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## Thwart delivery thefts

By Brad Lindberg  
 Staff Writer

**THE GROSSE POINTES** — The best way to outmaneuver porch pirates is to avoid having mail-order packages sit on porches for crooks to steal.

Packages delivered to porches are exposed to theft, as a woman living in the 800 block of Cadieux experienced last week.

A parcel company's tracking software documented delivery at 10:49 a.m. Thursday, Dec. 3, but the packages were missing from outside her back door and pre-

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## Watch where you park

By Kathy Ryan  
 Staff Writer

**GROSSE POINTE WOODS** — City officials want patrons of two popular restaurants on Mack to know while they are enjoying the burgers at Little Tony's or the ribs at Champs, don't park on Beaufait while doing so.

A longtime "No Parking" regulation was modified recently to allow permit parking by residents, but that has led to patrons of the popular restaurants parking on Beaufait as well, resulting in complaints from residents.

"Our street has become a circus," one resident told the city council at its Dec. 7 meeting, explaining patrons of local restaurants are ignoring the signs.

While "No Parking" signs have been reinstalled, and even flagged by the city so drivers would notice, the problem persists.

"I don't want to call the police for the rest of my life," the resident told the council.

Public Safety Director Bruce Smith told the council the area will be tagged for special enforcement and the "No Parking" regulation will be strictly enforced.

The ban on parking on

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## Winter Wonderland

The Edsel and Eleanor Ford House opened Winter Wonderland last weekend to a capacity crowd of almost 1,500 people each night. More than 80,000 lights were strung, hot chocolate was enjoyed, children saw Santa in the south cottage and told him of their Christmas wishes, stories were told around the bonfire and live music filled the air. Below left, Robert Johnson sang and played guitar. Below, the fire kept participants warm.



PHOTOS BY RENEE LANDUYT



Officer James Thompson, Public Safety Director Bruce Smith and Officer Jeffrey Martel at the awards presentation.

## Officers earn honors

By Kathy Ryan  
 Staff Writer

**GROSSE POINTE WOODS** — Public Safety Director Bruce Smith presented Officer James Thompson and Officer Jeffrey Martel with Life Saving Awards recognizing their efforts assisting people who suffered heart attacks.

On July 27, 2015, both officers responded to a call from a store on Mack that a man

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**Rich Jungwirth**

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## White Christmas

Grosse Pointe Theatre's six performances of Irving Berlin's "White Christmas" will take place at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial Dec. 13-21. For more information, visit [gpt.org](http://gpt.org) or call (313) 881-4004. Performing, above from left, are Tom Pagano, Danielle Caralis, Catie Hauff and Robby Mullinger.

### City of Grosse Pointe Farms, Michigan

#### SUMMARY OF THE MINUTES DECEMBER 7, 2015

The Meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. beginning with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Present on Roll Call: Mayor Farquhar; Councilmembers: Wood, West, Joseph, Theros, Ricci and Waldmeir.

Absent Were: None.

Also Present: Messrs. William Burgess, City Attorney; Shane Reeside, City Manager; Derrick Kozicki, Assistant City Manager/ City Clerk; John Lamerato, City Controller/Treasurer; Dan Jensen, Director of Public Safety; John Hutchins.

Mayor Farquhar Presided at the Meeting.

The Minutes of the Regular Meeting held on November 9, 2015, were approved as submitted. The Council accepted the Fiscal Year End 2015 audit and CAFR by Plante Moran, City Auditors.

The Council approved a resolution regarding DTE's Advanced Metering Program, as amended. The Council, acting as a Zoning Board of Appeals, approved the Minutes of the Public Hearing held on October 12, 2015; and, further, adjourned the Public Hearing for 205 Country Club Drive, requesting a variance to split a lot, to Monday, January 11, 2016 at 7:00 p.m.

The Council approved the following on the Consent Agenda:

1. Approved the request from Parks & Recreation Director of close Kercheval Avenue for the 2016 Winterfest on the Hill.
2. Approved the Wayne County Annual Permit renewals.
3. Approved the 2016 City Council Regular Meeting Schedule.
4. Approved the purchase of replacement rubbish truck for the DPW.
5. Approve the purchase of a replacement vehicle for the Public Safety Department.
6. Approve payment for November 2015 invoices.

The Public Safety Report for November 2015 was received by the Board and ordered placed on file. Upon proper motion made, supported and carried, the Meeting adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

THE NEXT REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL WILL BE HELD ON MONDAY, JANUARY 11, 2016 AT 7:00 P.M. IN THE CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 90 KERBY ROAD, GROSSE POINTE FARMS, MICHIGAN 48236. THE MEETING IS PUBLIC. INTERESTED PROPERTY OWNERS AND RESIDENTS OF THE CITY ARE INVITED TO ATTEND. YOU MAY ALSO VIEW THE AGENDA AND MINUTES ON THE CITY'S WEBSITE: [www.grossepointefarms.org](http://www.grossepointefarms.org)

James C. Farquhar, Mayor

Derrick Kozicki, City Clerk

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## Shores resident among 100 leading women

Grosse Pointe Shores resident Pamela Fletcher, executive chief engineer for electrified vehicles for General Motors, was named among 100 Leading Women in the North American Auto Industry by Automotive News. Fletcher and her co-honorees were featured in a special Nov. 9 issue of the publication and honored at a gala dinner in Detroit, sponsored by "Automotive News." 100 Leading Women in the North American Auto Industry recognizes women who are leaders in the automotive field — those who make major decisions and have significant influence at their companies. Automotive News published its first listing of the industry's top female executives in September 2000. Managing the engineering of GM's growing portfolio of electrified vehicles has given Fletcher an important product development job in the company. Not only do these vehicles have to launch flaw-

lessly, but they also have to deliver the promised efficiency as well as move GM further toward making a profitable business for battery-powered and hybrid vehicles. It's a challenge Fletcher enjoys.

"In all the automotive disciplines, women are steadily winning increased authority and that's good not only for the women, but for the auto industry," said Peter Brown, Automotive News associate publisher and editorial director.

## Kraus joins Vistage Michigan

Rebecca Kraus of Grosse Pointe Woods has been named chief executive group chair for Vistage Michigan, a membership-based organization that provides business leaders with business perspectives and innovative strategies. Kraus currently serves as president at a firm she founded, Rebecca Kraus & Associates LLC in the City of Grosse Pointe. In her role with Vistage Michigan, Kraus will act as the advisor, mentor and business coach to her group, conducting one-to-one coaching sessions with each member. She also will facilitate nine group workshops per year with her chief executive members. Kraus comes to Vistage Michigan with more than 20 years of experience in business consulting and coaching, with particular focus in the nonprofit, manufacturing, education and healthcare sectors. Kraus has to date coached nearly 300 mid-level man-

agement and senior level clinical and administrative executives.

Before founding her current consulting firm, Kraus was executive director of the Ameritech Business Solutions Center for Walsh College in Troy; president of Transitions Consulting Group, a division of Gordon Advisors P.C., in Troy; and executive director of Cambridge Strategic Services, a division of SHW Group, in Berkeley.

Kraus graduated from Wayne State University, summa cum laude and Phi Beta Kappa and is a graduate of the Planned Change Internship Program at the University of Michigan. She is a certified physician development coach through the Physician Coaching Institute and a credentialed professional coach through the International Coach Federation, where she also serves as its Michigan chapter president.

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## Aglow

Grosse Pointe Woods celebrated tree lighting and Santa sighting with Woods Aglow Tuesday, Nov. 24. The crowd sang carols and Santa arrived by trolley. Children enjoyed cookies and hot chocolate while divulging their lists to the jolly old elf. Below, Sammy Meda followed the signs to meet Santa.



Adrianna Bogner whispers what she wants for Christmas.

PHOTOS BY RENEE LANDUYT

## Foundation wins lighting award

By Brad Lindberg  
Staff Writer

**GROSSE POINTE FARMS** — Members of the city's foundation don't take landscape illumination lightly.

They won a Landscape Lighting Award for supporting the Grosse Pointe Farms water filtration plant and Joy Bells Garden at the corner of Moross and Grosse Pointe Boulevard.

Grosse Pointe Farms Foundation members donated money needed to install lighting at the locations.

Foundation Treasurer Jeff Adams accepted the award Tuesday, Oct. 14, during the 27th annual Beautification Advisory Commission's 2015 Beautification Awards at Pier Park community building.

The building was constructed in 2004 with funds raised by the Foundation.

Members also donated money to renovate Joy Bells in 1991.

"Since 1980, the

Foundation has existed as an all-volunteer philanthropic organization to raise funds for projects or aspects of that are outside of standard city budgets," said Councilman Lev Wood, chairman of the commission. "They enhance the appearance of the Farms. Since 1980, the Foundation raised over \$2 million to help fund these projects."

The Joy Bells garden enhances the Joy Bells carillon, a vestige of the former Henry Joy estate, named Fair Acres, in the 300 block of Lakeshore.

The bells marked daylight hours and, during summer, when Mrs. Joy wanted Henry to know it was time to come in from his yacht for dinner, according to a posting on the Grosse Pointe Historical Society website, gphistorical.org.

Fair Acres' boathouse is now the clubhouse for Crescent Sail Yacht Club.

The filtration plant, built in 1930, is listed on the state register of historic places.

## Gas line work on schedule

By Brad Lindberg  
Staff Writer

**GROSSE POINTE SHORES** — The replacement of underground gas lines remains scheduled for early next year, January or February.

Grosse Pointe Shores City Manager Mark Wollenweber gave the update Tuesday, Oct. 20.

Work involves DTE Energy replacing its network of old iron distribution pipes with new plastic ones.

"Gas service will be maintained except during the very short time they're making the final connection," Wollenweber said.

DTE crews need about

"a minute to make the switch," added Councilman Robert Barrette, a DTE retiree.

Utility representatives are expected to notify residents before service interruptions, or schedule time to do the work when residents are home, according to Wollenweber.

Shores officials obtained a cash bond from the company to pay for damage, if any, to such things as sod or lawn sprinklers, Wollenweber said.

A DTE spokeswoman said in June five companies from the Grosse Pointe area are being contracted for restoration work.

## Xander receives body armor

By Kathy Ryan  
Staff Writer

**GROSSE POINTE WOODS** — The Public Safety Department's K9 officer, Xander, is sporting a new bullet and stab protective vest he received thanks to a charitable donation from the nonprofit organization Vested Interest in K9s Inc. The vest was sponsored by Sharon Peters of Grosse Pointe Shores and is embroidered with the sentiment "In Memory of Det. Lt. Richard J. Scott," Peters' late father who was a police officer.

Xander is handled by Public Safety Officer Dan Schewe, Xander's handler since 2008 when the German Shepherd arrived in the United States from the Czech Republic, a leading breeder and exporter of dogs used by law enforcement agencies. Xander and Schewe underwent intensive training before Xander was certified for police work. The dog lives with Schewe and his family.

Schewe said the vest is as important to Xander as body armor is to his human counterparts.

"Our dogs can be very vulnerable to injury since they are oftentimes the first officer a suspect may

see," Schewe said. "They may see the dog and start shooting or stabbing. The fact that the vest is blade resistant as well as bullet proof is very important."

Vested Interest in K9s Inc. is a 501c(3) charity located in East Taunton, Mass., whose mission is to provide bullet and stab protective vests and other assistance to dogs of law enforcement and related agencies throughout the United States. The nonprofit was established in 2009 to assist law enforcement agencies with this potentially lifesaving body armor for their four-legged K9 officers. Since its inception, Vested Interest in K9s Inc. has provided more than 1,600 protective vests in 49 states, through private and corporate donations, at a cost of more than \$1.5 million. All vests are custom made in the USA by Armor Express in Central Lake.

Valued at \$1,000, the vests are made possible by charitable donations. Information on Vested Interests is available on its website, vik9s.org.

Public Safety Director Bruce Smith praised the work of Xander and Schewe.

"Dan is an excellent officer and Xander is a



PHOTO BY KATHY RYAN

PSO Dan Schewe and K9 Xander.

great addition to our department," he said. "Dan works tirelessly with Xander and you can tell he really cares. They make a great team."

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# Senior finds joy in volunteer work

By Mary Anne Brush  
Staff Writer

For Grosse Pointe Farms resident Rich Jungwirth, life did not slow down after he retired. A broker and account executive with the Goodbody Group and later Merrill Lynch for almost 35 years, Jungwirth ended his career when his wife, who had been in remission from cancer, became ill again.

In 1999, his wife died, leaving him alone in the home they had shared with their five children.

"I didn't want to go sit home and mope after she died," Jungwirth said. "I



**Rich Jungwirth delivers Meals for the Homebound for Beaumont Hospital, Grosse Pointe.**

PHOTO BY RENEE LANDUYT

wanted to keep myself active. I went over to what was Bon Secours at the time. I checked to see if I could volunteer and

started with the Meals on Wheels program and the red coat program."

The red coat program involved working at the

front desk and helping transport patients in wheelchairs to their rooms. Beaumont's

Meals for the Homebound program provides food for Beaumont patients for 10 weeks after their release.

Jungwirth recently earned his 15-year volunteer pin at Beaumont Hospital, Grosse Pointe. He volunteers at Beaumont four days a week and can be found at the front desk every Friday.

"He is the model of someone who gives back all the time," said Betsy Schulte, director of volunteer services at Beaumont. "He has never once said 'no' to me. I have asked him for a million favors."

"Every time I ask him he does something for us."

Schulte said after every request, he responds with his characteristic "Righto!"

Jungwirth does not limit his volunteer hours to Beaumont. A 1952 graduate of De La Salle High School, he was part of De La Salle's endowment fund committee and vice president of the

board of trustees. "I've been volunteering there almost as long as I've been out of high school," Jungwirth said.

He also is an active volunteer at St. Philomena Parish in Detroit, where he and his wife married in 1965, on Jungwirth's birthday. A member for nearly 50 years, Jungwirth serves as a lector and helps set up for funerals. "I even take out the garbage cans," he said.

Born on the east side of Detroit, Jungwirth moved to Grosse Pointe with his wife in 1966, living on Madison Street near Mack and Moran until, several children later, their house grew too small and they moved to Stephens Road.

Jungwirth still lives at the house he shared with his wife, where he maintains a longtime tradition of decorating two trees at Christmas time.

"My mother used to put up two trees when I was a kid and I have been doing it ever since," Jungwirth said. "It takes me five days to put these trees up." He described himself as "an inside decorating nut for Christmas time."

When he is not busy decorating his house for Christmas, he is off to one of his volunteer stints.

"I get a lot more out of it than I put in," Jungwirth said. "It's a matter of enjoyment. Bringing flowers up to people's rooms gives me joy. I love doing it. I call it volunteering of enjoyment."

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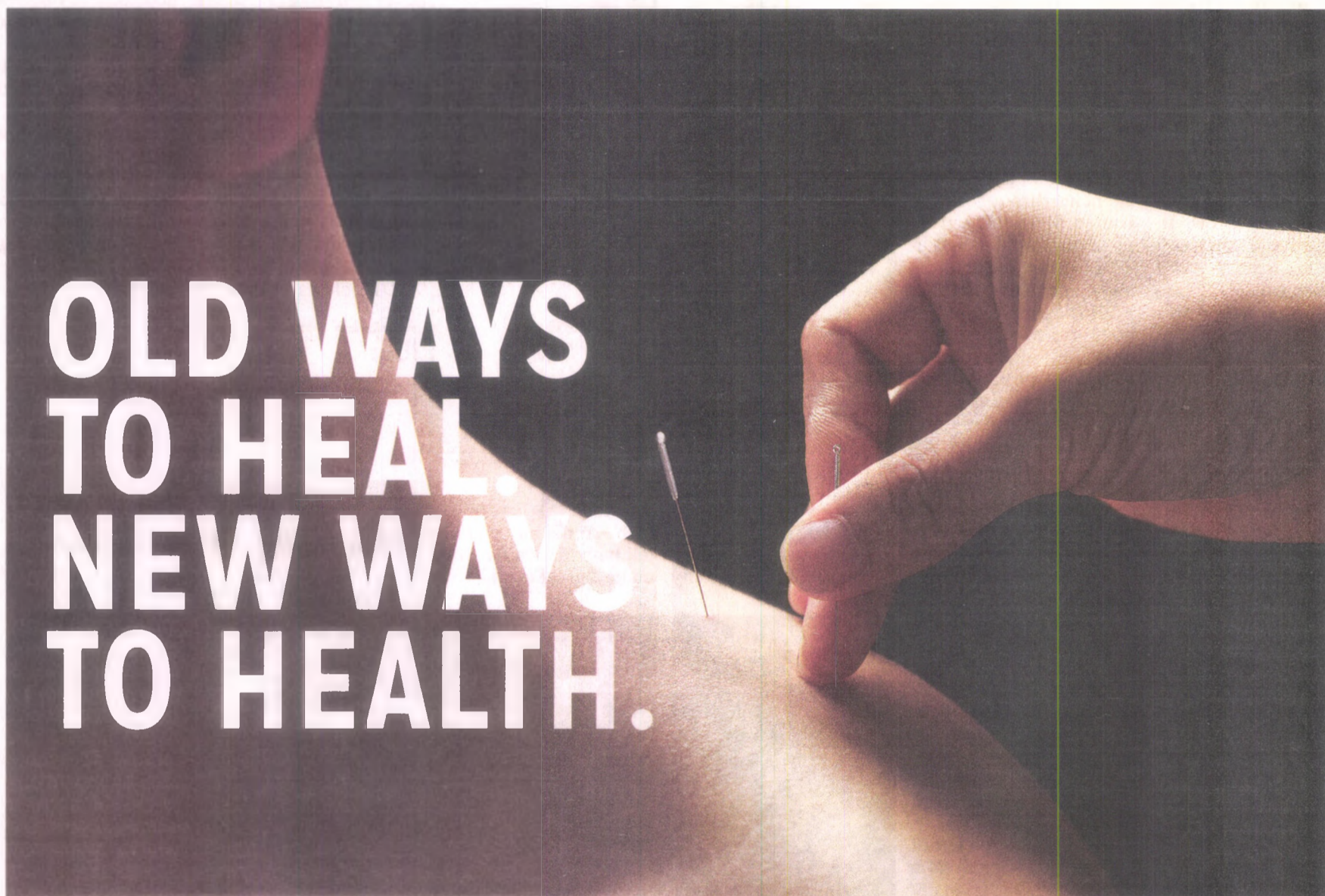
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## Grosse Pointe Park

## Theft from vacant house

A vacant house in the 1400 block of Devonshire was entered sometime the end of November and unknown suspects removed the hot water heater. The suspects also attempted to remove the furnace, but it became stuck in the basement stairwell.

## Tires taken

Four new Michelin tires were removed sometime overnight Friday, Dec. 4, from a 2011 Malibu parked in the 1100 block of Wayburn. Landscape blocks were used to prop up the car. That same night, someone attempted to steal four tires from a 2014 Chevy Equinox parked in the 1000 block of Maryland. The thief only got as far as removing the lug nuts from all four tires. Patio bricks, later determined to have been taken from a house in the 1100 block of Maryland, were found nearby.

## Glasses instead

Sometime during the early evening hours of Wednesday, Dec. 2, an unknown suspect attempted to steal an unlocked 1998 GMC from a driveway in the 1400 block of Bedford by tampering with the steering column. While not able to steal the car, police believe the same suspect also stole a pair of sunglasses, valued at \$250, from an unlocked Buick parked in the same

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driveway.

## Bike taken

Sometime between 9 a.m. and noon Thursday, Dec. 3, a woman's 21-speed bike was taken from an open garage in the 1200 block of Lakepointe.

—Kathy Ryan

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

## Grosse Pointe Woods

## Drone found

At 9 a.m. Friday, Dec. 4, an Anita Avenue resident found a drone on the ground outside a bedroom window. A few weeks ago, the same homeowner called police to report an unknown man taking pictures of her house. By the time police arrived, the man was gone. The drone, valued at \$250, is in police custody.

## Tires taken

Four tires were taken from a Mustang parked on Anita sometime overnight Saturday, Dec. 5.

## Get moving

A dispute with movers over the agreed cost for a move led to a shouting match and an arrest at a home on Van K the morning of Wednesday, Dec. 2.

When police arrived, a scuffle ensued with one of the movers and he was arrested and charged with disorderly conduct and resisting an officer.

—Kathy Ryan

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

## City of Grosse Pointe

## Over curb

A 23-year-old Detroit man with two drunken driving convictions on his record didn't make sense when a patrolman asked why he parked a Buick LaCrosse on the Mack sidewalk near Guilford shortly before 11:30 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 5.

"The driver stated he was rushing to the club to help his friend's girlfriend, who has been in some dispute," according to the patrolman, arresting the man for drunken driving.

Two male passengers, 31, of Eastpointe, and 34, of Detroit, were held on outstanding warrants from other jurisdictions.

## Suspended

A Detroit man, 35, investigated shortly before 11:30 a.m. Monday, Nov. 30, for operating a 1999 Ford van with an expired license plate, was arrested for violating 16

driving suspensions.

He posted \$200 bond for release.

—Brad Lindberg

Report information about these and other crimes to City of Grosse Pointe Public Safety, (313) 886-3200.

## Grosse Pointe Farms

## Scammed

A man, 67, reported being fleeced of \$4,000 in a timeworn telephone scam preying on grandparents trying to protect their grandchildren.

He received a call last week from someone impersonating his grandson needing money to pay legal fees and other costs related to a car crash.

The man complied with instructions to forward the money in the form of iTunes gift cards.

## Break-in

Police charged two Detroit men, aged 18 and 20, at 12:17 a.m. Thursday, Dec. 3, with breaking and entering for kicking in the front door of a house in the 400 block of Colonial Court, a dead end off Mack.

"(The male homeowner) looked out the bedroom window and

saw two subjects walking eastbound on Colonial Court away from the house," reported a patrolman. "The subjects were wearing a red hoodie and white hoodie. (The wife) stated that after the second kick to the door, she started to scream. (Her husband) called 911 to report the incident."

One of the men carried a screwdriver.

The suspects matched descriptions of two men reported earlier prowling the grounds of St. John Hospital & Medical Center across Mack.

## It's over

A man with a .23 percent blood alcohol level banging on the door of his ex-wife's dwelling in the 400 block of Manor was arrested on multiple charges, including disorderly conduct, at 2:42

a.m. Wednesday, Dec. 2. "(They) finalized their divorce today," reported an officer.

Officers described the man as "belligerent" and, because they found him behind the wheel of a parked 2008 Mercedes-Benz with its motor running, cited him for drunken driving.

—Brad Lindberg

Report information about these and other crimes to Grosse Pointe Farms Public Safety, (313) 885-2100.

## Grosse Pointe Shores

## Red light

A patrolman monitoring traffic shortly before 12:30 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 3, saw the driver of a 2001 Toyota nearly run a red light on Lakeshore at Vernier.

During roadside questioning, the driver, a

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# PRIDE OF THE POINTEES

◆◆◆ Katherine Case was named to the Dean's List for the spring 2015 semester at Colgate University. She is a 2011 graduate of Grosse Pointe North High School.

◆◆◆ Kelsey M. Flynn graduated May 2015 from Northeastern University in Boston. She also was named to the Dean's List for the spring 2015 semester at Northeastern. The 2010 Grosse Pointe South High School graduate is the daughter of Chris and Kathy Flynn of Grosse Pointe Park.

◆◆◆ Grosse Pointe residents Nicole Turkus and Alexander Kuhn were named to the Dean's Honor Roll for the summer 2015 semester at Lawrence Technological University.



◆◆◆ Grosse Pointe Park resident Brian J. McAllister earned a Bachelor of Business Administration degree August 2015 from Grand Valley State University.

◆◆◆ Michelle Lynn Karwowski earned a Master of Science in Physician Assistant degree August 2015 from Central Michigan University. The Grosse Pointe North High School and Northern Michigan University graduate is the daughter of Mike and Diana Karwowski of Grosse Pointe Woods.

◆◆◆ Grosse Pointe Farms resident Shane Stanton graduated Aug. 28 from Marine Corps Recruit Depot San Diego. Pfc. Stanton was a member of the Mike Co. Platoon 3269, designated the honor platoon for its outstanding achievements and scores in all exercises. He is the son of Julia and Robert Stanton of Grosse Pointe Farms and a 2011 graduate of Grosse Pointe South High School. He also is a 2015 graduate of Central Michigan University.

◆◆◆ Grosse Pointe Woods resident Lauren-Elise Brush has been awarded membership in Sigma Alpha Lambda, national leadership and honors organization, at Eastern Michigan University. The 2014 graduate of Grosse Pointe North High School is the daughter of Marie-Louise Brush and Bruce Brush of Grosse Pointe Woods.

◆◆◆ Alexandra DeCraene of Grosse Pointe Woods graduated summer 2015 from Miami University with a Bachelor of Arts degree.

◆◆◆ Rachel Forcillo was named to the Dean's List for the spring 2015 semester at Bates College. The 2014 graduate of Grosse Pointe South High School is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Forcillo of the City of Grosse Pointe.

◆◆◆ Grosse Pointe Farms resident Julia Grimm, a student at Denison University, is studying with the Council on International Educational Exchange Program in the Czech Republic. Grimm is a graduate of University Liggett School.

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## School board seeks to keep energy costs low

By unanimous vote, the Grosse Pointe Public School System Board of Education decided Monday, Nov. 23, to urge state lawmakers currently rewriting energy legislation to support and expand the opportunity for school districts to purchase electric supply at significant savings from alternative suppliers.

"Energy is a significant cost for our district, second only to personnel," said GPPSS Superintendent Gary C. Niehaus. "It is vitally important that we are conservative with our energy budgets to keep financial resources focused on the classroom. We're dedicated to working with our local legislators to support electric choice, helping our district continue to find real savings in our budget through free market competition."

School officials have worked to implement energy savings throughout the district, including participation in the Michigan School Business Officials "Energy Essentials" program, district-wide Green Team efforts and regularly sharing information with personnel about how actions of individuals — turning off lights, removing personal refrigerators and adjusting temperatures — impact the budget.

However, if energy choice is not available to the district, it is conservatively estimated the district will lose \$100,000 per year out of its budget, according to Niehaus. That figure translates to two teachers.

GPPSS supports the Michigan Schools Energy

Cooperative and its work for 325 school districts across the state. It saved members more than \$15 million in 2013 and 2014, thanks to electric choice. These savings equal \$35 per pupil for more than 540,000 students.

"Because of the work of MISEC, more dollars that would typically be dedicated to powering schools can be dedicated to classroom instruction and learning," said Diane Block, assistant superintendent for the Alpena Public Schools and MISEC president. "Without MISEC, schools across Michigan would be paying far more for energy in a fully regulated, noncompetitive market."

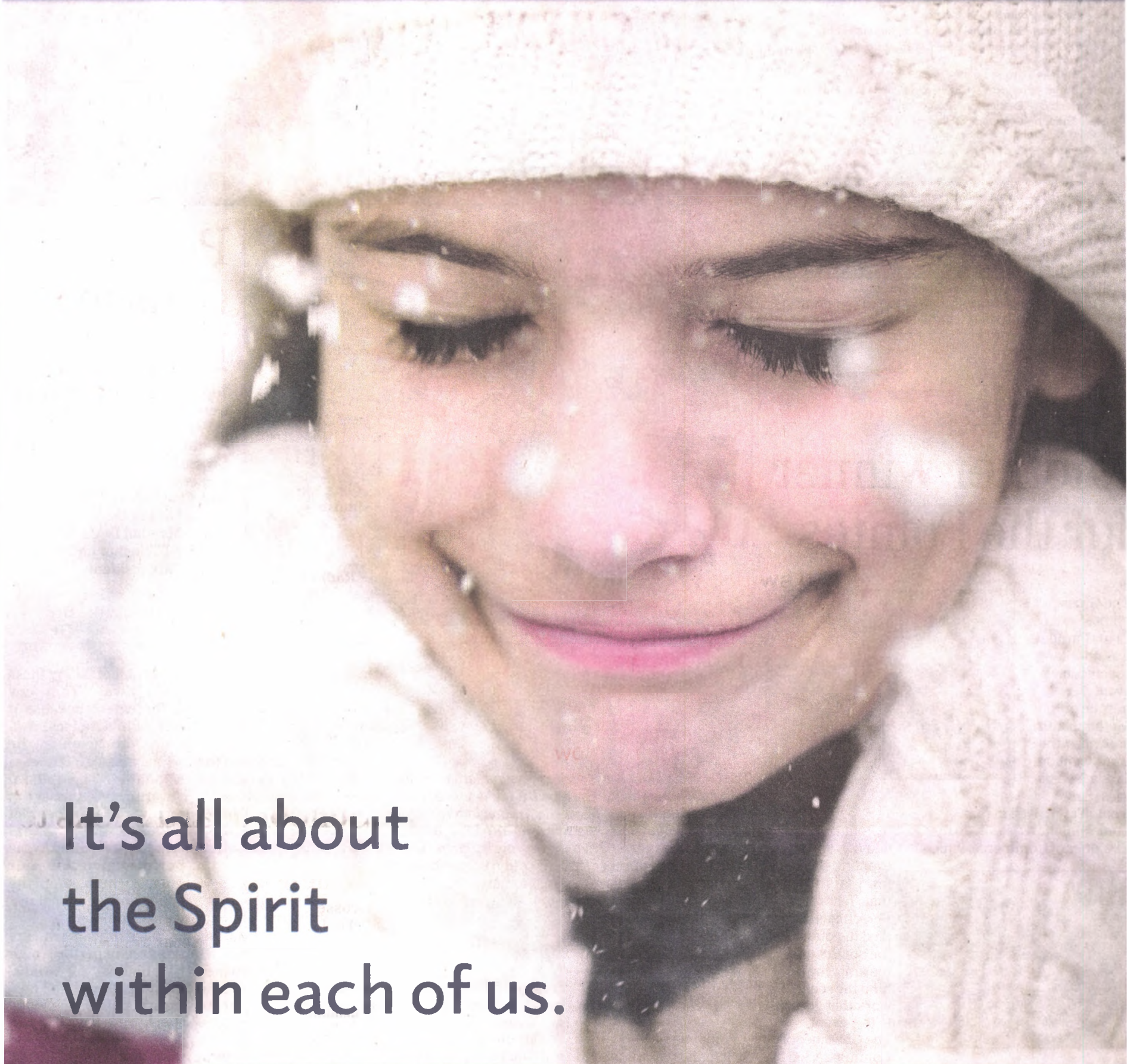
MISEC was founded in 1997 by the Michigan Association of Intermediate School Administrators, the Michigan Association of School Boards, the Michigan School Business Officials and the Middle Cities Education Association to purchase electric and gas supplies to achieve significant energy savings for Michigan's K-12 public schools and community colleges. Since its inception, MISEC has saved more than \$100 million in electricity supply costs for the districts it serves.

"It's an enormous undertaking to ensure energy costs remain low for schools," said Ray Telman, MISEC secretary/treasurer. "We strive to take the guesswork out of energy management for our members, at no cost to them. MISEC works to help ensure schools become more economically efficient."


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OUR VIEW

Parade another winner for the Pointes

The Grosse Pointe Santa Claus Parade was another spectacular event. In spite of Mother Nature's nastiness, the show went on, sans a few entries that wouldn't fare well in rain.



Congratulations, again, to the Grosse Pointe Chamber of Commerce, which has taken over the event for the last few years. Prior to that, Terri Berschback handled the duties, the politics and the amazing behind the scenes work that goes into this event, The Chamber of Commerce, led by President Jenny Boettcher, has taken the reins and they've done a great job.

Beyond the Chamber's work, many volunteers give time, money and parade-day efforts to keep the Santa Claus Parade something all Pointers should be very proud of. Congratulations to the Chamber and all the volunteers for their hard work. And thank you. Thanks, too, to all who marched and all who stood in the rain. It would be nice to control the weather and it's been all over the place each year. But it's still one of our greatest events no matter what.



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Pure Grosse Pointe

Top, Vivienne and Natalia Johr were very excited to see Santa at Woods Aglow in Grosse Pointe Woods. At left, City of Grosse Pointe Mayor Dale Scrace welcomes Santa and Mrs. Claus, along with Grosse Pointe Santa Claus Parade Grand Marshal Devin Scillian, a WDIV-TV anchor and Grosse Pointe Park resident.

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.

Owner responsible

Four-year-old Xavier Strickland was mauled to death in Detroit last week.

Human beings recognize when their conduct is wrong but animals do not.

Therefore any animal should be strictly isolated from human beings when

there is the slightest danger of aggressiveness or abusiveness.

Pitbulls are known to kill whether you think it or not. They are gentle to their owners but violent killers to others. If you choose to own any vicious or unreliable animal, its actions are that of its owners who should pay the penalty.

If your animal mauls a

human to death, the animal owner, should pay the penalty as if the owner himself or herself had done it.

Justice demands the owner pay the penalty for what their animals do.

MARY GHESQUIERE  
Grosse Pointe Farms

We are ready

Recently, the national and local media outlets have published reports that surplus U.S. tracked military vehicles and equipment, issued to police departments, have been ordered to be returned to the federal government. Hundreds of state, county and municipal police departments and SWAT teams rely on these armored vehicles to safely perform their missions. With the recent increase in violence in this country,

the action of taking these tools away from law enforcement because it can intimidate local residents and sends the wrong message is unconscionable. The federal government's message to local law enforcement should read: "What assets are required in the performance of your duty, to help keep the police and your local residents safe?"

Police officers who are required to perform high risk tactical operations, must be allowed the necessary tools in achieving their objective. I can assure you, the dedicated men and women in law enforcement in Grosse Pointe and Harper Woods, and all of their support staff, stand ready to serve their residents.

JOHN J. SCHULTE  
Chief of Police  
Grosse Pointe Shores

I SAY By Joe Warner

What happened to friendly Facebook?

A while back, my teen daughter gave me permission to stalk her on Facebook.

I already was, but I made her feel it was her decision, too.

She did this because "Facebook is no longer cool" and there are hardly any posts by children her age. Like most people my age, I still struggle with how it works, who sees what and why the heck my phone number was ever on there.

I've used Facebook for photos of the girls, work and personal events I care to share with my 170 "friends."

If you're on Facebook, you've probably noticed some politics lately.

The terrorism in France and California have fanned the flames of "everybody has an opinion about guns" and it's made for some awful reading.

It's filled with hate and love for President Barack Obama, Hilary Clinton

and their ilk. Alarms go off every time Donald Trump says something stupid and I even saw the Pope rapping the other day. Nothing is sacred.

My favorite part of Facebook includes posts where you either share it or something bad will happen.

One such post asked a simple question: Do you love your mother? If you "liked" it, that means yes. If you ignore it, you hate your mother and if you share it, you adore your mother.

That's stupid. I don't hate my mother, but I'm not going to share some dumb Minion question of the day. Sorry, Mom.

Another said if I shared the post, I love Jesus. If I ignored it and kept scrolling, Jesus saw me ignore him and knows I don't love him.

Really? Jesus has that kind of time? My prayers, time at church, years of

Catechism, perfect altar boy attendance and being a proud Christian hasn't been enough?

I hate Jesus if I don't share a Facebook post? Sorry, Jesus.

Another one said I should share "Merry Christmas" to see how many friends say it back. If they don't, well then what?

Many tell me to type "Amen" after I read it.

Why? To acknowledge a mother never stops praying for her children? Ugh. If I "like" and share another post, I will fight if war comes to American soil. Really? Is it a binding contract? Sorry, Uncle Sam.

Another said a sick boy needed me to "like" the post or he would die. That's right, if I didn't care enough to click the button, that was all for him.

I can't take the pressure. Why is it up to me? Shouldn't someone get

him to a doctor? He lives if I "like" the post?

Sorry, little man.

For me, there is great entertainment value in how politics will force me to dwindle my list of "friends." At some point, I'll want to enjoy photos of people with their children or their spouse, their dog or friends. I'll long for the happy stuff that used to flood Facebook instead of the negative, the rants and the crazies on both sides of the gun issue.

Thankfully, my mom, Jesus and Uncle Sam know I love them, regardless of my disdain for sharing stuff because I'm told to. I hope the little boy lived. That's a lot of pressure I don't need.

Someday, the lunacy will drive us all back to Myspace. The good old days.

Maybe that's where my daughter went.

Warner is the general manager and editor of the Grosse Pointe News.



**HONORS:**

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was down with a possible heart attack. Upon arrival, the officers determined the man did not have a pulse. Martel connected the victim to an AED device and administered a shock while Thompson began chest compressions. Their efforts resulted in the victim's pulse being restored. He was transported to St. John Hospital & Medical Center for further treatment and has recovered.

Thompson received a second award for his efforts in saving the life of a Woods resident who had collapsed in his

driveway. As the first person on the scene, he determined the victim was in full cardiac arrest and connected the man to the AED device. A shock was administered and Thompson began chest compressions, resulting in a pulse being restored.

The man was transported to St. John Hospital for further treatment and has recovered.

The officers were recognized by the city council at its Dec. 7 meeting.

"We have a lot to be thankful for and a lot to be proud of with our employees and our officers," said Mayor Robert Novitke. "All of our employees go that one step further. It tells you something about our city, doesn't it?"

**PARK:**

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Beaufait is in line with a city policy banning park-

ing in the first residential block off Mack. City officials remind diners and other patrons parking is available in municipal lots and along both sides of Mack.

**REPORTS:**

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23-year-old woman from West Bloomfield, was arrested for having a .193 percent blood alcohol level.

The level is nearly 2 1/2 times the legal maximum to operate a motor vehicle in Michigan.

**Sightseeing**

A carload of four 19-year-old sightseers encountered a skeptical public safety officer at 12:32 a.m. Wednesday, Nov. 25.

The officer saw them driving slowly and erratically from southbound Lakeshore to Provenal, into the dead-end section of Kercheval and back.

"(I) continued to follow the vehicle due to multiple

larcenies from autos and (stolen vehicles) in the surrounding area," reported the officer, stopping them as they returned to the intersection of Kercheval and Provenal.

The driver, a Warren woman, "stated they were looking at houses," the officer reported. "(I) asked how they were looking at houses at midnight in the dark. She said, 'I don't know.'"

Officers cited her and a female passenger from Mount Pleasant for possession of marijuana.

Two male passengers from Sterling Heights weren't cited.

Police confiscated eight grams of marijuana, a pipe and two grinders.

— Brad Lindberg

Report information about these and other crimes to Grosse Pointe Shores Public Safety, (313) 881-5500.

**THEFTS:**

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sumed stolen before the woman knew it.

"I advised (her) there is a spate of delivery thefts (and) if she has any more purchases arriving via UPS, to call and order a specific delivery date and time so someone can be home to receive them," reported a City of Grosse

Pointe public safety officer.

Detective Sgt. Christopher Lee suggested residents ship high-value packages for pickup at the parcel company's local outlet.

"A lot of people send them to their workplace," Lee said.

"Porch pirate" is an industry term for a thief taking parcels delivered to doorsteps.

Some tail delivery trucks, stealing packages

soon after they're dropped off, according to Gary Miliefsky, CEO of SnoopWall (snoopwall.com), a company specializing in cyber security.

"If they know you aren't home and that a package is scheduled for delivery, it's going to be easy for them to steal it," Miliefsky said in a news release.

Miliefsky gave additional tips to keep deliveries safe:

◆ Ask a friend or

neighbor to receive the packages.

◆ If a neighbor can't receive your packages and you can't get them at work, try Doorman (doorman.co), a service that arranges deliveries at a time best suited.

◆ Disable geolocation on your smartphone so thieves and hackers can't track your location.

◆ Aim a live video camera at your porch to spot a theft in action and alert police.

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## From the heart Lap blankets, gifts donated to veterans

By Jody McVeigh  
Community Editor

Some of the veterans at the John D. Dingell VA Medical Center in Detroit may be used to seeing members of the St. Paul on the Lake Catholic Church Knights of Columbus Assembly. The group visits the facility three or four times a year.

"We serve coffee and doughnuts to those who come off the streets and come down from the floors," said St. Paul Knights member James Victor, of Grosse Pointe Farms. "We try to sit down with each veteran who comes in and serve them, mostly to engage them a little bit."



Msgr. Patrick Halfpenny blesses the bags going to the VA hospital while Jim Victor and Charlie McGlennen pray along. McGlennen, a veteran of the Korean War, said he appreciates anything done to help veterans.

The Knights are taking their act of kindness a step further this month,

bringing donations of lap blankets, toiletries, candy and more to patients at the center.

"We wanted to do something for them different," Victor said. "We're not reaching many of them (with coffee and doughnuts), so we wanted to do something more."

With help from parishioners and assembly members, the Knights were able to collect \$1,400 in donations to purchase items for the bags. In addition to blankets and toiletries, each bag contains a Christmas card handmade by stu-

dents at St. Paul Catholic School.

Sunday, Dec. 6, following St. Paul's 10 a.m. and noon Masses, Knights members asked the congregation to help pack bags for veterans.

The 180 Christmas-colored packages are set for delivery — along with coffee and doughnuts — Sunday, Dec. 13.

"We'll take them down there, to the nurses' station, then the nurses will distribute them," Victor said. "I wish we could distribute the bags to each of them ourselves."

The 75-member Knights assembly at St.



PHOTOS BY RENEE LANDUYT

Jack and Frances Ring fold a lap blanket, one of many to be delivered to the John D. Dingell VA Medical Center in Detroit.

Paul is "not a big organization, but we try to make an impact," Victor said.

"It gives me a certain

sense of satisfaction," he continued. "I think it's my duty to help others and I gain this satisfaction from that alone."



James Nyquist bags a toothbrush and toothpaste to be donated to a veteran.



Ralph Fisher and Martha Victor tie up and trim bags filled with lap blankets and toiletries. In the back, Elizabeth Fisher also helps tie bags.

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2B | COMMUNITY

# Branch out this Christmas

## Holiday gift book trees offer giving alternative

By Jody McVeigh  
Community Editor

The Grosse Pointe Public Library offers what may be considered the perfect gift this holiday season.

"It's tax-deductible, zero calories and clutter-free," said Jennifer Bingaman, executive director of the Grosse Pointe Library Foundation.

For a second year, the library hosts its holiday gift book trees at each branch. Trees covered in "ornaments" are displayed throughout the month of December, inviting patrons to pull a tag and make a donation.

On each tag, patrons may write the name of someone they want to honor or remember. With a minimum \$20 donation, the library will pur-



chase a book for its collection, placing a bookplate bearing the honoree's name inside.

The library also offers pet memorials. Examples of bookplates may be found at [gplf.org](http://gplf.org).

"There are all kinds of ways we can accommodate what a donor would want to do," Bingaman said.

Patrons also may des-

ignate on the tag the branch and the department they'd like to receive the purchase.

Gold-stock cards may be filled out by the purchaser or the library to send to the honoree as well.

"The staff here knows what we need," Bingaman said of the gift purchases. "Librarians look at trends and know historically

what people like to read. It's best for the library to have funds to respond to what the community wants."

In its first year, the library "just about tripled the amount of book gift donations we get annually," Bingaman said.

New this year, the library is selling Pewabic Pottery tiles commemorating the flower in its logo. The tiles cost \$45 and have the year stamped on back. They may be purchased at Central Branch, 10 Kercheval, Grosse Pointe Farms. They also may be ordered online at [gplf.org](http://gplf.org) or by calling Bingaman at (313) 640-4683.

"If anybody loves the library or loves Pewabic or loves Grosse Pointe, it's pretty iconic," she said.



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Gift book trees like this are at all three branches of the Grosse Pointe Public Library this month.

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gently used or new outerwear in children's and young adult sizes are needed. Drop-off locations are:

◆ St. John Hospital & Medical Center, North/Main Lobby or

Professional Building One Lobby, through Sunday, Dec. 13 and

◆ 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturdays, Nov. 28 to Dec. 19, at Santa's Workshop on Kercheval in the Village.

### ART Center

The Grosse Pointe ART Center, 17118 Kercheval, City of Grosse Pointe,

presents "CHEERS!" featuring work by Linda Allen, through Thursday, Jan. 28. Call (313) 881-3454.

### Jardinieres

La Societe des Jardinieres meets at 6 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 10, at the home of Madeleine Phillips for a Christmas dinner party. After dinner, the group exchanges red or green gifts. Members have decided to make a Christmas donation to the Capuchins.

### Libraries

The Friends of the Grosse Pointe Library hosts its volunteer luncheon 11:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 10, at the Woods Branch, 20680 Mack, Grosse Pointe Woods. Call (313) 343-2072.

### BNI

Business Network International meets at 7 a.m. Friday, Dec. 11, at Christ the King Lutheran Church, 20338 Mack, Grosse Pointe Woods. Call Ryan Marier at (313) 638-7526.

### Ecumenical Breakfast

The Grosse Pointe Men's Ecumenical Breakfast meets at 7:15 a.m. Friday, Dec. 11, at Grosse Pointe Memorial Church, 16 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Farms. Joseph Reed speaks about Stephen Ministry. Call Eric Lindquist at (313) 530-8656.

### Rotary

The Rotary Club of Grosse Pointe meets at noon Mondays in the Fries Ballroom at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial, 32 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Farms.

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**Historical Society**

The Grosse Pointe Historical Society hosts a holiday open house 7 to 9 p.m. Friday, Dec. 11, at the Provencal-Weir House, 376 Kercheval, Grosse Pointe Farms. The event includes food, beverages and entertainment. The LaBelle Country Store will be open as well. Call (313) 884-7010.

**Assumption**

Assumption School, 22150 Marter, St. Clair Shores, offers an EV Sewing Saturday workshop 10 a.m. to noon Saturday, Dec. 12, for ages 7 to 14 of all experience levels. "EV Holiday Camp" students will sew gifts for friends and family. Cost is \$60. Call (586) 772-4477 or (586) 779-6111 for information. To register, call (847) 558-3174 or e-mail info@ele navictoriadesigns.com.

**Detroit Concert Choir**

Detroit Concert Choir performs its holiday concert, "What Sweeter Music," at 3 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 13, at Old St. Mary's Church in Detroit and 3 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 20, at Macomb Center for the Performing Arts in Clinton Township. For tickets and information, call (313) 882-0118 or visit detroitconcertchoir.org.

**Beaumont**

Beaumont Hospital, Grosse Pointe, 468 Cadieux, City of Grosse Pointe, hosts a free Art & Healing concert featuring members of the Detroit Symphony Orchestra at noon Monday, Dec. 14, in the hospital's lobby. Call (313) 473-1000.

**Toastmasters**

Northeastern Toastmasters meets 7 p.m. Monday, Dec. 14, at the Mary Ellen Stempfle University Center, 19305 Vernier, Harper Woods. Call Wendy Bradley at (313) 884-1184 or Ron or Marcia Pikielak at (313) 884-4201.

**Tuesday Musicale**

Tuesday Musicale presents its Christmas concert at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 15, at Grosse Pointe Memorial Church, 16 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Farms, followed by a luncheon at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial, 32 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Farms. Performers include organist James Biery, John Madison on viola and Kathryn Goodson on piano. A finale includes carols for congregational singing. Visit tuesdaymusicalofdetroit.org.

**SOC**

Services for Older Citizens, 158 Ridge, Grosse Pointe Farms, presents Avon Christmas Bingo with Audrey Bernier at 10:15 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 15. Call (313) 882-9600.

University Liggett School's lower school choir performs 12:30 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 15, at SOC. Call (313) 882-9600.

"The Second Best Exotic Marigold Hotel" is shown at 1 p.m. Wednesdays, Dec. 16 and 23, at SOC. Cost is \$2. Call (313) 882-9600.

## Grunyons, Noteworthy host holiday concert

By Jody McVeigh  
Community Editor

The holidays go a capella this season with the performance, "Christmas on Lakeshore," featuring the all-male Grunyons and all-female Noteworthy groups. The show is set for 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 15, at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial, 32 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Farms.

The Grunyons, whose 16 singers range in age from 27 to 70, take the stage first.

"We like to team up with our sister group, Noteworthy," said Grunyons member Philip MacKethan. "It's really us coming together for a joint effort."

The male a capella group started more than 65 years ago, MacKethan said, and its founder performed with the group

until he passed away a few years ago. Originally, members were primarily from Grosse Pointe, but now "our members are from all over," he said, adding rehearsals are each week. "We typically do private gigs and occasional public performances."

Noteworthy, billed as a "no fella a capella," was formed in 1978 and now includes 15 women from the Grosse Pointe area.

The group has opened for the Rockettes at the Fox Theatre, sang in the Detroit Thanksgiving Parade and performed at Disney World, among other large venues.

A short intermission separates the Grunyons' opening performance and Noteworthy's closing act. During the show, "it's all a capella music," MacKethan said. "You'll hear Christmas and secular music to get you in

the spirit for the holidays."

Tickets are \$15 in advance, \$20 at the door, and are available at Posterity: A Gallery, 17005 Kercheval, City of Grosse Pointe, or from Grunyon or Noteworthy members.

For tickets, call Posterity at (313) 884-8105 or for information, visit notworthysings.com or thegrunyons.com.

## GP Rotary Club hosts Assemble Sound founder

Garrett Koehler was the guest speaker at the Nov. 16 luncheon meeting of the Rotary of Grosse Pointe.

He was introduced by Bernadette Banko of the programs committee and President Fred Ollison III.

Koehler is founder of Assemble Sound, a collaborative effort to bring Detroit musicians together to produce and perform music. Assemble Sound recently purchased a 19th-century church building in Corktown, near the Michigan Central train station, to make into a meeting and recording space for Detroit musicians. The church was a natural choice, Koehler told Grosse Pointe Rotarians, as it is a place where people with shared beliefs traditionally get together.

Named among Crain's Detroit Business' "20 in their 20s," Koehler and his partner, Kevin Krease, raised \$30 million in pledges in an effort to get ESPN's X Games moved to Detroit. Although Detroit was among the

finalists, ESPN chose Austin, Texas, as home for X Games. A native of Chicago, Koehler moved to Detroit three years ago after hearing about the exciting things going on in the city.

"There's something in Detroit, maybe it's in the water, that has given rise to great music in Detroit," Koehler said.

Grosse Pointe Rotary meets at noon Mondays at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial. Lunch is \$20 and the public is welcome to attend.



From left, Rotary of Grosse Pointe President Fred Ollison III, Bernadette Banko of the programs committee and guest speaker Garrett Koehler, founder of Assemble Sound.

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## Ornament adds historic charm to holidays

The community is invited to celebrate the history of Grosse Pointe by purchasing the fourth in a series of ornaments from the Grosse Pointe Historical Society, this year featuring the water fountain in Grosse Pointe Shores.

Captured by photographer Robin Maghielse,

the porcelain ornament shows the functions of the fountain.

The story of the fountain begins July 21, 1913, when the Animal Welfare Committee of the Twentieth Century Club appeared before the Grosse Pointe Shores council to request installation of a drinking fountain for horses and dogs.

The group suggested the center of Vernier near Jefferson — later renamed Lakeshore — as a proper location for the fountain to be funded by the "Good Cheer Club" of the Girls Friendly Society.

The location was approved and the fountain installed April 15,

1914. In addition to providing water for horses and dogs, it featured a bubbler on the side for pedestrians.

Vernier's widening left the fountain dangerously close to the roadway. An automobile struck it in 1940, breaking the supporting rods and causing the cast-iron fountain to "explode" into its component parts.

The parts were gathered and reassembled and the completely restored fountain was relocated to the George Osius Municipal Park. When landscape design plans for the renovated city offices were drawn, the fountain was moved to a place of honor in front of the main entrance.

Ornaments commemorating this piece of Grosse Pointe history are available for purchase at the Grosse Pointe Historical Society, 381 Kercheval, Grosse Pointe Farms, during business hours, Monday through Friday, as well as 1 to 4 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 12, during Second Saturday.

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A Holiday Luncheon and Boutique takes place noon to 2 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 10.

more. Tickets are \$20. Santa takes place 7 to 14. Children wear their pajamas and bring stuffed toys and blankets to this event, which includes milk and cookies and Kris Kringle reading classic holiday stories. Tickets are \$12 per child; no charge for adults.



Bedtime Stories with Santa takes place 7 to 7:45 p.m. Monday, Dec. 14.


Breakfast with Santa is 10:30 a.m. to noon Saturday, Dec. 12, and Sunday, Dec. 13.



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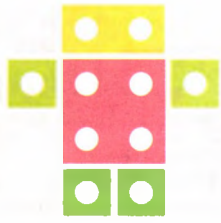
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"It's a great business and it's so much fun here," Funk said. "We

love dealing with unique people and styles and we help people feel good about themselves. It's very rewarding."

Funk said the owners and staff go above and beyond to help clients receive the best possible service.

"We want them to be comfortable, not only with what we're doing, but we want them to enjoy the experience of

being here," Funk said. "It's relaxing. We'll have hot chocolate, coffee or tea on cold days and people find it to be a peaceful atmosphere."

Funk said many of the clients become like part of their family over the years.

"We know about them, we attend weddings and events," she said. "They become friends and family to us.

Salon Tresor has a dedicated and experienced staff of 11 stylists, two assistants and an esthetician.

It's a full service salon offering hair care, spe-

cial occasion styling, nail services, Janssen facials, waxing, makeup and more. The salon carries a full line of Kerastase hair care products and Janssen skin care products.

For the holidays, Funk said a gift card, which is neatly boxed with a ribbon and bag, makes a great gift idea.

Facials, massages or a mani/pedi certificate is the perfect complement for a hair appointment.

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**A LA ANNIE** By Annie Rouleau-Scheriff

# A time to splurge

The holiday season is definitely a time to splurge. Everything gets fancied up — your home, your drinks, the food you eat. I'm splurging on my favorite go-to sandwich: grilled cheese. My gal pal Weezy says I make the best she has ever had: brie cheese grilled with cranberries and arugula on sourdough, smeared with parsley butter. It's yummy.

## Grilled Brie with Cranberries and Arugula

Makes 4 sandwiches

- For the cranberry sauce:
  - 1 12-oz. bag fresh cranberries
  - 1 1/2 cups sugar
  - 1 cup tawny port
  - 2 tablespoons fresh lemon juice
  - 1 teaspoon grated lemon zest

Combine the above ingredients in a saucepan and bring to a boil. Lower to a simmer and cook and stir for 20-25 minutes. Use the back of a wooden spoon to smash some of the cranberries during the cooking process. Remove from heat, cool for a bit, then transfer to a glass container. The cranberries will thicken as they cool. Store in refrigerator until ready to use.

To make four sandwiches you will need:

- 8 slices sourdough or other hearty bread
- 3 tablespoons soft butter
- 1 teaspoon chopped fresh parsley
- 1 8-oz. wheel brie cheese, thinly sliced
- 1 cup fresh cranberry sauce
- 2 cups fresh arugula

Heat a large flat skillet or griddle over medium-low heat. Stir the parsley into the butter then spread it over one side of each of the bread slices. To make two sandwiches, place four of the slices

buttered-side down in the skillet if you have room; otherwise, just make one sandwich at a time.

Arrange slices of the brie cheese over two of the bread slices and spread some of the cranberries over the other two slices of bread in the skillet. Cover with a lid for a few minutes. Arrange a handful of arugula over each of the brie slices, then place the cranberry spread on slices of bread over the arugula to complete the sandwiches. Continue to grill until golden brown on each

side. Transfer to a cutting board, cut the sandwiches in half and serve.

The brie and the cranberries are a match made in heaven while the arugula lends a peppery kick. The parsley in the butter adds yet another layer of flavor.

Turn these tasty sandwiches into appetizers by cutting the sandwiches into eight pieces each and inserting a frilly toothpick into each bite.

The cranberries have a long refrigerator life and may be used in other recipes.

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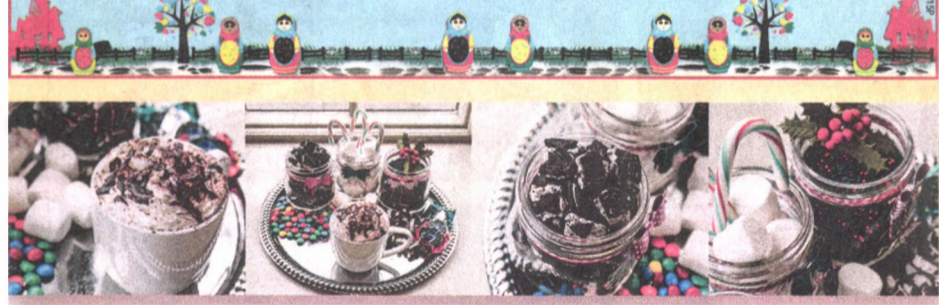
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ASK THE EXPERTS By Sean Cleland

# Protecting children from divorce

**Q:** I am considering a divorce, but am worried about the negative effect divorce will have on my children. What can I do to protect my children?

**A:** You are right to be concerned. Children of divorce are at increased risk for problems such as depression and diminished academic performance. If staying married is still an option, it will take collaboration with your spouse and counseling to improve your marriage. If the decision is made to divorce, it will also take collaboration with your spouse during the divorce to help your children avoid the negative effects of divorce. The best possible divorce for children requires both parents to remain in control over the divorce process and relies upon collaboration to resolve conflict.

approach to obtaining a divorce through litigation is not the best approach to divorce for children. Combative by design, the traditional approach discourages parents from communicating or collaborating. Conflicts are resolved by competitive negotiation controlled by attorneys and the court. This puts children in the middle of a fight the parents no longer control. When the divorce is final, the parents are rendered less capable of working together than ever, bringing conflict with them into their post-divorce family.

There are two alternatives for parents to the traditional approach to divorce through litigation: mediation and collaborative practice. Mediation uses a neutral third party, a trained lawyer mediator, who helps

educate and guide couples through all necessary decisions and documents needed to complete a divorce. With collaborative practice, both spouses are represented by attorneys who agree to work cooperatively and constructively to find a mutually acceptable resolution. Both methods keep the parents in control of the divorce, rely upon communication and collaboration and are proven to help parents transition to a post-divorce family.

Sean Cleland is an attorney/mediator with Cleland Collaborative Solutions, which assists couples to select the best option and provides full mediation, collaborative practice and litigation services. Cleland specializes in divorce mediation, divorce collaborative practice and family law.

He can be reached at (586) 876-9165 and is a member of the Family Center's Association of Professionals.

Read more Ask the Experts articles on a variety of topics online at [familycenterweb.org](http://familycenterweb.org).

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# GP native has book event

Grosse Pointe native Lisa Goich returns to the area to discuss her book, "14 Days: A Mother, a Daughter, a Two-Week Goodbye," 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 12, at the Grosse Pointe Public Library Woods Branch, 20680 Mack, Grosse Pointe Woods.



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Lisa Goich hosts a book signing event Saturday, Dec. 12.

Based on the author's experience of traveling home to visit her parents in December 2011, the book is a story of parental loss and how to let go of a hand you've been holding your entire life.

The book opens at Beaumont Hospital, Grosse Pointe, and closes on Christmas Eve, with Goich, her father and sister driving down Lakeshore, hours after her mother passed away, looking at the Christmas lights.

us to drive down Lakeshore and we wanted to honor that for my mom and her memory."

Goich is an award-winning copywriter, major market talk radio host, blogger, journalist and former stand-up comedian. She graduated from Central Michigan

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# Artist hosts book signing

Artist Jack Frakes worked in print and television advertising as an art and creative director from the 1960s through part of the '90s, so creating cards was an easy design project for the now-retired Grosse Pointe Park resident.



After much encouragement from those who've collected his cards over the years, Frakes recently self-published a book, "The Carol of the Animals," featuring 47 of the 55 Christmas cards he's done. The hardcover book, filled with whimsical color illustrations, is "dedicated to the speechless animals, who, could they talk, would no doubt have a lot to say."

A newlywed at the time, Frakes remembers thinking it would be nice to create a card to celebrate his first Christmas with his wife, Kathy. So he designed, wrote and illustrated one with a caricature of the pair on the front, then silk-screened 25 copies to send to friends and relatives. The card was so well received, he decided to do another the following year, after which it became a part of

their holiday tradition with a production count that quickly grew to around 350 when he added co-workers to the list.

After several years of making individual cards, he ended up creating the 12 days of Christmas as a series. Later he did another series, "Blessings," based on an original 12-line verse he wrote and another series he called "Joy."

The book is for sale at the Grosse Pointe ART Center, 17118 Kercheval, City of Grosse Pointe. From 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 13, Frakes will be at the center signing books. Visit [grossepointeartcenter.org](http://grossepointeartcenter.org) or call (313) 881-3454.

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University and has worked for several corporations in the literary and entertainment business.

As a talk radio host and producer, Goich has worked for KFI in Los

Angeles and WJR in Detroit. She currently is senior project manager for the jazz and comedy genres of the Grammy Awards.

Her first book, "The Breakup Diary," was published in 2002. Goich lives in Los Angeles with her husband, musician Teddy Andreadis, and their four rescue dogs.

This is a free event sponsored by the Friends of the Grosse Pointe Public Library. Space is limited; register at [gplibraryfriends.org](http://gplibraryfriends.org) or call (313) 343-2074, Ext. 204.

### CITY OF HARPER WOODS WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN SYNOPSIS: REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING NOVEMBER 16, 2015

The regular City Council meeting was called to order by Mayor Kenneth A. Poynter at 7:00 P.M.

**ROLL CALL:** All Councilpersons were present.

#### MOTIONS PASSED

- 1) To receive, approve and file the minutes of the regular City Council meeting held November 2, 2015 and the Special Council meeting held November 9, 2015.
- 2) To adjourn to executive session for the purpose of discussing a Collective Bargaining matter and to consider contents of a settlement strategy for the Michigan Tax Tribunal.
- 3) To add to the agenda the approval of a Letter of Agreement between the City of Harper Woods and the Harper Woods Fire Fighters Association, Local 1188.
- 4) That the agenda of the regular City Council meeting having been acted upon, the meeting is hereby adjourned at 9:04 p.m.

#### RESOLUTION PASSED

- 1) To approve the following items on the Consent Agenda: (1) Approve the Accounts Payable/Payroll Vendor listing for Check Numbers 106982 through 107113 in the amount of \$198,126.12 as submitted by the City Manager and Finance Director, and further, authorize the Mayor and City Clerk to sign the listing. (2) Approve payment to SafeBuilt, Inc. in the amount of \$30,179.95 for the contractual building department services performed during the month of October 2015. (3) Approve payment to Anderson, Eckstein & Westrick, Inc. in the amount of \$26,331.30 for professional services during the month of October 2015 for the following projects: 2016 Gas Main Replacements, #180-168; 2015 Emergency Concrete Repair, #180-170; Water System Reliability Study, #180-171; SRF SCIPP, #180-118; SRF Open Cut Repairs, #180-119; SRF FCIPP, #118-117; 2015 CDBG ADA Ramp Replacement, #180-173 and the 2016 TIP - Beaconsfield Recon, #180-174. (4) Approve payment to Nu Appearance Maintenance, Inc. in the amount of \$5,626.00 for contractual lawn cutting and leaf pickup in various areas of the City, including City Hall, the annexes, Library and the Parks. (5) Approve payment to Michigan Department of Environmental Quality in the amount of \$5,237.59 for the 2016 annual water supply fee. (6) Approve payment to Badger Meter, Inc. in the amount of \$5,847.93 for the purchase of new 5/8" Orion automatic read water meters and replacement tops. (7) To appoint Mr. Gowana Mancill to the Library Board for an unexpired term ending January 2018.
- 2) To approve payment to Fiore Enterprises, LLC in the amount of \$24,186.00 for Progress Payment No. 2 on the 2015 Concrete Pavement Repair Program, #180-170.
- 3) Approve the transfer of \$291,014.04 for delinquent Water and Sewer bills, \$118,109.15 for Miscellaneous City Services, \$10,952.25 for Special Pickups and \$3,165.00 for Meter Replacements (total of \$423,240.44) to the 2015 Winter Tax Roll as proposed and submitted by the Finance Director/Treasurer.
- 4) To approve the Letter of Agreement between the City of Harper Woods and the Harper Woods Fire Fighter's Association, Local 1188 regarding Retirement Pension Plan and further to authorize the Mayor to sign the agreement.

Kenneth A. Poynter, Mayor

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The Grosse Pointe Chamber of Commerce sponsors **Deck the Store – Holiday Decorating Contest** and the stores will be beautifully decorated. We want *you* to have some creative fun. Use the storefront below and design, draw and color.

This contest is open to children up to age 12.  
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10B | CHURCHES

PASTOR'S CORNER By the Rev. Edward Dunn

# The practice of hospitality

The tradition of Las Posadas is part of Christmas celebrations in communities of Mexico and the southwestern United States commemorating the journey of Joseph and Mary to Bethlehem and their search for shelter. For nine nights, beginning Dec. 16, children and adults assume the identities of Mary and Joseph or the innkeepers. As the weary travelers make their way from house to house looking for shelter, Joseph calls out, "In heaven's name, good inhabitants, give some travelers shelter tonight." At each house comes the response, "This is not an inn; move

on — I cannot open lest you be a scoundrel."

This scene is reenacted for eight days leading up to Christmas Eve when a kindly innkeeper offers the couple all that is left — the shelter of a stable. It is there Jesus is born. The celebration of posada begins: song and dance, food and drink shared by the community reminding them God often comes to us as a stranger.

Las Posadas celebrates the gift of hospitality — welcoming those we know and love, providing space for the stranger and valuing the gifts of the stranger. The stranger we meet may include those who are

homeless, those who are refugees, those whose lives are different than what society demands. The stranger may even be someone we know well but from whom we are estranged.

In recent months and weeks there have been numerous news stories about refugees and the response of nations around the world to strangers looking for posada. How will we respond to those who seek shelter in our nation? What can we offer to those who need shelter in our community?

Thomas Ogletree wrote: "To offer hospitality to a stranger is to welcome something new, unfamiliar and unknown into our life-world .... Strangers have stories to tell which we have never heard before, stories which can redirect our seeing and stimulate our imaginations."

The holiday season is one of story and welcome. May we find blessings in abundance as we offer and receive the gift of hospitality.

Dunn is the pastor at Grosse Pointe Woods Presbyterian Church.

# St. Michael's celebrates holidays with bake sale

St. Michael's Episcopal Church, 20475 Sunningdale Park, Grosse Pointe Woods, announces its fifth annual "Sweet Noels" holiday bake sale 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 12, featuring homemade candies, cookies, baked goods and other treats for purchase.

Also, shoppers are invited to visit the church's Little Thrift Shop and Christmas Boutique, which will be open throughout the bake sale. In addition to Little Thrift Shop's regular shopping, the boutique features holiday clothes, decorations, ornaments, servingware,



COURTESY PHOTO

Some of this year's bakers are, front row from left, Carolyn Skaff, Karen McCarthy, Sally Graham, Gayle Peller and Fiona Flynn; and second row from left, Mary Scrae, Elly Garzel, Jeanne Flynn and Kathie Groschner.

toys and more. The shop is open 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Wednesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Saturday. Holiday items only are half off beginning Saturday, Dec. 26. Call (313) 884-4820.

## CHURCH EVENTS

### United Methodist

Grosse Pointe United Methodist Church, 211 Moross, Grosse Pointe Farms, hosts its Cookie Mart 10 a.m. to noon Saturday, Dec. 12. Thousands of homemade cookies and other treats are available for purchase. Proceeds support mission work.

### Memorial Church

Grosse Pointe Memorial Church, 16 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Farms, presents a holiday

sing-along at 2:15 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 13, followed by a Detroit Chamber Winds & Strings holiday brass concert with the Metropolitan Detroit Chorale at 3 p.m. Tickets are \$35 for adults, \$30 for seniors and \$10 for students. Call (248) 559-2095 or visit detroit chamberwinds.org.

### First English

The Grosse Pointe Community Chorus presents its 63rd annual holiday concert, "Star Light,

Star Bright," at 3:30 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 13, at First English Evangelical Lutheran Church, 800 Vernier, Grosse Pointe Woods. Tickets are \$12 for adults in advance, \$15 at the door and \$5 for ages 12 and younger. Visit [grossepointecomcommunitychorus.org](http://grossepointecomcommunitychorus.org) or call (313) 882-2482.

### Christ Church

Christ Church Grosse Pointe, 61 Grosse Pointe Blvd., Grosse Pointe Farms, presents Handel's "Messiah," at 4:30 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 13, featuring the Christ Church chorale, soloists and orchestra. Cost is \$25. Call (313) 885-4841.

### City of Grosse Pointe Woods, Michigan

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council will be considering the following proposed ordinance for a second reading at its meeting scheduled for Monday, December 21, 2015, at 7:30 p.m. in the Council Room of the Municipal Building. The proposed ordinance is available for public inspection at the Municipal Building, 20025 Mack Plaza, between 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. The above Council meeting is open to the public. All interested persons are invited to attend.

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 50 ZONING, SEC. 50-526 ACCESSORY BUILDINGS, BY ADDING REQUIREMENTS FOR PERMITS, CONCRETE SLABS AND RATWALLS**

Lisa Kay Hathaway, CMMC/MMC  
City Clerk

G.P.N.: 12/10/2015

# WORSHIP SERVICES

**Jefferson Avenue Presbyterian Church**  
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**Sunday, December 13, 2015**  
10:30 a.m. Worship Service  
Meditation: "Mary: God's Exultation of the Humble"  
Scripture: Luke 1:26-56 selected verses  
The Rev. Dr. Nancy De Vries, Preaching  
Church School: Crib - 5th Grade

**Save the Date:**  
Community Chorus of Detroit presents "Handel's Messiah"  
Friday, December 11 - 7:30 p.m. and Saturday, December 12 - 4:00 p.m.  
For tickets and info, call the Church office

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**SUNDAY**  
8:15 & 10:45 a.m. - Worship Service  
9:30 a.m. - Adult Bible Study  
10:45 a.m. - Sunday School

**MONDAY**  
7 p.m. - Worship Service  
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10:45 am Christian Education

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**Dec. 13 10:30am: Christmas Cantata**  
J. Sebastian Bach's "Ich freue mich in dir"  
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**Dec. 20 5:30pm: "Longest Night"**  
A service of reflection and remembrance

**Dec. 24 Christmas Eve Candlelight Services at 5:30pm and 11:00pm**

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Recitals following the 12:10 p.m. Eucharist Service.  
Dec. 10: Organ Music of Bach, Walther & Mendelssohn  
Dec. 17: The Three Chorals of César Franck  
A light luncheon will be served following the recitals.

**Christmas Eve Services, December 24**  
12:10, 7:30 & 11:00pm Holy Communion Services

**The First Sunday After Christmas, December 27**  
8:30am-The Holy Communion  
The 11:00 o'clock service will be the Annual Festival of Lessons and Carols for Christmastide.

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Sunday — 8:30 and 11:15 a.m.

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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.

## Ralph D. Newa

Ralph D. Newa, 78, died Thursday, Dec. 3, 2015.

He was the beloved husband of Marilyn; loving father of Shari Newa-Hart, Glenn Newa (Christine), Kenneth Newa (Kristin) and Melissa Lewis (Jim) and cherished grandfather of Alyssa, Erica, Jack, Ryan, Kelsey, Claire, Nathaniel and Paul.

A funeral Mass was celebrated Dec. 9, at Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic Church, Grosse Pointe Woods.

Donations may be made to Services for Older Citizens, 158 Ridge Road, Grosse Pointe Farms, MI 48236 or the American Heart Association, 27777 Franklin Road, Suite 1150, Southfield, MI 48034.

## Connie Ausherman

Former Grosse Pointe Park resident Connie Ausherman, 91, died peacefully Wednesday, Dec. 2, 2015.

Born Constance Denise Constant July 29, 1924, to Dean "Gus" and Rita Constant, she attended St. Joseph Academy and Michigan State University. Her parents became restaurateurs and Connie supported their endeavor by waiting tables and saving coins from her efforts.

Connie married Melvin Formiller early in life and they had two children, Rita Formiller and Dean Formiller.

Connie's favorite hobby was making porcelain dolls. She crafted many beautiful dolls, which will be cherished by her family for years to come. She was an avid coin collector and was active with the Greek Orthodox church.

Connie met her second husband, Vernon Ausherman, at Cupid's Restaurant, which she co-owned and where she worked. She and Vern married July 31, 1965, and lived out their lives devoted to their marriage and mutual family. Vernon had two children, Vernon Jr. and Kathryn, whom Connie embraced with open arms.

Connie supported her husband throughout his career at General Motors, helped him become a lawyer at age 55 and then became a politician's wife when Vernon was elected to the Grosse Pointe Park City Council in 1983. For 20 years, she attended countless dinners and functions, supporting Vernon's work on the council, which ended when he died in 2003.

Connie remained close to her many friends and relatives, most of whom still reside in the Detroit area. She moved to Gig Harbor, Wash., in 2013. An outgoing person, she was quick with a smile or a hug.

Connie is survived by her daughters, Rita Formiller and Kathryn Giebel; sons, Dean Formiller and Vern Ausherman Jr.; grandchildren, Rebecca DeLaere, Constance Werthe, Rebecca Cooper, Jacqueline Esposito and Patrick Formiller; great-grandchildren, Vincent Esposito, Carter and Evan Cooper, Zoe Formiller and Alex, David and Kevin Werthe and many nieces and nephews.

She also is survived by her brother, Harry Constant (Lois).

A celebration of her life will be held June 4, in Grosse Pointe.

Donations may be made to the Grosse Pointe Park Foundation, 15115 East Jefferson, Grosse Pointe Park, MI 48230 or the Capuchins, 1820 Mt. Elliott, Detroit, MI 48207.

## Joan Baker Sphire

Joan Baker Sphire, 86, died Friday, Nov. 27, 2015, in Carlsbad, Calif.

She was born in Detroit to Merrell Emerson Baker and Helen Larkins Baker. She earned a Bachelor of Arts degree from Saint Mary's College, Notre Dame, in 1950 and a Master of Arts degree from the University of Detroit Mercy. She was an elementary school teacher at The Little Red School House in Boston.

Mrs. Sphire was a member of the Christ Child Society and American Association of University Women.

She is survived by her son, Raymond D. Sphire Jr. (Leslie); daughters, Suzanne Brock (James Jr.) and Catherine Shell (Jeffrey) and grandchildren, Samuel Sphire and Anderson Sphire, James Brock III and Clay Brock and Jeffrey Shell Jr. and Emily Shell.

She also is survived by her sister, Marilyn Baker Pelkey.

She was predeceased by her husband, Raymond D. Sphire M.D., and brother, Merrell Emerson Baker Jr.

A private memorial service will be held.

Donations may be made to Lewy Body Dementia Association, 912 Killian Hill Road, S.W., Lilburn, GA 30047 or at lbda.org.

## Evelyn Y. Sylvain

Evelyn Y. Sylvain, 80, of Harbor Springs, passed away Tuesday, Dec. 1, 2015, at Bay Bluffs Medical Care Facility.

She was born Aug. 31, 1935, in Detroit, to Joseph and Evelyn (nee DePaepe) Schrage. She grew up in Grosse Pointe Farms and attended the Academy of the Sacred Heart. Following high school, she attended Marymount University in Arlington, Va.

On June 14, 1958, she married James J. Sylvain in Grosse Pointe where they made their home until they moved to Harbor Springs in 1973. Jim and Evelyn both worked as Realtors and property managers. Jim retired in 1993 and passed away in 1998. Evelyn continued as a Realtor until 2008.

Evelyn enjoyed playing cards, especially bridge. She was a member of Holy Childhood of Jesus Church in Harbor Springs and a former member of the Emmet Board of Realtors.

Evelyn is survived by her sons, James John Jr. and his wife, Amy, and Joe and his wife, Kimberly; eight grandchildren and sisters, Deanna VanAntwerp (Bernie) and Cathy Ruifrok (Charles).

A funeral Mass was celebrated Dec. 5 at Holy Childhood of Jesus Church in Harbor Springs.

Donations may be made to Holy Childhood of Jesus Church, 150 W. Main St., Harbor Springs, MI 49740.

## Rebecca Lynn Kelly

Grosse Pointe Woods resident Rebecca Lynn Kelly, 35, passed away, Sunday, Dec. 6, 2015.

She was born Jan. 2, 1980, to John F. and Toni M. Kelly. Rebecca attended University Liggett School for elementary, middle and most of high school, but graduated from her beloved Grosse Pointe North High School, where she had an abundance of friends and joyous co-conspirators.

She graduated from Oakland University with a degree in communications after a term at Oxford University in England. She was pursuing a master's degree in education at Wayne State University. Rebecca worked in human resources research.

Wracked with painful and debilitating cancer, she maintained an optimistic and humorous outlook until the end. Rebecca leaves behind a legacy of her passion for Detroit and the institutions that make it a great city, as well as her friends and a grieving family. She died in the same hospital where she was born, St. John Providence.

Rebecca is survived by her father, John F. Kelly; sister, Dana Marie Kelly and many loving friends and family.

She was predeceased by her mother, Toni M. Kelly.

Visitation will be held from 5 to 9 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 10, at Chas. Verheyden Funeral Home, 16300 Mack, Grosse Pointe Park.

A funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, Dec. 11, at Christ Church Detroit, 960 East Jefferson, Detroit.

## Jesse J. Cardellio D.O.

Grosse Pointe Shores resident Jesse J. Cardellio, 80, passed away peacefully Sunday, Nov. 22, 2015, surrounded by his family.

He was born Oct. 29, 1935, in Settefrati, Italy, and immigrated to the United States with his parents, Assunto and Nunziata Cardellio, in 1939, and settled in Dearborn. Jesse graduated from the University of Detroit in 1958 and from the Chicago College of Osteopathy in 1963. He completed his residency in ophthalmology at Detroit Osteopathic Hospital in 1967 and began private practice at Bi-County Community Hospital, where he practiced until his retirement in 2014. He cared deeply for his patients, many of whom became lifelong friends.

Jesse was dedicated to his faith and to giving back to the community. He was a lover of the arts, especially the symphony and the opera in Detroit.

He was passionate about his apple orchard in Romeo, where he explored new ways to grow and harvest a wide variety of apples. His family and friends have fond memories of weekends at "the farm" over the past three



Ralph D. Newa



Connie Ausherman



Joan Baker Sphire



Evelyn Y. Sylvain



Rebecca Lynn Kelly



Jesse J. Cardellio D.O.



Theodore Alden Neesley



Mary Louise Danna



Richard J. Sharon

decades. Jesse was an avid sailor and raced locally on Lake St. Clair as well as in the Port Huron to Mackinac race.

Jesse is survived by his loving wife of 55 years, Patricia; sons, Mark, Matthew (Kathleen) and Jay; daughters, Kristy and Mimi (Charlie Bradley) and grandchildren, Nicolette, Sabrina, Alec, Lilly, Hannah, Tommy, Liam, John and Christopher.

He also is survived by his brother, Anthony Cardellio (Jane).

A funeral Mass was celebrated Nov. 28 at St. Lucy Catholic Church in St. Clair Shores.

Donations may be made to Vision Research Ropard Foundation, 39650 Orchard Hill Place, Novi, MI 48375 or the Capuchins, 1820 Mt. Elliott, Detroit, MI 48207.

## Theodore Alden Neesley

Former Grosse Pointe Farms resident Theodore Alden "Teddy" Neesley died Friday, Nov. 27, 2015. He was 35.

He was born Nov. 10, 1980, in Grosse Pointe Farms, to Christine Bohn Neesley and Robert Peter Neesley Jr. and graduated in 1999 from Grosse Pointe North High School, where he was a member of the sailing team.

Teddy was a former Bayview Junior sailor who sailed and raced extensively on the Great Lakes, East Coast, Florida and Caribbean. He also transported yachts.

He enjoyed trapshooting and spending time in the woods. He loved his cats.

In addition to his parents, Teddy is survived by his girlfriend, Adrienne Bogdan; sister, Carey

Grace Neesley and nephew, Patrick Peter Neesley.

He was predeceased by his sister, Michelle LaBudde and brother, Peter Collins Neesley.

Sailors of all ages gathered to celebrate Teddy's life Dec. 4 at Bayview Yacht Club.

Donations may be made to Bayview Junior Sailors Inc., 100 Clairpointe, Detroit, MI 48215; Out of the Darkness Walks of the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention at [afsp.org/out-of-the-darkness-walks](http://afsp.org/out-of-the-darkness-walks); or All About Animals Rescue at [allaboutanimalsrescue.org](http://allaboutanimalsrescue.org).

## Mary Louise Danna

Former St. Clair Shores resident Mary Louise "Al" Danna, 91, died Thursday, Dec. 3, 2015.

She was born Sept. 7, 1924, in Windsor, Ontario, Canada, to Napoleon and Leah Dupuis and graduated in 1941 from St. Ambrose High School, Grosse Pointe Park. She worked in food service management for the J.L. Hudson Co. in Detroit.

Mary enjoyed reading, cooking, baking, charity work, card playing and spending time with her family.

She is survived by her husband, Nicholas; sons, Robert A. (Sharon) and Nicholas H. (Ann); grandchildren, Bradley, Jon, Brent and Marc and great-grandchildren, Blake, Jared, Katie, Ava, Andrew, Sofia, Alexie, Greysen and Aiden.

She also is survived by her sisters, Bernadette and Theresa.

She was predeceased by her brothers, Wilfred, Lawrence and Charles and sisters, Doris, Ann and Evelyn.

A funeral Mass was cel-

ebrated Dec. 7 at St. Margaret of Scotland, Catholic Church in St. Clair Shores.

Donations may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 262 Danny Thomas Place, Memphis, TN 38105 or at [stjude.org](http://stjude.org).

## Richard J. Sharon

Richard J. Sharon, 81, died Friday, Dec. 4, 2015.

He was the beloved husband of Shirley for 60 years; dear father of Richard, Robert (Angela) and Debra Mann (Bob) and loving grandfather of Richard, Andrew, Stacy, Laura, Ryan and Lia.

Richard was a graduate of the Detroit Business Institute, where he earned a bachelor's degree in accounting. He retired from the Stroh Brewery Company.

He was an avid baseball fan and loved computers. Richard was a master of trivia and history. Most of all he enjoyed spending time with his family and his dog, Jackson.

A funeral service was held Dec. 7.

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**BOYS HOCKEY**

**LIGGETT**

## Tough win

By Bob St. John  
Sports Editor

The University Liggett boys' hockey team outplayed both its opponents last week, but finished with three of four possible points.

The Knights beat Macomb Dakota 5-3 on home ice last weekend and tied Wyandotte Roosevelt 3-3 earlier in the week.

"We played just OK and nothing special," head coach Mike Hamilton said. "We need to start scoring on our power play and get more physical out there."

The Cougars scored two goals in the first 1:16, leaving fans stunned.

The Knights came back to tie it, but fell behind 3-2 in the second period.

Senior Alex Minanov tied the game with a goal at the 8:14 mark of the third period and with overtime looming, senior Brett Abdelnour tallied on a rebound to win the game with only 19.9 left.

Adding an insurance goal was junior Jaron Pangborn when time expired. The puck crossed the goal line with



PHOTO BY BOB BRUCE

Liggett senior Harrison Wujek, shown in a previous game, played well in the Knights' win over Dakota.

less than one second left.

Minanov had the hat trick. He scored both goals in the first period.

Sophomore Mason Campau, freshman Caden Lewandowski, Minanov and Pangborn had two assists apiece,

while Abdelnour and senior Harrison Wujek

each had one assist.

In the Roosevelt game, Pangborn had two goals and sophomore Sean Detloff had one. Senior Nick Gawel, sophomore Spencer Stefani and Minanov also had assists.

Liggett is 3-1-1 in the Michigan Metro Hockey League and 4-1-1 overall.

**GROSSE POINTE SOUTH**

## Blue Devils battle tough Metro teams

By Bob St. John  
Sports Editor

Grosse Pointe South boys' hockey team crashed back to Earth last week.

After a huge win over city rival University Liggett, host Grosse Pointe South lost 4-3 to Detroit Country Day.

Head coach Bobby McKillop watched the Blue Devils come out flat and called a timeout midway through the first period to get his players back into the flow of the game.

It was 2-2 after the first period and they led 3-2 heading into the third period.

The Yellowjackets ruined the home game by scoring the tying goal early in the period and the eventual game-winner with 8:00 left.

Junior John Jordan had the start in the net and came out with 1:05 left to give the Blue Devils the extra attacker.

They had a couple of shots on net, but couldn't get the equalizer.

Senior Graham Ryan

had two goals and senior Will Poplawski one as South lost its first game of the season. Collecting assists were seniors Paul Boyer and Brendan Cauvel, and juniors Adam Cervone and Adam Pitters.

Two nights later South hosted another Michigan Metro Hockey League foe, Dearborn Divine Child.

The outcome was more to the Blue Devils' liking, a 3-0 victory.

Pitters scored two goals, including an empty net tally with 1:15 left, and Cervone had a power-play goal at the 10:39 mark of the third period to lift the home team.

Dante Valente was in net and posted the shut-out.

The defense in front of him was outstanding.

Last weekend, South traveled to Yack Arena to battle Wyandotte Roosevelt.

South tied 3-3 to see its record advance to 3-1-1 overall and in the Michigan Metro Hockey League.

Senior Griffin Brooks scored the game-opening goal on a power play, with Poplawski and Cervone assisting. Junior Jack Flynn pushed the lead to 2-0, but the Bears got one back to make it 2-1.

After a scoreless second period, the Bears netted two goals for a 3-2 lead, but with a little more than a minute left in the game, senior Mac Cimmarrusti deflected junior Michael French's shot from the point into the net to tie the game at 3.

The Blue Devils dominated the rest of the game and had plenty of scoring chances in overtime, but they couldn't get the game-winner.

Sophomore Cam Mills made 24 saves in net.

Coming up for the Blue Devils is the Liggett Invitational Friday, Dec. 16, and Saturday, Dec. 17.

South battles city rival Grosse Pointe North in the first game Friday, Dec. 16.

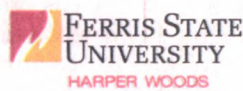
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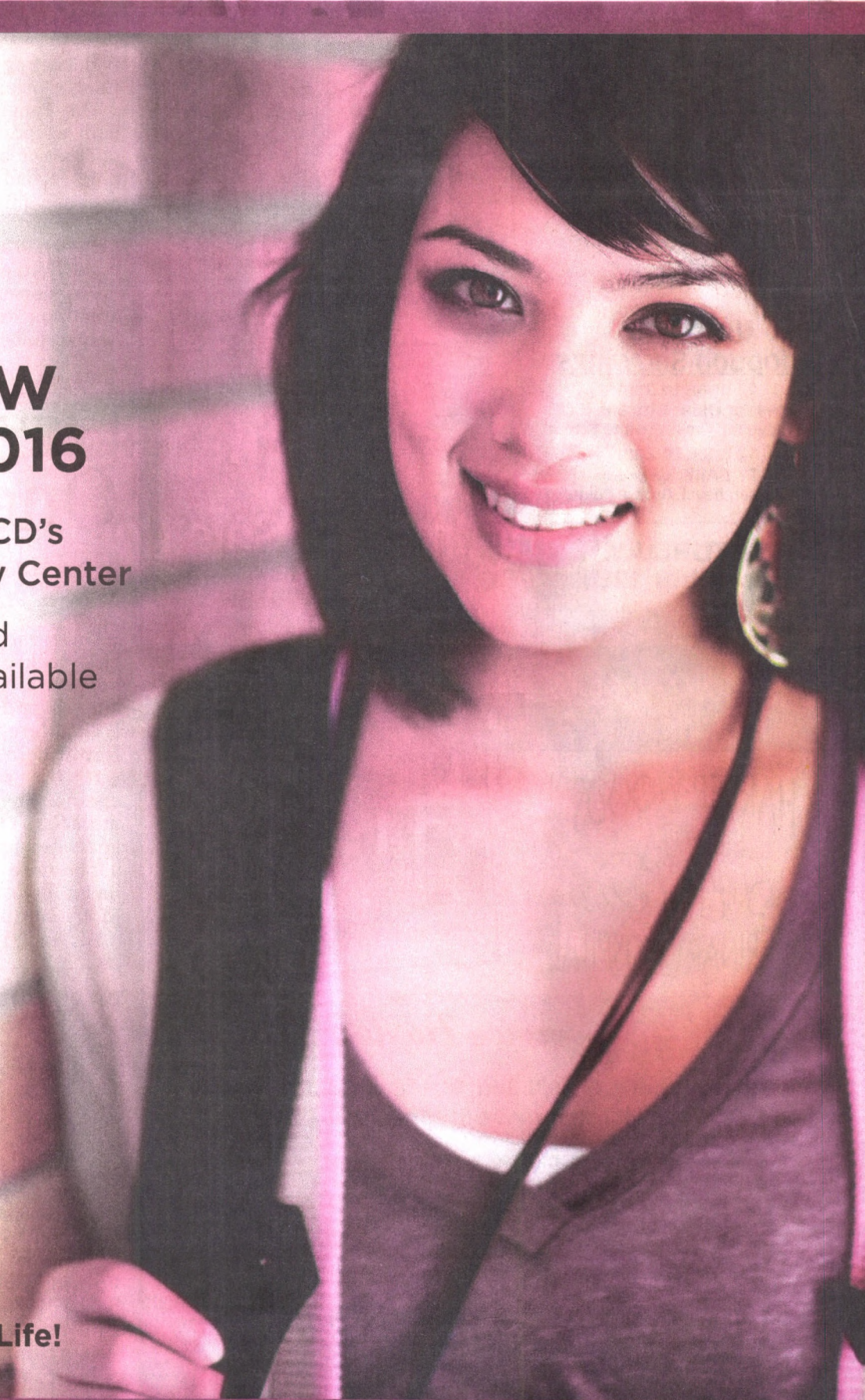
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## 2C | SPORTS

## Gymnastics

## GROSSE POINTE UNIFIED

## Gymnasts win

By Bob St. John  
Sports Editor

The Grosse Pointe Unified gymnastics team won its season-opening meet Monday night, beating Birmingham United 133.4-124.45.

The home team, under head coach Courtney Hamidi, swept the floor exercise, led by Isabelle Nguyen who had an 8.90.

Michelle Ellis had an 8.60, followed by Jen Gmeiner at 8.45, Emma Scott at 8.45, Chandler McClarty at 8.30, Elizabeth Byarski at 8.15 and Rachel Rogers at

7.95. On the balance beam, Nguyen won it with a score of 9.05 and Gmeiner was second with an 8.60.

Birmingham was third and fourth, while taking fifth and sixth were Grosse Pointe's Ellis and Brenna Bronwell with scores of 8.10 and 7.85.

The home team also won the parallel bars with Gmeiner taking the top spot with a score of 8.40 and Nguyen was runner-up with a 7.80.

The visitors took third and fourth, but it was Ellis taking fifth with a

7.35. On vault, Nguyen had a solid routine and scored a 9.35 and Gmeiner was third with an 8.50. McClarty and Byarski finished fifth and sixth with scores of 8.45 and 8.40, respectively.

In the all-around scores, Grosse Pointe finished with the top four scorers: Nguyen at 35.1, Gmeiner at 33.95, Ellis at 32.35 and Byarski at 30.95.

Grosse Pointe is 1-0 overall and hosts Tecumseh on its annual Alumni meet Thursday, Dec. 17.

## Boys hockey

## GROSSE POINTE NORTH



PHOTO BY BOB BRUCE

## Playing hard

Grosse Pointe North senior Adrian Quinlan and his teammates were in position to net their first win of the season last week as they were tied 2-2 after two periods with visiting U-D Jesuit. Unfortunately, the Cubs scored four goals in the third period to win 6-2. Senior Brendan Nelson and sophomore Austin Albrecht scored the goals. Last weekend, North lost 6-0 to Warren DeLaSalle to fall to 0-3 in the Michigan Interscholastic Hockey League and 0-4 overall.

## Girls basketball

## LIGGETT

## Knights collect split

By Bob St. John  
Sports Editor

The University Liggett girls' basketball team opened its season last week with a 41-35 loss to host Detroit Cass Tech.

The Knights trailed 20-15 at the half and lost the services of junior guard Nia Ahart throughout the third quarter and the opening minutes of the fourth due to leg

cramps. In the end, the Technicians made enough key baskets to thwart the Knights' comeback.

Ahart finished with 17 points and four assists, while senior Kendall McConico had nine points.

Senior Madison Jerome added 10 steals and six rebounds, including four offensive.

The Knights' defense was active collecting 21 steals.

Liggett also played Dearborn Heights Robichaud last weekend and prevailed 49-41 as McConico led the way with a double-double netting 17 points and 10 rebounds.

Ahart had 16 points, six rebounds, four assists and three steals as Liggett is 1-1.

## Girls hockey

## GROSSE POINTE NORTH

## Split

By Bob St. John  
Sports Editor

Senior Caroline Bock had a hat trick to help Grosse Pointe North girls' hockey team beat Northville 7-1 last week.

Senior Lindsay Gallagher had one goal and three assists, while sophomore Kylee Banaszewski added three assists.

Last weekend, the Norsemen played like they were in quicksand and visiting Plymouth-Canton-Salem won 3-0.

The Penguins scored midway through the second period and added a huge second goal just 13 seconds into the final stanza.

They had a power-play in the third period.

The Norsemen's No. 1 star was senior goalkeeper Amber Gieseckig.



PHOTO BY BOB BRUCE

North senior Caroline Bock, right, had a hat trick in the Norsemen's win over Northville.

She made several difficult saves to keep it a 1-0 game.

Grosse Pointe North is

2-2 in the Michigan Metro Girls High School Hockey League and 3-2 overall.

## LIGGETT &amp; SOUTH

## One up, one down

By Bob St. John  
Sports Editor

University Liggett girls' hockey team finally opened its season with wins over Farmington Hills Mercy, 2-1, and Northville, 5-0.

In the road game against Mercy, sophomore Kara Francis had a goal and assist, while sophomore Kate Zinn had a goal and senior Molly Murphy had an

assist.

Against visiting Northville Monday evening, senior Allison Stapleton scored two goals, while Zinn, junior Haley Malewicz and sophomore Olivia Yates each had a goal.

Liggett, under head coach Cassie Jaeckle, is 2-0 in the Michigan Metro Girls High School Hockey League.

## South results

Grosse Pointe South girls' hockey team began its season last week with a 4-2 loss to Livonia Ladywood.

The Blue Devils trailed 4-1 before head coach Joe Provenzano pulled his goalie for a sixth skater. It worked as Erin Brannagan scored to make it a two-goal game.

Grosse Pointe South fell to 0-1 in the Michigan Metro Girls High School Hockey League.

## BASEBALL

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The Dan Griesbaum Baseball School presents its annual Holiday Hitting Camp Monday, Dec. 21, and Tuesday, Dec. 22, from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. at Grosse Pointe South High School, 11 Grosse Pointe Boulevard, Grosse Pointe Farms.

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through six.

Seventh and eighth graders may attend from outside the Grosse Pointe school district due to Michigan High School Athletic Association rules.

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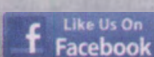


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## College basketball

## Madison wins battle of Ristovskis

By Sam Meads  
Special Writer

Three sisters went from playing basketball at Joe Dumars' Fieldhouse to University Liggett to now on a college basketball court.

Former Liggett stars Madison, Haleigh and Lola Ristovski took the floor against each other Sunday, Nov. 15, when the University of Detroit Mercy Titans hosted the University of Michigan Wolverines in front of a crowd made up of family and friends.

"It was an amazing atmosphere and experience with everyone there and a moment I will never forget," Haleigh, a UDM junior, said. "Thank you to all friends and family who came out to support the Ristovski family."

Madison, a senior at U of M, helped lead Liggett

to two straight Class C state final appearances and won Miss Basketball her senior year, averaging 20 points, eight assists and six rebounds per game that year.

In her sophomore season, she set the Michigan single-season record for three-point field goal percentage. She has been Academic All Big-Ten twice.

Haleigh was also part of the back-to-back state finals appearances at Liggett and was named All-State three times and won AP Class C Player of the Year her senior season when she averaged 15 points, 11 rebounds and six assists.

At UDM, Haleigh has played in every game and started in every one since the start of her sophomore season.

She averaged 9.4 points per game and a team-leading 7.1

rebounds per game.

Lola, a freshman at UDM, was part of the final state title run at Liggett in 2012 when she was a high school freshman.

Lola was Class C All-State as a junior and All-State Honorable Mention her senior year in which she led the Knights to a 20-4 record and a trip to the Class C semifinals.

Lola is still writing her college script as a freshman, but it's off to a good start as she is averaging 7 points per game through the first couple of contests and pushing for a starting spot.

Heading into the sibling showdown, Madison had bragging rights going 2-0 against Haleigh.

Haleigh came out of the gate strong with an early three which put the Titans up 6-4, but that lead didn't last long.

After Michigan took the lead, Lola came in and gave the Titans a big spark off the bench.

In a game where the Titans guards struggled taking care of the ball, Lola provided an extra ball handler and was the only Titans player who played more than 20 minutes without a turnover.

Even with her making major contributions, the Wolverines were too good inside, scoring 62 of their 88 in the paint, which led them to an 88-61 victory.

"Madison and I have always been really competitive and I really wanted to beat her, but we just couldn't," Haleigh said.

Madison had an efficient game, going 3-of-4 from the field, scoring 7 points, with three assists in 26 minutes and according to her, she

won the "Ristovski battle."

"I won, I'm 3-0 the last three years against them and that's exciting," Madison said.

Haleigh played a game-high 37 minutes, not coming off the floor until late in the fourth quarter. She finished with five points and a team-high 8 rebounds.

"Me and Madison played each other before, but it was really exciting to have the little one here and I thought she played great," Haleigh said.

Lola was quick to point out she outscored her sisters, finishing with 9 points in 23 minutes.

"I had a great time and I got to guard Madison even though she dotted me in the eye (hit a three in her face)," Lola said.

Madison and her Michigan Wolverines may have won the game,

but the real winners are Loren and Svetlana Ristovski, their parents who helped put them in this position.

The amount of supporters in attendance is a clear sign of how loved these girls are and what they mean to the community.

"On behalf of my sisters and myself, I can't thank my friends and family enough for coming to the game and supporting us," Madison said. "It meant so much to the three of us and it was great to see everyone. It made the day that much more special."

The Titans are currently 3-4 and riding a three-game winning streak after a 81-50 win over visiting Salem International Saturday, Dec. 5, and U-M lost its first game of the season Sunday, Dec. 6, losing 74-47 to host Princeton.

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# The DIA pilots programs at St. Paul

By Mary Anne Brush  
Staff Writer

Teri John, director of the Detroit Institute of Arts education program, was looking for ways to develop new programs to engage young people. She approached St. Paul on the Lake Catholic School to see if teachers would be interested in helping museum instructors pilot new educational outreach methods and engage students with lessons using their five senses, according to Principal Tina Forsythe.

During the week of Nov. 16, every student, from kindergarten to grade 8, visited the DIA. The field trips were fully funded by the museum and DIA instructors coordinated lessons with St. Paul faculty members to integrate aspects of the school's curriculum into the field trip lessons.

The goal, according to John, is to get feedback from the teachers and students to improve and



COURTESY PHOTO

St. Paul second-graders look at a contemporary art installation at the Detroit Institute of Arts as part of a pilot program.

enhance the programs and engage students at a deeper level.

"We are trying to activate some of what they already know from their classroom or life experiences to help them connect with the art at a deeper level so that it will stick," John said. "We do a lot of partnerships with

schools throughout the tri-county area. This one in particular lets us play with some of our new engagement strategies and ... see if they work."

In the past, while all are welcome to come on a self-guided tour, the DIA has not given tours to kindergarten through second-grade students as

part of its education program. Part of the purpose of the pilot program was to experiment with younger students to explore ways to expand their services.

"We don't engage the older students in the same way we engage the younger students," John said. "For the younger stu-

dents we might read them a story that has to do with Native Americans, for instance, and then as we are reading the story, as any teacher would do in the classroom, we have the students look at the pictures and predict what may happen. And after the story, we ask them to wander around the gallery to see if they can find one of the images that was in the story, such as the sky or a bird. Then we talk about what we found."

Instructors take the same concept to a much richer and deeper level of engagement for the older students, John said.

"For example, you have five minutes to find examples of why the universe was of fascination and importance to Native Americans. Then when (the students) return with examples, you ask them why. It's coming at the same idea but in an age-appropriate way."

Second-grade teacher Christy Meyers said her students toured the mod-

ern art section of the museum and learned about self-portraits. Students were challenged to look for faces and parts of the face in non-traditional ways.

"To complete the lesson in the gallery, the students had the opportunity to create a modern art piece of their own," Meyers said.

"The first-graders absolutely loved their experience at the DIA," said first-grade teacher Ann Catalano. "There has been a lot of buzz about it, especially in their Writer's Workshop journaling."

Specific comments involved seeing the mummies, singing songs with a painting, being allowed to touch artifacts and the amount of walking required for the tour.

"The purpose from the DIA perspective was to give them a taste for what's there," said Meyers. "A lot of the kids said they wanted to go back so I think the goal was achieved."

# North and South students to explore global issues

By Mary Anne Brush  
Staff Writer

Grosse Pointe North and Grosse Pointe South high schools are preparing for next year with three pilot classes. On the slate for 2016-17 are exploring global issues through service learning, forensic science and an innovative studies series.

Exploring global issues, a semester-long elective that encourages a greater understanding

of the connection between global issues and local concerns, will be taught by Dan Gilleran at North and Crosby Washburne at South. Students will examine the issues through a practical and theoretical framework in a traditional classroom setting. This will be supplemented by a required civic engagement component coordinated by the Students Electing to Respond to Volunteerism

through Education operations, which has access to more than 100 community organizations.

"Crosby had been talking about it for a number of years," Gilleran said of the pilot class. Gilleran was already considering putting together a course on social problems as an expansion to his sociology I class, so when Washburne and Alicia Carlisle, director of SERVE, approached him with the idea, he was immediately on board.

"It's sort of a meeting of the minds of the North side and the South side," Gilleran said.

The two social studies teachers have known each other a long time. They met when Gilleran, a former television producer, decided to go back to school to get his teaching certificate at Wayne State University. Washburne, a teacher at North at the time, was his WSU instructor in a social studies methods class and helped him with his student teaching placement at North. Gilleran completed his teaching certificate in December 1999. North hired him in January 2000 for the following fall. Washburne, an 18-year veteran at North, is in his

fourth year at South.

With registration in February, the hope is to gain an understanding of enrolled students' interests and build commitment from organizations in the spring. The goal is to have 20 students enrolled in the class at each school.

"(The class) is something I have wanted to do for a long time," Washburne said. "I've seen a need as far as connecting kids with the world (is concerned). They are going to be entering in a different way than volunteering."

"This will be a very cutting-edge class," said Carlisle. "It is just now being taught in colleges. We may be the first high schools in the country teaching this class." Carlisle described it as "global issues infused with community service" with a goal toward creating global citizens.

Both Gilleran and Washburne draw a distinction between volunteering and what they call "service learning."

"If we're talking about poverty, we don't just want kids to go to Gleaner's Food Bank and volunteer for two hours," Gilleran said. "We want

them to go to organizations and build a relationship. Look at the organization. How do they approach the problems? Look at the background of the people who are working there."

The goal is to "establish a bridge between the classroom and community," Washburne said. "We're losing community."

Connections will be drawn between global issues, which can be overwhelming to a 16- or 17-year-old, Washburne said, and solutions that can occur on a local level. "The research is clear. You may deepen connections and better community if you are working towards a solution on things."

Connections also may be made among students in the form of triad sharing. For example, a student exploring literacy may team up with a student working on hunger and a student focused on environmental issues.

"We really want to stress how interconnected a lot of these issues are," Gilleran said.

Classroom assignments, such as writing a reflective piece, will make the experience more meaningful. "It's a learning experience

that's also a growth experience," Washburne said. "There's no standardized test for life."

The class also may foster connections between North and South students and open their eyes to the world outside Grosse Pointe.

"It's another bridge we're building," Washburne said, "but I'd rather have things work organically than be forced."

Said Gilleran: "Grosse Pointe is so often referred to as 'the bubble.' Sometimes you've got to pop that bubble and see what's going on."

## Other pilot classes

◆ The forensic science elective introduces students to a growing field while applying a variety of aspects from all major sciences to real-world events. Each unit involves an introduction to the science behind each topic and technology. Students will be asked to stretch their minds as they observe and synthesize data as well as solve in-depth cases and conduct research on their own.

◆ The innovative studies program consists of a series of three courses designed to be taken in sequential order: Innovative technology, innovative design and innovative creation. Collectively, these courses teach students how to think critically and problem solve in an information rich world, identify opportunities for improving local, regional or global processes and translate knowledge of the core academic content areas into practice and tangible solutions. Innovative technology, a rebranded version of a digital seminar offered at North for the past three years and at South this year, acts as the entry level course for the program.

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# Mineral Mania

Mineral Mania, hosted by Grosse Pointe North High School's radio astronomy team, is a family-friendly, educational event featuring minerals. The event took place Friday, Dec. 4, at North. Activities included a mineral spelling bee, gemstone dig, beanbag toss for minerals, crystal face painting and a planetarium show titled "Minerals in Space." Minerals also were available for purchase at "rock bottom" prices.



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Lauren Wenzler, Luke Wenzler, Cora Smith and Connor Smith examine rocks such as pyrite and galena.

## Week Ahead

### BANDORAMA

The BandORama Concert, held in Grosse Pointe North High School's gymnasium at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 16, features bands from North, Parcels Middle School and Ferry, Mason, Monteith and Poupard elementary schools. Admission is a donation of \$1 or more. Student musicians from grades 5 through 12 will perform holiday selections.

For more information, contact David Cleveland, director of instrumental music, at dave.cleveland@gpschools.org.

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