilman Bruce Bisballe, chairman of the finance committee.

Revenue from court fees, originally forecast at \$60,000, reached only \$53,779.

Cable TV franchise revenue came in \$339 greater than expected.

Among expenses, public safety cost \$12,233 less than originally budgeted.

Building and grounds expenses reached \$439,330, or \$108,443 more than expected.

"This year, the net asset position is unchanged," said Rhonda Ricketts, finance director. "A lot of this is due to depreciation. Next year, depreciation goes down further."

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Grosse Pointe Park had its first of three After Six events, complete with acrobats, jugglers, food and music. The event is held in Grosse Pointe Park on Kercheval once a month. The next two events are Saturdays, July 11 and Aug. 8. At right, 16-month-old Nathan Crandall of Grosse Pointe Farms danced to Soul Provider.

PHOTOS BY RENEE LANDUYT



Above, Terry Solomon, director of parks and recreation in Grosse Pointe Park, high-fives a lady on stilts. At right, Park residents Matilda Konieczki and Anya Smrt build things with LEGOs.



A group from the Lovely Lyra Ladies gave hula hoop demonstrations. Here, Nicole Castka does an aerial dance on a lyra.



Park doesn't keep info requested in FOIA

By Kathy Ryan
Staff Writer

GROSSE POINTE PARK — What exactly are cities required to do to assist the Grosse Pointe Public School System with residency verification?

That was the problem brought to the council Monday night by Grosse Pointe Woods resident Diane Karabetsos on behalf of her organization, Residents for Residency.

At issue was a FOIA request submitted by Karabetsos that asked city administrators to provide the names of children living in rental units in the Park.

That list would then be used by her organization to cross-check enrollment records in the Grosse Pointe public schools.

However, city attorney Dennis Levasseur said since the Park does not keep names of children living in rental units, there is no way the city could comply with the FOIA.

"She asked for information we don't main-

tain," Levasseur told the council. "Her FOIA was not denied, as we simply can't provide information that we don't have."

While the Park acknowledged lists of rental units are kept and certificates of occupancy are required, there is no requirement to list individual renters by name, especially not children. Names of children older than 10 are included on park pass applications, but that information is not separated by rentals versus private homes.

Karabetsos told the council her organization has volunteers willing to glean information from park pass records to use for student enrollment verification, but that was not well received by Mayor Greg Theokas.

"More and more we are seeing laws that guard against using children's names," he said. "I don't think that is something we want to get involved with."

Councilman Dan Clark said the cities should not be responsible for residency enforcement.

"The Grosse Pointe

schools are a separate entity," he said. "It's the responsibility of the school board to enforce residency."

Karabetsos challenged Clark. "It is in your interest to know who is living in your city," she said.

Levasseur said the Park works with the school system when a residency question arises.

"The school system has a fairly robust system to check residency," he said. "I get requests from an investigation firm the district has hired and we respond. But my advice to council is to not get involved in day-to-day enforcement."

Councilmember Dan Grano brought the discussion back to the initial FOIA request.

"The council can't say whether we agree or disagree with the reason for your request," he said. "What we can say is that the FOIA can't be honored because we don't maintain the information you are requesting."

On a unanimous vote, the council agreed.

Service fees up 2 percent

GROSSE POINTE FARMS — All fees charged through the public service department are increased 2 percent effective July 1.

Charges are across the board.

They include:

- ◆ building permit applications, refundable and ranging from \$250 to \$450;
- ◆ certificates of occupancy, \$150 and
- ◆ plumbing permits, ranging from \$20 for a water heater to \$250 for a

non-residential sewer tap.

"In addition, there is a new registration fee requiring a \$50, three-year registration for all landscape and snow removal contractors," said Terry Brennan, Grosse Pointe Farms director of public service.

Higher fees were built into the fiscal year 2015-2016 budget passed at the May city council meeting.

Other fees are, but are not limited to:

- ◆ fence permits, \$40

plus \$100 for a hearing with the city council;

- ◆ business license, \$250, including occupancy inspection;
- ◆ reinspection fee, \$75, for a scheduled inspection with parties that aren't ready;
- ◆ zoning board of appeals site plan fee, \$500 and
- ◆ electrical ovens, ranges, dishwashers, disposals and related electrical power units, \$10 to \$20.

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Smile, you're on camera

By Brad Lindberg
Staff Writer

GROSSE POINTE SHORES — Behind-the-scenes action is needed before security cameras are located at four outdoor public locations in the city.

"I'm pretty much in daily communication with the principals on

this project," said John Schulte, director of Grosse Pointe Shores public safety. "It's moving along quickly."

Consultants recommended placing two cameras each at:

◆ the north city border in the 1100 block of Lakeshore,

◆ the south border at the intersection of

Lakeshore and Woodland Shores,

◆ the intersection of Lakeshore and Vernier and

◆ the intersection of Cook and Ballantyne.

Cameras are primarily to preserve evidence of traffic wrecks. Officials will use evidence in prosecutions and to determine liability under the cost recovery ordinance, such as making drunken or fleeing drivers pay to repair crashing through the iron fence of Osius Park on Lakeshore at the foot of Vernier.

Preparations include

public works crews trimming trees on Lakeshore that block the camera's fields of view.

Schulte said he scheduled two meetings last week with Comcast.

"First was a field survey Monday (June 15) where we located the available (underground) cable service," he said. "I'm meeting with Comcast Business Solutions to

look at the total project plans and their layout for the project."

Funding comes from last year's 1-mil property tax increase for public safety enhancements.

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Fincham, it appears, is a tough act to follow.

He served as director of public safety prior to being appointed city administrator in 2010. Previously, he worked in the City of Grosse Pointe, serving in several different positions after joining the City's fire department in 1973, including director of public safety and assis-

tant city manager.

According to Mayor Robert Novitke, the Woods will continue a search for a permanent replacement, but a Plan B is in place if a replacement cannot be found by Dec. 31.

City Assessor Tom Columbo, who has served as city manager in Roseville, will step in on an interim basis, if needed.

"The search is still on," Novitke said. "We simply have not been satisfied with the applicants."

METERS:

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spokeswoman.

"The gas main renewal, which is the major project, will start sometime during 2016," said Kathy Jordan, DTE government relations representative.

"Similar work is being performed across our service territory," Donerson said.

It's routine.

"Since 2008, we have installed 2.5 million advanced electric and gas meters in Southeast Michigan," Donerson said. "By the end of 2017, nearly 3.9 million meters will be installed to serve all our residential and business customers."

For Mark Wollenweber, manager of Grosse Pointe Shores, the idea of swapping old, underground iron pipes with plastic ones unearths the prospect of complaints.

"It's going to mess up everybody's lawn and sprinkler system," he said. "We will require a significant bond for restoration purposes."

"It will be messy while they're doing the work, but we'll make sure repairs are done nicely," Jordan said. "If anything happens to a sprinkler system, we have five companies in the Grosse Pointe area that we are

using for restoration work."

"DTE will fully repair any damage that may occur while completing the planned work," Donerson said. "Any interior fixtures, landscaping or concrete disturbed during the meter move-out will be restored or replaced at no cost."

Restoration is performed April through November, weather permitting.

"If work is completed after November, we will return in the spring to restore property," Donerson said.

Data from smart meters, technically called advanced metering infrastructure, is downloaded remotely, generally supplanting door-to-door meter readers.

Smart meters "virtually eliminate" estimated bills and enable "DTE to quickly locate and reduce the length of power outages and provides up-to-date information that helps customers track, manage and control their energy usage, saving them money," Donerson said.

Smart meters aren't mandatory, according to Wollenweber.

"There's an opt-out provision for those people who prefer not to have that particular meter," Wollenweber said.

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lake water flow into the harbor, circulate and reduce problems related to stagnancy.

"We'll probably have to clean up zebra mussels next year," Wollenweber said.

Zebra mussels are an invasive species from Eastern Europe. They were discovered in the Great Lakes in 1988, probably introduced by an ocean-going freighter flushing its bilge, according to the state department of natural resources.

In a related effort to increase harbor circulation, Shores officials installed four water agitators.

"We put timers on them to run at night," said

Councilman Robert Barrette, chairman of the park and harbor committee. "They make a little bit of noise."

As for harbor occupancy, it hasn't been full since being renovated in 2008, according to Tom Krolczyk, harbor master.

This year, however, "All the wells and Jet Skis (platforms) will be full," Barrette said.

"I understand we even have a waiting list," said Mayor Ted Kedzierski.

"That person's been taken care of," Barrette said.

Non-residents may rent boat wells at the residents-only park if there's not enough demand from residents.

Non-resident well revenue totals \$52,870, according to Krolczyk's report at the May meeting of the park committee.

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To provide the Grosse Pointes the most relevant, accurate and timely information in our print and online publications.

OUR VIEW

Here's our policy for letters to the editor

The lifeblood of this newspaper comes in the form of contributions made by our readers and advertisers each week. It's what's made the Grosse Pointe News a voice in the community - and for the community - for 75 years.

Often the contribution from readers comes as a letter to the editor. A recent meeting of the Advisory Board of the Grosse Pointe News discussed the topic and defined where we would like to go forward with our letter policy.

It's important we explain our practice for handling letters and our goal moving forward.

First, the Grosse Pointe News appreciates the letters to the editor we receive weekly. There are some we receive we can't publish. They may lack a signature. We ask for an e-mail and daytime phone number so we can ask questions - not for publication. At times, letters contain loose facts or hard-to-verify information that requires research.

It's important to note that even when a letter is signed, it becomes our responsibility when we publish it. All libel laws apply against the author and the newspaper if we print something we shouldn't have. So we are cautious.

We will continue to be careful, obviously. We will contact anyone who has sent a letter that has issues to address before we can publish.

The Grosse Pointe News will limit - and edit where possible - any letter more than 250 words. That doesn't include the headline or signature, rather the body of the letter.

If a 1,000 word letter is sent, the author will be contacted and asked to send, in this case, 25 percent of what was written.

We will allow guest opinion pieces to go longer, but letters will be at or below 250 words. The reason, simply, is to allow more voices.

Some newspapers have staff only in charge of letters to the editor. We don't have that luxury, so we ask any backup material used to make your point is copied and sent with the letter. For us to FOIA or extensively research facts in each letter is impossible.

Letters to thank people, groups, municipal officials and employees are welcome. While many papers don't print thank you letters, we believe positive words help build a strong community and those who go above and beyond deserve the recognition on the pages of the local paper.

Most of all we want to say thank you. The letters we receive are creative, entertaining, constructive and a glimpse at the wonderful community in which we live and work. More about our policy is available above right. Please send letters to jwarner@grossepointe-news.com or to the address at the top of this page.

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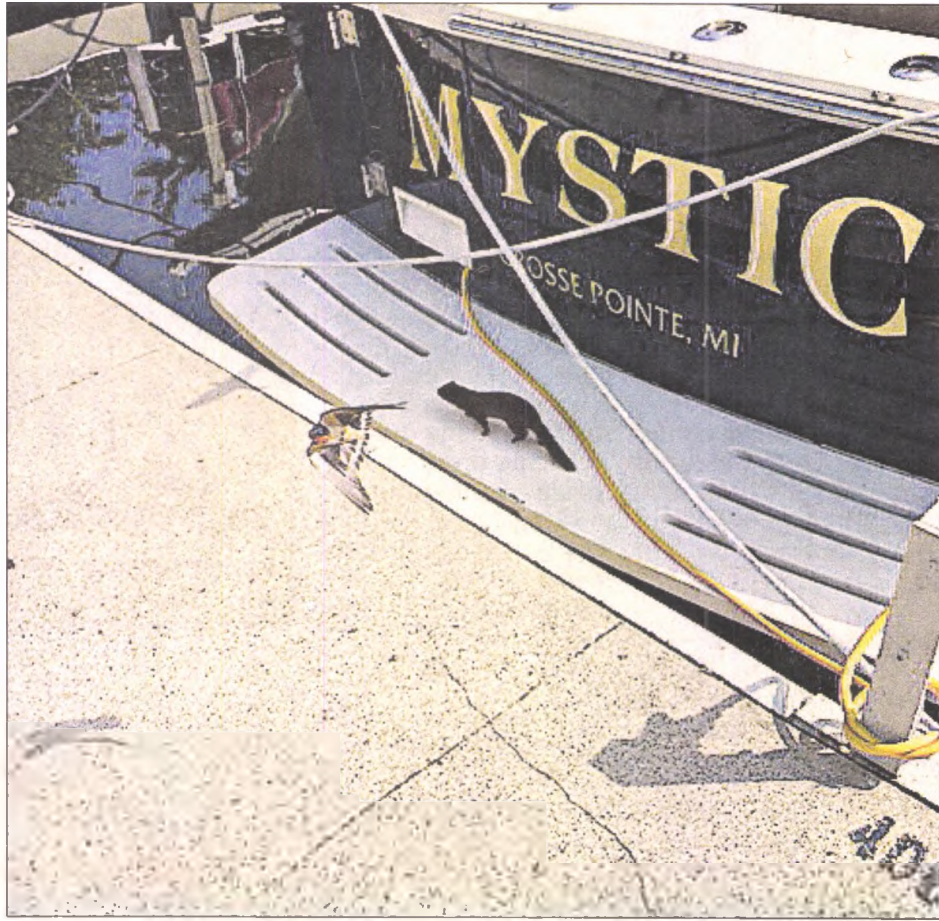
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Pure Grosse Pointe

Reader Jim Kretzschmar of Grosse Pointe Park shared this photo of a female mink being stalked by angry birds at the Grosse Pointe Park marina. Kretzschmar said he can't believe the wildlife returning to Lake St. Clair. His brother-in-law, a taxidermist in Algonac, helped with the identity.

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.

Register

It's that time of the year again. Graduations are upon us and students are now preparing to embark on the next stage of their lives. Whether going on to school or entering the workforce or the military, this is a big moment in a young person's life. As the celebrations begin, consider giving a new graduate a gift that will last for years to come;

help them register to vote.

Voting brings us together as Americans - it is the one time when we are all equal. It doesn't matter if you're rich or poor, or young or old; elections are our opportunity to elect leaders who lift up our communities and make them better. Help the new grads in your life get started by registering to vote or updating their registration if

they have moved.

As a member of the League of Women Voters, I'm proud to be part of a network of community volunteers that help make sure all young people have the chance to ask questions about issues that matter to them, understand why voting is important and get registered. We have helped thousands of students get registered, including here in the Grosse Pointes.

Visit Vote411.org, to start the registration process. Or, contact the League at (313) 881-6343. It's a gift for them and for their community!

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Nice service

An enthusiastic pat on the back to the management people at the

Grosse Pointe News who made the decision to buy the paper and ink that allowed you to print a number of letters to the editor submitted by eighth grade students at a local school in the June 11, edition of your fine paper.

In my opinion, these young people got a priceless lesson in rhetoric and composition as they wrote their letters.

Moreover, they tasted the satisfaction that comes from learning to use one's gifts of logic and conviction to persuade a wider audience within the community. You probably did more to advance the education of your young correspondents than a dozen tutors could have accomplished with diligent effort.

Thank you for this important community service.

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AROUND TOWN

At right, Cornerstone Schools held its last Partner Morning of the school year Friday, June 5, an event that involves dozens of Grosse Pointers, including Clark Durant, Cornerstone founder, far right photo. Durant lives in Grosse Pointe Farms. Below, The Family Center of Grosse Pointe and Harper Woods held its Meet & Greet June 3, at Grosse Pointe Memorial Church. The event was a networking opportunity for representatives of Grosse Pointe area group providing services to help families and children.

PHOTOS BY JOE WARNER



Grosse Pointe North's Peer to Peer group is called KNOTS, Kids Need Opportunities To Socialize. North students volunteer their time to assist students with special needs. Attending a recent event were, from left, Superintendent Gary Niehaus, Vita Aluia, Shannon McEnroe, Britteny Hernandez, Yarnell Waller, Matthew Cheek, and KNOTS teacher Christine Kuhl.

PHOTO BY RENEE LANDUYT

City of Grosse Pointe

Wakeup call

At 2:32 a.m. Saturday, June 20, a patrolman came upon a silver 2008 Ford Escape parked curbside on St. Clair at Mack next to a store closed for the night.

"I turned around, drove by again and confirmed the vehicle was occupied by someone slumped in the driver's seat," said the officer. "The vehicle was running."

The officer knocked on the car window, startling the lone occupant, a 53-year-old woman from Grosse Pointe Woods.

"She looked confused, but eventually realized I was checking on her," said the officer.

She smelled of intoxicants and registered a .111 percent blood alcohol level prior to being arrested for drunken driving, according to police.

—Brad Lindberg

Report information about these or other crimes to the City of Grosse Pointe Public Safety Department at (313) 886-3200.

Grosse Pointe Farms

Four x limit

A patrolman cruising Mack shortly before 2:30 a.m. Saturday, June 20, stopped a 29-year-old Detroit woman driving in oncoming lanes and arrested her for drunken driving.

The officer spotted her operating a silver 2003 Chrysler minivan eastbound in the westbound lanes of Mack.

She turned right onto southbound Kerby, left on Chalfonte and stopped in the middle of the road.

"When (I) asked (her) if she consumed alcohol tonight, she stated, 'No,' at first, then stated she had a little to drink," said the officer.

A Breathalyzer test revealed her .32 percent blood alcohol level, four times the legal maximum

Public Safety Reports

to operate a motor vehicle in Michigan.

War crime

Military memorabilia with a combined value of \$2,535 is missing from a locked closet at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial.

The closet is used by members of the Veteran's Club, which meets regularly at the memorial on lower Lakeshore.

During the afternoon of Wednesday, June 17, a club member from Grosse Pointe Woods informed Farms police of the missing items.

"(He) stated club members do not have key access to the closet and the memorial staff is the only key holder," said a public safety officer.

Missing items and their reported value are a:

- ◆ 12-inch military medallion, \$150;
- ◆ Jean Gilbert framed picture, \$150;
- ◆ USS New York framed picture, \$200;
- ◆ U.S. Army 101st Airborne framed picture, damaged, \$200;
- ◆ framed picture of Uncle Sam, \$100;
- ◆ 5-foot tall mannequin, \$300;
- ◆ 30-inch mannequin stand, \$200;
- ◆ three World War II Navy uniforms valued at \$300 each, total \$900;
- ◆ laminated Vietnam rice bowl, \$125 and
- ◆ laminated United States and world maps, \$125.

Brown bagger

Police found a one-third empty bottle of red wine in a brown paper bag behind the driver's seat of a black 1997 Mercedes Benz four-door operated by a 29-year-old Detroit woman, arrested for drunken driving on Lakeshore at 1:36 a.m. Wednesday, June 17.

She registered a .18

percent blood alcohol level, reported an officer pulling her over near the intersection of Sunset Lane for driving erratically.

Locker theft

A Farms man reported his brown shorts containing car keys were stolen from an unsecured locker in the men's bathhouse at Pier Park between 5 and 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, June 16.

Underage

Two male teens from the Farms, ages 16 and 17, are in trouble for alcohol violations, according to police.

A patrolman arrested the 16-year-old for having a .091 percent blood alcohol level while driving a black 2011 Chevrolet Equinox.

The 17-year-old passenger had a .106 percent blood alcohol level, rating a citation for being a minor in possession of alcohol, according to police.

An officer investigated the pair at 12:30 a.m. Monday, June 15, for a traffic infraction on southbound Canyon, in Detroit, entering Mack.

"The vehicle failed to stop prior to reaching eastbound Mack from the median," said the officer.

Officers searching the Equinox reportedly found eight 12-ounce containers of beer under the front passenger seat, plus another that spilled on the floorboards.

Mail call

For the second time this spring, someone vandalized the mailbox of a man living in the first block of Provencal.

On the morning of Sunday, June 14, he reported finding the mailbox yanked from the

ground and smashed.

Two weeks ago, he added, someone stole the box, according to police.

—Brad Lindberg

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

Grosse Pointe Shores

Drunk 1

Shortly before 11 p.m., Saturday, June 20, an off-duty law enforcement officer alerted Grosse Pointe Shores police to the suspected drunken driver of a red 2009 Chevrolet Impala southbound on Lakeshore approaching Vernier.

A Shores patrolman pulled over the suspect, a 25-year-old man from Troy, near the intersection of Clairview.

"(He) stated he had a few beers earlier in the day," said the officer. "(He) stated he was on probation and released from jail seven days ago."

Officers registered his .108 percent blood alcohol level, arrested him for drunken driving and informed his parole officer.

Drunk 2

A Detroit man, 54, failed a series of field sobriety tests prior to being arrested for drunken driving on Lakeshore near South Edgewood Drive at 10:46 p.m. Friday, June 19.

He had a .14 percent blood alcohol level and six suspensions of his operator's license, according to police.

"The driver had bloodshot, watery eyes," said the officer.

Officers impounded his 2007 Buick Rendezvous.

They said he had a prior drunken driving arrest.

Drunk 3

While helping conduct a drunken driving investigation on southbound Lakeshore near Webber Place, a public safety officer took off after a passing female motorist for nearly sideswiping a cruiser parked at the roadside investigation.

The officer stopped the woman, 25, Detroit, near the intersection of Provencal at 2:47 a.m. Sunday, June 14.

She registered a .175 percent blood alcohol level before being arrested for drunken driving.

Police impounded her 2004 Pontiac.

Drunk 4

Police arrested a Sterling Heights man, 34, for driving drunk on southbound Lakeshore near Webber Place at 2:36 a.m. Sunday, June 14.

His blood alcohol level measured .13 percent, according to police.

An officer investigated him for speeding a 2012 GMC Terrain more than 15 mph over the 35 mph limit.

—Brad Lindberg

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

Grosse Pointe Woods

Heroin possession

A 38-year-old St. Clair Shores resident was stopped 10:30 a.m. Monday, June 15 for speeding on Mack near Hawthorne. While charged with speeding, the driver also was cited for an expired license plate and no insurance. He also was questioned regarding erratic behavior and admitted using heroin. He was placed under arrest and his car impounded. While inventorying the car, police discovered heroin and syringes. In addition to other charges, he was cited for operating a vehicle while in possession of drugs.

—Kathy Ryan

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

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It was a home invasion that turned into a car theft, according to police. Sometime overnight Monday, June 15, someone entered the kitchen

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Grosse Pointe Woods held its annual Jack Boni Family Perch Derby at Lakefront Park Saturday, June 20. Fishing was allowed on the pier and by boat from 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Lunch was served and after the 2 p.m. weigh-in, prizes were awarded. Here, Thomas Teetaert and his grandson, Fischer Austin, fish off the docks.



While many people didn't have much or any luck, Chase Molchany was excited to catch a bluegill.

PHOTOS BY RENEE LANDUYT

Derby day

Connor Tubbs won a trophy for catching the biggest fish, a large-mouth bass that measured 12.25 inches.



Amanda Vogel gets some fishing tips from her dad, Allen Vogel.



First hundred captured in book

By Brad Lindberg
Staff Writer

GROSSE POINTE SHORES — A 437-page book about the Grosse Pointe Yacht Club floats the mayor's boat.

"We're going to keep it upstairs (at city hall) on display," said Ted Kedzierski, mayor of Grosse Pointe Shores, accepting a donated copy. "This is the start of our historical collection for Grosse Pointe Shores."

The hardbound, illustrated book, "Grosse Pointe Yacht Club: 100 years 1914-2014," traces the yacht club's history from its founding.

Club initiation and annual dues originally cost \$1 each, according to editor Dr. Larry Stephenson, 25-year club member and professor of cardiothoracic surgery at Wayne State University medical school.

"In the early days, you had to live in Grosse Pointe Shores to be a member," Stephenson

said. "It wasn't until 1917 that they started letting people in from the other Grosse Pointes."

The history of the Shores, founded in 1911, intertwined with the club from the beginning.

"Your first mayor, George Osius, became mayor in 1911," Stephenson told the city council Tuesday, June 16. "Once the yacht club was formed, he became its first rear commodore, then vice commodore. He served in those positions for about the entire time he was mayor."

Members of the first village council held many club offices.

"There's a lot of tradition," Stephenson said. "They used to say, 'We are them and they are us.'"

The book costs \$99.95 and is published by Dorian Naughton Publishing, Grosse Pointe Farms.

Stephenson gave a copy to the Shores on behalf of the club. "We're honored to have

(the club) as part of our great, rich history and heritage in Grosse Pointe Shores," Kedzierski said.

He said he'll reserve part of next month's council meeting, 7 a.m. Tuesday, July 21, to propose establishing a Shores historic commission.

"Our city is rich with history," Kedzierski said. "We need to properly preserve it."

He instructed the city manager to learn if city hall qualifies as an historic structure.

"It was designed by Albert Kahn, one of the greatest architects of the 20th century," Kedzierski said. "He designed many residential structures on Lakeshore."

Tax credits may accrue from the historical designation, added Kedzierski, a CPA.

"From the standpoint of being proud, standing behind our history and getting it recognized as an historic structure, that would be a coup for the city," he said.

Water main work goes with the flow

By Brad Lindberg
Staff Writer

CITY OF GROSSE POINTE — Municipal officials are going back to the well for another new water main.

The work consists of replacing a main on one block of Washington between Kercheval and St. Paul in the City of Grosse Pointe.

City officials awarded a contract to the same company, FDM Contracting, doing water main construction on Chalfonte.

Work is bid at \$196,431, including design and administrative fees, which is less than engineering estimates.

"The city contracted with FDM to replace the main on Chalfonte from Fisher to Rivard at a very good price," said Gary Huvaere, public service director.

Chalfonte construc-

tion recently wrapped up.

"The contractor is willing to extend the contract price to one block of Washington," Huvaere added.

"For comparison, our budget estimate for this type of work would be approximately \$240,000 if it were bid separately," said Patrick Phelan, senior project engineer with Anderson, Eckstein and Westrick, the city's consulting engineers.

The opportunity "kind of leapt out at us," said Peter Dame, city manager.

The Washington main is being doubled in diameter from 6 to 12 inches.

Replacing it paves the way for roadwork.

Resurfacing Washington between St. Paul and Kercheval is part of a \$433,348 road improvement drive.

"This block will be rehabilitated with new

curb, gutter and pavement resurfacing following completion of the water main work," Phelan said.

St. Paul is tentatively part of next year's resurfacing plans.

Huvaere said "it makes sense" to replace the main on Washington before starting road work on the same block.

"That way, driveway apron replacement, as part of the street project this year, will not be torn up again by a subsequent water main project," he said. "Also, it will prevent having to replace the water main across a newly-paved St. Paul by doing the water main now."

Additional resurfacing this year includes:

- ◆ Charles Street from Rivard to Roosevelt,
- ◆ Rivard Boulevard from Maumee to St. Paul,
- ◆ Notre Dame from Waterloo to Charlevoix and
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of a house in the 1300 block of Beaconsfield and took the keys to a 2011 Toyota RAV4, then took the car. The vehicle was recovered by the ACTION task force in Detroit. There was no damage to the car.

Tire slashed

The passenger-side rear tire of a 1991 Ford Thunderbird was slashed sometime overnight Friday, June 20, while the car was parked in the 800 block of Beaconsfield.

— Kathy Ryan

Report information about these or other crimes to Grosse Pointe Park Public Safety at (313) 822-7400.

Defendant done in by four magic words

By Brad Lindberg
Staff Writer

GROSSE POINTE PARK — Affairs of the heart can hinge on three little words that, as the song says, “tell sincerely” what “no other words can tell it half so clearly.”

In criminal prosecutions, a four-word phrase often does the trick.

It did Wednesday, June 10, in Grosse Pointe Park Municipal Court.

An attorney defending Armani Howell, 20, Detroit, arrested for a trio of home invasions, wanted Judge Carl Jarboe to ease terms of his three \$5,000 cash-only bonds, totaling \$15,000.

Howell, unable to post bond, is housed at the Wayne County Jail as the cases move through the justice system.

“What do you have to tie him to these cases?” Jarboe asked Gary Bresnehan, assistant

Wayne County prosecuting attorney.

“We have his confession,” Bresnehan answered.

Voila! “OK,” Jarboe said. “I’ve got to tell you, I’m really surprised (bond) is as low as it is.”

A visiting judge set the amount at an earlier hearing.

“I would not lower those bonds,” Jarboe told Howell’s lawyer, Stephani LaBelle.

Howell is being prosecuted for committing three daylight break-ins of unoccupied dwellings in the 1300 and 1400 blocks of Maryland between April 30 and June 1.

Each crime carries a 15-year penalty.

He waived his right to a preliminary hearing in Park court and agreed to the cases continuing in Wayne County Circuit Court at 9 a.m. Wednesday, June 17.

LaBelle gave a number of reasons why Jarboe should lower the bond.

“Mr. Howell is from the area,” she said. “He lives (on Detroit’s eastside) with his mom and his dad, who are married. His 1-year-old daughter shares time between his ex-girlfriend and him.”

Howell, a high school graduate, lost his job two months ago as a stock boy at a gas station, she said.

“He has no prior criminal history,” LaBelle said.

“The people oppose the reduction of bond,” Bresnehan said. “Considering three (B&Es) in the span of a few weeks, I think \$5,000 cash on each case is very, very reasonable.”

Jarboe said he considers three main factors when deciding bond.

◆ “(First), the seriousness of the offense,” he said.

He rated Howell’s



PHOTO BY BRAD LINDBERG

Three-time B&E suspect, Armani Howell, 20, Detroit, is flanked in Grosse Pointe Park Municipal Court by, left, Assistant Wayne County Prosecuting Attorney Gary Bresnehan and defense attorney Stephani LaBelle.

alleged actions “very serious.”

◆ Second, a defendant’s likelihood of committing more crimes while free on bond.

“If (Howell) committed three of them, there’s a likelihood he may commit more crimes while

he’s out on bond,” Jarboe said.

◆ Third, a defendant’s odds of skipping future court hearings.

“He’ll probably come back to court because he’s got family close by,” Jarboe said of Howell. “That weighs in his favor.

The fact that he doesn’t have a criminal history weighs in his favor. But, breaking into three homes, currently unemployed — I don’t agree it’s a reasonable bond. I think it’s a low bond.”

Work on your short game

GROSSE POINTE PARK — Golf is a tough game.

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The facility has an area to practice chipping as well as putting, she said.

“There are two areas to practice chipping,” Solomon explained. “And a putting green, too. I guess you could say it’s the perfect place to work on the short game in golf.”

The artificial turf feature opened in 2008 and took over space in the park that once housed a few tennis courts and a basketball court, she said.

“It’s something we’re very proud to offer,” Solomon said. “It’s a very neat thing and worth checking out if you’re a golfer.”

For more information call (313) 822-1681.

—John McTaggart

Five fees are increasing July 1

By Brad Lindberg
Staff Writer

CITY OF GROSSE POINTE — Of the roughly 250 fees the city charges for services, permits and registrations, five are going up this year.

All are in the parks and recreation department.

They are:

◆ synchronized swim team, \$50 (a \$20 increase);

◆ tennis lessons for beginners, intermediate and advance players, \$45 (a \$5 increase) and

◆ a new, \$10 late registration fee.

New rates are effective July 1. Combined increases are forecast to generate an extra \$1,200 revenue.

“These increases are required to address rising costs associated with the activities,” said Kimberly Kleinow, City of Grosse Pointe finance director.

“That’s just to cover the expenses of the classes.”

Rates and fees for all municipal departments are reviewed annually.

CITY OF GROSSE POINTE, COUNTY OF WAYNE, MICHIGAN

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON A RE-STATED DEVELOPMENT PLAN AND TAX INCREMENT FINANCING PLAN OF THE CITY OF GROSSE POINTE DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS IN THE CITY OF GROSSE POINTE:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the City Council of the City of Grosse Pointe, Michigan, will hold a public hearing on Monday, the 20th day of July, 2015, at 7:00 p.m., prevailing Eastern Time in the Council Chambers, located at 17147 Maumee Avenue, in the City of Grosse Pointe, Michigan, to consider the adoption of an ordinance and a resolution approving a re-stated Development Plan and Tax Increment Financing Plan for the City of Grosse Pointe Downtown Development Authority pursuant to Act 197 of the Public Acts of Michigan of 1975, as amended.

The boundaries of the development area to which the Plan applies are unchanged.

Copies of the proposed re-stated Development Plan and Tax Increment Financing Plan, maps, plats, etc. are on file at the office of the City Clerk for inspection.

At the public hearing, all interested persons desiring to address the City Council shall be afforded an opportunity to be heard in regard to the approval of the re-stated Development Plan and Tax Increment Financing Plan for the City of Grosse Pointe Downtown Development Authority and all aspects of the Plan will be open for discussion at the public hearing. Written comments will be accepted until 12:00 noon, Friday, July 17, 2015, at City Hall.

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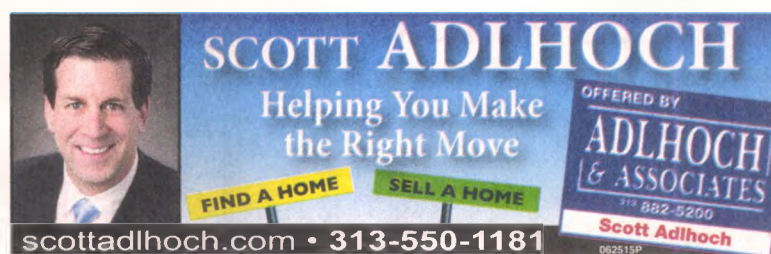
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Fairy Tale Festival set for June 27

By Jody McVeigh
Community Editor

Something's in the air at the Edsel and Eleanor Ford House this weekend.

The estate's fifth annual Fairy Tale Festival is set for Saturday, June 27, and carries the theme "Things with Wings," offering flights of fancy for girls, boys and grown-ups alike throughout the day.

From the whimsy of fairies and butterflies to adventurous airplanes and superheroes, the theme runs the gamut of all things winged.

"It's an opportunity for families to come to the Ford House and experience a variety of different fairy tales," said Megan Wood, associate vice president of education and visitor experience at the Ford House.

While the festival takes inspiration from fairy tales featured on



PHOTOS COURTESY OF FORD HOUSE

The Fairy Tale Festival features the theme "Things with Wings" and takes place Saturday, June 27, at the Edsel and Eleanor Ford House.

Josephine's Playhouse, a three-quarter size playhouse that was a gift from Clara Ford, the theme broadens the spectrum beyond fantasy. Stations set up throughout the grounds also include bugs, birds and butterflies, dragons, airplanes and superheroes.

Members of remote-controlled airplane clubs will give demonstrations, costumed characters will interact with guests, representatives from Cranbrook's Organization for Bat Conservation will be on hand, as will a group talking about pigeons. Butterfly and bee farms featuring demonstrations and information about the creatures are planned, as are a petting zoo, storytime sessions with the Grosse Pointe Public Library and music and art projects for children courtesy of the Grosse Pointe Mompreneurs.

Other features include a butterfly release at 11 a.m.; All the World's a Stage costumed characters and performances; a dragon area with lords and ladies, sword fighting, dragon activities and a dragon in the lagoon; and a cockroach car created by artist Doyle.

"People can climb into it," Wood said of the car. "It's art with wings."

The "Things with Wings" theme was inspired by the Grosse Pointe Chamber of Commerce's butterfly bench program, "Seat Yourself in Grosse

Pointe." All the benches designed by various artists and sponsored by Grosse Pointe businesses

and organizations will be at the festival.

The superheroes addition pays homage to the

National Reading Club theme for the summer.

"This only works in partnership with other people," Wood said, adding that onsite concessions and a gift shop will be available during the event as well.

"We wanted a way to make the grounds more accessible for families," Wood said. "This was a way to introduce people to the Ford House who may have never come before. We see returning people and new people."

The target age is children 2 to 10, but all are welcome. Cost is \$12 in advance, \$15 at the gate. Parking is available across the street for \$5.

"We're carrying on a wonderful tradition of providing entertainment and education," said Colin Bowyer, communications and community outreach specialist with the Ford House. "This is a place where the Ford family created a lot of memories and where Detroit families and other families can do the same."

The Edsel and Eleanor Ford House is located at 1100 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Shores. For more information, visit fordhouse.org.



FILE PHOTO

Fairies, butterflies, dragons and superheroes take to the grounds of the Edsel and Eleanor Ford House Saturday, June 27.

Fairy Tales at Ford House

The Fairy Tale Festival at the Edsel and Eleanor Ford House kicks off a summer of fairy-related activities.

"Things with Wings Nature Discovery" takes place daily, Sunday, June 28, through Sunday, Aug. 30, and includes finding and identifying winged creatures on the grounds. The program, available with regular admission, gives clues and information about nature and includes a prize.

"Things with Wings Weekends" take place from noon to 2 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays, July 11 through Aug. 30. With regular admission, children may enjoy crafts, stories and games.

At 10 a.m. Saturday, July 25, children are invited to the grounds to design a terrarium fairy garden. Cost is \$10 and includes a story. Reservations are required.

A family bird walk takes place at 9 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 22. Cost is \$7 and includes a guided walk by experts from Wild Birds Unlimited. Reservations are required.

For adults, "Wings and Wine" takes place at 6 p.m. Thursdays, July 16 and Aug. 13. Cost is \$40, \$35 for members, and invites adults to join artisans from Pewabic Pottery in creating winged ceramics. Reservations are required.

For more information or to make reservations, visit fordhouse.org or call (313) 884-4222.

Group climb raises money for St. John breast cancer patients

By Jody McVeigh
Community Editor

Connie Adamo does not hide her enthusiasm well. Nor does she want to.

The Harrison Township resident is excited about her fifth year participating in "Climb to Beat Breast Cancer," St. John Providence Foundation's annual fundraiser to help uninsured or underinsured women afford breast cancer treatment.

"It's been exhilarating," she said. "We get to meet people we didn't know and make friends with them. You're only with them for one day, but it's such a bonding experience."

The climb was founded by Francesco Lucarelli, who first climbed Mount Kilimanjaro in 2007 as a way to honor the memory of his mother, who died of breast cancer



PHOTO BY JODY MCVEIGH

Connie Adamo, left, and Lorraine Owczarek are part of a group that will climb Harney Peak in South Dakota to raise money for the St. John Providence Breast Care Program.

five years earlier, and to prove anything is possible if taken one step at a time. After his second climb — Mount Aconcagua in 2008 — the St. John Foundation turned the climb into an annual fundraiser. Subsequent climbs have

included Pikes Peak, Mount Washington, Ben Lomond and several others.

This year climbers will take on Harney Peak in South Dakota. It's the highest natural point in the state and at 7,242 feet, the highest summit

in the United States east of the Rocky Mountains.

"I don't do heights, but I make myself do it," Adamo said. "You just feel good about it. You know you're helping somebody and that's the main reason for it. But you're bonding, too."

Climbers are asked to raise \$1,000 each and cover their own travel expenses. All of the proceeds stay local, benefiting the St. John Providence Breast Care Program.

More than \$300,000 has been raised to date.

It takes a lot to prepare for the climb. Adamo begins training in January, strapping on snowshoes for treks through Stony Creek Metropark. Yoga, weight training and other forms of fitness are key, she said.

"All the preparation gets your blood going," she said. "Then the day comes and there's a lot of bonding. We have a good time."

The program is organized by Lorraine Owczarek, director of operations for the St. John Foundation in Grosse Pointe, a Chesterfield Township

resident and a seven-time climber.

"I had no idea of what I was getting myself into," Owczarek said of taking on the project several years ago. "Having had this handed to me at that time in my career, it was a gift. The people I've met, the friendships that have formed, the people we're helping — it doesn't get any better than that."

"It's a really good-feel type of event. It's something out of the ordinary people wouldn't do by themselves."

The group averages 25 participants each year. Some come, some go and some come back, Owczarek said. In its nine-year history, the oldest climber was 72.

"It's all about cross training," Owczarek said. "You have to look at everything you're up

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AREA ACTIVITIES

Art show

The Grosse Pointe ART Center, 17118 Kercheval, City of Grosse Pointe, presents its "Faces & Figures" exhibit through Saturday, July 11. Amy Foster is the juror. Call (313) 881-3454.

BNI

Business Network International meets at 7 a.m. Friday, June 26, at Christ the King Lutheran Church, 20338 Mack, Grosse Pointe Woods. Call Ryan Marier at (313) 638-7526.

Blood drive

An American Red Cross blood drive is planned from 2 to 7:45 p.m. Friday, June 26, at St. Clare of Montefalco, 1401 Whittier, Grosse Pointe Park. Call (313) 408-1808 or visit redcrossblood.org.

A blood drive also is planned from 8:45 a.m. to 2:20 p.m. Sunday, June 28, at Our Lady Star of the Sea, 467 Fairford, Grosse Pointe Woods. Call (313) 886-8598 or visit redcrossblood.org.

A blood drive also is

planned from 11:30 a.m. to 5:15 p.m. Tuesday, June 30, at the Grosse Pointe Woods Community Center, 20025 Mack Plaza, Grosse Pointe Woods. Call (313) 343-2408 or visit redcrossblood.org.

Ecumenical Breakfast

The Grosse Pointe Men's Ecumenical Breakfast meets for coffee and breakfast at 8 a.m. Saturday, June 27, at the Grosse Pointe Yacht Club, 788 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Shores. Men of any faith are welcome. Call Eric Lindquist at (313) 530-8656.

Reunions

The Grosse Pointe North High School class of 1980 is having its 35th reunion Saturday, June 27, at Punch Bowl Social in Detroit. Tickets are \$50 and advance payment is appreciated. Checks, made payable to "GPN Class of 1980," should be mailed to 18530 Mack Ave., No. 304, Grosse Pointe Farms, MI 48236.

Grosse Pointe South

High School's class of 1990 celebrates its 25th reunion at 7 p.m. Saturday, July 25, at Bayview Yacht Club. The event includes music, dancing, a photo booth, cash bar, hors d'oeuvres, late-night snacks and more. Tickets are half off at \$25 per person through Tuesday, June 30. Starting Wednesday, July 1, tickets will be \$50 each. Visit eventbrite.com/e/grosse-pointe-south-class-of-1990-25th-year-reunion-tickets-15921737345 to buy tickets and for more reunion weekend details.

Dominican High School hosts its 60th class reunion Friday, Sept. 11, at Assumption Greek Orthodox Church,

21800 Marter, St. Clair Shores. Call Anna Mae (Feist) Reinhard at (313) 881-3185.

Detroit St. Thomas Apostle hosts a reunion for all graduating classes or anyone associated with the parish, from 6 to 10 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 19, at the American Polish Cultural Center, 2975 E. Maple, Troy. Cost is \$45 and includes food, music and drinks. Call Rose Ann Filar at (248) 770-1271.

Herb Society

The Herb Society of Grosse Pointe meets Thursday, July 2, at the Services for Older Citizens garden, 158 Ridge, Grosse Pointe Farms. Plan on working. Snacks and guests are welcome.

War Memorial

The Grosse Pointe War Memorial, 32 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Farms,

offers summer day trips. Thursday, July 16, visit the Huron Country Playhouse to see "Chicago (the Musical)." Cost is \$118. Monday, July 20, take a bus tour to the IHM Sisters of Monroe, the Four Star Greenhouse and a display of gardens. Cost is \$60. Monday, Aug. 3, take a trip to Cedar Point for \$80. Thursday, Oct. 1, visit Stratford Festival to see "The Sound of Music." Cost is \$165. For more information, call (313) 881-7511.

Woods Community Center

The Grosse Pointe Woods Community Center, 20025 Mack Plaza, Grosse Pointe Woods, shows the film "The Imitation Game" during its "Lunch and Movie" program Tuesday, July 21. The film stars Benedict Cumberbatch and Kiera Knightley.

Lunch is served at noon, followed by the movie. Cost is \$9 for Woods residents, \$11 for non-residents. Reservations are required by Tuesday, July 14. Call (313) 343-2408.

The community center offers a trip to MotorCity Casino Friday, July 17. Cost is \$5 for Woods residents, \$7 for non-residents, and includes round-trip transportation, time to play and \$20 in bonus play. The bus departs at 9:30 a.m. Call (313) 343-2408.

Van Elslander Cancer Center

The Van Elslander Cancer Center, 19229 Mack, Grosse Pointe Woods, offers Christian yoga at 9 a.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays. It offers Rest and Restore yoga at 5:30 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays. Costs vary; drop-in fee is \$15 per class. Call (866) 501-3627, prompt 3.

Lake House offers caregiver support

By Jody McVeigh
Community Editor

At the Wednesday, June 10, Touched by Cancer Caregivers Group meeting, three caregivers sat with a facilitator and talked about what they need from each other. Largely, the group talked about caregiver burnout and the need for caregivers to know they're not alone.

"It really shined a light on the need for the group," said Krista Bur, program coordinator at the Lake House, which hosted the support meeting. "Caregivers are by far underrepresented as far as services that are offered. Caregivers often get left out, not intentionally, but people mostly think about the person who has cancer."

Because their lives are so devoted to taking care of a sick relative or friend, caregivers often neglect themselves, which in turn causes them to get physically

sick and suffer aches and pains.

"Aside from the physical symptoms from stress, it will wear them down," Bur said, adding that anger, stress and wishing things were different also weigh down caregivers. "They get caught up in how much they love a sick person and forget about themselves. It's important to remember they need to be well, too. Being in the group reminds them they have to take care of themselves."

The Touched by Cancer Caregivers Group meets Wednesday evenings at 6 p.m. at the Lake House. It's meant for all caregivers, whether they live with or apart from the person for whom they care.

The group itself is not new. It was formed in 2011 when the Lake House opened, but it hasn't had success in the past. Then it met monthly and rotated facilitators.

Now the group was relaunched with one ded-

icated facilitator and meets weekly to better meet the needs of caregivers.

"With making it weekly and trying to promote it, the need has come to us," Bur said. "There has been a lot of interest. When we ask members for (programming) recommendations, they request support groups."

The group's facilitator is a social work student who has a bachelor's degree and is working on a master's. She has experience working with groups.

"The facilitator plans to cover a variety of topics, not just burnout," Bur said. "She'll see what people want out of the group, see what the needs are. The biggest thing right now is that they're not alone."

Apart from its support services — which include men's and women's support groups, as well as the caregiver group — the Lake House offers

wellness and social services to anyone touched by cancer, from people with the disease, to their friends, family and caregivers. Yoga, Zumba and Reiki are forms of wellness services offered, while crafts and writing groups are offered to fill social needs.

"When someone doesn't know where else to go, they come here," Bur said. "We're a comfortable place to go. Like one of our clients says, 'You can take off your wig and be yourself here.'"

Those interested in attending the caregiver support group should call the center to express their interest. Registration is not required, rather suggested, to let the facilitator know how many to expect. Even without an RSVP, drop-in clients are welcome.

The Lake House is located at 26701 Little Mack, St. Clair Shores. For more information, call (586) 777-7761.

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against. It's a challenge. It takes a lot out of you for different reasons. You have to refocus and remind yourself why you're doing it."

The group has hiked through some crazy weather — rain, snow,

muddy conditions — and while some don't always make it to the top, each of them gives it their all.

"If I can do this, I think anybody can," Adamo said.

Even before they head out for this year's climb, they're planning next year's 10th anniversary trip when they'll head to Tennessee. They're still coming up with ideas to

make it special, but they'll start recruiting before year's end.

"Every mountain has its own personality," Owczarek said. "You never know what to expect, but that's part of the thrill."

Each year the climb takes place the last Saturday in June. This year's climb is set for Saturday, June 27.

"We're always looking for new volunteers to come," Adamo said. "People are busy. There's always something going on. And fundraisers are a dime a dozen, let's be honest. But this is just so much fun."

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Author offers free eBooks to GP book clubs

By Jody McVeigh
Community Editor

Though she left Grosse Pointe several years ago, the community in which Theresa Rizzo grew up will always be close to her heart.

To date, Rizzo has based three of her four published books on her hometown.

"I really want to share Grosse Pointe with the world and through my novels I get that opportunity," she said. "For that reason, I included a 'Fact or Fiction' section in the back of each book to highlight Grosse Pointe and include personal anecdotes and links to websites."

Rizzo, who attended St. Paul School and then University Liggett School, still has family in the area. Her father, Dr. Paul Rizzo, lives in the Woods. Her mother, Marilyn Sutherland, lived in Grosse Pointe her entire life. Rizzo married her high school sweetheart, John Brooks, 32 years ago and currently they live in Boulder, Colo.

Though she's always enjoyed creative writing,



COURTESY PHOTO

Grosse Pointe Farms native Theresa Rizzo is offering digital copies of her book, "The Lives Between Us," to Grosse Pointe book club members.

Rizzo got her start after her children were born. She wrote about them in Christmas letters and discovered her family and friends got a charge out of her anecdotes. After her fourth child was born, she decided to write her first book.

"I started learning the craft and business of writing and it saved my sanity," she said. "Writing was a wonderful, creative

and intelligent outlet. It fed my soul and made me a much happier person and a better mother and wife."

Rizzo finds her inspiration in newspapers and from news in general. Once a story grabs her attention, her imagination runs wild. One such story led to the creation of her latest novel.

"In the late '80s and early '90s, embryonic stem cells were creating quite a buzz," she said. "They were hailed as potential miracle cures for all kinds of diseases and disabilities, yet pro-life supporters were outraged. The moral controversy intrigued me. I sympathized with

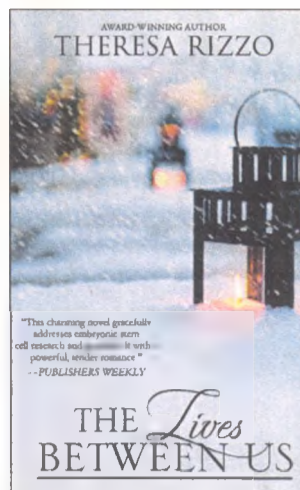
scientists and pro-life people alike, yet thought they both simplified the issue. I think it's easy to take a moral stance when one's not directly affected, but what happens to your morals when it's your child or your spouse who stands to suffer or die? That idea intrigued me and I had to write about it; hence, 'The Lives Between Us' was born."

"The Lives Between Us" is the story of a non-committal reporter who forms a close bond with a relative who then becomes gravely ill. She becomes determined to find a cure, but their only hope lies in embryonic stem cell therapy. Romance and politics round out the story, which centers on family and love.

"It's about desperate people doing what they must to save the ones they love," Rizzo said. "'The Lives Between Us' poses a universal question: How far would you go to save the one you love? Fans of Jodi Picoult, Lisa Genova and Nicholas Sparks would enjoy this book."

Though the setting involves Grosse Pointe — a place with which she's quite familiar — Rizzo received help from her connections back home for the research part of the project.

"My books involve a lot of research and even



Wednesday, July 1, and Rizzo is giving away hundreds of digital copies for review on NetGalley, Goodreads, Librarything and elsewhere. She decided she'd like to add Grosse Pointe book clubs to her list of recipients.

"So I'm happy to offer a free eBook suitable for any eReader (nook, iPad, Kindle, Kindle Fire, smart phone, etc.) to any Grosse Pointer who is a member of a book club and contacts me by July 1," she said. "Please put FREE REVIEW COPY — GP News in the (email) subject line. It's my hope that they'd be willing to write a review and post it on the book's Amazon and/or Barnes & Noble page, but it's certainly not a condition of getting the free digital book. This is my chance to give a little something back to Grosse Pointe."

Rizzo was a finalist in the Rising Star category of BTSemag's Readers Choice Red Carpet Book Awards 2014. She is a member of the Rocky Mountain Fiction Writers, Colorado Romance Writers, Crested Butte Writers, Independent Book Publishers Association and Colorado Authors' League. She has received numerous accolades and awards for her work.

She can be reached at theresarizzo.com, on Facebook, Twitter, Amazon and Goodreads.

A LA ANNIE

By Annie Rouleau-Scheriff

A taste of New England

I recently attended the 2015 Lobster Rumble in New York City where I sampled 26 different lobster rolls from Manhattan, Baltimore and St. Louis, just to name a few. As much as I enjoyed the different takes on the lobster salad that filled the rolls, I loved that most of the rolls were a traditional New England hot dog roll cut and grilled on the outside, then slit and filled with tender lobster salad.

I saw the rolls at Kroger and my wheels started turning. I created a roll of my own by tossing crabmeat with hard-boiled egg and other fresh goodies, then tucking the delicate salad into a grilled New England hot dog bun. This is my nod to the No. 1 summer favorite on the East Coast.

New England Crab Roll

Recipe makes 4

4 New England-style hot dog buns, lightly buttered on both cut sides

8 oz. crab meat, lump or back fin, from the refrigerated seafood section

2 teaspoons chopped fresh chives, plus more for garnish

2 to 3 tablespoons fresh lemon juice
2 tablespoons mayonnaise
1 teaspoon Dijon mustard
2 hard-boiled eggs, peeled and cut to a rough chop
Pinch of salt and pepper

Place the crabmeat in a medium bowl and gently break it apart with a fork. Add the lemon juice, chives, mayonnaise and mustard and toss to combine. Add the egg, season lightly with salt and pepper, then toss a bit more.

Heat a flat-bottom skillet over medium heat and toast the hot dog buns on each of the buttered sides until a deep golden brown. Gently pull the bun apart and spoon a half cup of crab salad into the bun. Sprinkle with a bit more chives and serve.

Lobster rolls are rich in flavor and carry a price tag to prove it. I made these four tasty crab rolls for around \$15.

Serve my rich and flavorful crab rolls on a hot summer day with a tall glass of just-squeezed lemonade or a glass of Chardonnay. You're going to love the buttery crunch on the outside of the bun and the soft center.



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4B | COMMUNITY

From left, Mike, Tom, Dan and Gregg Meyering — brothers from Grosse Pointe Woods — have all earned Eagle Scout status. Tom earned it this year by donating school supplies and backpacks to students in Indian Village in Detroit. The other three earned theirs in years past.

PHOTOS BY RENEE LANDUYT



From left, Tom Meyering, Jason Marek and Alex Owens earned Eagle Scout status during a June 2 ceremony at Cook School. To earn the award, Meyering collected 80 backpacks and school supplies for students through Iroquois Avenue Christ Lutheran Church in Indian Village; Marek built garden boxes for Full Circle; and Owens built bookshelves for the Dominican Literacy Center.

Beautiful Beginnings

ENGAGEMENTS

Charney – Thomas

Amanda Eleanor Charney, the daughter of Dr. George Charney of Grosse Ile and the late Kelley Haberski, is engaged to Paul Cameron Thomas, son of Dave and Lisa Evans-Thomas and grandson of James and Lucy Evans of Grosse Pointe Farms.

An August 2015 wedding is planned.

Miss Charney earned a Doctor of Veterinary Medicine degree from Michigan State University in 2012. She practices small-animal medicine in Flat Rock.

Mr. Thomas earned a Doctor of Medicine degree from Wayne State University in 2013. He is a family medicine resident at Oakwood Hospital in Dearborn.

The couple lives in

Dearborn with two dogs and two cats.

Stander – Dallaire

Jeff and Trisha Stander of Grosse Pointe Woods have announced the engagement of their daughter, Olivia Stander, to Michael Dallaire, son of Robert and Anne Dallaire of Grosse Pointe

Woods.

A September 2016 wedding is planned.

Miss Stander is a 2009 graduate of Grosse Pointe North High School, a 2013 graduate of Michigan State University with a degree in kinesiology and a 2014 graduate of University of Detroit with a degree in nursing. She is a registered nurse in the intensive care unit at Henry Ford Hospital in Detroit and the varsity girls soccer head coach at North.

Mr. Dallaire is a 2007 graduate of Grosse Pointe North, a 2010 graduate of Michigan



Paul Thomas and Amanda Charney



Michael Dallaire and Olivia Stander

State University with a degree in political science and pre-law and a 2014 graduate of Ohio

State University's Moritz College of Law. He is an attorney with Dickinson Wright in Detroit.

WEDDINGS

Summerville – Russell

Lydia Joy Summerville and Gordon Walter Russell III were married April 24, 2015, at Grosse Pointe United Methodist Church. Pastor Mark Petty officiated.

Howard and Sue Summerville of St. Clair Shores are the bride's parents. The groom's parents are Lisa and Gordon Russell Jr. of Grosse Pointe Woods.

The bride's grandmother is Helen Arntz and the groom's grandparents are Raymond

Brooks and Myrna and Gordon Russell Sr.

A reception took place at the Grosse Pointe Yacht Club.

Abigail Summerville, sister of the bride, served as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Kelly Crawford, friend of the bride; Shelby DeVlaminck, friend of the bride; Faylyn Johnson, friend of the bride; Baili Summerville, sister-in-law of the bride; Anna Everitt, sister of the bride; Katlyn Summerville, sister of the bride; Lauren Ball, sister of the bride; Renee

Summerville, sister-in-law of the bride and Holly Redlawski, friend of the bride. Kayleigh Summerville and Ashley Ball, neices of the bride, served as junior bridesmaids.

Brett William Russell, brother of the groom, served as best man. Groomsmen were Sam Saravolatz, friend of the groom; Mitchel Essian, friend of the groom; Brett Summerville, brother of the bride; Jason Everitt, brother-in-law of the bride; Grant Cress, friend of the groom; Bryan Ball, brother-in-law of the bride; Justin Summerville, brother of the bride and Eric Londo, friend of the groom.

Katherine Ball and Brianna Summerville, nieces of the bride, were flower girls. Tyler Summerville, nephew of the bride, served as ring bearer.

"Can't Help Falling in Love" was sung by Kyle Shelton and Shelby Kub.

The bride works at Grosse Pointe Dental Group. The groom is

employed by the Russell Companies.

The couple went to Kauai, Hawaii, for their honeymoon and live in Grosse Pointe Woods.

Kellett – Curtiss

Maureen Grace Kellett and William Hanford Curtiss were married June 6, 2015, at St. Paul on the Lake Catholic Church. Deacon Richard Shubik officiated.

Laura and Peter Kellett of Grosse Pointe Farms are the bride's parents. The groom's parents are William Curtiss and Marta Osterloh of Ross, Calif.

A reception took place at the Country Club of Detroit.

The bride wore a classic, natural-colored, spaghetti-strapped ballgown with a V-neck re-embroidered French lace bodice, natural waistline and low-cut back, a box-pleated silk dupioni skirt with a 3-inch bias band at the waist, pockets and a chapel-length train cov-



Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Russell III



Mr. and Mrs. William Curtiss

ered in buttons.

The bride's mother wore an ivory and floral matelasse cocktail dress. The groom's mother wore a black and white wool blend cocktail dress.

The bride's sisters, Ann Kellett of Grosse Pointe and Jane Kellett of Ferndale, and the groom's sister, Elizabeth Curtiss of Seattle, Wash., served as bridesmaids. They wore misty rose silk chiffon cocktail-length dresses.

The bride's brothers, Timothy Kellett and Michael Kellett of Grosse Pointe, and the groom's brother, William Curtiss,

served as groomsmen.

Lawrence Przybysz played organ, Paul Roache played trumpet and Margaret Roache performed a solo.

The bride graduated with high honors from the University of Michigan in 2009 and Columbia Law School as a James Kent Scholar in 2012.

The groom graduated with highest honors from Williams College in 2007 and Columbia Law School as a Harlan Fiske Stone Scholar in 2012.

The couple honeymooned in Kapalua, Hawaii, and lives in New York City.

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NEW ARRIVALS

Rob and Laci Dallaire of Murrieta, Calif., welcomed a girl, Hazel Rose Dallaire, on May 1, 2015.

Maternal grandparents are Karen and Ron Merrick of Menifee, Calif. Paternal grandparents are Anne and Bob Dallaire of Grosse Pointe Woods. Great-grandfather is Dewey Dallaire of Harper Woods.

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Greenfield Village hosts DSO

Artists awarded

The Detroit Symphony Orchestra returns to Greenfield Village at The Henry Ford for its 23rd annual Salute to America concerts.

Four nights of performances led by DSO's Assistant Conductor Michelle Merrill take place on the lawn at Dearborn's historic Greenfield Village Wednesday, July 1, through Saturday, July 4. Gates open at 6 p.m. and concerts start at 8 p.m. Attendees are encouraged to bring blankets, lawn chairs and picnic fare.

The First Michigan Colonial Fife and Drum Corps parade

the concert grounds at 6:45 p.m., followed by a prelude concert featuring the U.S. Army Field Band at 7:30 p.m. The U.S. Army Field Band's Concert Band and Soldiers' Chorus joins the DSO during the program, which features music from family films, "The Incredibles," "Star Wars," "Superman" and more.

The main performance includes "The Star-Spangled Banner," an Armed Forces salute and other patriotic favorites. Cannons will accompany Tchaikovsky's "1812 Overture," followed

by a finale of fireworks.

This year's Salute to America concerts are dedicated in memory of Don and Gloria Schults, who were regular patrons of the DSO and Greenfield Village. Before they died, they named the DSO as one of several beneficiaries of their estate.

Tickets for Salute to America range from \$13.25 to \$75 and may be purchased by calling (313) 982-6001 or visiting thehenryford.com/salute. Group rates also are available by calling DeRon Wilson at (313) 576-5130.



COURTESY PHOTO

The Detroit Symphony Orchestra takes the stage at Greenfield Village Wednesday, July 1, through Saturday, July 4.

The Grosse Pointe ART Center's "Faces and Figures" exhibit, which runs through Saturday, July 11, features the work of several artists. The show was juried by Amy Foster.

Best of Show honors went to Dan Methric. Judy Munro placed second and Janey Kondziela placed third. Honorable mentions were awarded to Mary Aro, Uliana Blacklock, Jerry Thomas and Maryellen Walker.

The Grosse Pointe ART Center is located at 17118 Kercheval, City of Grosse Pointe. Hours are Tuesday through Saturday, noon to 6 p.m. Call (313) 881-3454 or visit grossepointeartcenter.org.

Mariners Inn hosts exhibit

Mariners Inn hosts a reception for "The Art of Transformation: A Celebration of Creativity in Recovery," from 6 to 8 p.m. at the Boll Family YMCA, 1401 Broadway, Detroit.

The exhibit is free and open to the public the month of July.

The exhibit features work by residents and alumni of Mariners Inn.

The nonprofit Mariners

Inn is dedicated to helping homeless men who want to be free of addiction and live a life of dignity and purpose. Services include residential substance abuse treatment, transitional housing, family counseling, alumni support, literacy, GED, computer classes, vocational training, peer support services and permanent housing assistance.

The Mariners Inn Art Therapy program aims to use creative arts as a mechanism for healing. The men involved in the art therapy program are given the tools to produce paintings, drawings, sculptures and more. A trained art therapist works with them individually and in groups to help them express themselves through their work and

to talk with them about their emotions and concerns. Open studio hours are available for men who wish to work on their artwork for longer periods of time.

Art will be available for purchase, with proceeds benefiting Mariners Inn programming and the artists. For more information, visit marinersinn.org.

Rochester: Spend a day in the city

Anxious to get out in the summer sun and enjoy a day of shopping, food and outdoor fun? Rochester is the place to go.

The variety of activities available in Rochester is sure to entertain every member of the family.

Family entertainment is on tap this summer, with the 14th season of "Movies in the

Moonlight," which kicked off June 13. Movies, shown in the parking lot at East Third and Water streets, are planned at 8:30 p.m. Saturdays, July 11, July 25 and Aug. 8.

That same parking lot hosts a farmers market from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturdays, through Oct. 31. In its 16th season, the farmers market features

fresh produce, flowers and other products exclusive to Michigan.

Two more dates are on tap this summer for the city's Mini Market Thursdays, from 4 to 7 p.m. July 16 and Aug. 20 at Rochester Lions Park. Vendors sell fresh produce, flowers, specialty foods, crafts and gifts. The markets also include live entertainment, chil-

dren's activities, fly fishing demonstrations and more.

Apart from these seasonal offerings, Rochester offers quaint shopping, a variety of restaurants and other businesses sure to catch the eye of visitors near and far. And that's not to mention its outdoor attractions.

Rochester boasts trail systems and waterways, parks and parades, historic buildings and more.

Three waterways — Stony Creek, Paint Creek and the Clinton River — surround the

city, which is dotted with three parks and two trails. Its Municipal Park includes two tot lots, volleyball and tennis courts, picnic structures and more. Rotary Park is nestled into the busy downtown business strip on Olde Towne Road. Rochester Lions Park features a gazebo and paved stage with amphitheater-style seating and is located near the Royal Park Hotel. All three offer a break from the bustle of life in a lush, green setting.

For more outdoors adventure, take a walk,

ride a bike or jog the paths of the Paint Creek Trail and Clinton River Trail. They connect to several parks, including Bloomer Park, Rochester Municipal Park, Stony Creek Metropark and the Dinosaur Nature Preserve.

From history and entertainment to dining and communing with nature, Rochester offers a variety of fun for the entire family.

Information compiled from rrc-mi.com and downtownrochestermi.com.

6B | CHURCHES

PASTOR'S CORNER By the Rev. Alexander Riegel

Poetry in motion

"If God invited you to a party and said, 'Everyone in the ballroom tonight will be my special guest,'
How would you then treat them when you arrived?
Indeed, indeed!
And Hafez knows there is no one in this world that is not upon
God's jeweled dance floor."

Hafez was a 14th century Persian mystic poet. In this poem he poses a question which, I believe, serves as both a reminder and a litmus test regarding the spiritual life. Specifically, he reminds us that we are all God's creation: "there is no one in this world that is not upon God's jeweled dance floor." That is, despite what frivolities the mind engenders to divide us — race, gender, socioeconomic class, sexual orientation — the truth is that we all belong to the One. This is what we are to remember.

The litmus test, given the above, is how we act on this knowledge. In other words, how we conduct ourselves relative to one another ought to reflect the fact we all belong to the One. Thus Hafez asks, "If God invited you to a party and said, 'Everyone in the ballroom tonight will be my special

guest,' how would you then treat them when you arrived?" Hafez assumes we know the answer, so he continues, without waiting for a response, "Indeed, indeed!" His assumed answer, I presume, is "with love."

In this poem then, Hafez sums up the essence of a meaningful spiritual life. In the first place, we are supposed to remember we are all God's children. In the second place, we are to treat each other accordingly, with the same love with which God loves us. As a friend of mine once said, agape is not merely a nice idea; agape is our ethical marching order.

In Christian terminology this lesson can be summed up in the words of Jesus, by which he meant exactly what Hafez conveyed in his poem: "Love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your strength and with all your mind — and love your neighbor as yourself."

What a world that would be. Come, let us dance — together — on God's jeweled dance floor!

Riegel is the minister at Grosse Pointe Unitarian Church, 17150 Maumee, City of Grosse Pointe.

Students honored

On Sunday, June 7, Grosse Pointe Congregational Church honored its high school graduates, Noah Morris, Casey Mazza and Kaitlin Baetz. Each student was presented a scarf by Lori Zurvalec, representing the Knit Wits group, to remind them of their home church. Also, scholarships were presented by Steward of Outreach Diane Strickler. Pictured from left are Zurvalec, Morris, Mazza, Baetz and Strickler.



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CHURCH EVENTS

St. Paul

St. Paul on the Lake, 157 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Farms, hosts a reception in honor of Deacon Rich, thanking him for 20 years of service, following the 10

a.m. and noon Masses Sunday, June 28. Call (313) 885-8855.

St. Ambrose

St. Ambrose Parish, 15020 Hampton, Grosse Pointe

Park, offers "Dinner, Drinks and Dogma" at 7 p.m. the first Wednesday of each month at Antonio's Restaurant in the Park. The event allows ages 21 to 39 a chance to share their Catholic faith in a casual setting. The next meeting takes place Wednesday, July 1. Non-members are invited. Call (313) 882-2814.

ASK THE EXPERTS By Jill Gafner

Share the caregiving responsibilities



Q: As a full-time working mother of busy teenagers and caregiver to my aging parents, I am often exhausted and overwhelmed. I would like to make some changes for the summer and enlist my kids to take on some of the responsibilities with my parents, but I'm not sure how to go about it. Please help.

A: I completely understand and empathize with your situation. You don't want the tasks to be a burden on your teens; rather you prefer they willingly offer to spend time with their grandparents. First off, please realize your family has been witnesses to your schedule and stress level for a while; even the best caregivers show signs of overload.

A good start would be to have a simple meeting and ask for help. Mothers and caregivers often attempt to "do it all," but the truth is, we'd be better off asking for help — so ask. Let them know you "need" them. People at all ages want to be needed.

Assign tasks they might enjoy and maybe brainstorm with them for ideas — even simple things — errands, baking, going to lunch or a movie, household chores, etc. But also understand that they will need and want some summer fun time with their friends. If their grandparents are up for it, sometimes bringing friends along will boost spirits and make it fun for all. In my case, my husband, who suffered from dementia at an early age, always liked to be surrounded by our kids' friends.

Above all, try to make it enjoyable and regularly acknowledge their efforts. Remind them they are part of your family "team." Kids like teams. Reward them with positive reinforcement and remember they will benefit from and enjoy seeing the less-stressed side of mom.

Jill LaFaive Gafner is the owner of Global Training Experts in Macomb Township. She is profi-

cient in Alzheimer's and dementia care, process control, behavior modification, sales performance criteria and quality control. Gafner is a certified dementia practitioner and certified Alzheimer's disease and dementia care trainer, receiving her credentials through the International/National Council of Certified Dementia Practitioners. In 2006 she authored "Personal Positioning for the Caregiver," a motivational guide for caregivers on staying mentally healthy while caring for their patients. Her message has been promoted on a national level through radio, television and online support sites. Global Training Experts is a member of The Family Center's Association of Professionals. Gafner can be reached at jillgafner@globaltrainingexperts.com or (586) 419-6073.

Read more Ask the Experts articles on a variety of topics online at familycenterweb.org.

The Family Center serves as the community's hub for information, resources and referral for families, individuals and professionals. Its mission is to serve the community through programs and resources vital to today's families.

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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.

Gerry Donnelly

Gerry Donnelly, 67, a resident of Grosse Pointe Farms and Delray Beach, Fla., passed away peacefully Saturday, June 13, 2015, in Florida.

Born in Boston, he graduated from The College of the Holy Cross in Worcester, Mass., and earned a Master of Business Administration degree from Boston College in Chestnut Hill, Mass.

He was an executive with Ford Motor Co., holding numerous positions in sales and marketing for 31 years. His last assignments were national advertising manager and field operations manager for Ford Division.

Gerry was a gentleman and a source of inspiration for those who knew him: a leader and a role model. He cherished time with his family and friends, had tremendous faith, cared deeply about education and was a champion for organ donation. He worked with the National Kidney Foundation of Michigan chairing its "Kidney Walk" at The Detroit Zoo and served on a development board at Henry Ford Hospital. In 2001, he was the recipient of "The Champion of Hope" award in Detroit.

Gerry was an avid reader, loved golf, rock-and-roll music and was passionate about his beloved Boston Red Sox and New England Patriots. He was a member of the Country Club of Detroit, Gulf Stream Golf Club, Gulf Stream Bath & Tennis Club in Florida and Wianno Club in Osterville, Mass.

Gerry will be remembered most for his strength of character, courage, positive attitude and sense of humor.

Gerry is survived by his spouse, Ginna Ives Donnelly; sons, William B. Donnelly and Andrew G. Donnelly and grandchildren, Jack, Katherine and Grace.

He also is survived by his brother, William H. Donnelly and sister, Jane D. Stirling.

A memorial Mass will be celebrated at noon Tuesday, June 30, at St. Paul on the Lake Catholic Church, 157 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Farms.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to The New England Organ Bank, 60 First Ave., Waltham, MA 02451.

James Duncan Farley

James Duncan Farley died peacefully Friday, June 19, 2015, at home in Hobe Sound, Fla., after a progressive decline in health.

Mr. Farley had several Grosse Pointe connections: He was the surviving husband of Mary Kay Tracy Farley and son-in-law of Frances and Emmet Tracy, all former Grosse Pointe residents. He started visiting here in his teens to play golf with his cousin, the Hon. Neil E. Fitzgerald, now deceased. More than a decade later he met his wife in Grosse Pointe at the wedding of another cousin. His son, James D. Farley Jr., over the last decade has held several executive positions at Ford Motor Co., including worldwide head of marketing and director of the Lincoln Division. He currently is president of Ford of Europe.

Mr. Farley was born June 24, 1926, to Alice Duncan Farley and Donald Stephen Farley in Chicago. The eldest of six children, he was raised in Madison, Wis., where he graduated from Edgewood High School. In 1944, he entered the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy. He earned an associate's degree and was commissioned into the U.S. Navy where he served in World War II and the Korean War as a naval navigator. He graduated from Georgetown University in 1950 with a Bachelor of Science degree in foreign service. At Georgetown, he was a member of the golf team, igniting a lifelong passion for golf.

In 1950, Mr. Farley was hired as a trainee at the First National City Bank in Buenos Aires, Argentina. He spent 15 years in Argentina rising to the level of branch manager and country head. The bulk of his 40-year career at Citibank was spent in New York City where he retired in 1991, as a vice chairman. During his career, he was involved with the Mercantile Bank of Canada in Montreal, Canada, the New York State branches and the Merchant Bank. He was the head of Citibank corporate banking in Central and South America. He was the consummate New York City banker in banking's heyday.

In 1960, he married Mary Kay Tracy in Grosse Pointe. The Farleys raised their children in Greenwich, Conn. Mr. Farley's civic involvement included being president of the Round Hill Club. He served as the financial advisor for the Greenwich Association for Retarded Citizens and the Dioceses of Bridgeport. He served as a trustee of International House, Manhattan College, Georgetown University and the Anderson School of Business at UCLA. He was a Knight of Malta and served as chairman of the board of directors of the John A. Hartford Foundation. His association with this foundation made him a passionate advocate for elder care.

In 1976, Mr. Farley acquired a summer cottage on Harbor Point, which provided his family an anchor in the Midwest. After retirement he maintained this home as well as residences in Hobe Sound, Fla., and Pebble Beach, Calif. In 1996, he and his wife established the Farley Fund to support their philanthropic efforts.

Mr. Farley was a member of the Cypress Point Club, the Los Angeles Country Club, The Lyford Cay Club, Everglades Club, Little Harbor Club and Question Club. He was a founding member of the Loblolly Pines Golf Club and a director of the Wequetonsing Golf Club and the University Club of New York.

He was predeceased by his wife, Mary Kay Farley, a year ago, after 54 years of marriage. He is survived by his children, Frances A. Farley M.D. (Darryl J. Snabes), James D. Farley, Jr. (Cornelia Connor Farley), Kathryn T. Farley, PhD and Andrew E. Farley; grandchildren, Anne C. Snabes, Patrick J. Snabes, D. Stephen Snabes, Grace M. Farley, James D. Farley III and Lillian C. Farley; siblings, D. Stephen Farley (Georgia B. Farley), Ann F. Schemel, Barbara F. Main and E. Phillip Farley (Chidie C. Farley); in-laws, Emmet E. Tracy Jr. (Marilyn), David S. Summers, Erma Jean Tracy and Mary Ann Farley and 34 nieces and nephews.

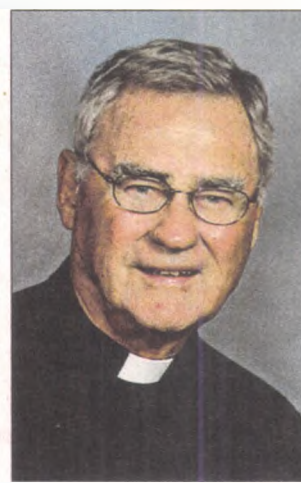
A funeral Mass will be celebrated at 11 a.m. Saturday, June 27, at Holy Childhood Catholic Church, 150 Main Street, Harbor Springs.



Gerry Donnelly



James Duncan Farley



The Rev. Joseph J. Padelt

Visitation begins at 10 a.m. at the church.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Holy Childhood Church, 150 Main Street, Harbor Springs, MI 49740; Georgetown University at giving.georgetown.edu.; or Highland Cottage Hospice, One Hiland Drive, Petoskey, MI 49770.

Share a memory at stonefuneralhomeinc.com.

The Rev. Joseph J. Padelt

The Rev. Joseph J. Padelt, 89, passed away Sunday, June 14, 2015, in Chatham, Ontario, Canada.

Born in Detroit to Adolph and Anna (nee Euteneuer) Padelt, he served in the U.S. Navy during World War II; graduated from the University of Detroit in 1950 and worked in his family's wholesale business at Eastern Market. He attended St. Peter's Seminary in London, Ontario, Canada and was ordained May 28, 1960, at age 34. He celebrated his first Mass at his home parish, Our Lady Star of the Sea, Grosse Pointe Woods.

Rev. Padelt served several churches in Ontario. He was an associate pastor at Holy Cross Parish in London, Immaculate Conception Parish in Stratford and Sacred Heart Parish in Windsor. He was pastor of St. Benedict's Parish in Sarnia for 11 years and Blessed Sacrament Parish in Chatham for 16 years.

He lived in Chatham upon his retirement and recently celebrated 55 years as a priest in the London diocese.

Rev. Padelt is survived by his nieces, Mary Anne Burke (Pat), Caroline Wooten (Adam), Suzanne Daudlin (Steve), Gabriella Turner (Roger), Lisa Cloutier (Mark) and Krista Thompson (Scott) and nephews, Jerome Schulte (Heather), Frank Schulte (Betsy), Bill Gigante (Leslie), Peter Gigante (Joanna) and Karl Gigante (Teresa).

He was predeceased by his sisters, Mary

Peacock (Henry), Anna Schulte (Jerome) and Gabriella Gigante (William) and niece, Monica Schulte Denktas.

A funeral Mass was celebrated June 22 at Blessed Sacrament in Chatham.

Donations may be made to The Capuchin Soup Kitchen, Attn: Development Office, 1820 Mt. Elliott, Detroit, MI 48207 or at cskdetroit.org/help-us-serve.

Margaret D. Wormet

Grosse Pointe Farms resident Margaret D. "Margot" Wormet, 90, died Sunday, June 21, 2015, at St. John Hospital and Medical Center in Detroit.

She was born May 16, 1925, in Cleveland, to Hugh Earl Downing and Sarah Katherine McGregor. She was valedictorian of the 1943 graduating class from Grosse Pointe High School and graduated from Wellesley College in 1947.

Mrs. Wormet worked for The Detroit News as an assistant editor and society writer. She enjoyed swimming, tennis, golf and ice skating.

Most of all, she enjoyed socializing with her family and friends.

She was a member of the Grosse Pointe Club and Country Club of Detroit.

Mrs. Wormet is survived by her son, Arthur T. Wormet (LuAn); grandchildren, Elizabeth Krech (William) and Alexandra Wormet and brother-in-law, Thomas Jones.

She was predeceased by her husband, H. Arthur Wormet and sister, Mary Jones.

A private funeral service will be held at a later date.

Donations may be made to Grosse Pointe Memorial Church, 16 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Farms, MI 48236 or St. John Hospital Foundation, Attn: Beth Carter, 22101 Moross Road, Suite 102, Detroit, MI 48236.

Mary Ann Schmitt

Grosse Pointe Farms resident Mary Ann Schmitt, 86, passed away peacefully Wednesday, June 17, 2015.

She was born Sept. 27, 1928, in Grosse Pointe Farms, to Alonzo and Adelaide Backman, and graduated from St. Paul High School in Grosse Pointe Farms. She worked at the Grosse Pointe Academy and Jacobson's.

Mrs. Schmitt enjoyed cooking and sewing. She was family-oriented and loved spending time with her grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Schmitt is survived by her children, Joanne B. Christian (Kenneth), Joseph E. Schmitt III (Susan) and Robert A. Schmitt (Catherine); eight grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren. She also is survived by her sisters, Dolores Eastman and Beth Stus (Thomas) and brothers, Thomas Backman (Eula) and Robert Backman (Betty).

She was predeceased by her husband, Joseph E. Schmitt Jr.

A memorial Mass was celebrated June 23 at St. Paul on the Lake Catholic Church, Grosse Pointe Farms.

Donations may be made to the St. Paul on the Lake Catholic Church, 157 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Farms, MI 48236; ALS of Michigan, 24359 Northwestern Highway, No. 100, Southfield, MI 48075; or Henry Ford Hospice, 26900 Franklin Road, Southfield, MI 48034.

Share a memory at verheyden.org.



Mary Ann Schmitt

Diagnosing and treating IBS

By Michelle Crowder
Naturopathic Doctor

Digestive disorders such as irritable bowel syndrome are very common. Treating IBS from an integrative approach that incorporates conventional medical care, nutrition and mind-body techniques is often beneficial.

IBS is associated with abdominal gas, bloating, cramping, diarrhea and constipation. A diagnosis of IBS usually indicates your physician has ruled out symptoms caused by more concerning prob-

lems such as an infection or inflammatory diseases like Crohn's.

IBS is more of a symptom than a diagnosis. As a naturopathic doctor I want to know why you are having symptoms. Many people with IBS do not digest certain foods well causing intestinal bacteria to consume carbohydrates in the food, which leads to gas, bloating and pain. Undigested food also causes water to enter the intestinal cavity causing loose, watery stool.

Stress can be a major trigger, so therapies to help manage stress are

encouraged. These may include yoga and meditation, acupuncture, massage and guided imagery. Chewing food well and eating slowly in a relaxed setting promotes optimal digestion. Adding fiber and probiotics to your diet also helps.

Some people benefit from identifying and eliminating food sensitivities. Tests for lactose intolerance and celiac disease are usually done as part of the evaluation for IBS, but eliminating common food triggers for a period of time is also helpful. Naturopathic

doctors at Beaumont can help identify which foods to eliminate and how to re-introduce them later. For more information, visit www.beaumont.edu/integrative-medicine.

Beaumont Community Health Coalition-Grosse Pointe's mission is to enable the entire community to reach its potential by preventing disease and promoting wellness through prevention education and developing solutions for positive health based on the Beaumont Community Needs Assessment.



PHOTO COURTESY OF SUZY BERSCHBACK

Visitors to Beaumont Hospital, Grosse Pointe, were treated to a rooftop concert by Noteworthy, an a cappella jazz ensemble, Tuesday, June 9. The concert was the first in its "The Art of Healing" series planned at the hospital. The Star String Trio performs Tuesday, July 14, and the Detroit Medical Orchestra String Trio performs Tuesday, Aug. 11. The concerts take place from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. at Beaumont's rooftop healing garden labyrinth on the second floor, 468 Cadieux, City of Grosse Pointe. Light refreshments follow. Call (313) 473-1000.



Moments in time

Member of the Vernier family donates photos, other items

The Grosse Pointe Historical Society on Wednesday, May 27, received a letter and several items donated from Howard R. Vernier of St. Clair. Among them were two photographs and two tintype photographs, the Vernier and Tremblay family charts, a copy of an 1897 map of the families' adjacent ribbon farms, a handbill and gold nuggets passed down from his great-grandfather Andrew Vernier. The following is the letter, in part, describing the items and a bit of Vernier's family history.



A tintype photo of Frank Vernier and Minnie Licht around the time they were married in August 1895.

about the time they were married in August 1895.

The other tintype is of my father, Sylvester James Vernier, when he was about 2 years old in 1899. He was born February 1897. I'm really guessing at his age here.

The large class picture was taken at the old Vernier School. My dad, Sylvester Vernier, is in the second row from the top, fifth from the left. He has a dark shirt with three buttons showing. I'm guessing at his age here to be 7 or 8 years in 1904 or 1905.

My grandmother said that when she was a young woman she had worked at the Vernier Roadhouse and Hotel on Vernier Road and Lakeshore. For a while she had also worked for Mrs. Buick. Mrs. Buick had given my grand-

mother a large, beautiful Oriental vase, which, unfortunately, I no longer have.

Grandfather on his mother Ann Tremblay's side had a cousin, Hatti Tremblay, who married George Chene of the Chene family, after whom Chene Street in Detroit was named. They had a nice home on Howard and Kercheval.



PHOTOS COURTESY OF HOWARD VERNIER

Above and below, the early days of Grosse Pointe Farms.

My parents told me that before I was born, Hatti and George had showed them the land

grant for the Chene property signed by King Louis XIV.

Dad used to talk about going ice boating on Lake St. Clair in the winter.

Grandma told me that her in-laws, Andrew Vernier and Ann Tremblay, told her of Indians living around them.

The handbill was given to me by my grandfather. He said it was given to him by the teacher at the old Vernier School.

— Howard Vernier of St. Clair

My grandfather was Louis Francis (Frank) Vernier and my grandmother was Wilhelmina (Minnie) Licht. Their farms were adjacent. Both the Vernier and Licht farms were sold

about 1907.

Two of the photos are scenes from the early days of Grosse Pointe Farms. The one tintype is of my grandfather, Frank Vernier, and grandmother, Minnie Licht,



I remember when ...

Jim Barker has a lot of fond memories growing up in Grosse Pointe.

Born in 1932 at Cottage Hospital, Barker lived with his family on Fisher Road. He still owns the property though the house is no longer lived in.

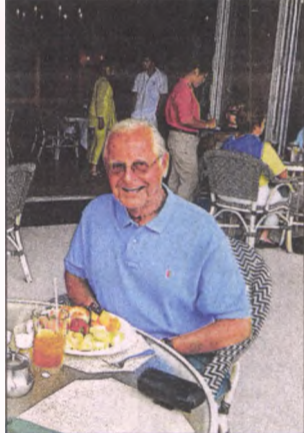
"Back in the '30s and '40s, the properties along Fisher Road were basically older homes," he said. "Today it's all commercial property. When my mom and dad moved to Florida, I converted the residential property to commercial property."

It is now Dave's Barbershop and a ladies salon.

"It's an interesting piece of property. It was part of Rivard Farm," he said.

Barker has fond memories from childhood, attending Grosse Pointe High School, then Michigan State University. A widower, he has three children and two stepchildren, as well as five grandchildren. A former resident of McMillan Road, he recently moved to Lakeshore Village in St. Clair Shores after his second wife died.

Barker has appeared in



Jim Barker spent most of his life in Grosse Pointe and has many fond memories of playing football and tennis.

the Grosse Pointe News four times during the years — once with his sister at a tennis tournament at the Neighborhood Club in 1943, once during a Tuxis Club performance at Grosse Pointe High School in 1949 where he pantomimed Bing Crosby, once when he scored a touchdown against Monroe in 1949 and again when he was in the U.S. Air Force.

His favorite memories of growing up in Grosse Pointe include, "Saturday afternoon football games, playing tennis on the Grosse Pointe High School tennis team and



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Jim Barker performed in a variety show presented by the Tuxis Club at Grosse Pointe High School in 1949. He parodied Bing Crosby in the show.

being a runner-up for the state (tennis) title in 1948."

His favorite part of the Pointes though isn't the football field or his old family home.

"My favorite part of the area definitely has to be

the parks the Grosse Pointe system has for all the communities," Barker said. "It's fantastic. Nowhere in the United States will you find such wonderful facilities for families ... It's like a private, exclusive club."

Pointes in history


From the Thursday, June 27, 1957, Grosse Pointe News:

◆ Park directors in the Pointe's five municipal parks are preparing their facilities to handle the anticipated record smashing attendance at the recreational area on the 4th of July. It is estimated that if the weather is fair, one in every three Pointers will visit one of the community's five parks. Already this year, single day attendance records have been broken in all the Pointes.

◆ A woodpecker's attempt to "destroy" a Park home was ended by Park police on Monday, June 24. Every morning without fail, "Woody the Woodpecker" would arrive at the home of John Heil, 727 Harcourt, and at exactly 4:45 a.m., would arouse the household with his pecking keeping this up for a good half hour. On Friday, June 21, Heil came to the police station to complain of his feathery "alarm clock." A written order had to be obtained so that the bird could be destroyed because woodpeckers are protected by law. Patrolman Don DelPlace was assigned the task of "executing" the bird.

◆ A record crowd attended the 46th Annual Grosse Pointe Horse Show at the Hunt Club over the weekend. Good weather and an interesting entry of some 300 horses made the show an outstanding event. Blue ribbons won by Grosse Pointers were in the Junior Division only.


◆ The Glorious Fourth of July will be a family day at Grosse Pointe Yacht Club, with all afternoon activities planned for the children's pleasure. The gigantic fireworks display in the evening will be for all members of the family, in traditional fashion. A Children's Circus will highlight the hours of 1 to 4 p.m., with pony rides in an enclosure on the club grounds. Circulating about the lawns will be the ever-popular costumed clowns, "Nosey, the Cop Clown," and Eddie Yurich, whose buffoon specialty is deft accordion-playing.



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BASEBALL

Champions

Two local youth diamond teams win tournaments PAGE 2C

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ICE HOCKEY

Pointers enjoy golden opportunity

This summer three of Grosse Pointe's best youth hockey players have been selected to play in the prestigious Brick Invitational Hockey Tournament June 29 to July 5 in Edmonton, Alberta, Canada.

Chase Mazey of Grosse Pointe Shores, Jackson Wade of Grosse Pointe Farms and Stevie Wheatley of Grosse Pointe Shores were cho-

sen for the Detroit Jr. Wings roster, along with other 10 and under age group select hockey players from around Michigan, Canada and even one player from Florida.

The Brick Super Novice Invitational is recognized as Canada and North America's foremost youth hockey tournament and its impact is recognized as a begin-



PHOTOS COURTESY OF STEVE WHEATLEY

Grosse Pointe Farms' Jackson Wade is ready to play well for the Detroit Jr. Wings.



Grosse Pointe Shores' Stevie Wheatley battles for a loose puck during a recent tournament game in Toronto.



Grosse Pointe Shores's Chase Mazey worked hard to earn a spot on the Detroit Jr. Wings.

ning stage for many young players who have successfully grown into great college, junior and NHL players.

To name just a few, NHL players Jonathan Toews, Steven Stamkos, P.K. Subban, along with Detroit Red Wings Darren Helm and Drew Miller, played in the tournament. More locally, Grosse Pointe Woods native and current

University of Michigan defenseman, Zach Werenski, also got his start playing at the Brick.

Select teams from all over North America, including Toronto, Montreal, Boston, Minnesota, Vancouver, California, Chicago, Winnipeg, Saskatchewan, Pennsylvania, Connecticut and Alberta fill out a 14-team field,

which allows many players and their parents a first opportunity to compete in an elite international environment.

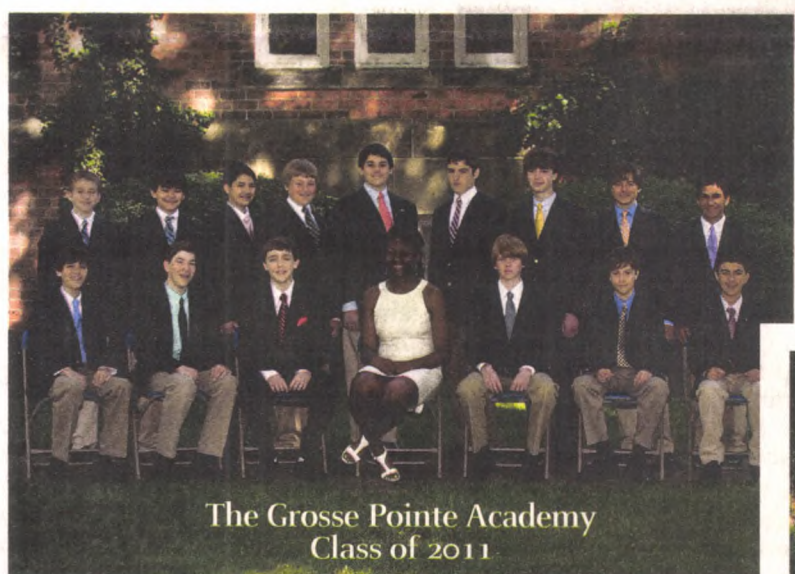
The Brick tournament takes place at the West Edmonton Mall Ice Palace and is the tourna-

ment's 25th year anniversary.

The Little Caesars AAA Hockey Organization has sent teams from the Metro Detroit Area for many years and it's easy

to see why. The tournament is the organization's 25th year anniversary.

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The Grosse Pointe Academy Class of 2011

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The Grosse Pointe Academy Class of 2015

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Graduates from The Grosse Pointe Academy Class of 2015 will be attending the following high schools:

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BASEBALL



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Tourney winner

The Little Caesars 12U baseball team won the Stars and Stripes tournament held at Kyte Monroe in St. Clair Shores during Memorial Day weekend. The team won each of its four games, beating the Sterling Titans, Detroit Lightning and Mid-Michigan Lumbermen. The boys defeated the Lightning in the title game. Pictured above front row from left are, Oscar McWood, Justin Maccagnone, Jacob Harris and Patrick Hopper; middle row from left, coach Alan Harris, William White, Jacob Butkus, Nate Stiyyer, James Armstrong, Christopher Scupholm, Michael Murphy, Nick VanDeBrink and Bennet Smihal; and back row from left, coach Ralph Butkus, Harry Crane Sr., Harry Crane Jr., coach Tom Scupholm and Art McWood.

HOCKEY: Tourney begins

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to see why the Brick is so highly regarded.

Mazey (defense), Wade (defense) and Wheatley (forward) joined a roster of talented Squirt/Atom Major level age hockey players from mostly AAA and local hockey associations throughout Michigan.

Also eligible to be included in the roster are three out of district players chosen from Canada

and Florida. The head coach of the Detroit Jr. Wings is Little Caesars AAA coach Marco Trevino and his assistants are Mark Sakala and Ruben Rumbaut.

The other players on the team are Easton Andrews, Matthew Mania, Andrew Gibson, Zach Schulz, Landon Bernard, Connor Haynes, Luke Sakala, Jacob Terpstra, Trey Augustine, Brandon Hilton, Mitchell King and Zach Homer.

Mazey began his hockey career playing mini-mite and mite hockey locally for the St. Clair Shores Hockey Association, while Wade

and Wheatley both started on the east side at the Grosse Pointe Hockey Association.

After the Detroit Jr. Wings roster was selected in late March, the team began preparing for the Brick tournament by participating in a rigorous spring practice schedule and competing in four high-profile elite tournaments in April and May in Toronto.

The team has been tested by a tournament field in each of these tournaments, which was comprised of several other Brick teams from around North America also preparing for the June trip to Edmonton.

"The boys and their families will enjoy what is much more than the usual weekend tournament since the Brick is a week-long event (seven days)," parent Steve Wheatley said.

The tournament is a round robin format and the championship game will be played at 12:30 p.m. Sunday July 5.

Not only does the tournament provide great hockey but also a number of off-ice activities including the Brick Tournament Beach party at the Water Park and a skills competition.

The tournament is hyped similar to the Little League World Series in the United States.



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Tourney champs

The Lakeside Baseball Club 11U team won the Derek Kaufman Memorial Wood Bat Tournament in St. Clair the weekend of May 22. The boys won each of the five games they played. Team members pictured above are Luke Babcock, Ben Bania, Kurt Barr, Cameron Braithwaite, Bryan Carney, Luke Deskins, Alex George, Chris Marshall, James MacAuley, Parker O'Neill, Michael Paluzzi, Jake Tedesco and Daniel Vogler. The team is managed by Bill Babcock and assistant coaches are Les Deskins, Marty O'Neill, Curt Marshall and Joe Paluzzi.

BASEBALL

Time to register for college showcase

Grosse Pointe sponsors the 18th annual Michigan High School Baseball Showcase Wednesday, Aug. 5, and Thursday, Aug. 6, at Grosse Pointe North and Grosse Pointe South high schools.

This is an opportunity for Michigan's top high school players, who have the desire and ability to play at the next level, to showcase their skills in front of Midwest college coaches and professional scouts.

Profits go to the Grosse Pointe Redbirds amateur baseball teams.

The format includes a skills competition working on infield, outfield, pitching, catching, running and throwing.

Each participant is scheduled a time either day at 8 a.m. or 9:30 a.m. and needs to arrive 30 minutes prior to the assigned time.

The 156 players will be divided into 12 teams comprised of 13 people led by high school coaches for two nine-

inning games. Game times are 11 a.m., 1:30 p.m. and 4 p.m.

Uniform pick-up is Tuesday, Aug. 4, between 5 and 8 p.m. at North and a player or parent must be present to receive the uniform. Jerseys are provided and each player must bring their own white or gray baseball pants, socks, catching equipment, helmet and bat.

There is a picnic at 7 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 5, at North following the last game of the day. Beverages and snacks will be available for purchase at both fields during games.

A program book also will be available with each players' profile.

North is located at 707 Vernier, Grosse Pointe Woods, and South is at 11 Grosse Pointe Boulevard, Grosse Pointe Farms.

The cost is \$250 with a signed waiver and the registration deadline is July 15. An early bird discount of \$225 applies to online applications if

received before June 30.

Coaches attending are from Adrian, Albion, Alma, Amherst, Aquinas, Ball State, Bowling Green, Calvin, Central Michigan, Concordia, Eastern Michigan, Glen Oaks, Grand Valley, Heidelberg, Henry Ford, Hillsdale, Hope, Illinois State, Indiana, Indiana Purdue at Fort Wayne, Kalamazoo, Kellogg, Kishwaukee, Macomb, Madonna, Michigan State, North Park, Northwestern, Oakland, Ohio Northern, Olivet, Rochester, Saginaw Valley, Siena Heights, Southern Illinois, Spring Arbor, St. Clair, St. Mary's, Taylor, Cincinnati, Dayton, Detroit, Michigan, Toledo, Valparaiso, Villanova, Wayne State, Western Michigan and West Virginia.

For further information, contact Lorna at (313) 590-5607 or Jonathan at (313) 363-0597 or visit mishowcase2015@gmail.com.

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A vacancy on the Grosse Pointe Public Library Board of Trustees exists for the office of the trustee representing the Grosse Pointe Shores portion of the Grosse Pointe School District. The position is for a term that will expire on June 30, 2016. The applicant must reside in the represented municipality and be a registered voter. Board meetings are held on the fourth Thursday of the month.

Applications are available at the Central Library Administrative Office (313-343-2325), 10 Kercheval, Grosse Pointe Farms, Michigan, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday-Friday, as well as on the Library Web site (www.gp.lib.mi.us)

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BASKETBALL

Register for camp

Macomb Community College hosts its 23rd annual Metro D Basketball Camp the weeks of July 13 through July 24.

The boys run July 13 to 17 and the girls July 20 to 24, at Macomb Community College Sports & Expo Center, P-Building, at the south campus on Hayes Road between 12 Mile and Martin Road in Warren.

Jim Twigg, the Macomb Community College Men's basketball coach, and Jay Ritchie, the MCC Women's basketball coach, are the camp directors.

There is approximately one coach for every 10 campers and the cost is \$165.

The camp runs 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. each day. Each camper receives a

release of liability form via e-mail upon registration.

The form also can be found at macomb.edu/athletics under "Camps" then "Metro D Camp."

This form must be brought to the first day of camp. Directors teach the game and break it down. The coaches are selected for their ability to communicate and their skill in teaching the game.

Campers are divided by age with those ages 8 to 11 going to the Big Ten Division, ages 12 to 13 in the College Division and 14 to 17 the NBA Division.

Players who have a strong desire to develop their skills to their fullest and want the experience of competing against other players from the Metro Detroit area are

encouraged to register.

Players work on individual shooting skills (off-the-pass and off-the-dribble), moves facing the basket, moves with back to the basket, power moves, individual defense, team defense, passing, screening, rebounding and ball-handling.

Awards are giving to one-on-one winners, overtime tournament, star shooting, Mikan Drill, speed dribbling, defense, MVP, sudden death tournament, 3 vs. 3 league, free throws, hot shot, hustle, attitude, powerball, 3-point shooting and 3 vs. 2 half court.

For more information about the camp, visit Macomb.edu/athletics or call Ritchie at (586) 206-4110 or ritchiej@macomb.edu.

Building a bridge

North and South principals work together to connect communities

By Mary Anne Brush
Staff Writer

If there is one thing Moussa Hamka, principal of Grosse Pointe South High School, and Kate Murray, principal of Grosse Pointe North High School, have in common, it is infectious enthusiasm. They also share a passion for their schools, a commitment to their staff, students and parents and a drive to do their very best to serve their communities.

Hamka and Murray took different routes to their respective positions. Murray, who just finished her 19th year at North, arrived in fall 1995 as a University of Michigan student to do her student teaching and never left.

"I fell in love with the staff, students and community as a whole," Murray said. "I grew up on the north side of Chicago and intended to return home. I fell in love here, changed my plan and never went home. Or rather, Grosse Pointe North has become my home."

Next year she will have spent half her life at North.

After completing her student teaching, Murray was hired to teach French and English at North and for the first year taught French at Brownell Middle School. After 15 years of classroom teaching, she entered an administrative role as assistant principal at North for one and a half years and has served as principal the past two and a half years.

In contrast, Hamka is new to the South community, having just completed his first year as principal. His career began at West Bloomfield High School, where he taught mathematics. After seven years, he took the leap to administration and became assistant principal at Canton High School from June 2010 to August 2011. For the next three years he was assistant principal at North Farmington High School before joining South in July 2014.

He has a master's degree in educational leadership and a bache-

lor's degree in teaching from Wayne State University.

Feeling at home

It took no time for Hamka to feel at home at South. He greets students on Fisher Road during arrival time, is a presence in the hallways and attends sporting events and band, orchestra and choir performances.

"I try to be everywhere," Hamka said. "One of my goals for the year was to develop relationships with teachers, staff, students and parents."

Rebecca Fannon, community relations specialist for the Grosse Pointe Public School System, attests to the presence of both high school principals in the community. "The district is grateful that both of these principals, each with young families, are so visible at schools and community events."

"... we need our children to be the best for the world."

MOUSSA HAMKA,
Principal, Grosse Pointe South High School

Hamka's impressions from his first year are overwhelmingly positive. Of particular note are students who, according to Hamka, are "driven for success beyond academics. Their diversity of accomplishments is something I am truly proud of, from visual arts and performing arts to robotics. You rarely find a school that excels in all aspects."

He also credited great parents who are involved in their children's upbringing. "The students are polite, respectful. There is a very positive vibe here," he said.

During his first year, he took time to get a flavor for the school and understand the community.

"To do a good job running a high school, you have to understand what matters to the people," Hamka said. "You need to develop a joint or collective vision. It's not my

vision. My job is to serve the people. I'm a servant/leader; I'm here to serve the community."

A common theme

Servant leadership is a theme Hamka has echoed to parents, staff and students from the moment he arrived at the school and it is one he circled back to in his commencement speech to the class of 2015. Another mantra he often reiterates is: "It is not sufficient for our students to aspire to be the best 'in' the world. Rather, we need our children to be the best 'for' the world."

The theme of servant leadership is close to home to Murray as well. In fact, it was the theme of her graduation speech at the North commencement.

"I believe the class of 2015 at Grosse Pointe North embodies the pillars of servant leadership," Murray said. One program of note is the Freshmen Assist and Mentor Leadership program that supports struggling learners who fall in the lower 25th percentile in language arts and math. This program is supported by teachers and a group of 34 junior and senior academic mentors.

The program earned North national acclaim and the honor of being named a District of Distinction by District Administration magazine. North was one of only 49 districts in the United States and Canada to receive the honor this year.

Another service project Murray highlighted in her speech was Physio Phun, in which medical research teacher Susan Speirs and her students hosted 35 students from an elementary school in Detroit. This was the third year the project has taken place.

Finally, Murray recognized North's student association and class officers, who in her opinion, truly exemplified servant leadership. She recalled a day during the holidays when students delivered holiday gifts and food to more than 70 families.

"It is a special day at Grosse Pointe North to see the monetary and emotional generosity of this building as they serve others."

When asked what they are most proud of at their respective schools, both Hamka and Murray listed

impressive feats in academics and leadership along with the accomplishments of clubs and organizations, from award-winning performances to sports teams that went deep into state playoffs. The robotics team, the Gearheads — a joint South and North team — went to a global competition in St. Louis.

Their pride goes beyond these accomplishments to extraordinary moments of learning, even when the process was difficult.

"Teaching and learning are hard," said Hamka. "Rigor is difficult. Stretching and challenging yourself is not always easy."

Teachable moments

Each school year has held its share of what in the profession is called "teachable moments."

For Hamka, one teachable moment occurred following negative response to a non-school-affiliated production of Second Suburb, a comedy show put on by South students many believed crossed a line with tasteless jokes. Students, staff and parents had the opportunity to reflect on choices made and how to make improvements for the future.

The North community was put to the test when a news station targeted the school for negative publicity. The student body, including senior leaders of the school newspaper, North Pointe, responded by addressing the community themselves to counteract criticisms. One outcome of the negative backlash was the creation of a hashtag on Twitter — #Norsemenpride. Students also designed T-shirts to show their school pride.

"When students take to the podium, people listen," Murray said. "When you ask what I am proud of, I am proud of those student leaders and the reaction of the student body. They inspire me. Out of adversity came extraordinary things."

Both principals also share a desire to make changes and improve.

"We are always reflective, looking for opportunities for growth," Hamka said. "I come from a line of family businesses, so there is the customer service piece. How do we make sure our parents are

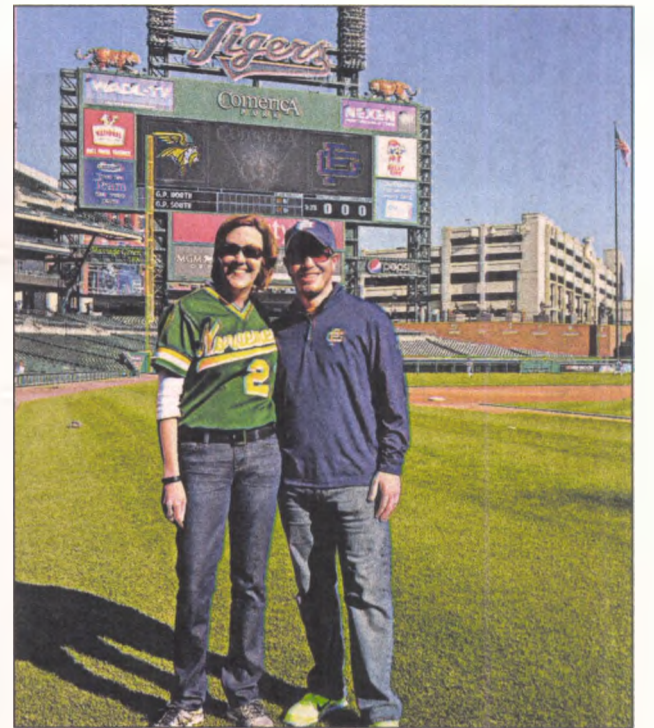


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Kate Murray and Moussa Hamka joined forces at the North vs. South baseball game at Comerica Park on April 28.

receiving the level of service they expect? If there are areas where we are failing, how do we correct that? I'm big on family and relationships."

One of the things Hamka is most proud of from his first year is the positive feedback he has received from students — not about his own performance, but about the relationships the students have built with teachers.

"Students connect if they feel challenged, pushed and cared about. Kids will work harder for you if they have a relationship with you and know you care about them as a human being."

He also is proud of the reception he received from parents, saying he has received "tremendous support from the community, from parents who don't have students to parents of students and the Mothers' Club."

"You couldn't write a storybook about a school better than South," Hamka said. "It's almost like a fairy tale place here. I've been blessed to work in some of metro Detroit's top school districts, but nothing compares to Grosse Pointe."

Looking ahead

When looking toward the 2015-16 school year and beyond, Murray and Hamka share common goals and a vision for their respective schools and the community at large.

They both look to continue a long-standing tradition of excellence. According to Hamka, this means "looking for growth opportunities and making sure students have what they need to be productive leaders in a global society. We have to make sure

what we provide our students is meaningful and sets them up for success."

"I believe the class of 2015...embodies the pillars of servant leadership."

KATE MURRAY,
Principal, Grosse Pointe North High School

Murray, too, sets as primary goals preparing all students for their path beyond North and continuing to make North the home of innovation and 21st century teaching and learning. She cited the launching of North's Innovation Lab this fall as one of the school's finest accomplishments, with enrollment in the digital service class more than doubling as a result.

She also seeks to create more opportunities to connect the north and south ends of the community. This is a goal she and Hamka are prepared to tackle together and they already got off to a good start. A proud moment for Murray was when she and Hamka prepared a joint video announcement at the start of last school year. They also have attended many joint events together, such as the North-South tailgate in the fall and the North vs. South baseball game at Comerica Park in the spring. The two schools will come together on Freshmen First Day Wednesday, Aug. 26, when student leaders serve as mentors to usher in new students.

"We are working together to build a bridge," said Murray.




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One Parcels

Parcels Middle School staff and students gathered for the fourth annual photo shoot celebrating "ONE PARCELLS," which defines the school's philosophy in terms of students, staff and the community at large. Parcels Principal Dan Hartley took over the helm in November 2014.

Reflecting upon his first year, he said, "Having the opportunity to join the Parcels community this year as principal has provided me with tremendous pride and utmost respect for the professional teaching staff, students and the parents who all work together to create a wonderful place to learn, to grow and to play."

This year the school celebrated many honors and distinctions, inside and outside the classroom. The traditional photo honors the eighth-grade class as they embark on their high school careers.



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Men's Club honors students

Students from Grosse Pointe North and South high schools recently were honored by the Grosse Pointe Senior Men's Club for having grade-point averages of 4.0 or higher.

Deputy Superintendent Chris Fenton spoke at the event, which took place at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial, and the awards were presented by each of the school's principals, South's Moussa Hamka and North's Kate Murray.

South students who were honored include Ryan Panczak, Caleb Chadwell, RJ Stewart, Nick Paolucci, Nick Morris, Matt Wilson, Matt Kennedy, Matt Price, Phil Dakin, Kaley MacLeod, David Gilbert, Lizzy Langenburg, Gabriella Scipione, Victoria McShane, Ellie Flom,

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North students who were honored include Deanna Hanley, Dora Juhasz, Nathan Kane, Christopher Bahr, Matthew Stander, Nicholas Cusmano, Emily Hoshaw, Megan Lesha, Lauren Nyquist, Maria Tsakos, Erica Lizza, Harris Bunker, Ann Marie Nicholson, Steven Licari, Katelyn Carroll, Michael Sacchetti, Kathleen Russo, Nick Koester, Zachary Backer, Mark Koester, Robert McGovern and Michael Marchiori.



Grosse Pointe South High School student scholars.

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Safety patrol guard earns award

GROSSE POINTE FARMS — Christopher Cleland, a seventh grader at St. Paul on the Lake Catholic School, was honored by AAA Thursday, June 4, for his lifesaving efforts.

The auto club recognized Cleland with the AAA School Safety Patrol Lifesaving Medal. According to AAA, Cleland was stationed at a traffic light in front of the school in January when the crossing signal changed from "walk" to flashing. He stopped a group of students from crossing and, seconds later, a minor two-vehicle crash occurred in the crosswalk.

Cleland is one of only three students in the nation this year to receive the medal, which is the highest award given to members of the AAA School Safety Patrol. Since its establishment in 1949, the Lifesaving Award has been presented to 411 patrolers across the United States.



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Christopher Cleland receives a safety patrol lifesaving award from Chuck Podowski, AAA president and CEO.

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3,200 Square foot building. Good condition with parking lot. East side near expressway. Great retail or warehouse. 10201 Whittier \$30,000 Call Doug (313)720-4970

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ADOPTION. A secure, happy, loving home awaits your baby. Raised with love, laughter. Expenses paid. Call Lisa & Frank. (855)236-7812

ST. Clare Montefalco. Collecting books for Fall used book sale through August 31. Leave in church entrance on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Mack/ Whittier. Call (313)640-8546 to arrange large pickups/ more information.

PRAYERS

NOVENA to St. Jude. May the sacred heart of Jesus be adored, glorified, loved and preserved throughout the world, now and forever. O sacred heart of Jesus, pray for us. Worker of miracles, pray for us. St. Jude, helper of the hopeless, pray for us. Say this prayer 9 times a day. By the eighth day, your prayer will be answered. It has never been known to fail, never. Publication must be promised.

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COMPUTER SERVICE

NEED help with a new website? Cordcutting? Improving your network? Using your smartphone features? Experienced IT consultant available for residential and small business. Grosse Pointe Resident. (678)629-4974

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MUSIC EDUCATION

PIANO and theory lessons for all ages. Certified teacher by the Royal Conservatory of music. Call Matina (313)492-5973

PIANO lessons

from Professional Classical Pianist Joseph Beels, AFM Local Five, for information call (586)625-7799 or send an email to joseph.beels@gmail.com

TUTORING EDUCATION

MATH Tutor-late elementary/ middle school. If your student is transitioning from elementary to middle, I will make sure they are ready to hit the ground running. 27 years experience as a math teacher. \$60/ hour (313)410-3764

Help Wanted

HELP WANTED GENERAL

\$5,000 sign on bonus! \$65,000-\$75,000 annually, plus bonuses. Home weekly and excellent benefits, CDL A and 6 months experience required. Call (888)409-6033. Apply online www.DriverForRed.com

APPLICATIONS

taken in office, 20530 Harper Ave, Harper Woods, for helper to be trained at various duties including moving and maintaining machines. Must have valid drivers license with good driving record. Hours Monday-Friday 8:30am-5pm. Well above minimum wage.

AVIATION grads

work with JetBlue, Boeing, NASA, others. Start here, hands on training for FAA certification. Financial aid if qualified. Call Aviation Institute of Maintenance. (877)891-2281

EXPERIENCED

cashier wanted. Apply within. Village Food Market, 18330 Mack Avenue.

EXPERIENCED

painters, carpenters, tile installers, hardwood sanders and finishers needed for Grosse Pointe area contractor. Always in need of help! Please call (313)289-8254



GREAT

Opportunity at Nino's St. Clair Shores- Accepting applications. Visit www.ninosalvaggio.com for a list of job openings and to apply. EEO (586)778-3650

HAIR Dresser

assistant needed. (313)882-6240

HIRING company

Drivers and Owner Operators for flatbed or dry van. TanTara Transportation offers excellent equipment, pay, benefits, home weekly. Call (800)650-0292 or apply www.tantara.us

HELP WANTED GENERAL

LANDSCAPERS/

gardeners wanted. Full or part time, excellent pay, flexible hours. (313)377-1467

LEAD Auto

Mechanic/ Technician Wanted. Grosse Pointe/ Detroit Joe's Garage established 1946 is seeking a full time position for an energetic, experienced, certified Lead Auto Mechanic/ Technician with own tools. Five days a week, payed based on experience with insurance and vacation pay. Please forward resume to joesgarage1946@gmail.com

LUBE TECH

positions available immediately at Ray Latham Motor Village- great pay in the Grosse Pointe/Detroit area. Apply within or fax resume to (313)453-5238.

PET SITTERS

wanted. Ability to work flexible hours, passion for pets, reliable transportation, Holiday's and weekends are a must. (586)778-3897

SECURITY &

Public Service Officer (unarmed)- Edsel & Eleanor Ford House has full and part-time positions available. See job description and how to apply at FordHouse.org/get-involved/employment. No phone calls.

SUMMER job office

help wanted. Must have reliable transportation and good references. Apply in person at 23968 Sherwood, Centerline, MI 48015 (10 mile & Van Dyke area). Monday- Friday, 10am- 4pm.

HELP WANTED GENERAL

SUMMER job, be

your own boss. Drive an ice cream truck, Macomb & Oakland Counties. Earn money daily, must have good driving record, and transportation. Apply in person at 23968 Sherwood, Centerline, MI 48015 (10 mile & Van Dyke area). Monday- Friday, 10am- 4pm.

HELP WANTED CLERICAL / OFFICE

ACCOUNTANT wanted for busy office. Needs accounts receivable and accounts payable experience. 5 Hours a day. Send resume to PO BOX 450 21316 Mack Avenue Grosse Pointe Woods 48236

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

for appointment coordination, event and meeting planning, make travel arrangements, pick up dry cleaning and banking. Must possess a valid driver's license. Send resume to: rebon09@gmail.com

HELP WANTED SALES

SALES Leader for contemporary and designer boutique. Three plus years with major retailer training Nordstrom, Neiman Marcus, or Saks Fifth Avenue preferable. High level of self- motivation and initiative and selling confidence; this is full or part time professional sales position. Send resume to info@she-stores.com



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HELP WANTED PROFESSIONAL

CHURCH BUSINESS ADMIN.

ST. PAUL E.V. LUTHERAN CHURCH OF GROSSE PTE. FARMS FULL-TIME POSITION TO START AUGUST 1ST

Reports Directly to Pastor. Candidate Must Be Innovative, Creative, Organized, Critical Thinker with 5 Years Experience in Church Administration or Related Field. College Degree Req'd.

RESPONSIBILITIES	BENEFITS
• Church Communications	• Salary & FICA
• Info Tech Systems	• Paid Vacation & Sick Leave
• Facility/Office Management	• Medical, Retirement/ Pension Offering
• Bus. & Financial Operations	

For Questions, Call Pastor Justin Dittrich (313)881.6670 Please Email Resume to: justin.dittrich@stpaulgp.org

LAST WEEK'S PUZZLE SOLVED

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BACON	AIR	KON
AXON	EVENT	IDE
LIME	DOG	STOW
ESPY	OWE	PERT

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- 23 Blue
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- 10 Boleyn or Bancroft
- 11 "Cheers" serving
- 16 Pack away
- 20 Guitar's cousin
- 23 Georgia's ex-status (Abbr.)
- 24 Chowd down
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- 27 Marsh
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- 45 Crow's-nest cry
- 46 Sandwich treat
- 48 Neighbor of Cambodia
- 49 Sicilian spouter
- 50 Antelope's playmate
- 53 Whatever amount

Solution Time: 25 minutes



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209 HELP WANTED
PROFESSIONAL

ENGINEER
Automotive oriented testing laboratory seeks degreed engineers/chemists to assist in testing of plastic parts, materials and components. Medical benefits, excellent entry level opportunity.
engineertest
ingtech@gmail.com

TEST Technician
Physical test laboratory seeks person to perform simple tests and light maintenance. Technical background and experience with power tools preferred. Excellent opportunity for entry level or recently retired individual.
engineertest
ingtech@gmail.com

Situations Wanted

300 SITUATIONS WANTED
BABYSITTERS

ATTENTION:
by MICHIGAN LAW DAY CARE FACILITIES (In-Home & Centers)
Must Show Their Current License To Advertising Representative When Placing Your Ads
THANK YOU

Parents - Please Verify All Child Care Licenses!

302 CONVALESCENT CARE

HOME Care
Hospice and Alzheimer's experience. Light cleaning & cooking, honest, very compassionate, dependable, flexible hours including overnight. Excellent St. Clair Shores and Grosse Pointe references.
(586)863-7768 or (586)296-3977

305 HOUSE CLEANING

MARGARET L.L.C.
House cleaning/laundry services. Polish ladies, very experienced, excellent references. We take care of senior needs.
(313)319-7657

SPRING special! EVERYTHING IN ITS PLACE

Housecleaning Detailed Organizing and Decluttering Trustworthy and Reliable
Serving the Grosse Pointe

Communities and Surrounding Areas
Please call

"EVERYTHING IN ITS PLACE"

(313)247-0357
Senior Discounts

307 NURSES AIDES

CAREGIVER, honest and dependable, available 24/7. Have a Medical Assistant License. Call me at
(313)485-7023

LOTS of TLC for your loved ones. Call Janice.
(313)417-2546

312 ORGANIZING

DUCKS IN A ROW
De-cluttering and organizing your home! Closets, basements, whole house. Organize your paper clutter. Home information, notebooks, medical journals, memory albums.
Becky Schlaff
(313)580-2528
Susan Mason
(313)910-9705
schlaffb@comcast.net
rwmason@comcast.net

Merchandise

406 ESTATE SALES

ESTATE sale.
Friday and Saturday, June 26 and 27. 10am-4pm. 1544 Roslyn Rd. Grosse Pointe Woods. Antique furniture, dye cast models, jukebox, gas pump, advertising signs.

I've got to be gone by July 1.

It's got to go! Everything is marked down to rock bottom, make me ridiculous offers. We have finally gotten to the garage and storage unit. There is MORE! More Wedgwood fine china Limoges, art glass, Steuben, cut glass and fine crystal, jewelry, toys, model cars, linens, perfume bottles, purses. Wonderful contemporary King bedroom set offered for first time, more fine furniture, stainless Kitchenaid refrigerator, washer, Detroit art, more fine art, all Holiday and so much more. For photos and further descriptions check estatesales.net
Allison's Magnificent Obsession.
32832 Newcastle Drive Warren
Friday- Saturday 10am-5pm
Sunday 11am-5pm
(586)713-1652

408 FURNITURE

BLACK Walnut dining room set for sale, table and credenza, no chairs. \$275.00
(313)204-1220 no text please.

FRENCH style sofa

with carved fruit-wood frame. Matching chair with small ottoman. Glass top round table with 4 chairs. Small lighted display cabinet. All like new. La Cave refrigerated wine cooler with lock, 27"W x 71"H x 23" D. Call
(313)886-6429

Classifieds Work For You
To place an ad call:
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408 FURNITURE

TEN Pieces of Wrought Iron Woodard patio furniture with cushions newly re-covered. Pieces can be sold separately. Good condition
(313)882-4932 or (313)617-1772

409 GARAGE / YARD / RUMMAGE SALE

111 CLOVERLY, Grosse Pointe Farms- SATURDAY 10am- Antiques and collectables, XL Orvis dog bed, wakeboard, Breville juicer, crystal, furniture- library table, matching student desk, dresser and night stand. Doll cradle, outdoor oval dining table and chairs, limited edition Coach, MZ Wallace and much more.

12 Lakeshore Lane, Grosse Pointe Shores. Saturday 9am-3pm. Jewelry, men's/ women's clothing, shoes, linens, toys, Christmas, housewares, kitchen, books, miscellaneous. Cash only, no presales.

175 Vendome Grosse Pointe Farms Friday- Saturday June 26 and 27 9am-4pm. A beautiful crib, yarn galore, large rugs, Toby mugs, variety of household items and small furniture.

327 Merriweather, Grosse Pointe Farms. Friday only, 9am-4pm. Girls hutch, mini fridge, twin feather bed, teen clothing.

853 Barrington, Grosse Pointe Park. Vintage, household, decorative from artsy collectors. All quality and priced to move. Pottery and some furniture. Thursday, June 25- Saturday, June 27, 9am-4pm.

CLEANOUT! Nice clothes kids to adult, kitchen farm table, Burley Bee like new.

Black storm door, high end light fixtures, vintage and new. Miscellaneous tools, etc. New miscellaneous electrical from remodel, 2 large oil paintings, lots of art, Kate Spade purse like new, designer shoes, miscellaneous china, books, dorm fridge, toys, mirrors and more. Saturday, 10am-2pm. 712 Balfour, Grosse Pointe Park.

CONDO garage sale!
June 27 and 28 9am-2pm. Hidden Cove Condos Harrison Township. Household items, tools, fishing equipment and much more!

409 GARAGE / YARD / RUMMAGE SALE

Downsizing, stuff must go! Furniture, Aeropilates machine, Longaberger baskets, crafts, toys & household stuff. 6/26-27, 8am-3pm. 1292 Brys, Grosse Pointe Woods.

FOUR FAMILY sale plus grandmas' estate items. Beautiful formal Thomasville Oak dining room set, Ethan Allen side table, ice cream table with two chairs, Waterford crystal, 3/4 length lynx fur coat, Lenox lamps, silver plate flatware in box, Christmas dish set, kids'

clothes/ shoes/ toys/ games/ video games. Movies, tools, kitchenware, books, artwork, dishes, baby crib with all bedding, and much much more!!
NO PRE-SALES PERMITTED.
Friday- Sunday June 26-28 9am-5pm
1366 Whittier Grosse Pointe Park

FOUR wheel heavy duty premium mobility scooter, excellent condition. \$1,600. Please call (586)876-6278

FRIDAY/ Saturday, 9am-3pm. 2 family-quality items, household, ladies purses/ shoes. 20607 Lancaster, Harper Woods.

FURNITURE, 0-24 month old kids clothing & items, household items. 1573 Hollywood, Friday & Saturday, 8am-4pm.

HUGE garage/estate sale. 38386 Johnathan, Clinton Township. June 25, 26, 27, 9am-5pm. Antique glass, linens, quilts, jewelry, misc., duck decoys, no pre-sales.

MOVING sale!
1439 Hawthorne, Grosse Pointe Woods, Friday and Saturday. 10am-4pm.

MULTI-family BLOCK SALE. 200 block Ridgmont Road, Grosse Pointe Farms, Friday-Saturday, June 26-27. 9am-4pm. Henry Link bedroom furniture, trundle bed, rosewood twin headboard, vintage items, patio set, housewares, kids' and designer clothing, games, jewelry, etc. Cash and carry only. Rain or shine.

SALE, Saturday, 9am-4pm. 333 Lothrop, Grosse Pointe Farms.

409 GARAGE / YARD / RUMMAGE SALE

SATURDAY June 27. Housewares, Heartland commercial refrigerator and stove, Bosch dishwasher. 620 Shoreham Road Grosse Pointe Woods 8am-4pm

SUPER Estate Sale Friday and Saturday, June 26-27 10am-5pm. 701 Middlesex, Grosse Pointe Park. No early sales. Tools, new (in the box) kids electric scooter, clothes, furniture. Hundreds of DVDs and CDs. Collapsible boat bikes, much, much more.

TWICE AS NICE 1016 & 1018 Yorkshire, Grosse Pointe Park. June 25, 26, 27, 9am-3pm.

Furniture, small appliances, televisions, antiques, Cambridge glass, crystal punch bowl, framed pictures, holiday items, toys, golf clubs, linens, jewelry, women's clothes size 12 thru 14, exercise equipment, yard equipment tools, books, kitchenware, 1943 Book of Knowledge set. Cash only.

412 MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES



2014 METAL CH Men's premier wristwatches. Retail \$1,200 each. \$500 or best. Black with gold accent. White with silver accent. Call (313)303-9938

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412 MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES

OXYGEN Concentrator InogenOne. Regain independence, enjoy greater mobility, no more tanks. 100% portable long lasting battery. Try it risk free. For cash buyers call (800)525-9132

415 WANTED TO BUY

CASH paid for newer used paperback books in good condition. New Horizons Book Shop, 20757 13 Mile at Little Mack. (586)296-1560

Animals

500 ANIMALS ADOPT A PET

GROSSE Pointe Animal Adoption Society, Pet Adoption, Saturday, June 27. Camp Bow Wow Training Center, next to Pet Supplies Plus at 9 Mile and Mack, St. Clair Shores. Small and senior dogs 12pm-1:30pm. Larger dogs 1:30pm-3pm. Cats and kittens 12pm-3pm. (313)884-1551 or www.GPAAS.org

505 LOST & FOUND

FOUND in Harper Woods Brindle and White Bulldog/ Pit Bull mix and a Rottweiler. Please contact Grosse Pointe Animal Adoption Society at (313)884-1551

LOST 3 year old black short haired female cat. Front declawed. Trombley Road area Grosse Pointe Park (313)910-3046

Automotive

600 CARS

2007 Lincoln MKZ. 56,800 miles. New tires. \$9,400 or best. (586)291-7173

600 CARS



"2007" Shelby Mustang GT Cobra Convertible, torch red, 2,300 miles, one owner since new, garaged, no snow, rain or sun. \$40,900.00. Mint condition. (586)876-8413



\$7,000 - 2008 Honda Civic EX. Immaculate condition, manual transmission, 2 owners, 130k mostly highway miles, clean title, no problems with the car at all. (586)819-1088

1999 BMW 323i convertible, two top, loaded, excellent condition, many extras such as set of summer and winter wheels and tires, new top, complete recondition of ride and appearance. Interested buyers only. 90,700 miles. \$8,500. (313)343-6667.



2006 Lexus ES 330 4-door sedan. 150,490 miles. \$7,800. In excellent condition. One owner/ driver. Call Steve (248)388-1216.



2008 Cadillac CTS4 Excellent condition, stored winters, loaded with options, 36k miles, all wheel drive, 3.6 Liter engine. \$22,500 (313)421-1388

600 CARS



JEEP Commander 2008 Limited Sports Utility 4-door. 95,000 miles. \$14,800. Call Steve (248)388-1216.



JUST in time for summer. Beautiful silver 2007 9.3 Saab Convertible. Extremely well maintained. 4 cylinder turbo, loaded. Only 36,000 miles. No winter driving. Garage stored. Original owner. \$11,900. Call Mike (248)561-8958



2011 Lincoln MKZ AWD, loaded, moon roof, new Michelin tires and brakes. Silver exterior, black leather interior. 69k miles. \$15,600 (586)871-2023

604 ANTIQUE / CLASSIC

2002 Ford Thunderbird Convertible with hardtop, only 700 made in the US. It was in the James Bond movie Die Another Day with Halle Berry. Coral color with white hardtop. White interior. \$19,900. (727)488-1438. To view pictures go on www.oncedriven.com



2001 Mercedes Benz E430 Meticulously maintained, low mileage, 115k miles, \$3,500 (313)319-5430

406 ESTATE SALES

STEF EK'S
AUCTIONEERS & APPRAISERS
Estate & Moving Sales
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MOVING SALES
FRIDAY JUNE 26TH & SATURDAY JUNE 27TH

5905 SOUTHWATE
Rochester (N. of Dutton, W. of Orion)
9:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M.
Fabulous home with great furnishings. Check website for photos and details. STREET NUMBERS HONORED AT 8:30 A.M. FRIDAY ONLY. Our numbers available 8:30 A.M. - 9:00 A.M. Friday only

19744 BLOSSOM LANE
Grosse Pointe Woods
9:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M.
This home is filled with furniture, artwork and decorative items. Check website for photos and details. STREET NUMBERS HONORED AT 8:30 A.M. FRIDAY ONLY. Our numbers available 8:30 A.M. - 9:00 A.M. Friday only

406 ESTATE SALES

MARCIA WILK
ESTATE SALES
313 779 0193
www.marciawilkstatesales.com

495 SHELBORNE
GROSSE POINTE FARMS
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
JUNE 26 AND 27 • 9:00 - 4:00
(Corner of Mack and Shelbourne across from Little Caesars, park on the side of Shelbourne without fire hydrants.)
Nice sale featuring marble dining table and 8 chairs, beautiful ornate buffet, leather sectional, antique thread cabinet, bamboo furniture, bistro set, outdoor furniture neat small mirror collection, nautical decor, vintage ware, tins, books, baskets, jewelry, cuff links, watches, vintage hat boxes, hats, including Christian Dior, lots and lots more!
Street Numbers Honored at 8:30 a.m. Friday
Check out marciawilkstatesales.com to see some featured items!

GROSSE POINTE
War Memorial WMTV

Channels Comcast 5 & 915 A.T.&T. 99 WOW 18

Featured Guests and Topics June 29-July 5

Vitality Plus—6 a.m., 12 noon., 6 p.m., 12 midnight.
Exercise

Det Economic Club 6:30 a.m., 12:30 p.m., 6:30 p.m., 12:30 a.m.
Jim Keane, President and CEO
Steelcase, Inc.

Mondays at the Max—7:30 a.m., 1:30 p.m., 7:30 p.m., 1:30 a.m.
WSU Department of Music Concert

Family Center—8:30 a.m., 2:30 p.m., 8:30 p.m., 2:30 a.m.
"Ask the Experts" presentation

Pointes of Horticulture—9:30 a.m., 3:30 p.m., 9:30 p.m., 3:30 a.m.
Greg McPartlin, Prajana Water Management and Summer Pruning

Aging Well in America—10 a.m., 4 p.m., 10 p.m., 4 a.m.
Karen Jankowski, LPN, Great Lakes Caring Home Health Medicare and home health services for the elderly

John Prost Show—10:30 a.m., 4:30 p.m., 10:30 p.m., 4:30 a.m.
Jeannine Gant, President and CEO
Big Brothers and Big Sisters of Metropolitan Detroit

Christopher Ahee and Anthony Ahee, Ahee Jewelers
Capuchin Souper Summer Celebration

MetroArts Detroit—11 a.m., 5 p.m., 11 p.m., 5 p.m.
Up-and-coming artists from the Metro Detroit area

Out of the Ordinary. Into the Extraordinary—11:30 a.m., 5:30 p.m., 11:30 p.m., 5:30 a.m.
Chris Emmerson, Musician

A DVD Copy of any WMTV program can be obtained for \$20

Schedule subject to change without notice. For further information call, 313-881-7511

RENTAL REAL ESTATE

700 APTS./FLATS/DUPLX POINTE/HARPER WOODS
2 Bedroom lower unit in Grosse Pointe Park, including a den, 1 bath, separate basement with washer/dryer. No pets/smoking, \$650/month plus security deposit. Call Kate (248)321-0972 to make appointment.

HARCOURT, Grosse Pointe Park, lower, 2 bedroom, Florida room, basement, garage, all appliances, water included, \$950 plus security. (313)618-5593

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700 APTS./FLATS/DUPLX POINTE/HARPER WOODS
KERCHEVAL Prime location near Village. Luxury three bedroom, living room, dining room, den, air, washer/ dryer, \$1,500 per month. References/ Good Credit. Available July enjoymichigan@gmail.com

PENTHOUSE like second floor apartment. Elegant two bedroom, living room, dining room, den. 1,400 square feet, hardwood floors, no smoking/ pets. Grosse Pointe side of the freeway. \$880/ month plus security deposit. Credit check (313)881-4377

700 APTS./FLATS/DUPLX POINTE/HARPER WOODS
SOMERSET, 3 bedroom upper, recently painted, hardwood floors. Appliances, basement, garage. No pets. \$750, plus security. (313)320-3635

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