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## Woods looks to merge lockup

By Kathy Ryan  
Staff Writer

**GROSSE POINTE WOODS** — With a state grant and a signed contract in hand, officials are moving forward on plans for renovations to the dispatch and lockup area in the Woods Public Safety headquarters.

The grant, from the Michigan Department of Treasury – Competitive Grant Assistance Program for \$500,000, will cover the costs of renovations in anticipation of combining dispatch services and lockup facilities with Grosse Pointe Shores. There is a tentative agreement with Grosse Pointe Farms to consolidate lockup services, while discussions are ongoing regarding dispatch services. According to Woods Acting City Administrator Tom Colombo, discussions

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Above, City of Grosse Pointe Mayor Dale Scrace registers on primary Tuesday. At right, Ohio Gov. John Kasich on a campaign stop at University Liggett School. Full primary results are available at [grossepointenews.com](http://grossepointenews.com) and in next week's paper.

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## Kasich visits ULS on trail

**GROSSE POINTE WOODS** — Ohio Gov. John Kasich made a campaign stop Monday at University Liggett School and was greeted by a standing room only crowd. Kasich was in Michigan ahead of the presidential primary Tuesday. He was introduced by Grosse Pointe Park resident Andrew Richner as “one Buckeye we can all get behind.”

In addition to talking about his platform and what he would do if he was elected president, Kasich spoke directly to the several ULS students in attendance. “Have big dreams and reach for the stars,” he said, cautioning them to never put up with a bully.

“Telling a bully to stop can change the world,” he told them. “If you want to be a hero, come between a bully and the victim.”

Turning to his goals as president, he spoke of job creation, lower taxes and immigration reform.

“Get the wall up,” he said. Kasich was introduced by his wife, Karen, who reminisced about visiting an aunt in Grosse Pointe Woods when she was a child. “I always looked forward to visiting my Aunt Jeanette because I knew we would go shopping at Jacobson’s,” she said.

—Kathy Ryan

## Teen sleuth tracks stolen bike

By Brad Lindberg  
Staff Writer

**GROSSE POINTE FARMS** — Late afternoon Tuesday, March 1, a 21st century Nancy Drew detected her stolen bicycle being advertised for sale on Craigslist.

The girl, 14, of Grosse Pointe Farms, bird-dogged the initial investigation for her hometown police.

“It’s great to come across a

young adult using a computer for a good thing instead of threatening to vandalize a school,” said Chief Dan Jensen. “Maybe she can put in an application (to the department) when she turns 21.”

Investigators traced the seller to a 33-year-old man living in the 5200 block of Gateshead, 1 1/2 blocks across Mack Avenue on Detroit’s eastside.

His criminal record includes a warrant from 36th District

Court for being an unlicensed junk dealer.

“The photo of the bike listed in the Craigslist ad was taken in the backyard of (the suspect’s) residence,” said one of many Farms officers on scene.

The girl last saw her bike, a \$300 Giant hybrid, at 8:30 a.m.

She parked it outside the Grosse Pointe Public Library Central Branch on Kercheval at Fisher before attending class one block away at Grosse

Pointe South High School.

By 3:10 p.m., the bike was gone.

Within 1 1/2 hours, she found it pictured online.

Prompted by her tip, officers went to the Gateshead residence and arrested the suspect for larceny.

They also arrested his older brother, 34, on three outstanding warrants: failing to appear

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## Author looks forward to visit

By Joe Warner  
Editor

Award-winning author Sam Quinones said he’s excited to visit the Grosse Pointes to discuss his book, “Dreamland, The True Tale of America’s Opiate Epidemic.”

Quinones will be at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial 7 p.m. Tuesday, March 15.

The event is free and open to the pub-

lic. It will be moderated by WDIV-TV anchor Devin Scillian.

Quinones will talk about the latest trends in drug use and identify resources to respond to the epidemic. He will discuss elements of his book. He said the message is perfect for all communities, especially those where there may be reluctance to accept or discuss abuse issues.

“Many live with this, but few talk about it,” Quinones said in an interview

with the Grosse Pointe News.

“It was really shocking to see how widespread the problem is, but there has been an awakening in the last year. Many people know someone who has died of an overdose. And heroin is in small communities, often affluent communities.”

Quinones said many families affected feel they are going through it alone.

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# Butzel Long president awarded

Justin G. Klimko, president and managing shareholder of Butzel Long, received the Meritorious Service Award from the Association for Corporate Growth Detroit Feb. 9.

Klimko, of Grosse Pointe Woods, is a board member and secretary of ACG Detroit.

ACG is a global organization with 57 chapters and more than 14,500 members including professionals from private equity firms, corporations and lenders that invest in middle-market companies, as well as from law, accounting, investment banking and other firms that provide advisory services.

Klimko, based in the firm's Detroit office, has extensive experience in securities regulation, corporate financing, mergers and acquisitions, corporate governance and general corporate matters, areas in which he has practiced since 1980.

He has received numerous awards and recognitions for business law matters and is ranked

as one of Michigan's leading corporate and M&A lawyers.

He taught corporation law for five years as an adjunct professor at the University of Detroit Mercy Law School, frequently lectures and authors articles on business law subjects and has served as general editor of a treatise on Michigan Business Forms and as a contributing author for a treatise on Michigan contract law.

Klimko is a past chairman of the Business Law Section of the State Bar of Michigan. He serves as chairman of the section's Corporate Laws Committee, which prepares amendments to Michigan corporate statutes for legislative approval to keep Michigan corporate law current with modern trends and developments.

He also is a member of the Legal Opinions Committee, the Negotiated Acquisitions Committee and the Federal Regulation of Securities Committee of the American Bar



Grosse Pointe Woods resident Justin Klimko

Association.

Klimko is included in the publication "The Best Lawyers in America" and enjoys an "AV" rating from the Martindale-Hubbell rating system.

He is rated one of Michigan's top Corporate/M&A attorneys by Chambers USA Guide of America's Leading Lawyers for Business and is listed in Michigan Super Lawyers (Mergers and Acquisitions).

Klimko was the recipient of the 2009 Stephen H. Schuman Outstanding Business Lawyer Award from the Business Law Section of the State Bar of Michigan and was named Best Lawyers' 2012 Lawyer of the Year in Detroit for Corporate Governance Law, 2014 Lawyer of the Year in Detroit for Corporate Law, 2015 Lawyer of the Year in Detroit for Corporate Governance Law and 2016 Lawyer of the Year in Detroit for Mergers and Acquisition Law.

# Council opposes booze pit stops

By Brad Lindberg  
Staff Writer

**GROSSE POINTE FARMS** — The city's elected representatives raised formal opposition this week to possible liquor sales at the BP station at Mack and Moross.

Now all they can do is see if state regulators salute.

A united Grosse Pointe Farms council agreed Monday, March 7, to present the Michigan Liquor Control Commission a resolution challenging the transfer of a liquor license to the 24-hour service station on the Detroit border.

A draft of the resolution cites threats to public safety and community welfare:

◆ "The location requires frequent public safety response for vagrancy, shoplifting and related crimes. Statistics show establishments holding (liquor) licenses have an even higher rate of public safety calls for service. We do not want to exacerbate an existing problem."

◆ The station is near Kerby Field, a community service district with playgrounds for youth sports.

◆ The area already has three businesses selling alcohol. "We do not want to flood the area so close to a community service district with an additional outlet that, by our understanding, hopes to sell alcohol well after these other retailers have closed."

## Pushing back

Farms officials intend to impose restrictions on liquor sales, assuming the state approves the license transfer.

Options already discussed include withdrawing a zoning exemption allowing the

station to operate 24 hours.

Commercial activity in the area is normally allowed 6 a.m. to midnight.

## New owners

Three brothers, partnered as the Barbat Organization, based in Oakland County, bought the station recently from a Grosse Pointe Shores resident.

The Barbats want to add beer, wine and liquor to the lobby convenience store.

Commissioners are expected to rule on the license transfer this month, according to Farms City Attorney William Burgess.

The resolution capped failed negotiations with the brothers during two open council sessions since late January to limit hours of liquor sales at a business already leading the city in requests for police response.

"The applicant continues to desire to work with the Farms in terms of the nature of restrictions that have been discussed," Burgess told the council this week. "Procedurally, I think that's down the road."

One brother, Scott Barbat, told the council last month he wanted a third meeting to "come to some sort of agreement" before Farms officials flagged disapproval to the state.

He told the council, "Maybe another meeting — not a public meeting."

## No shows

Despite requesting a meeting, none of the new owners attended Monday's session, open to the public.

In an undated letter to council on behalf of the organization, brother

Christopher Barbat backed out citing a Feb. 25 Grosse Pointe News account of Councilman Louis Theros criticizing the brothers' "bait and switch" negotiating style.

"If the council felt that our intention was to 'bait and switch' our initial proposal," Christopher Barbat wrote, "it is only because we initially proposed guidelines which were not intended to be followed in the form of a restrictive covenant in perpetuity which we would have been agreeable to a compromise and agree to if our lender approved."

## Garage a goner?

The Grosse Pointe News also indirectly cited Scott Barbat saying "this month," — meaning February as opposed to the January meeting — the station's triple-bay auto repair garage may be transformed into a Dunkin' Donuts franchise.

"To state that the auto facility will close this month is simply false," Christopher Barbat wrote, misreading the News' February reference. "Dunkin' Donuts was mentioned as a hypothetical situation 10 or 15 years in the future."

During the February meeting, however, Scott Barbat explained the repair shop's opportunity cost:

"That's a big spot the garage takes. I could look to lease this to a co-brand or franchise. It could be a Dunkin' Donuts. We're Dunkin' Donuts franchisees. We're considering something like this in the future. The business of auto is on the decline. It's not like it used to be. This would be a big question for us."

# Wilcox guest speaker at ERC forum

Derk Wilcox, senior attorney at the Mackinac Center for Public Policy, will speak to the Eastside Republican Club in Grosse Pointe Farms Tuesday, March 15.

Mackinac Center for Public Policy is a research and educational institute headquartered in Midland.

Wilcox will explain how think tanks such as the Mackinac Center influence public policy.

The 7:30 p.m. forum is open to the public and will be held at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial, 32 Lakeshore.

Commenting in advance of the meeting, ERC Chairman Ken Chadwell said, "We know the Mackinac Center has been active in pursuing the free speech rights of teachers and are eager to learn more about the prospect of public policy changes."

Prior to joining the Mackinac Center in 2012, Wilcox practiced as an attorney in private practice and with various firms representing clients in civil matters.

He also has represented patients in the state's mental-health care system and disabled clients in the probate courts.

Wilcox also spent 10 years with Economics America Inc., an eco-



Derk Wilcox

nomics consulting firm for which he developed econometric forecasts and formulated computer-forecasting models.

Wilcox earned a law degree from Ave Maria School of Law, Ann Arbor, where he was recipient of the Thomas More full-tuition scholarship. He also earned a master's degree in economics from University of Detroit Mercy and a Bachelor of Arts degree in political science and economics from the University of Michigan.

The Eastside Republican Club Forum meets monthly from September to June.

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## Suspect indicated in near-fatal stabbing

By Brad Lindberg  
Staff Writer

**GROSSE POINTE FARMS** — The week began, crimewise, a couple hours before sundown Sunday, March 6, with the nearly fatal stabbing of a 69-year-old man inside his \$1.5 million house two blocks equidistant from public safety headquarters and the police chief's home.

A passing motorist found the victim, Daniel Edward Clancy, at 4:30 p.m.

He lay bleeding from the neck at the foot of his house's driveway on the inside curve of Voltaire Place, the remnants of pre-suburbia Hamilton Park horse racing track.

Every available Grosse Pointe Farms officer responded to the motorist's 911 call, plus at least one from the City of Grosse Pointe.

"Evidence at the scene indicated there was no perpetrator in the area," said Dan Jensen, Farms public safety director, indicating an unnamed suspect.

"If all goes well, we may have this guy very soon," added Detective Lt. Richard Rosati.

The victim needed immediate surgery to close at least three punctures and slashes of his upper torso.

"He was laying partially in a garden area off the sidewalk," reported Officer Thomas Dionne, first on scene. "I observed large amounts of blood about his face,

chest and hands. On his left wrist, in a binding manner, I observed duct tape."

More tape and a brown leather belt lay nearby.

Dionne rode with Clancy in an ambulance to St. John Hospital & Medical Center.

"What happened?" Dionne asked him, according to his account. "David," Clancy answered.

"Did you fall down?" Dionne asked. "What happened?"

"David," Clancy said. "Did someone hurt you?" Dionne continued. "Yes, David," Clancy said.

"Did he attack you?" Dionne asked. "Did he hit you with something?"

"Yeah," answered Clancy, spent of breath and energy.

"Clancy was unable to answer further questions at this point," Dionne reported.

"However, (he) stated several times that he needed air and could not breathe."

At the house, officers saw fresh footprints in snow from the front door to the sidewalk where Clancy was found.

"The gait was wide — at least three feet — as if someone had been running," according to Officer Matthew Hurner.

Patrolmen entered the front door.

"There were blood drops on the floor in the foyer," Hurner said.

"In the kitchen, (I) observed a roll of duct tape on the floor by the

kitchen island and numerous blood droplets throughout the kitchen," added Paul Reygaert. "(I) observed more blood droplets in the hallway between the garage and kitchen."

Officers searching the house moved a large white poodle, found in a library or study near the foyer, to a sunroom to prevent it from disturbing evidence.

Several jewelry boxes in a master suite closet were open, but not strewn or scattered, police said.

Outside, officers went door-to-door asking neighbors for clues.

"Homeowners (we) spoke with did not witness the crime or suspicious activity," said Officer James Lebeau.

Carol Gove, listed by police as a close friend of Clancy's from the City of Grosse Pointe, told investigators she spoke with him at 11:10 a.m. that day.

"She stated she was to pick up Clancy at his residence at 5:30 p.m. and they were to have dinner at Bayview (Yacht Club)," Dionne said. "(She) stated she called Clancy at 5:30 p.m. However, there was no answer."

Gove reportedly couldn't help police add a last name to "David."

State police, having more experience with violent crime, agreed to help with the case, Jensen said.

"We had 10 investigators on scene for 12 hours," he said.



PHOTO BY RENEE LANDUYT

## Team spirit

Matt Schuetze and his son, Charlie, constructed the old English D out of what most hope is the last of winter. The 4-foot sculpture took two hours to complete and melted away with spring-like temperatures to begin the week.

## Man says wife shot him

By Kathy Ryan  
Staff Sriter

**GROSSE POINTE WOODS** — A 64-year-old Woods resident has been arraigned on four felony counts related to a shooting that took place Tuesday, March 1, on Morningside Lane.

Linda Marchildon entered a plea of not guilty and requested an attorney at her arraignment in Woods Municipal Court Thursday, March 3. She faces five counts, including discharge of a firearm in a building with reckless disregard, a 10-year felony; intentional discharge of a firearm, a 10-year felony; felonious assault with a dangerous weapon, a four-year-felony; felony firearm, a two-year felony; and domestic violence aggravated, a one-year misdemeanor.

According to police, they were called at 11:18 a.m. to the home of Linda

and David Marchildon on the report someone had shot themselves. When they arrived, Linda Marchildon was outside of the house the couple shared while her husband, David, was standing on the front porch. He was holding a blood-soaked cloth on his left hand. Paramedics were called and he was transported to St. John Hospital & Medical Center where he was treated and released.

David Marchildon told police his wife had pointed a handgun at him and told him she was going to shoot him. He said he ran into the master bedroom and attempted to close the door. His wife followed and stuck the gun through the door. When he attempted to get the gun away from her, the gun went off, striking him in his left hand. They then moved out into the hallway, and while attempting to wrestle the

gun from her hand, it went off again. He was finally able to take the gun from her and locked himself in a bathroom.

David Marchildon said his wife also fired the gun the day before. She had been in an upstairs room and fired the gun, sending a bullet through the floor. She told her husband she had fired a "test shot." Police found a bullet lodged in the dining room ceiling.

Linda Marchildon said little at her arraignment, but did charge her husband with "putting chemicals in my food to make me depressed."

Woods Detective Anthony Chalut told Judge Ted Metry Linda Marchildon had no prior criminal or mental health history. Metry set a bond of \$75,000, a probable cause hearing for Wednesday, March 9, and a preliminary examination for Wednesday, March 16.

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with the Farms should "be resolved shortly."

The city council, acting as a committee of the whole, discussed the renovation plans at a recent meeting.

Those plans call for the current Woods lockup facility to be expanded from two cells to three

and adding a bullpen area and a separate juvenile cell. The cells would hold one prisoner apiece, while the bullpen could hold up to 10 prisoners.

"The bullpen area would be used for non-violent misdemeanor offenses," said Public Safety Director Bruce Smith. "For example, if we pick someone up for drunk driving, they must stay in jail until their blood alcohol level

reaches the legal limit. It could also hold someone waiting to make bail for a traffic offense."

In addition, part of the existing fire station will be built out as a sally port area, which is a secure area for vehicles involved in prisoner transport. There will be direct access from the prisoner lockup to the sally port, doing away with moving prisoners through hallways and

past offices. In order to accommodate the extra space, the office for Woods detectives will be moved to the basement.

This allows for what Smith calls a "sterile area," one where there are no guns or civilian personnel.

Once final approvals are in place, renovation of the public safety headquarters and dispatch area could begin by October.

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in 36th District Court on a drunken driving

charge, a traffic offense in Macomb County and for contempt of court in Charlotte.

The older brother said the bike was sold to a man identified as a

26-year-old resident of the 1800 block of Newcastle in Grosse Pointe Woods.

"Upon arrival (on Newcastle), officers were informed (the Woods

man) fled the house prior to officers' arrival," said a Farms patrolman.

The Newcastle homeowner wouldn't let officers search the garage, according to police.

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"There are resources for this serious problem," he said. "No one wants to admit it, but they have to admit it to get the help they need."

Resources will be available at the forum, sponsored by The Family Center, Henry Ford Health System, the Grosse Pointe War Memorial and the Grosse Pointe News.

"There is more openness about it now," Quinones said. "Officials have seen it for a while. They understand it's a serious problem and it is coast-to-coast."

Quinones, who has been a journalist with the L.A. Times, has written three books.

"Dreamland" has had the largest impact of the three.

"I'm proud of the other two, but this one, the timing was right for it," he said. "Opiate and heroin abuse have become a real serious problem and this project has had the greatest echo in America. There was always a reluctance to talk about it. Now we have to."

The book tells the history of opiate abuse and how pills and then heroin were distributed with ease in many communities, including Metro Detroit.

"It's amazing how it spread across the country," Quinones said. "Talking about it is a very important step."

To register for the forum, visit familycenterweb.org or call (313) 432-3832. Resource tables will be available at 6:30 p.m., followed by the presentation. The War Memorial is at 32 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Farms.

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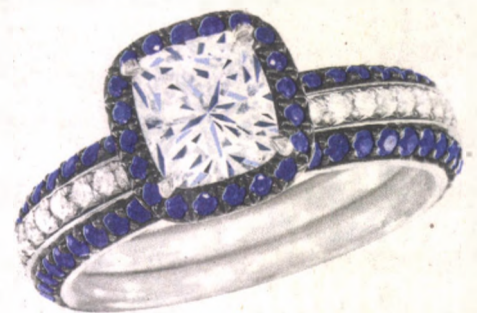
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# Business is good

By Jody McVeigh  
Community Editor

In five short years, Jill Bommarito turned a five-man operation into a Midwest mainstay with

the start of Ethel's Edibles, a gluten-free baking company.

The City resident hasn't just watched the company grow; she's put the work into building

her business and making it a success. Because of her drive and business savvy, Bommarito was asked to deliver the keynote address during the Macomb Food

Collaborative's fifth annual "All About Food" conference 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 18, at Macomb Community College's University Center, Clinton Township.

Bommarito said Michigan is a phenomenal place to start a new business and while friends thought she was crazy jumping into baking after 12 years of real estate, she wouldn't trade it for anything.

"I believe that what you do every day you have to love," she said. "Food is one thing that brings every single person together. People have to get back to sharing food and time. (Starting the business), no one could believe what we were doing ... but I believed we could do something that others hadn't been able to do so far."



Jill Bommarito, founder of Ethel's Edibles, speaks at the Macomb Food Collaborative's annual conference.

Ethel's Edibles is an old-fashioned line of gluten-free baked goods that are "a decadent indulgence with high-quality ingredients," Bommarito said, adding because they're gluten-free, anyone can eat them.

The business started with five employees and two bars — pecan dandies and blondies.

"To have a brand, you have to have a line, so we developed recipes for two cupcakes and another bar," Bommarito said. "We added one store at a time, then added more products and more people."

Ethel's Edibles originally was carried by Fresh Farms, Plum, Hiller's and Westborn markets, all of which were supportive of the product. Then Bommarito received a call from Whole Foods Midwest in Chicago, asking her to supply the goods to 50 stores in the Midwest. From there, things kept growing.

She began working with Lipari Foods, the largest distributor in the Midwest, and soon Ethel's Edibles was available in Kroger stores, too.

The brand now is available in 15 states and includes 10 varieties of treats, packaged 16 ways, all of which have no additives or preservatives. The brand recently added turtle dandys to its line and plans to add two new cookies this year and possibly another bar this

fall. Her staff of 18 work in a production facility in St. Clair Shores.

"We source as close to home as we can," Bommarito said. "Our goal is to grow Michigan agriculture."

"Anything we put out from here on has to be the best," she continued. "People want convenience, quality and transparency. They want goodness and they want to trust you. That's something hard to come by in the food business."

Bommarito will share her business savvy at the conference as she speaks about finance, goals, remaining relevant and solving problems.

"Bottlenecks will always be there," she said. "The second you solve a bottleneck, immediately you'll have another one. It's part of doing business. You can't be frustrated with it. Every bottleneck is an opportunity."

She's received much support from Jack Johns, Macomb County "food czar," collaborative steering committee member and senior economic development specialist for the county's planning and economic development department.

But support doesn't end there. Bommarito said she's turned to friends in other businesses who've helped her along the way with guidance and advice. She said

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## Grosse Pointe Farms

## All over

A pair of motorists alerted police to a suspected drunken man driving an SUV "all over" westbound Mack from Grosse Pointe Woods to the Farms minutes before 7 p.m. Tuesday, March 1.

A patrolman stopped the suspect, a 63-year-old City of Grosse Pointe man operating a black 2002 Ford Explorer with a flat left rear tire, near the intersection of Mack and Moross.

"(He) was unaware he had a flat and mumbled something about coming from a friend's home (and) 'just driving around,'" said the arresting officer.

Officers registered the man's .19 percent blood alcohol level and an open half-gallon of Crystal Palace vodka on the vehicle's passenger seat.

## Not of this world

An illegal alien came out of the shadows last week, caught in a black 1998 Honda driven in a backtracking, curlicue manner by a man claiming not to speak English so good.

"(I) believe the occupants were trying to avoid police contact," said a public safety officer documenting the arrest at 4:53 p.m. Monday, Feb. 29, on Kercheval near Country Club Drive.

Neither the alien nor driver, men ages 26 and 29 respectively, had known addresses, according to police.

"(The driver) stated (the passenger) was in the country illegally,"

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said a Farms officer, summarizing the results of questioning by a bilingual U.S. Border Patrol agent.

Police also arrested the driver for violating 13 suspensions of his operator's license.

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

## Grosse Pointe Shores

## On drugs

An 18-year-old man from St. Clair Shores admitted smoking marijuana before driving a car on northbound Lakeshore in Grosse Pointe Shores.

A patrolman pulled him over near the intersection of Willison at 2:39 a.m. Sunday, March 6, for weaving the car from curb to curb.

Officers arresting the man for operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of drugs noted his bloodshot eyes, unsteady balance and odor of marijuana.

## Has connections

How dare Shores police arrest a 35-year-old Detroit woman for driving drunk the wrong way on Lakeshore.

"She was verbally aggressive and continually mentioned nothing would happen to her because her sister is a

court reporter for 36th District Court and her cousin is a state trooper," reported a Shores patrolman.

He stopped her at 11:55 p.m. Thursday, March 3, near the foot of South Deeplands for driving a gray 2001 Chevrolet northbound in the southbound lanes of Lakeshore.

Police recorded her .210 percent blood alcohol level and obtained a search warrant for her blood to be drawn at a hospital for testing at a crime lab.

At the hospital, she continued resisting to the point of needing further restraint, according to police.

## Big event

It will be a while until a man, 35, from Berlin, Mich., can recognize the anniversary of his arrest for drunken driving on southbound Lakeshore near the intersection of Moorland in the Shores.

A public safety officer caught him at 1:29 a.m., Monday, Feb. 29 — Leap Day — a date occurring only once every four years.

The officer stopped him for driving a black 2002 Audi A4 15 mph over the 35 mph limit.

He had a .15 percent blood alcohol level, according to police.

## Speeding drunk

Police said they found an open bottle of vodka in the white 2000 Pontiac

Grand Prix operated by a Detroit man, 37, arrested shortly after 1:30 a.m. Sunday, Feb. 28, for drunken driving on southbound Lakeshore near Webber Place.

The man's blood alcohol level measured .136 percent, police said.

An officer pulled him over for steering the car atop the center dividing lines.

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

## City of Grosse Pointe

## Hits pole, takes off

Police investigating a 67-year-old City of Grosse Pointe woman for sideswiping a utility pole on Jefferson near Neff asked why she lit out and didn't report it to authorities.

"She advised she didn't know what to do and was waiting on her husband to call or return home," said a patrolman.

A witness reported the crash at 10 a.m. Sunday, March 6.

The witness said a woman operating a white 2014 Ford Escape drove over the curb, struck a DTE Energy pole and continued down Jefferson to a residential garage in the 400 block of St. Clair.

—Brad Lindberg  
Report information about this and other

crimes to City of Grosse Pointe Public Safety, (313) 886-3200.

## Grosse Pointe Park

## Home invasions

■ A resident in the 700 block of Harcourt discovered a watch and a significant amount of cash were missing from his residence at 6 p.m. Tuesday, March 1. He told police he suspected the upstairs neighbor's son. When confronted by police, he returned the watch, but said his girlfriend was the one who stole the items, but refused to identify her. He was taken into custody by police.

■ A resident of the 15000 block of Mack returned home at 4 p.m. Monday, Feb. 29 and found the back door had been kicked in and the residence had been searched. The only items missing were a laptop computer and some change.

On Wednesday, March 2, the Comerica Bank on Mack was robbed. According to police, at 1:57 p.m. an unknown black male, with a medium build, salt and pepper beard and wearing a brown hooded sweatshirt, entered the bank and passed a handwritten note to a teller. He demanded money

## Cellphones taken

■ An iPhone was reported missing Friday, March 4, after it was accidentally left in a bathroom at Pierce Middle School.

■ A 15-year-old Detroit resident was arrested and charged with larceny from an auto Thursday, March 3, after surveillance video caught her breaking into a car parked in front of a business on Charlevoix and removing a cellphone. Police were called and were able to track the suspect through the snow to her house in Detroit.

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

## Grosse Pointe Woods

## Bank robbery

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I SAY By Joe Warner

## Flint water, affair are reasons we need open government

As we face one of the worst government-created problems in Michigan's history, the Flint water crisis, and hear stories of legislators using state dollars to cover up their sordid behavior, the need for more openness in government is stronger than ever.

The Freedom of Information Act in Michigan begins with the following: "It is the public policy of this state that all persons, except those persons incarcerated in state or local correctional facilities, are entitled to full and complete information regarding the affairs of government and the official acts of those who represent them as public officials and public employees, consistent with this act. The people shall be informed so that they may fully participate in the democratic process."

The last sentence of this statement is vitally important. We've made some progress over the last several years. The last session of our legislature passed a law to improve the process of FOIA by lowering costs and demanding timelines be adhered to or there would be consequences. But as events have unfolded in the last year, it's become evident we have a long way to go.

Michigan is one of only two states that completely exempt the governor's office from FOIA. We are one of a handful that exempt the legislature. It's time to make a change. The citizens of Michigan should have access to information about every level of government.

In a study by the Center for Public Integrity and Global Integrity toward the end of last year, Michigan ranked last nationally in ethics and transparency laws and safeguards, in part because of our weak public records law and an absence of laws requiring personal financial disclosures by lawmakers and top state officials.

The Michigan Press Association is hoping to change that ranking. We feel amendments to current law would remove the veil of secrecy in our legislature and the governor's office and would be a big improvement. We expect to see a proposal soon and hope Michigan's citizens will urge support from our lawmakers and governor.

Sunshine Week, March 13 to 19, celebrates the public's right to know. We can do much better. We ask you to join us and encourage our government to see the advantages of transparency and the importance of checks and balances.

Warner is the general manager and editor of the Grosse Pointe News and president of the Michigan Press Association.



## Pure Grosse Pointe

With the help of their dad, 3-year-old Frankie Ball and his sister, Eva, 5, built a snow fort in front of their house on Kerby in Grosse Pointe Farms. The snow and the fort are just a memory. At least for a week.

## 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.

### First step

The state Legislature's recent action to direct Michigan funds to Early On services for the children of Flint is important recognition of the value of this proven yet often unknown program. As providers of Early On services, we have witnessed the powerful, positive results that come when there's a rapid, targeted and comprehensive response to a recognized problem in an infant or toddler early on – as the program name suggests. The enormous growth in a child's brain and body in the first years of life is a

critical time to intervene and address challenges before they carry on untreated, hindering success in school and life. Early On's focus is to support families in helping their child learn and participate in everyday activities in their home and community.

For years the program in Michigan has relied solely on federal dollars, in spite of a 2013 report by the state's Auditor General that pointed to deficiencies in the system and the need for a state investment in the program. Therefore, we are very pleased to see state funding now being made

available for the first time ever to better support critical Early On services for Flint. Next, let's urge our state lawmakers to invest in Early On where we live and across Michigan.

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### It's time

Are we losing control of our local government? I am addressing commissions. For decades it has not been a requirement to be a resident of the Woods to be on a commission. Why is this? If a person wants to be active in local politics it seems to me they will apply to the commission(s) in the city they live in. Some time ago I filed a verbal complaint against the Senior Citizen Commission for I went to the location at the time the commission was to meet only to learn the

commissioners decided to start the meeting earlier than posted, a violation of the Open Meeting Act. During this meeting I became concerned how many members seem not to be residents of the Woods. The other week I looked at a city bulletin board and read the commission decided to hold their meeting at an eatery in the Woods. Why did the commissioners decide to ignore our local eateries in the Woods to hold their meeting at? After all are not the commissions supposed to support the city of Grosse Pointe Woods? A while back the city sent out a survey to Woods seniors asking what programs they are interested in. The result was programs of interest are offered at other locations thus the city will become a clearing house directing seniors to other agencies who hold programs/classes seniors are interested in. For the above reasons it seems to me it is time to abolish the Woods Senior Citizen Commission.

MARGARET POTTER  
Grosse Pointe Woods

GUEST OPINION By Bill Kalmar

## Having fun with special callers

Isn't phone caller ID wonderful? Every day we get calls listed as "unavailable," "out of area," "name not found," "anonymous" and "toll free caller." Most of the calls are scams and generally we do not answer the phone. But on occasion when I want to have some fun with the caller, I relent and pick up the phone. Here is a sampling of how I handle some of the scammers:

When Rachel calls from "card services" I inform the agent that I do not have any credit cards and thus any special rate they want to offer me on my so-called existing account is not needed. The caller becomes exasperated and hangs up.

A call from the phony IRS agent telling me that unless I send \$500 immediately there will be a sheriff at my door to ar-

rest me is always a fun call. When I inform the caller that I am an IRS agent and have traced his call and a sheriff will be arriving shortly to arrest him, the line suddenly goes dead.

Last week we received a call from a court representative informing me that I had missed a court appearance on a jury and unless I pay \$500, I will be arrested. Seems they always want \$500. My response is that I am a convicted felon for third degree moper and thus I am not eligible to sit on a jury. Again the call goes silent.

The one call I like the best is the one where I am eligible for a medical alert system along with \$1,000 in grocery coupons. When the caller hears from me that I already have a medical alert system and I just want him to

send me the coupons, once again the line goes silent.

Somehow we are supposed to be protected from these calls by entering our phone number on the National Do Not Call List but that has limited success. In addition, our phone service allows us to block certain phone numbers but these scam artists keep changing their phone numbers and thus they are able to avoid being blocked.

Our system can identify a call being generated by a computer and automatically cancels the call. You can tell if a call is generated by a computer because when you answer the phone there is a short pause before the caller comes on the line.

Most of the scam artists are foreigners which you can tell from their voice. So sometimes when I an-

swer the phone I speak in a foreign language that I just make up. Other times I tell the caller I have to get my credit card to pay them for their scam and then I just leave the phone off the hook for about 10 minutes. When I pick up the receiver again guess what? The caller is gone.

Now here's a trick that I'm told works. If you get a call and you answer the phone immediately start pushing the "number key" multiple times.

Evidently that action will screw up their system. It's worth a try.

Well, have to go. I'm getting a call from someone purporting to be Elvis who wants to cut my hair in Alpena for free. Hmmm. I do need a haircut. I'll let you know how it turns out.

Kalmar is a frequent contributor to the Grosse Pointe News.

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## OUR VIEW

### Input needed

A millennial focus group, Talking Pointes, has formed to share opinions of Grosse Pointe lifestyles. The group held its first meeting Thursday, March 10, and discussed career opportunities and overall viewpoints of and

the pros and cons of the Grosse Pointe community.

The group is co-sponsored by the Grosse Pointe Chamber of Commerce and the Grosse Pointe News. "Their voice could be

significant to Grosse Pointe residents," said Caitlin Rose, public relations specialist for the Grosse Pointe News.

"The demographics of the paper are mainly families and seniors, so I think this would be beneficial if we brought in a new perspective from this group."

"It's our obligation to do it for the community overall," said Publisher

Scott Chambers. "We're a full-service newspaper and we want to cover all generations appropriately."

The Grosse Pointe News will report on the meetings. The chamber will host meetings.

To submit topics of discussion for the group, e-mail feedback@grossepointenews.com.

# Black market medical marijuana bust

By Brad Lindberg  
Staff Writer

**GROSSE POINTE FARMS** — Police wrote prescriptions last week against a City of Grosse Pointe man reselling medical marijuana on the street.

They arrested him for selling the drug, possessing the drug and improperly transporting it. They also tagged his alleged customer, a man from Grosse Pointe Park, for possession. Both suspects are 21 years old. Neither is being named until arraigned.

Farms Officer Thomas Dionne, operating from an unmarked vehicle, reported the City man buying the drug at the Green Room Medical Marijuana Dispensary on the Detroit side of Mack shortly after 7 p.m. Wednesday, March 2, and selling some of it to

the Park man in the rear parking lot of McDonald's restaurant on Mack at Canyon. "(The City man) stated he is a medical marijuana licensee and knowingly sold two containers of recently-purchased marijuana to (the Park man)," Dionne reported. "(The Park man) stated he purchased marijuana from (the City man)."

Dionne reported the City man exited the Green Room, drove a white 2013 Chevrolet Sonic one block west to the restaurant and parked abreast of the Park man's silver 2002 Volvo S-40. "I was able to observe the driver of the Volvo, later identified as (the Park resident), exit the vehicle and enter the backseat passenger side of the Chevrolet Sonic," Dionne said. "I observed (the City resident) exit the Sonic holding items in his hands and enter his vehicle. I determined a probable drug transaction had taken place."

Dionne approached the suspects and identified himself. "I asked (the Park man) if he had sold marijuana to (the other man)," Dionne said. "He replied he had just sold two containers, one with 3 ounces and one with 5 ounces."

A search of the City man's Chevrolet revealed 1.1 ounces of the Bella strain of marijuana, 3.6 ounces of Alaskan Ice marijuana, a lock box containing a Rice Krispie treat, marijuana kief and a sales receipt for four marijuana containers.

A search of the Park man's Volvo revealed 5.1 ounces of Purple Urkle marijuana and 3.1 ounces of the Blue Venom strain.

Police cited at least five motorists since early February for improperly transporting medical marijuana purchased at the Green Room.

"There's nothing new here," said Dan Jensen, public safety director. "We are on Mack patrolling the border a lot. During routine patrols, there has been activity spotted coming from the Green Room." Rumors aren't true the store's location within 1,000 feet of a public park (Balduck, in Detroit) and a liquor establishment required it to close in accord with Detroit's permit restrictions, according to an employee answering the telephone Monday, March 7.

Closure would please Jensen.

"I don't need an establishment selling marijuana right outside the Farms," Jensen said.

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a big part of her success is "not reinventing the wheel."

Bommarito and her husband, Vince, have lived in the City since 1991. They have two children — Lily, an MSU graduate, is the director of production at Ethel's Edibles and Joe is a junior at MSU majoring in finance and economics. Both children and their father have put considerable hours into the family business.

Bommarito was in the first graduating class of the Goldman Sachs 10,000 Small Businesses program, to which she also credits much of her success.

Her company was named Macomb County Start-Up Business of the Year in 2014 and was awarded Start-Up to Watch by MSU last fall.

"I've always been an entrepreneur at heart," Bommarito said. "I've always been fascinated by relationships in business. Every single part of what we do and everyone who comes in contact with us means so much



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Jill Bommarito

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and implied he had a gun. The teller gave him an undisclosed amount

of money. He left the bank and was last seen entering a dark, older model Pontiac Grand Prix. Police are reviewing security footage and the investigation continues.

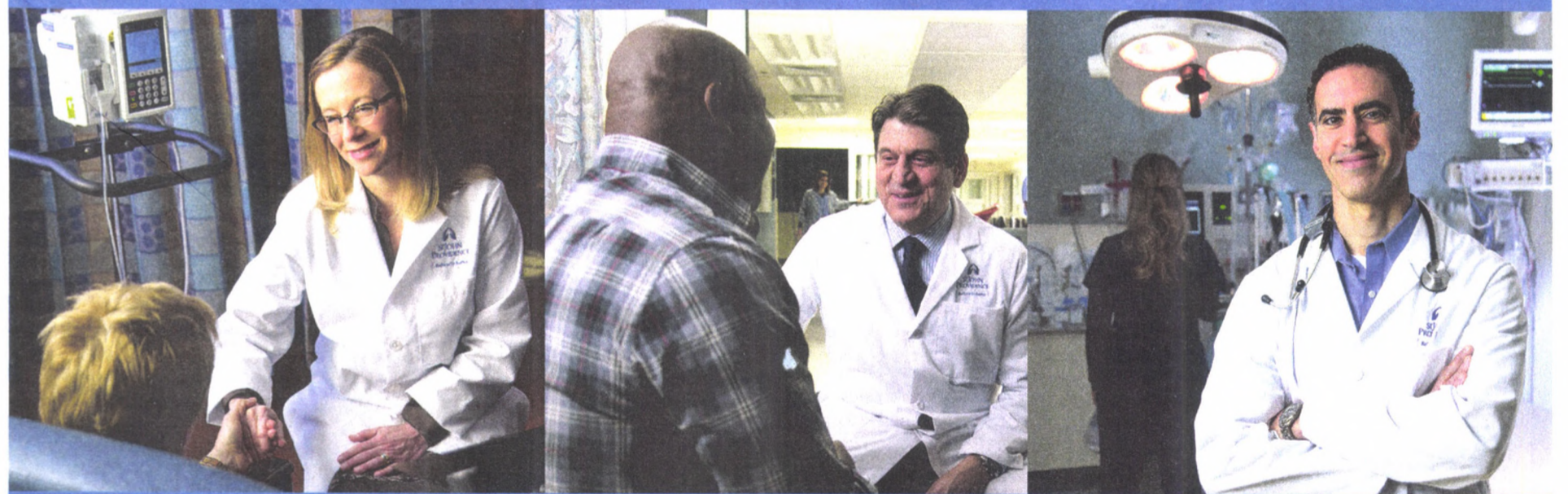
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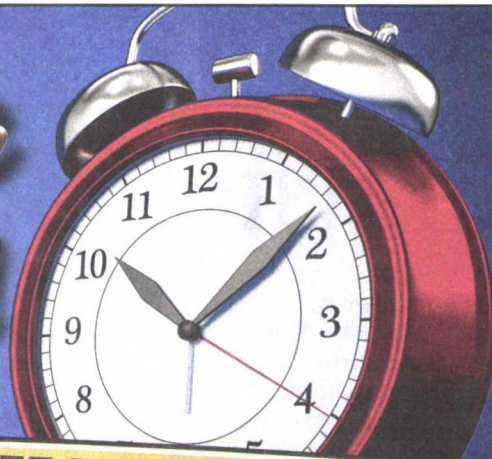
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## A new day



# Crolick takes the reins at GP Hunt Club

By Jody McVeigh  
 Community Editor

It's been less than six months since national champion trainer and rider Greg Crolick joined the leadership at the Grosse Pointe Hunt Club, but he's already left his mark.

Crolick and his wife, Jessica, also a trainer, brought their Top Call Farm team to the Hunt Club in October and since then, myriad improvements have been made to the 100-year-old facility.

The biggest change so far has been the addition of new footing throughout the indoor arena. Two outdoor paddocks also were added and improvements have been made to fencing and the barn.

Club members raised \$100,000 for the work.

"It's been a team effort," Crolick said. "Everybody wants to see the place stay."

Crolick said he has big plans for the facility and its programs.

"We want to reinvigorate the program and



Greg Crolick, head trainer at the Grosse Pointe Hunt Club, has already made significant changes to the club.

hopefully restore the prestige to the level it used to be," he said.

Crolick knows a thing or two about the business. He's been riding since age 8 and competing since age 10. He went to Cazenovia College and earned degrees in equine management and business administration while serving as assistant coach for the intercolle-

giate riding team. He's been in Michigan 20 years, 15 of which he spent with the Bloomfield Open Hunt Club. He and his wife started Top Call Farm in 1996. They bring with them barn manager Katie Hogan, Crolick's sister-in-law.

Through Top Call Farm, Crolick has consistently produced winning riders and horses, earn-

ing numerous awards, accolades and championships — success he plans to bring to the Hunt Club.

"We want to refocus completely on the original purpose of the club — riding and horses,"

Crolick said. "We have something different than anything else anyone has to offer. The next closest experience like this is 45 minutes away."

Crolick said he's looking forward to the summer months, when programming really picks up. He has plans to add new outdoor pastures as well as an additional outdoor ring.

But he doesn't want the community to take his word for it; he wants people to see for themselves.

The Hunt Club has an

open-door policy. The community is welcome to come anytime — to board horses, take riding lessons or visit the barns and the 40 or so horses that board there, five of which are owned by the club.

"We have pony owners as young as 7 and horse owners in their early 70s, and in between we have recreational riders and nationally recognized riders who compete locally and nationally,"

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**SOC**

Services for Older Citizens, 158 Ridge,

Grosse Pointe Farms, offers a free Creating Confident Caregivers workshop 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. Thursdays, March 10 to April 14. Carolyn Van Dorn of Nursing Unlimited presents. Call (313) 642-1122 to register.

SOC celebrates St. Patrick's Day 11:30 a.m. Wednesday, March 16, with a party sponsored by Bright Star Care and Hospice of Michigan. Cost is \$12 and includes an Irish buffet and entertainment by John Needham. Reservations are required by Friday, March 11. Call (313) 882-9600.

**Veterans**

The Grosse Pointe War Memorial Veterans Club meets 7:30 p.m. Thursday, March 10, at the War Memorial, 32 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Farms. The program, about U.S. Navy carriers, includes a 40-minute DVD and discussion. Call John Bates at (313) 881-4125 or Larry Sullivan at (313) 881-8631.

**Ecumenical Breakfast**

The Grosse Pointe Men's Ecumenical Breakfast meets 7 a.m. Friday, March 11, at Grosse Pointe Memorial Church, 16 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Farms. Martin Petz speaks about "God's will, not our will." Call Eric Lindquist at (313) 530-8656.

**BNI**

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

**Detroit Concert Choir**

The Detroit Concert Choir presents its spring concert, "We Sing with Joy," 7:30 p.m. Saturday, March 12, at Grosse Pointe United Methodist Church, 211 Moross, Grosse Pointe Farms. A second performance takes place 3 p.m. Sunday, March 13, at Old St. Mary's Church, Detroit. Tickets are \$20 for adults, \$18 for seniors and \$10 for young adults. Call (313) 882-0118 or

visit [detroitchamberchoir.org](http://detroitchamberchoir.org).

**Assumption**

Assumption Nursery School, 22150 Marter, St. Clair Shores, presents Science and Art Exploration Day 9 to 11 a.m. Saturday, March 12. Learn about the relationship between science and art through exploration and experimentation. Register by calling (586) 772-4477.

Assumption Cultural Center, 21800 Marter, St. Clair Shores, offers a trip to the Detroit Institute of Arts for gallery tours, art-making workshops, movies or lectures, to be determined by the DIA. The bus ride and museum admission are free. The bus leaves Assumption noon

Thursday, March 17, and departs the DIA at 3 p.m. To reserve a seat, call (586) 779-6111.

**Toastmasters**

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

**Woods Community Center**

The Grosse Pointe Woods Community Center offers its Lunch and Movie program noon Tuesday, March 15, featuring the film "I'll See You in my


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# Bicknell lecture series begins

The Grosse Pointe Historical Society's Dr. Frank Bicknell Lecture Series kicks off its spring 2016 programming with "Yamasaki in Detroit: A Search for Serenity," by John Gallagher, 7:30 to 9 p.m. Wednesday, March 16, at the Cook Schoolhouse, 25025 Mack, Grosse Pointe Woods.

Although his best-known project was New York's World Trade Center, architect Minoru Yamasaki worked to create distinctive buildings around the world. In his adopted home of Detroit, where he lived and worked the last half of his life, Yamasaki pro-

duced many designs ranging from public buildings to offices and private residences.

In "Yamasaki in Detroit: A Search for Serenity," author Gallagher presents both a biography and an examination of Yamasaki's working practices, with an emphasis on the architect's search for a style to express his artistic goals.

Gallagher is a veteran journalist and author. Born in New York City, he joined the Detroit Free Press in 1987 to cover urban and economic redevelopment efforts, a post he still

holds.

The Dr. Frank Bicknell Lecture Series continues Wednesday, April 20, with "Detroit in World War I," by Elizabeth Clemens, and "A Perfect Union: The Centennial of

the Marriage of Eleanor Clay and Edsel Ford" Wednesday, May 18.

For more information, call the Grosse Pointe Historical Society at (313) 884-7010 or visit [gphistorical.org](http://gphistorical.org).

## Lake House program rescheduled for March 15

Due to inclement weather, the Lake House postponed its free lecture by Dr. Sheba Roy about "Cancer-Fighting Natural Therapies: What Works & Why?"

The program now takes place 6 to 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, March 15, at the Lake House, 26701 Little Mack, St. Clair Shores.

Reserve a seat by calling (586) 777-7761.

For more information about the lecture, visit [aimnatural.com](http://aimnatural.com) or [milakehouse.org](http://milakehouse.org).

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Dreams." Tickets are \$9 for Woods residents, \$11 for non-residents. Reservations are required by Friday, March 11. Call (313) 343-2408.

### Woman's Club

The Grosse Pointe Woman's Club meets noon Wednesday, March 16, at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial, 32 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Farms. After a light lunch, Mil Hurley of "Southern Gardener"

presents "Caring for Hydrangeas." Cost for lunch and the program is \$6. Call Susan Plath at (313) 884-5081 for reservations. For information, call Pamela Zimmer at (313) 881-6251.

### Jardinieres

La Societe des Jardinieres hosts a Downton Abbey tea noon Wednesday, March 16, at the home of Kathie Smith to celebrate the end of the PBS series. Members who attend the meeting followed by high tea are to dress in period costumes featured in the show.

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said Vivian Day Stroh, Hunt Club president and longtime member.

Apart from horse shows and competitions, the club continues to run its homeschool program through Center Line Public Schools.

"Children who are homeschooled qualify for state funds for physical education programs," said Stroh. "Horseback riding is like a gym class."

The club also offers a professionally run therapeutic riding program for special needs children and adults. Its summer camp also is a long-running fixture of the club.

Additionally, the Hunt Club hosts the Foxhead Foundation, a 501c3 organization that, through contributions, helps less fortunate people.

"The foundation has helped purchase appro-

priate horses and ponies for the therapeutic riding program," Stroh said. "We're currently helping a young person who otherwise wouldn't have had the opportunity."

She said she gets a kick out of seeing children with all sorts of disabilities excel during the therapeutic programming.

"They smile from ear to ear," she said. "The parents say, 'This is the only therapy program my child will go to. It's the happiest day of their week.'"

On tap for the club in coming months is the addition of a new school horse. It also will host a barn show this spring, as well as offer one- or two-day clinics every few months on riding, horsemanship, jumping and other topics.

Crolick said he has high hopes for the facility.

"I'd like for it to be full and actively busy," he

said. "I want to see it become a very good training facility people are coming to."

Stroh said she is enthusiastic about the addition of Crolick and the changes he has planned.

"Greg is such a good rider and trainer," she said. "Greg is the epitome of a good horseman — someone who does the best thing for the horse. He's outstanding."

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The church's annual pancake breakfast and Easter egg hunt takes place noon Sunday, March 20, in fellowship hall. All ages are welcome, but reservations are required by Wednesday, March 16. Cost is \$7 for adults, \$5 for ages 5 to 10.

The church hosts "From Doubt to Faith" at 9 and 11 a.m. Sunday, April 3. This one-act liturgical music drama about Thomas the Twin includes the chorus and chamber orchestra, featuring libretto by Marilyn Biery, music by James

Biery, tenor Michael Fowler and soprano Carol Ambrogio Wood.

**St. James**

St. James Lutheran Church, 170 McMillan, Grosse Pointe Farms, presents the lecture, "The Reformation: On What Does the Church Stand or Fall?" at 3:30 p.m. Sunday, March 13. Call (313) 884-0511.

**Woods Presbyterian**

Grosse Pointe Woods Presbyterian Church, 19950 Mack, hosts a performance by the Sun Messengers at 7 p.m. Saturday, March 12. Admission is \$10, \$5 for students. Call (313) 886-4301.

**St. Paul Evangelical**

St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church, 375 Lothrop, Grosse Pointe Farms, welcomes the Detroit Lutheran Singers at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, March 12. The performance features an eclectic Mass with settings by Dvorak, Mozart and Vivaldi, as well as spirituals and other favorites. Tickets are \$10, free for children younger

than 12. Visit [stpaulgp.org](http://stpaulgp.org).

The church presents an adult forum Sunday, March 13, with Pastor Justin Dittrich, who discusses the ELCA and ecumenical practices. Call (313) 881-6670.

**Christ Church**

Christ Church Grosse Pointe, 61 Grosse Pointe Blvd., Grosse Pointe Farms, presents Gabriel Faure and Herbert Howells' "Requiem" at 4:30 p.m. Sunday, March 20, featuring combined choirs. A freewill offering will be collected. Call (313) 885-4841.

**First English**

First English Evangelical Lutheran Church, 800 Vernier, Grosse Pointe Woods, begins its Holy Week celebration with services at 9:30 and 11 a.m. Palm Sunday, March 20. Both services include Holy Communion and the Procession of the Palms. Maundy Thursday worship with Holy Communion takes place 7 p.m. Thursday, March 24. Good Friday worship is 1 and 7 p.m. Friday, March 25, and Easter Sunday, March 27, hosts worship services at 9 and 11 a.m. with Holy Communion. Call (313) 884-5040.

**Feast benefits labyrinth maintenance**

St. Michael's Episcopal Church, 20475 Sunningdale, Grosse Pointe Woods, hosts its annual Corned Beast Feast 6 to 7:30 p.m. Friday, March 11. Dinner includes corned beef, cabbage, potatoes, carrots and a beverage for \$6. Tickets are available at the door. Proceeds benefit Jane's Walk Labyrinth landscaping, maintenance and improvements.

Jane's Walk was built as a tribute to the life of Jane Englebrecht Bashara, who exemplified Christian values beyond church walls and touched the

hearts of those she encountered. The location provides open access to the public. Anyone wishing to walk the labyrinth's path is welcome.

For more information about Jane's Walk, visit [facebook.com/janeswalkgp](http://facebook.com/janeswalkgp) or e-mail [janeswalkgp@gmail.com](mailto:janeswalkgp@gmail.com).

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**PASTOR'S CORNER** By Roger Skully

**Kaddish, a mourner's prayer**

Rabbi Tzvi Freeman of Chabad replies to a salient question: Should I say Kaddish (a mourners' prayer) for a bad father (or any person who was not good)?

The questioner asks if saying this prayer implies emotional attachment or respect. The rabbi replies it is probably not an obligation to sit in mourning, but the Kaddish is another matter. It is an important fact of life we acknowledge the faults of our parents so we do not shift blame from them to ourselves. Once this is done, we are free to continue without burden of guilt.

In a classic Talmudic story, Rabbi Akiva saw a naked man, covered with soot, burdened with a load of wood, running through a cemetery. He called out and asked if he could help.

The dead man, in his life, had been a tax collector who squeezed the poor to give to the rich, as well as other bad deeds. As punishment, he had to now collect wood, build a pyre on which he was burned, repeating this each day.

Akiva asks if there is any way he can be pardoned. The man says he needs someone to say Kaddish so the congregation would reply, "May the name of the Lord be praised now and forever." However, the rabbi is unable to find

anyone who has a good word to say for this man. Akiva prays the hearts of his kin be opened. The man's son agrees to learn Torah, stands before the congregation and says the prayer. The father is released from the torment and returns to Akiva in a dream to thank him.

Rabbi Yitzchak Luria commented on this story. A parent cannot completely separate from a child and vice versa. It is not only chromosomes, soul or body. It is more important. You are a divine soul sent here. Your soul must enter your body so it can realize it too is divine and learn to behave that way. It operates through your mind and heart to teach it divine wisdom.

Kaddish is a way of doing that. It is not just a prayer for the dead. It affirms the greatness of our Creator and allows you to lift yourself. We pray to illuminate our inner selves and our entire world, to lift ourselves out of the depths of anger and provide ourselves with respect. When you imbue others with honor, respect, love and dignity, your own person rises higher.

Skully is cantor at the Isaac Agree Downtown Synagogue and president of the Grosse Pointe Ministerial Association.

**Library hosts author visit**

The Friends of the Grosse Pointe Public Library and the Grosse Pointe Public Library welcome award-winning author Angela Flournoy to the Ewald Branch at 2 p.m. Sunday, March 13.



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Flournoy is author of "The Turner House," a family saga set on Detroit's east side. It was a finalist for the National Book Award and a New York Times notable book of the year, as well as a finalist for the Center for Fiction First Novel Prize, the PEN/Robert W. Bingham Prize for Debut Fiction and an NAACP Image Award.

Flournoy is a National

Author Angela Flournoy visits the Ewald Branch Library Sunday, March 13.

Book Foundation "5 Under 35" honoree for 2015. Her fiction has appeared in the Paris

Review and she has written for the New York Times, New Republic, Los Angeles Times and elsewhere.

The program includes a chance to purchase the book and have it signed following the author's presentation. There is no cost to attend, but seating is limited. Register online at [gp.lib.mi.us](http://gp.lib.mi.us) or call (313) 343-2074.

The Ewald Branch is located at 15175 E. Jefferson, Grosse Pointe Park.

# 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.

## Khaled Elbadawi

Grosse Pointe Park resident Khaled Elbadawi, 19, passed away Monday, March 7, 2016.

He was born June 4, 1996, in Winchester, Mass., to Dulce and Hassan Elbadawi. The 2014 graduate of Grosse Pointe South High School was a student at Macomb Community College.

Khaled enjoyed skiing, ice skating and being outdoors. He loved spending time with his family and friends.

Khaled was a gentle soul who saw the best in others. His smile was infectious, as was his laugh. He will be remembered for his kindness and compassion to others, his fun-loving spirit and for being a good friend.

Khaled is survived by his parents; brother, Adam; grandparents, Judy Burgess Lundell and Philip Lundell (Jayne) and many aunts, uncles and cousins in the United States and Egypt.

Visitation will be held from 4 to 9 p.m. Thursday, March 10, at Verheyden Funeral Home, 16300 Mack, Grosse Pointe Park.

A funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, March 11, at the funeral home.

Share a memory at [verheyden.org](http://verheyden.org).

## Helen Stepanek

Helen Stepanek, a passionate, cello-playing devotee of West Suburban Orchestra who brought the love of music, writing and the arts to her two children and grandchildren, died Saturday, March 5, 2016, in Hinsdale, Ill. She was 90.

Helen was a devoted mother who, with her husband, Frank, were lifelong residents and community supporters in Chicago's southwest suburbs and members of the Unitarian Church of Hinsdale, where Helen volunteered in the 1980s and '90s as a cellist and served on the Women's Alliance, a community volunteering initiative affiliated with the church, that supports the arts and community discussion around topics of global interest.

In the 1960s, '70s, and '80s, she led regular play-reading groups in her home and hosted a chamber music group comprised of local musicians and colleagues in the orchestra and was active in her church. Besides being a cellist, Helen also was a talented writer and manager, working part-time in the 1970s and '80s — first at the local newspaper in LaGrange Park, and then later, as an administrator in social services at Hinsdale Sanitarium, now King Bruwaert House, an assisted living center. She leaves to her children and grandchildren, as a leg-

acy, the inspiration of music, community participation and writing, and she will be deeply missed.

She is survived by her daughter, Marcia, a journalist, amateur violinist and media professor at Columbia University in New York; son, Steve, a business entrepreneur and cello-playing advertising/marketing executive in Grosse Pointe, his wife, Jeanette, a retired private school teacher, and their two daughters, Kristin and Alexis, who both learned to play the violin, inspired by their grandmother and her love of music and life.

A funeral service will be held at 4 p.m. Sunday, March 13, at Hollowell & James Funeral Home, 1025 W. 55th St., Countryside, Ill. Visitation begins at 1 p.m.

Donations may be made to West Suburban Symphony Orchestra, P.O. Box 565, Hinsdale, IL 60522.

Share a memory at [hfunerals.com](http://hfunerals.com).

## Robert Edward Kliber

Former Grosse Pointe Park resident Robert Edward Kliber, 67, died Sunday, Feb. 28, 2016, at home in Prospect, Ky.

He was born Aug. 30, 1948, in Detroit, to Edward and Floramae Kliber, and graduated in 1966 from Austin Catholic Preparatory School. He graduated in 1970 from Michigan State University and earned a graduate degree in 1978 from the University of Detroit. He worked in banking and financial consulting.

Mr. Kliber was a member of MENSA. An avid reader, he enjoyed spending time with his grandchildren. He loved to garden and was a Master Gardener.

Mr. Kliber is survived by his mother, Floramae; daughter, Amy Minser (Thomas); son, Matthew Kliber and grandchildren, Reagan Kliber, Evan Kliber, Emma Minser and Owen Minser.

He also is survived by his sisters, Nancy Ruppert (the late Larry) and Lynn McDonald (the late Morgan) and brother, David Kliber (Mandy).

He was predeceased by his father, Edward. Visitation will be held 2 to 8 p.m. Friday, March 11, at Verheyden Funeral Home, 16300 Mack, Grosse Pointe Park. Rosary recitation will be at 7 p.m.

A funeral Mass will be celebrated at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, March 12, at St. Clare of Montefalco Catholic Church, 1401 Whittier, Grosse Pointe Park. Visitation begins at 10 a.m. at the church.

Donations may be made to the Solanus Casey Center, 1780 Mt. Elliott, Detroit, MI 48207 or at [solanuscenter.org/ways-to-help/donations](http://solanuscenter.org/ways-to-help/donations).

Share a memory at [verheyden.org](http://verheyden.org).

## Joan Dryden May

Former Grosse Pointe resident Joan Dryden May, 82, died Saturday, Feb. 27, 2016, following a lengthy illness. Joan was the devoted wife of Myron R. May, her high school sweetheart and partner for 60 years. After graduating from Grosse Pointe Country Day School, Mrs. May attended Colby Jr. College, in New London, N.H., and Northwestern University, in Evanston, Ill.

Joan made friends wherever she went. Her husband's career took them to many venues in the United States and Canada and they gathered lasting friendships in their wake. For Joan, family always came first. Education and good schools were an important part of Joan and Myron's choices for locations with each move. She was passionately proud of her children and their accomplishments. The Mays loved to travel and enjoyed many sports together. Early in her life, Joan was a top-notch tennis player. She also shared her love of golf with her husband and curling, while living in Lake Forest. The Mays adored their dogs, from Beauregard to Lincoln, Mac and Farley. Their canine companions were an important part of their family.

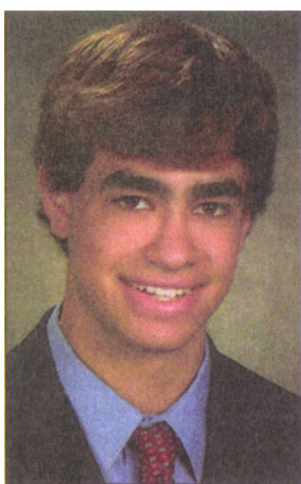
Mrs. May was a leader and navigator. She excelled in organizational skills and served on many committees during her lifetime. Friends were confident to let Joan choreograph trips and activities because she did her homework and opened doors with her attention to detail. Friends willingly deferred to her for advice. Joan's legacy of intricate needlework and knitting will live on. She prided herself on original and personal detail. She also was an accomplished artist. Gifted and creative, she always had a project going.

Admired and beloved by many, Joan May is survived by her husband, Myron, of The Villages, Fla.; daughter, Whitney Schlegel (Kip) of Bloomington, Ind.; daughter-in-law, MaryAnn May and two beloved granddaughters, Sydney and Bailey May, of Dallas, Texas.

Mrs. May was predeceased by her son, Myron Jr. in 2013.

A celebration of life will be held Tuesday, March 15, 2016, at the Palmer Legends Country Club, The Villages, Fla. A celebration of her life is expected to be held mid-May in Grosse Pointe.

Memorial gifts in Joan's name may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, P.O. Box 1000, Dept. 142, Memphis, TN 38148.



Khaled Elbadawi



Helen Stepanek



Robert Edward Kliber



Joan Dryden May



Margaret McKean Nickell



David J. Jennings

## Margaret McKean Nickell

Margaret "Margie" McKean Nickell, 89, died Sunday, Feb. 21, 2016, at the Levine and Dickson Hospice House in Huntersville, N.C. She is survived by her husband, Henry Kennedy Nickell Jr.; sister, Mary McKean Roby (the late Douglas); daughter, Amy McKean Nickell Willson (William); sons, Hunter Roberts Nickell (Kim) and Thornton McKean Nickell (Diane); six grandchildren; one great grandchild and many nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her sister, Patsy McKean Van Dusen and brother, George Edwin McKean II.

Born Aug. 7, 1926, in Detroit, to Robert Edwin McKean and Esther Edmunds McKean, she graduated from Grosse Pointe Country Day School in 1944 and Connecticut College in 1948.

After college, she returned to Michigan and worked in marketing at General Motors. She met Ken Nickell and they married in Grosse Pointe in September 1953. They then started a family in Perrysburg, Ohio. A job transfer took them to one of her favorite locations, Darien, Conn., where the family lived two different times.

The family returned to Grosse Pointe Farms in 1972. Margie worked in retail for several businesses on The Hill and in The Village and always loved seeing her friends and serving the community.

Margie was passionate about keeping up to date on those close to her. She loved to travel and did so with friends and her husband. Her keen interest in the political process had her working at the polls on election days and winning the Republican Party Wayne County Precinct Delegate race for Grosse Pointe in 1980. In 2009, she was presented with the seal of Grosse Pointe Farms for her 30 years of elections work.

Margie was a longtime member of the Junior League of Detroit and a 50-year member of Tau Beta Association. She loved the arts and garden-

ing and was involved in the Arts and Flowers Auxiliary at the Detroit Institute of Arts. She also loved playing, watching and attending tennis matches.

Margie was a proud Michigander. Wherever she was, she never met a stranger and her family loved how she "vetted" new acquaintances for ties to the state.

A celebration of Margie's life will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, May 14, at Grosse Pointe Memorial Church, 16 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Farms.

Memorial donations may be sent to Tau Beta Association, c/o Mrs. Steve Grub, 31 Briarwood Place, Grosse Pointe Farms, MI 48236.

## David J. Jennings

David J. Jennings, 61, passed away Sunday, Feb. 14, 2016.

He was the beloved son of Mary Alice (Marty) and the late John; dear brother of John (Joanne), Mary Jo, Bob, Joe (Kimberly) and Tom (Silvia) and loving uncle of Adam DeMara, Colleen, Brittany, John M., Olivia, Joey, Mary, Nevaeh and Athena Jennings.

David's passion was his landscaping business which he did most of his life. He also ran a blade sharpening business for the last 16 years. Those who knew David will never forget his colorful personality.

A memorial visitation begins at 9:30 a.m., followed by Mass at 10 a.m., Saturday, March 12, at St. Lucy Catholic Church,



Patricia Wilson

23401 E. Jefferson, St. Clair Shores.

Memorial donations may be made to Capuchin Soup Kitchen, 1820 Mt. Elliott, Detroit, MI 48207.

## Patricia Wilson

Patricia "Pat" Wilson, 84, passed away Monday, Feb. 29, 2016.

She was the beloved wife of Charles who predeceased her; loving mother of David (Patti) and Suzanne and proud grandmother of Alaina, David, Charlie, Matthew and Leah.

Pat was a wife and mother, as well as an avid tennis player. She also was an active member of Grosse Pointe United Methodist Church.

A memorial service will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday, April 16, 2016, at Grosse Pointe United Methodist Church, 211 Moross, Grosse Pointe Farms. Memorial contributions may be made to the Grosse Pointe United Methodist Women, 211 Moross, Grosse Pointe Farms, MI 48236.

Share a memory at [cremationmichigan.com](http://cremationmichigan.com).

### CITY OF HARPER WOODS CITY COUNCIL 19617 HARPER HARPER WOODS, MICHIGAN 48225

#### PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Harper Woods City Council will be holding a Public Hearing on Monday, March 21, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. in the Municipal Building City Council Chambers located at 19617 Harper, for the purpose of obtaining public input and comment on a request at 20920 Harper Avenue (Parcel 2) to be split into two lots (Lot 72 and 73) of the Dalby and Campbell's Mack-Vernier Subdivision and also at 20932 Harper Avenue (Parcel 3) to be split into two lots (Lot 272 and 273) of the Dalby and Campbell's Mack Park Subdivision.

Residents who are unable to attend this hearing may submit their comments in writing to the City Clerk's Office on or before March 21, 2016.

CITY OF HARPER WOODS

LESLIE M. FRANK  
CITY CLERK

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# Save the date

## Relay for Life returns to Grosse Pointe May 14

Relay for Life of Grosse Pointe asks residents to "Paint the Pointes Purple" during its 11th annual event, 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. Saturday, May 14. The event changes locations this year and takes place at Grosse Pointe Woods City Hall, 20025 Mack.

Relay for Life is the American Cancer Society's signature event focused on cancer awareness and education, while raising funds for cancer research and programs offered by ACS.

At Relay events, communities worldwide come together to honor cancer survivors, remember loved ones lost and fight back against the disease. Teams set up camp and take turns walking or running around a path; because cancer

never sleeps. Each team is asked to have at least one participant on the track at all times.

Community members can help prepare for this year's event in a variety of ways.

- ◆ Being a sponsor
- ◆ Selling Relay for Life stars and moons at your business
- ◆ Forming a Relay team
- ◆ Donating silent auction items
- ◆ Donating items for survivors
- ◆ Making a monetary donation
- ◆ Displaying a Relay poster in your business

For more information, to get involved or to register a team, call event leaders Jennie Spring at (313) 977-0103 or Maryjane Gaspar at (313) 910-3835.

A LA ANNIE By Annie Rouleau-Scheriff

# A stew for springtime

Spring Stew with Veal  
(serves 4)

- 2 lbs. veal stew meat
- 3 tablespoons flour
- salt and pepper to taste
- 2 tablespoons olive oil plus 1 tablespoon, divided
- 1 cup white wine
- 1 cup chicken broth
- 2 cups each chopped celery, carrots and onion
- 1 15 oz. can diced tomatoes
- 4 large garlic cloves, finely chopped
- 5 sprigs fresh thyme



Place the veal in a medium bowl and toss with flour. Season with salt and pepper to taste. Heat 2 tablespoons of oil in a medium skillet over medium to high heat. Add the veal, cook and toss until the meat is browned on all sides. Transfer the meat to a plate, then add white wine and chicken broth to the skillet. Scrape any drippings from the bottom of the skillet. Remove the skillet from the heat

and set aside.

Preheat the oven to 400 degrees.

Combine the celery, carrots, onions and garlic in a medium bowl. Toss with 1 tablespoon of olive oil and season lightly with salt and pepper. Toss in the diced tomatoes.

Place the browned veal in the bottom of a greased Dutch oven. Scatter the thyme sprigs over

the meat, then top with the vegetable mixture. Lastly, pour the liquid mixture from the skillet over the vegetables.

Cover and cook for 30 minutes, then lower the oven temperature to 250 degrees where the stew should remain for four hours. Do not stir it.

Remove the sprigs left behind from the thyme as you ladle the stew into bowls.

Your house will smell yummy as the flavors in the spring veal stew come together.

I plan to double the recipe next time.

# Startup promotes eating local, natural foods

By Jody McVeigh  
Community Editor

September saw the launch of Grubbable Inc., a mobile phone app co-founded by a Detroit resident who wanted to let others know where to find restaurants that serve locally sourced products and natural ingredients.

"Eric (Russ) and his wife, Sara, are really big into the natural scene," said Brandon Inkles, chief community manager with Grubbable. "They love to eat out, but they couldn't trust what

was going into their bodies. They're very, very particular .... Eric ran with that. He said, how cool would it be if we have a phone app with transparency on the food scene?"

Russ and co-founders Mike Feng and Jake Wesorick came up with the idea for Grubbable. On the app, users find a list of participating restaurants and the foods they serve that are locally raised, naturally grown or both, as well as lists of the farmers, artisans and suppliers sourcing them. "We're excited to part-

ner with places that have quality of food and care of environment," Inkles said. "You feel part of something bigger, rather than buying a quick bite to eat. We're really passionate about it."

The 115 restaurant partners, including 15 in Grosse Pointe, offer 10 percent off members' entrees. App users simply tap "redeem," tap the name of the restaurant, check in and show the verified member seal on their phone to the server. Afterward, a tap on "done" allows users to share about the experience on Facebook or Twitter.

"It's cool exposure and healthy exposure to the

restaurant," Inkles said. "This reward is a thank-you from our partners to bring other people into the network. We're trying to lock arms with those on the journey and celebrate real food and local food."

Participating restaurants don't pay a cent to join Grubbable, but they must provide the 10 percent discount to app members.

The app earns revenue through memberships. The first month of unlimited access is free, Inkles said, then it costs 99 cents per month or \$9.99 for the year.

"We give you unlimited access to rewards, but also give you access to all

the farmers and artisans as an incentive to being a paid member," he said. "When someone becomes a paying member, 100 percent of their first month's paid membership fee goes to one of our charity partners. The user gets to choose where to donate the money to."

Charity partners include Eastern Market, The Greening of Detroit, Detroit Riverfront Conservancy, Mariners Inn, Motor City Blight Busters and others.

"We're all passionate about the city and the revitalization of it, but we also are really excited to be able to partner with other momentous non-profits that are doing incredible work in the community," Inkles said.

While the app has expanded to the Ann Arbor/Ypsilanti area and has plans to go national, for now, it's staying local.

"Restaurants that are doing local and natural are finding us now," Inkles said, adding there's a huge vetting process for a restaurant to join the app. He said Grubbable team mem-

bers are on the phone with wholesalers and suppliers to confirm the way in which food is being raised and treated.

"We want to be able to provide what we believe in and what we're looking for," he said.

More than 3,000 users are registered and the number is constantly rising, Inkles said.

"Those who are paying are not leaving. They're seeing the value in it."

He said the price of membership is quickly recovered in the savings gained through membership. Meanwhile, the Grubbable tech team is working on a savings tracker to add to the app so users see the cumulative amount they save.

"Would love for people to try it out," Inkles said.

"It's not just a place for people to save money. We really believe in this movement. It's a cool way to build community and to have that culture, so let's have fun doing it."

The Grubbable app is available on Android and iOS. For more information, visit grubbable.com.

City of **Grosse Pointe**, Michigan

**Public Notice - Ordinance No. 423**

Please take notice that the City of Grosse Pointe has adopted the following ordinance:

Ordinance No. 423 adds Section 2-67 of the Grosse Pointe Code of Ordinances regarding alternate Board of Review members.

This ordinance shall take effect ten days after publication of this notice. If you have any questions regarding this ordinance, please contact City Hall, 17147 Maumee Ave., Grosse Pointe, MI 48230, 313-885-5800, Mon.-Fri., 8:30 am to 5 pm.

**Julie E. Arthurs**  
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## Grosse Pointe artists have exhibition up north

City of Grosse Pointe painters Linda Allen and Lori Zurvalec are the featured artists in "Sorrow and Hope," an exhibition of their work at Studio 23/The Art Center in Bay City. The body of work in this exhibition traces the visual and psychological metamorphosis one passes through from sorrow to hope. The

themes of the work parallel the physical and visual changes of winter melting into spring. The artists, members of the Pointe Studio Ten Critique Group, will display nearly 80 works, including watercolor and acrylic paintings, drawings, collage and assemblage. The exhibition runs Thursday,

March 10, through Friday, April 8, with an opening reception 5 to 7 p.m. March 10. Allen and Zurvalec also are giving a lecture 5 p.m. Friday, March 11, and teaching a two-day workshop March 10 and 11. For more details, e-mail Garrett Weslock, curator of art and exhibits, at curator.studio23@gmail.com.



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Lori Zurvalec, left, and Linda Allen.

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**ASK THE EXPERTS** By Lisa Kaplan

# Addiction is an illness

**Q:** I have a family member who is abusing alcohol and other drugs, but doesn't think he has a problem. I am so stressed out and I don't know where to turn. What are my options? What should I do?

**A:** Education is key when dealing with the disease of addiction. A good thing to remember in dealing with your loved one is addiction is an illness, not a moral issue or a matter of self-control.

Although it may seem like you are on an island with nowhere to turn, there are actually several options for you as a concerned family member/loved one dealing with someone else's addiction. You do not have to struggle alone.

You can learn about alcohol and other drug use, addiction, the impact on family and friends, intervention resources and treatment programs at a program called "Are You Concerned" offered at Maplegrove Center in West Bloomfield. Led by trained and knowledgeable individuals who can also help you further address your individual concerns, this free program is designed for parents of adult children, as well as spouses, siblings, significant others, community members and professionals. Maplegrove also offers

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"Dreamland: The True Tale of America's Opiate Epidemic" takes place 7 p.m. Tuesday, March 15, at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial, 32 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Farms. Doors open at 6:30 p.m.

The event is presented by the Family Center in partnership with Henry Ford Health System, the Grosse Pointe War Memorial, Grosse Pointe News, Grosse Pointe Memorial Church and Grosse Pointe North and South high schools.

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skill-building classes and family support groups, where you can continue to learn and gain support from staff and other affected families. You are not alone.

Lisa Kaplan, LMSW, ACSW, CAADC, CPC-R, graduated from the University of Michigan with a Bachelor of Arts degree in psychology and a Master of Social Work degree. She has been in the addiction field for more than 23 years, having worked at CARE of Southeastern Michigan as a clinician and as a program coordinator in the prevention department. She currently runs

the community education program and serves as part of the clinical treatment team at Henry Ford Health System's Maplegrove Center. Kaplan also coordinates an elementary school substance abuse education program in the West Bloomfield School District called Kids in Charge. She may be reached at [lkaplan2@hfhs.org](mailto:lkaplan2@hfhs.org) or (248) 788-3005.

Kaplan and others from Maplegrove will be onsite during a presentation Tuesday, March 15, at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial. She also will speak at a follow-up event Thursday, April 14, on "How to Raise Drug-Free Kids."

The Family Center serves as the community's hub for information, resources and referral for families, individuals and professionals. Its mission is to serve the community through programs and resources vital to today's families. As a nonprofit organization, it is completely supported by community donations. All gifts are tax-deductible. To volunteer or contribute, visit [familycenterweb.org](http://familycenterweb.org), call (313) 432-3832, email [info@familycenterweb.org](mailto:info@familycenterweb.org) or write to: The Family Center, 20090 Morningside Drive, Grosse Pointe Woods, MI 48236.

# Detroit Waldorf hosts parenting lecture, workshop

Parenting educator Kim John Payne visits Detroit Waldorf School Friday and Saturday, March 11 and 12, for a free program about Simplicity Parenting.

"One of the best ways to build resiliency with kids is to give them a very simple, balanced home life, time to decompress," Payne said. "You don't have to turn your life upside down. We will be teaching how to make sensible, simple steps to balance a kid's life."

Payne leads Simplicity Parenting, one of the largest parenting organizations in the world. His book by the same title and this movement were inspired by Payne's volunteer work in Asia, in Thai Cambodian refugee camps and Jakarta, Indonesia slums.

"I saw stress really up close," he said. "When I moved back to the West, I saw the same look on kids' faces. I came to think of it as the undeclared war on childhood. They weren't in a war zone; there was cumulative stress, going too much, too soon, too sexy, too young, an overall sense of overwhelm. It was the new normal. A highly stressed life is the new normal."

Payne believes kids need parents to be present and to lead. Simplicity Parenting, he said, teaches how to harness "the power of less."

A big part of that, he said, is "filtering out the adult world. We've lost track of

what's appropriate for kids and for adults and that the two things sometimes are different. A lot of the adult world needs to be filtered out of kids' (consciousness) because it's just plain scary and stressful for them."

Payne has been a school counselor, adult educator, consultant, researcher, educator and private family counselor for 27 years.

"We are delighted to bring Kim John Payne to our community to help families recalibrate their lives and schedules to bring more peace and success," said Charis Calender-Suemnick, enrollment and outreach director at Detroit Waldorf School. "Just like we focus on educating the whole child according to their unique developmental stage, we believe people of all ages do better and find more happiness when they achieve balance and harmony in relationships, schedules and routines. This unique event will help everyone find that alignment."

The March 11 and 12 events will help parents identify "small, doable shifts" to bring more peace and harmony to their families. Reservations are available for a lecture 7 to 9 p.m. Friday, March 11, and a half-day workshop 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, March 12. Both events take place at Detroit Waldorf School, 2555 Burns, Detroit.

To reserve a seat, visit [detroitwaldorf.org/events](http://detroitwaldorf.org/events).

# All-Michigan chamber musicians concert March 17

Six world-renowned chamber musicians are set to perform in concert together during an all-Michigan concert 7:30 p.m. Thursday, March 17, at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial, 32 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Farms.

The concert features some of the best chamber musicians in Michigan, including:

◆ Yoonsin Song, concertmaster of the Detroit

Symphony Orchestra;

◆ Suren Bagratuni, Michigan State University cello professor and silver medal winner in the International Tchaikovsky Competition;

◆ Yuri Gandelsman, MSU viola professor, former principal violist with the Israel Philharmonic Orchestra;

◆ Deborah Moriarty, MSU chairwoman of the piano department; and

◆ Zhihua Tang, MSU piano professor, and Hai Xin Wu, assistant concertmaster of the DSO.

"It is quite unique to have these high-caliber musicians, all who have made it on the world stage, all performing together, right in our community," Wu said. "We have a lot of camaraderie and have great chemistry together. We spark energy among ourselves when we play."

The group will perform selections including Debussy's "Petite Suite" for piano four hands, Franck's "Sonata in A major" for violin and piano, and Schumann's "Piano Quintet in E-flat major op. 44."

A gourmet dinner of crafted cuisine is available at 6 p.m. as part of the evening. Tickets are \$45 for the concert with dinner, \$25 for the concert only.

This concert is part of the War Memorial's Arts at the Alger "Signature Series." Call (313) 332-4074 or visit [warmemorial.org/arts-at-the-alger/](http://warmemorial.org/arts-at-the-alger/) for more information or to reserve tickets.

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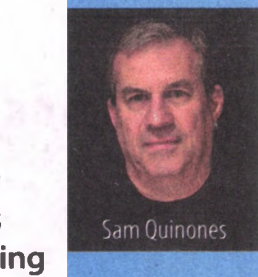
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## CITY OF HARPER WOODS BOARD OF REVIEW MUNICIPAL BUILDING HARPER WOODS, MICHIGAN 48225 PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Review of the City of Harper Woods will be holding public meetings at 19617 Harper Avenue on Monday, March 14, 2016 from 1:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., and on Monday, March 28, 2016 from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. to consider appeals on property assessment and exemptions. Property owners may obtain a Petition to the Board of Review in the Assessor's office or on line at [www.harperwoodscity.org](http://www.harperwoodscity.org).

Residents who are unable to attend this meeting may submit their appeal by letter to the Assessor's office at 19617 Harper Avenue, Harper Woods, MI 48225 on or before March 28, 2016 until 5:00 p.m. No postmarks are accepted. For information please call 313.343.2500.

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## HOCKEY

# Kramer, Dennis lead South by North

By Bob St. John  
Sports Editor

Grosse Pointe North and Grosse Pointe South girls' hockey teams concluded their regular season last week, playing two straight games against each other.

Playoff positioning was on the line for the Norsemen as a loss meant they could be knocked out of the top tier playoffs and sent to tier two.

It was tight for two periods with South holding a 3-2 edge. However, the Blue Devils exploded for four third-period goals to beat the Norsemen 7-2.

Grosse Pointe South finished 11-3 in the Michigan Metro Girls High School Hockey League and is locked into the No. 4 seed for the playoffs, while Grosse Pointe North finished 8-6 and had to wait two days to see if it is the No. 8 or No. 9 seed.

The No. 8 seed would mean a first-round playoff game in Division 1 against Liggett and if Walled Lake won, the Norsemen would be in the Division 2 playoffs and receive a first-round bye.

For the Norsemen,



PHOTO BY BOB BRUCE

Celebrating senior night for Grosse Pointe North were, standing from left, Lora Dobbs, Caroline Bock, Amber Gieseking, Elizabeth Gallagher and Lindsay Gallagher; and for Grosse Pointe South were, kneeling, Gennie Martin, Emma Frame, Bella Strickler and Grace Moody.

seniors Lindsay Gallagher and Caroline Bock scored.

For the Blue Devils, sophomore Lauren Kramer scored a career-high five goals and junior

Carson Dennis tallied two as the Blue Devils beat the Norsemen for the fourth straight time.

It was South's senior night, and last weekend it was North's senior

night as it played on home ice for the final time this season.

It was a much tighter game with only four penalties called compared to 15 the game before.

Dennis continued her hot streak, scoring two goals to lead South to a 3-1 win to sweep the regular season series and extend the winning streak to five over North.

"We played a strong game at both ends of the ice and got some solid goaltending from Bella (Strickler)," South assistant coach Chris Booth said.

"We played much better in the second game than the first one, but we still need to finish around the net, which we didn't do enough of in either game," North head coach Joe Provenzano said. "South was really zoned in and they were tough to beat."

Each team scored in the first period with Kramer tallying another goal, her sixth in the two games, while the Norsemen's Bella Welke tallied.

Dennis had the next two goals, including the insurance tally with only 1:50 left in the third period. She finished the two games with four goals and four assists, while sophomore Maria DiCresce had four assists in game one and two assists in game two for six points.

Grosse Pointe North finished the regular season 11-11-0-1 overall and earned the No. 8 seed when Walled Lake lost to Livonia Ladywood, while Grosse Pointe South was 16-8.

## Rivals meet in 1st round

By Bob St. John  
Sports Editor

City rivals University Liggett and Grosse Pointe North battled in the first round of the Division 3 pre-regional playoffs last week at McCann Ice Arena.

Despite the sleet, wind and snow, which crippled traveling conditions, a full house still made it to watch Liggett edge North 2-1 to advance.

"It was a great team effort tonight and that is exactly what we needed after not playing so great the past few weeks," Liggett head coach Mike Hamilton said. "Our defense was strong and (Alex) Grimm played very well in net, which we needed to beat an improved North team."

"We had to be on the same page as a team knowing we had tough teams in our region. Tonight the guys showed something and now they need to be just as strong in our next game."

This game was all about defense and goaltending. The Knights outshot the Norsemen 27-22 as Grimm was the No. 1 star, stopping 21-of-22 shots. North junior Brian



PHOTO BY BOB BRUCE

Liggett senior Brett Abdelnour scored the winning goal to lift the Knights past Grosse Pointe North 2-1 in the first round of the Division 3 state playoffs.

Wenz was just as strong, saving 25-of-27 shots.

The Knights led 1-0 on a second-period goal by junior Jaron Pangborn. Seniors Brett Abdelnour and Alex Minanov had the assists.

Early in the third period, the Norsemen tied it as senior Stephen Kent scored, with an assist from senior Brendan Nelson.

The Knights turned up the pressure and peppered Wenz with shots and it was Abdelnour who was able to break free and wrist home a shot in the top of the net for what turned out to be the winning goal with 10:19 left in the game.

Senior Nick Gawel had the lone assist.

After that, the defense stiffened and Grimm made a couple of big saves to preserve the

playoff win.

North and head coach Mike Maltese ended the season 6-16-3 overall, while Liggett hosted MIHL foe Warren DeLaSalle in the next round of the state playoffs.

The Knights dug themselves a 4-0 hole, but battled back to score three straight goals to make it 4-3.

Abdelnour scored a short-handed goal, while sophomore Mason Campau and Pangborn also scored to get the home team back in the game.

The biggest goal of the game came a minute after Pangborn scored as the Pilots scored what turned out to be the winning goal to make a 5-3 game entering the final period.

Freshman Caden

Lewandowski scored a power-play goal at the 11:54 mark of the third period, but that would be the final tally of the game as Liggett lost 5-4 in a pre-regional final on home ice.

"We can't dig ourselves in that type of hole and expect to dig out and beat a good team like DeLaSalle," Hamilton said. "I give the boys a ton of credit for battling back and getting chances to send it to overtime. It is what it is. They played hard and made a game of it."

The Knights lost Minanov midway through the second period when he was given a five minute penalty and a game misconduct for a knee-to-knee hit.

Liggett finished its season 14-12-1 overall.

## Blue Devils upset in regionals

By Bob St. John  
Sports Editor

Head coach Bobby McKillop knew his Grosse Pointe South boys' hockey team would be tested come playoff time.

There was not an easy team in the Blue Devils' potential path to the Division 2 Final Four at USA Hockey Arena in Plymouth.

The road ended last week with a 2-1 loss to Berkley in a pre-regional final at Berkley Ice Arena.

"We dominated the game and we had a ton of quality scoring chances," McKillop said. "Their goaltender played very well. It's playoff hockey and we had to find a way to score more than one goal, but weren't able to do that. The guys played a great game and they left it all on the ice. I wish we had the chance to see how we would play against Brother Rice again, but it wasn't meant to be."

The Blue Devils put it on the line in a tense third period. Junior Adam Pitters scored early in the frame to tie it 1-1 and the offense had 11 more shots on net in an attempt to gain the lead.

It remained 1-1 until the final 20 seconds when the Bears' Ryan Austin scored to sink the Blue Devils' ship.

All the hard work and sweat went by the wayside as Grosse Pointe South finished its season 17-7-3 overall.

"We really applied a lot of pressure in the second and third periods," McKillop said. "I thought it was an evenly played first period, but after that our boys really got after them."

"It's unfortunate because this is what happens in hockey. You can play a great game and get a hundred chances, but if the goaltender is hot, it's tough to score."

Grosse Pointe South won its playoff opener, 8-0 over Royal Oak earlier in the week.

McKillop loses several seniors, Griffin Brooks, Will Poplawski, Luke Taber, Mac Cimmarrusti, Jacob Bookwalter, Brendan Cauvel, Paul Boyer, Jonathan Theros, Marshall Vyletel and Graham Ryan.

McKillop has several top returning underclassmen, including Pitters, Adam Cervone, Michael French, Jack Flynn, Andrew Vyletel and each of the three goaltenders.

Girls basketball

LIGGETT

# Knights earn another district title

By Bob St. John  
Sports Editor

Head coach Omar Ahart knew his University Liggett girls' basketball team would be in for a battle against host Detroit Edison Public School Academy in last week's Class C district semifinal.

The winner not only advances to the final, but would be the heavy favorite.

"We know it will not be an easy game, but I know our girls will be ready and will play hard," Ahart said.

It was a defensive-

minded game and in the end Liggett prevailed 48-42 in overtime.

"It was a tough game," Ahart said. "We had a chance to win it in regulation, but missed a couple of free throws. The girls played a good game and I'm proud of everyone for chipping in. It was a team win tonight."

The Knights led 10-4 early before falling behind 16-13 at the half. It was 26-24 Knights after three quarters and tied at 38 at the end of regulation.

In the OT, the visitors outscored the home team 10-4 to win and make it

to another district championship game.

Junior Nia Ahart had a double-double, netting 20 points, 10 rebounds and adding five assists.

Senior Kendall McConico also had a double-double with 22 points and 11 rebounds.

"It was nice having our full team on the court because we needed contributions from everyone to win this game," Ahart said. "The girls knew it would not be easy and it wasn't, but they dug deep to beat a good team and win a tough game."

"I'm proud of the girls." Two nights later,

Liggett had little trouble disposing of New Haven, winning the district title game 64-22 as Ahart and McConico each recorded a double-double.

Ahart had 38 points and 10 steals, while McConico had 22 points and 10 steals as the Knights' pressure defense forced the Rockets into more than 20 turnovers.

Liggett improved to 18-4 overall.

For the Knights, the string of district championships stretched to seven and made it four in a row with Ahart as head coach.



PHOTO BY BOB BRUCE

Liggett senior Kendall McConico, shown at a home game a couple of weeks ago, scored 22 points in each of the Knights' last two district games.

GROSSE POINTE SOUTH

# Blue Devils find intensity

By Bob St. John  
Sports Editor

The Grosse Pointe South girls' basketball team played its best game in weeks last week, beating Detroit Cass Tech 73-42 in a Class A district semifinal in front of the home fans.

"That was the best we played in a month," head coach Kevin Richards said. "Benna (Ames) was great, Anna (Carmody) made plays and we really did a great job at both ends of the court."

"This is how we expect

to play and hopefully this effort carries over to the district final."

The Blue Devils led 10-0 before the blink of an eye and settled into a 12-7 lead after the first quarter.

They put on a clinic in the second quarter, using an effective half-court trap to score easy transition baskets.

The slim five-point lead turned into an 18-point bulge at the half, thanks to a 20-7 second quarter.

The Blue Devils had 12 players score and they

were led by the senior trio of Carmody, Ames and Margaret Brennan. Carmody had 18 points, followed by Ames with 10 points, five rebounds and two blocks, and Brennan with nine points and nine rebounds.

Junior Sayanna Roy had 12 points, followed by sophomore Margot Baer with six, senior Noelle Prater with four and freshman Savannah Srebernak with four.

Next was a district title tilt against favored Detroit Martin Luther King.

The Blue Devils played the Crusaders in mid-January and lost by 19 points.

The Blue Devils remained close after the first quarter, trailing 12-7, but a 13-6 second quarter created a 25-13 halftime deficit.

In the end, South lost 46-29 to end the season 9-14 overall. It's the first time for the seniors that they didn't win a district championship.

Ames, in her final game as a Blue Devil, scored 11 points and Carmody had six.



PHOTO BY PETE BALAYA

South senior Natalia Engel drives the lane during the Blue Devils' district semifinal win over Detroit Cass Tech.

GROSSE POINTE NORTH

# Norsemen fall to LV

By Bob St. John  
Sports Editor

Freshmen Evy Zacharias and Madeline Mills nearly provided the Grosse Pointe North girls' basketball team a miracle in last weekend's Class A district championship game against St. Clair Shores Lakeview.

The playing field was leveled when freshman standout Julia Ayrault missed the game with a concussion and junior standout Katie Snow fouled out midway through the third quarter.

Lakeview used these advantages to pull off a 45-42 win, sending North home for the winter with a 17-6 overall record.

"The bottom line is the kids we had in there played hard," head coach Gary Bennett said. "The girls could have folded when they fell behind by 10 points, but they battled back and had a



PHOTO BY BOB BRUCE

North junior Katie Snow had nine points before fouling out in the third quarter in the Norsemen's game against Lakeview.

chance at the end.

"Circumstances happened that we didn't have control of, but the girls played hard."

The Norsemen trailed 42-32 with only three minutes left, but that was when Mills and Zacharias nearly pulled the rabbit out of the magic hat.

Mills scored five straight points to cut it to 42-37 and after a

Lakeview free throw, Zacharias drilled another three pointer to make it 43-40 and the crowd was in a frenzy.

Both teams traded points and with under a minute left, the Norsemen had a wide-open look to cut it to 45-44, but the shot attempt was too strong and the Huskies rebounded it.

The Norsemen didn't foul until 3.6 seconds left and the Huskies left the door open after they missed two free throws.

The Norsemen gathered the rebound, but a last-second shot came after the horn sounded and they lost.

Zacharias led the way with a career-high 14 points, followed by Snow with nine, senior Lauren Lesha with eight and Mills with five.

North won its district semifinal, 38-25 over Warren Woods-Tower as Lesha led the way with 11 points.

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Zacharias led the way with a career-high 14 points, followed by Snow with nine, senior Lauren Lesha with eight and Mills with five.

North won its district semifinal, 38-25 over Warren Woods-Tower as Lesha led the way with 11 points.

**Boys basketball**

**NORTH & SOUTH**

# South falls; North wins

By Bob St. John  
Sports Editor

It has been six weeks since Grosse Pointe South boys' basketball team tasted defeat.

Its last loss came Jan. 18 to Detroit Martin Luther King.

On Monday night in the first round in the Class A district playoffs, South lost only its fourth game of the season, 57-44 to Martin Luther King.

Head coach Troy Glasser watched his Blue Devils get off to a slow start. They trailed 16-6 after the first quarter and 27-13 at the half.

However, behind senior Nate Hall, the Blue Devils mounted a furious comeback and cut the deficit to nine points, 36-27, after three quarters.

Hall scored 10 of the Blue Devils' 14 third-quarter points and added another 14 in the fourth quarter to finish with 24 in a losing cause.

The Blue Devils cut the deficit to four points, 44-40, with five minutes left. They had all the momentum, but King responded with an 8-0 run to lead 52-40, which took the wind out of the

Blue Devils' sails.

In his last high school game, senior Jack Maher had eight points and seven rebounds, while junior Brennan Buszka had five points and 11 rebounds.

Grosse Pointe South finished with one of its best records in a decade at 17-4.

In other recent action, South edged Mount Clemens 50-46 to close out its Macomb Area Conference Blue Division slate 11-1.

Grosse Pointe North won its Class A district first-round game, beating Eastpointe East Detroit 59-46.

The host Norsemen jumped out to a 17-9 lead in the first quarter and had a 32-26 lead at the half.

They outscored the Shamrocks 15-8 in the third quarter to build a 47-34 lead and the visitors never could get over the hump in the final stanza.

Senior Mitchell Zacharias led the way with 17 points, followed by juniors Dillon Webb and Steven Levick with 16 and 14 points, respectively.

Grosse Pointe North improved to 12-9 overall.

**LIGGETT**

# Knights ousted

By Bob St. John  
Sports Editor

It's been a long six weeks for University Liggett boys' basketball head coach Sidney Johnson and his long-time assistant Alex Hurley.

The Knights endured a seven-game losing streak, losing the past five games by five points or less.

Last week, the Knights used a team effort to beat Auburn Hills Oakland Christian 42-32 on senior night.

"We really needed this win after losing those tough games in which we were in position to win, but just couldn't get the big plays in crunch time," Johnson said.

The Knights outscored Oakland Christian 12-5 in the fourth quarter as senior Spencer Ewing finished with 13 points and sophomore Anthony George had 11.

Liggett finished its regular season with a 59-45 win over Ann Arbor Greenhills and a 46-40 loss to Detroit University Prep.

Ewing had 25 points and junior Jackson Walkowiak had 15 against Greenhills.

Ewing had 24 against Prep in the regular season finale.

On Monday evening at Detroit Loyola, Liggett lost 80-50 to Detroit Pershing in the first round of Class C district playoffs to end its season 7-13 overall.

City of **Grosse Pointe Farms**, Michigan

**BOARD OF REVIEW**

Meetings for the purpose of reviewing the 2016 Assessment Roll for the City of Grosse Pointe Farms, Wayne County, Michigan, will be held by the Board of Review on:

**TUESDAY, MARCH 15, 2016**  
From 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.  
and  
6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

and

**MONDAY, MARCH 21, 2016**  
From 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.  
and  
1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

at City Hall, 90 Kerby Road, Grosse Pointe Farms, Michigan 48236.

Hearings will be scheduled by appointment. Please contact City of Grosse Pointe Farms at (313) 640-1618. You may also petition the Board in writing through the mail if you cannot make the hearing dates. These letters HAVE TO BE IN THE OFFICE BY FRIDAY, MARCH 18TH.

**Timothy E. O'Donnell**, City Assessor

GPN: 2-25-16; 3-3-16; 3-10-16; 3-17-16

**Gymnastics**

**GROSSE POINTE UNIFIED**

# Gymnasts make finals

By Bob St. John  
Sports Editor

The Grosse Pointe Unified gymnastics team is making a return trip to the state finals after finishing second in its regional tournament last weekend.

Farmington United won the regional with 144.675 points, followed by Grosse Pointe with 138.775, Port Huron with 137.150, Troy/Avondale with 133.175, Milford/Lakeland with 131.950, Birmingham Unified with 131.175, Waterford Mott with 126.975, Fraser with 120.650 and Walled Lake Northern/

Western with 83.100. Head coach Courtney Hamidi watched her gymnasts score 35.400 on the uneven parallel bars, followed by a 35.100 on the vault, 34.400 on the floor exercise and 33.875 on the balance beam.

Competing in the meet were Isabelle Nguyen, Brenna Bromwell, Michelle Ellis, Jennifer Gmeiner, Aundrianna Boles, Sydney Dugan, Rachel Rogers, Elizabeth Byarski and Emma Scott.

In addition, qualifying for the individual state meet were Nguyen, Division 1 regional champion in all-around

at 37.7, bars, beam and floor, and second in vault; Ellis, eighth on bars and sixth in all-around in Division 2; and Gmeiner, second on bars and eighth in the floor exercise in Division 1.

On the vault, Nguyen led the team with a 9.20, followed by Ellis with an 8.675, Rogers with an 8.625, Byarski with an 8.60, Gmeiner with an 8.60 and Bromwell with an 8.55.

Nguyen crushed the competition on the bars, scoring a 9.70, followed by Gmeiner at 9.30, Ellis at 8.30, Scott at 8.10 and Byarski at 7.7.

Leading the team on

the beam was Nguyen, who scored a 9.4. Following her on the team were Byarski with an 8.20, Ellis with an 8.175, Scott with an 8.10, Boles with a 7.9, Rogers with a 7.45, Gmeiner with a 7.40, Bromwell with a 7.2 and Dugan with a 6.85.

On the floor exercise, it was once again Nguyen leading the way with a 9.40, followed by Ellis with an 8.425, Rogers with an 8.30, Gmeiner and Byarski with an 8.275, Bromwell with an 8.075 and Scott with a 7.975.

The state finals are March 11 and 12.

**Soccer**

**EASTSIDE FC**

# Club announces new coach

Eastside FC recently announced Gerard Jones, a former DOC at Arsenal Soccer Schools, is the new club director of coaching.

Jones brings more than 10 years coaching experience as an FA UEFA "A" licensed coach and FA Advanced Youth Award holder, having coached in both grassroots and professional football in the United Kingdom, United States, Italy, Norway and New Zealand.

His most recent position was as assistant U21s coach at Bradford City AFC through American Soccer Academy RIASA. He has also worked as an Academy Coach of U7s to U16s at Rochdale AFC, ran development centers throughout the north of England and worked as a semi-pro 1st team manager and university head coach.

Jones will introduce a coaching curriculum to develop independent thinking soccer players.

EastSide FC sees this as a step in developing the Club as the leading provider of specialist player development

throughout Michigan, and with Jones's contacts across Europe, it puts the club ahead for being able to provide opportunities for players to progress onto higher levels of performance.

"I am delighted to be the DOC at Eastside FC through YESSoccer,"

Jones said. "Having worked at every level, I am passionate about using this experience to establish a coaching curriculum and game-style that maximizes our player's individual strengths and helps grow the Club as a market leader in young player develop-

ment. I see this as another step in my career and I'm excited to meet all the coaches, players and parents."

To find out more about Jones, visit: gerardschoolfootball.com and to find out about opportunities with EastSide FC visit eastfc.org.

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**SATURDAY, MARCH 12 / Grosse Pointe South - Main Gym**  
9-11am - 9-10 year olds (8 year olds considering minors)  
11am-1pm - 11-12 year olds

**SATURDAY, MARCH 19 / Grosse Pointe North - Gym**  
12-2pm - 9-10 year olds (8 year olds considering minors)  
2-4pm - 11-12 year olds  
13-16 year olds later date to be announced

**IMPORTANT:** Each player must complete a concussion form and deliver to league at evaluations. Players without a completed concussion form will not be able to participate in evaluations. Download Concussion Form from your league website.



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City of **Grosse Pointe Park**, Michigan

**2016 March Board of Review**

The City of Grosse Pointe Park will be conducting the 2016 March Board of Review and will convene in the City Hall at 15115 East Jefferson, Grosse Pointe Park, Michigan 48230.

The regular Board of Review schedule is as follows:

**Organizational Meeting**  
March 15, 2016 9:00 AM

**Appeal Hearings**  
March 15, 2016 9:30 AM to 5:00 PM  
March 29, 2016 1:00 PM to 9:00 PM

Other hearing dates and times may be scheduled as needed. Hearings are by appointment only. COMPLETED 2016 BOARD OF REVIEW PETITIONS ARE NECESSARY, and must be submitted to the Assessor's Office, prior to your appointment. The deadline for submitting petitions for all persons wishing to appeal in person before the Board of Review is Tuesday, March 29, 2016.

A resident or non-resident taxpayer may file a petition with the Board of Review without the requirement of a personal appearance by the taxpayer or a representative. An agent must have written authority to represent the owner and it must be submitted to the Board of Review on the form prescribed by the assessor's office. Written petitions must be received by Tuesday, March 29, 2016 to be reviewed by the Board. Postmarks are not accepted.

Copies of the notices stating the dates and times of the meetings will be posted and published in the local newspaper.

All Board of Review meetings are open meetings in compliance with the "Open Meetings Act".

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Assessor's Office at (313) 822-6200.

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City of **Grosse Pointe**, Michigan

**2016 March Board of Review**

The 2016 March Board of Review will convene in the City Hall at 17147 Maumee Avenue, Grosse Pointe, MI 48230.

The meeting is scheduled as follows:

**ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING**  
March 21, 2016 @ 1:00 PM

**APPEAL HEARINGS**  
March 21, 2016 @ 1:30 PM to 9:00 PM  
March 22, 2016 @ 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Other hearing dates and times may be scheduled as needed. Hearings are by appointment only. COMPLETED 2016 BOARD OF REVIEW PETITIONS ARE NECESSARY, and must be submitted to the Assessor's Office, prior to your appointment. The deadline for submitting petitions for all persons wishing to appeal in person before the Board of Review is Tuesday, March 22, 2016.

A resident or non-resident taxpayer may file a petition with the Board of Review without the requirement of a personal appearance by the taxpayer or a representative. An agent must have written authority to represent the owner and it must be submitted to the Board of Review on the form prescribed by the assessor's office. Written petitions must be received by Tuesday, March 22, 2016 to be reviewed by the Board. Postmarks are not accepted.

Copies of the notices stating the dates and times of the meetings will be posted and published in the local newspaper.

All Board of Review meetings are open meetings in compliance with the "Open Meetings Act".

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Assessor's Office at (313) 885-5800.

GPN: 2/25/16, 3/3/16, 3/10/16

# Young writers recognized

By Mary Anne Brush  
Staff Writer

"Oh, I won a writing award."

Susan Quinn, English teacher at Pierce Middle School, suspected this casual, off-hand remark was how many parents would discover their child won a 2016 Scholastic Writing Award. So she sent a letter explaining why winning was such an accomplishment.

"You should be very proud of your teen," Quinn wrote. "They did something pretty amazing. They wrote, they edited, they submitted their writing to be blindly judged and hoped for the best. The Scholastic Writing Awards are very competitive and only the very best artists and writers earn awards."

Included in the roster of past winners are Andy Warhol, Sylvia Plath, Truman Capote, Joyce Carol Oates, Stephen King and John Updike. According to Quinn, Gold Keys are awarded only to the top 5 to 7 percent of all entries. Silver Keys are awarded to the top 7 to 10 percent and honorable mention is awarded to the top 10 to 15 percent.

Writers in grades 7 to 12 submit work in nine categories: critical essay, dramatic script, flash fiction, humor, journalism, personal essay/memoir, poetry, science fiction/fantasy and short story.

Pierce seventh- and



PHOTO BY RENEE LANDUYT

Scholastic Writing Award Gold Key winners, from left, Eva McCord, Victoria Ortiz and Gabriela Moncivais.

eight-graders earned a total of three Gold Key awards, nine Silver Key awards and 35 honorable mention awards.

Grosse Pointe North and South high schools also had winners at the regional level, which includes counties in Michigan, Iowa, Illinois, Ohio, Minnesota, Kansas, Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Kentucky and Wisconsin.

Earning Gold Key awards from Pierce were eighth-graders Gabriela Moncivais and Victoria Ortiz and seventh-grader Eva McCord. Silver Key winners were eighth-graders Catherine

Christinidis, Olivia Chugh, Andrew Fleming, Shannon Kerr, Brooklyn Northcross, Imran Siddiqui and Abby

Wilson. Seventh-grade Silver Key winners were Bridget Clark and Grace Vethacke.

Receiving one or more honorable mentions were eighth-graders Clare Adams, Jordan Buisch, Joseph Burgoyne, Katie Cherven, Natalie Clextion, Christinidis, Austin Detweiler, Lizzie High, Eliza Eaton, Madi Hood, Maddie Hurley, Evelyn Kuhnlein, Catherine Llope, Anna Ludvigsen, Ava Mitchell, Alex Pinter, Sophia Remelius, Grace Ryan, Daniel Schenk, Ethan Schenk, Kylie Stackpoole, Roo Wiley and Abby Wilson; and seventh-graders Atticus Henry, Sophia Minadeo, Raegan Rybicki and Shea Vatalaro.

In honor of their accomplishment, Pierce

awardees were invited to a luncheon Friday, Feb. 26, with young adult author, Kyle Prue, to talk about the craft of writing.

Earning Gold Key awards from South were senior Hannah Brauer and sophomore Ryan Trombly. Brauer also received two Silver Keys and Trombly received two honorable mentions. Junior Anthony Kolesky earned a Silver Key and two honorable mention awards and sophomore Natasha Vatalaro earned a Silver Key and an honorable mention.

From North, Senior Olivia Robinson earned a Silver Key and freshman Audrey Rancourt received an honorable mention.

Gold Key winners will be judged at the national level in New York City.

# North hosts college night

Save the date for College Night, an annual one-stop shopping event for high school students and their families 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday, April 19, at Grosse Pointe North High School's gym.

Representatives from more than 100 colleges, universities, technical schools and military organizations will be on hand to answer questions and educate students and their parents.

# SOUTH ARTFEST

Grosse Pointe South High School's ArtFest 2016 opens Wednesday, March 16, and runs through Saturday, March 19. This annual event features artwork by 500 South students for display and purchase and attracts more than 2,000 visitors from all over metro Detroit. Monies raised from a percentage of art sales and a raffle go

directly to support art programs and scholarships at South.

ArtFest is open 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. and 5 to 8 p.m. Wednesday, March 16; 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday, March 17; and Friday, March 18; and 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, March 19.

Purchases are available for pick-up Saturday only.



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Kindergartners celebrate Dr. Seuss's birthday on Read Across America Day.

# Reading across Grosse Pointe

Celebrating the birthday of Theodor Seuss Geisel — better known as Dr. Seuss — was a great way to kick off National Reading Month. Kindergarten students at St. Clare of Montefalco Catholic School were treated March 2 to a reading by Principal Geoffrey Fisher of a Dr. Seuss book on Read Across America Day, named by presidential proclamation.



PHOTO COURTESY OF ST. CLARE

Principal Geoffrey Fisher reads a Dr. Seuss book to St. Clare kindergartners.

In the proclamation, President Obama quoted one of Seuss's most famous lines from "I Can Read With My Eyes Shut!": "The more that you read, the more things you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you'll go."

Richard Elementary School launched "March is Reading Month" with incentives and activities such as reading trivia, "caught ya" reading moments and a reading round robin.

During the round robin, students moved with their classes to different classrooms to hear stories read by different teachers.

"Teachers choose stories that students of varying grade levels will enjoy," said reading specialist Beth Rainbolt. "It's fun for the students to experience time in another grade level classroom and it's fun for teachers to be with students at different grade levels."

Rainbolt especially enjoyed observing the fifth-grade teachers interacting with the kindergartners.

—Mary Anne Brush

# Star performs 'The Music Man, Jr.'

Trouble with a capital "T" comes to Grosse Pointe Woods with Our Lady Star of the Sea's production of "The Music Man, Jr."

Performances are 1:30 and 7 p.m. Thursday,

March 17, and 7 p.m. Friday, March 18.

Tickets are \$5 and children 5 and younger are free. Star of the Sea is located at 467 Fairford. Call (313) 884-1070 for more information.



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Eighth-graders Mia Mattaliano and Adam Suarez play the lead roles in Star of the Sea's production of "The Music Man, Jr."

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Richard third-graders, clockwise from left, Margo McDougall, Mira Losier, Connie Bedsworth, Emily Albrecht, Brian Harris and Nathan Faulkner celebrate books during March is Reading Month.

## Band and orchestra students hit high note

Grosse Pointe North and Grosse Pointe South high school band and orchestra students performed well at the District XVI Michigan School Band & Orchestra Association Solo and Ensemble Festival at Rochester High School Saturday, Jan. 30. Students performed solos and ensembles for professional adjudicators and were given a rating of 1 to 5 based on the quality of their performance.

Students receiving first division ratings for an excellent performance qualified to participate with the finest instrumental musicians in the state at the MSBOA State Solo & Ensemble Festival Saturday, March 19, at Chippewa Valley High School.

Receiving first-division medals from North were: LaSean Patton (violin solo); Joseph Florance (bassoon solo); Audrey Rancourt, Kirstin Bessette (clarinet duet); PJ Gusmano, Illeana Barragan (marimba duet); Garrett Schreck (trumpet solo); William Fishwick (cello solo); Chloe Bigwood, Grace Sexton (clarinet duet); Illeana Barragan (percussion solo); William Ferguson (piano solo); Alex Dean (trumpet solo); Anthony Diamond (tuba solo); Alexander Brown-Baker, Katelyn LoPorto (trombone duet); Chloe Bigwood, Emily Truss, John Cobau (clarinet trio); Taylor Vaughn, Mekelle Pace (flute duet); Thomas Jakubiec, Paul Rausch, Carlo Recchia (alto saxophone trio); Joseph Florance, Hope Kujawa, Harriet Sauget, Rebecca Lubera, Audrey Rancourt (woodwind quintet); Keenan Bakowski (trumpet solo); Hope Kujawa (oboe solo); Rebecca Lubera (flute solo); Ben Bauman (snare solo); Chloe Walters (horn solo); Salina Patel (violin solo); Joey Lawnicki, Keenan Bakowski, Nick Sumnik, Garrett Schreck (brass quartet); LaSean Patton, Joey Cobau, Adam Berry, Tai Daniels, Isabella Hicks, Chloe Redeye, Rebecca Flynn, Audrey Kam, Lindsey Hoshaw, Paul Munn, Ritika, Pansare, Kelsey Lanahan, Michael Pappas, William Fishwick, Andrea Jovanovski, Taylor Curry and Alex Eklund (chamber strings).

Receiving first-division rankings from South were: Hadley Hermon, Matthew Torlone, Jared Schenk, Teddy Sweeney, Harry Susally, Seth Adams, Josh Adams, Paul Swanson, Donovan Dunham, Kurt Huebner, Scott Leising, Jack Ecclestone (brass choir); David Koelzer, Abby Kuplicki, Philip Gatabonton, Nathan Mitchell, Joe Ladensack, Chris Poleski, Tori Potter, Evangeline Faussie, Lucas Biernat, Daniel Cullen (clarinet choir); Alyssa Campbell, Charlotte Farrell, Erika Miciuda, Audrey Doherty, Peter Hummer, Anna Jarboe, Sunny Xia, Sarah Ashkar, Alex Fahle, Emilija Covintree, Billy Beardslee, Deirdre McKeever, Sydney Simoncini, Amelia Abouljoud, Catharine Fennessey, Margaret Sohn, Kira Gurovich and Jeff Matthews (chamber orchestra); Amelia Abouljoud (viola solo); Amelia Abouljoud and

Brianna Corrión (string duet); Sarah Ashkar (violin solo); Sarah Ashkar, Natasha Vatalaro, Simon Chen (string trio); Kelly Baetz (trumpet solo); Zach Bowe (cello solo); Julianna Brenner (euphonium solo); Julianna Brenner (piano solo); Lucy Burgoyne (violin solo); Alyssa Campbell (violin solo); Alyssa Campbell, David Koelzer, John Koukios, Hadley Hermon, Josh Adams, Jeff Matthews, Seth Adams (mixed septet); Brianna Corrión (cello solo); Charlotte Farrell (violin solo); Catharine Fennessey (viola solo); Anthony Frasier (alto saxophone solo); Kira Gurovich (cello solo); Kira Gurovich, Charlotte Farrell, Emilija Covintree, Erika Miciuda (string quartet); Hadley Hermon (trumpet solo); Peter Hummer, Alex Fahle (string duet); Anna Jarboe (violin solo); Anna Jarboe, Billy Beardslee, Isabelle Adams (string trio); Jackie Kosmas (flute solo); Renee Liu (piano solo); Teddy Loosvelt (percussion solo); Parker McKowen, Zach Bowe (string duet); Ransom McSunas (tenor saxophone solo); Griffin Murray (cello solo); Tiffany Nakai (violin solo); Tiffany Nakai, Alix Fleig (string duet); Chris Poleski (clarinet solo); Chris Poleski, Tori Potter, Shreya Rana (woodwind trio); Rachael Price, Veronica Stafford, Jackie Kosmas (flute trio); Ben Rappolee, Trevor Henry (string duet); Jared Schenk (trumpet solo); Margaret Sohn (cello solo); Veronica Stafford (flute solo); Harry Susalla (French horn solo); Teddy Sweeney (piano solo); Teddy Sweeney, Sebastian Simon (trumpet duet); and Gen Yarema (flute solo).

North's band and orchestra program is under the direction of David Cleveland, John Donnellon and Noah Zogas. South's band and orchestra program is under the direction of James Gross and Christopher Takis.

## Academy students get R.E.A.L.

By Mary Anne Brush  
Staff Writer

While a number of classmates were in Europe on a class trip Monday, Feb. 15, to Friday, Feb. 19, middle school students at the Grosse Pointe Academy took advantage of opportunities provided by the Real Experiences and Applied Learning program. R.E.A.L. engages students in real-world tasks that extend classroom learning, employ cross-disciplinary thinking, make connections to the world outside their classroom walls and create innovative solutions and products as a result of their work.

Students selected from a range of offerings including classes on cryptography, crime scene investigation, film and video production, graphic arts and marketing.

In the cryptography class, students learned how to send and receive secret messages using historical and modern methods. Hands-on activities introduced the basics of code-breaking and students explored rotation and substitution ciphers, one-time pads, symmetric-key, public-key and steganographic systems.

The CSI class exposed students to crime scene analysis techniques such as document analysis, finger-printing, blood typing, chromatography, tire track evaluation and footprint



PHOTOS COURTESY OF GPA

Top, from left, Academy middle school students Soren May, Emmanuelle Cubba, Kennedy Waller and Kelsey Williams hang out in the studio at Ringside Creative in Oak Park. Above, from left, Molly Woods, Caroline Peabody and Jacob Tomlinson learned about the industrial and graphic arts industries during a visit to the College for Creative Studies in Detroit.

analysis. Students also attempted to identify unknown substances and fibers as well as tool marks and glass fractures.

In the GPA studios class, student filmmakers scripted, storyboarded and filmed their productions before editing them into short, narrative films. In the "Build Your Brand" marketing class, students came up with a business or service to promote and created

websites using the software Weebly. Examples included web sites for collecting donations for Syrian refugees, promoting a charter fishing company, selling longboards and tips for home design and organization.

An important component of the program was real-world exposure through site visits. Students in the marketing class visited Airfoil Group, a marketing and

public relations firm in Royal Oak, learning first-hand from professionals how to market, keep product websites fresh and maintain consumer interest in their products.

CSI students met with a crime lab scientist and local police detective and filmmakers in the video production class visited Oak Park-based Ringside Creative, a multimedia production company that works with Ford, the Detroit Red Wings and the Detroit Medical Center.

Students in the graphic arts class visited the College for Creative Studies in Detroit where they learned about the Adobe Creative Cloud suite of design software and worked on design planning for a project of their choice, from digital photography, editorial design and computer graphics to advertising design.

"To me, one of the biggest successes of this program is that the students get hands-on experience and see professionals working in these fields," said Lawrence DeLuca, assistant head of school for instruction, grades 1 to 8 principal. DeLuca also co-taught the GPA studios class. "They get a taste of what other people do, different professions that people have. They see how what they love to do could actually be turned into something they could do as a career."

## Liggett history teacher honored by the DAR

A local chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution named University Liggett School Social Studies Chairman Adam Hellebuyck "Outstanding Teacher of American History."

Hellebuyck was honored last week by the Louisa St. Clair chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution. The award recognizes his work with Liggett's 10th-grade U.S. history class, which teaches American

history through the lens of Detroit and the region. Hellebuyck was one of the co-creators of the class, which recently received several accolades including the State History Award for educational programs from the Historical Society of Michigan.

"It's wonderful, and a great validation of our program," Hellebuyck said of the Daughters of the American Revolution

award. "It's not just my work, but also the cooperation of the faculty, administration and students to really put this together."

The U.S. history class uses the Detroit area as an extension of the classroom. Students examine local and regional case studies that illustrate the large themes of U.S. history and go on a series of site visits in which they act as historians rather than tourists.

"With place-based learning, Detroit and the region are not a footnote in a textbook — they are the cornerstone," Hellebuyck said. "The students aren't just learning about Detroit to understand where they're from, but to understand who we are as people in American society. It's a powerful experience that students aren't necessarily getting elsewhere."

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City of Harper Woods will be holding a Public Hearing on Monday, April 4, 2016, at 7:00 p.m. for the purpose of obtaining public input and comment on the Creation of a Special Assessment District to Defray the Costs to Continue the Maintenance and Operation of Police and Fire Protection for the City of Harper Woods.

- The estimate of the costs and expenses of the police and fire motor vehicles, apparatus, equipment, housing and police and fire protection to be defrayed by an annual levy on the lands and premises within the special assessment district. The estimate of costs and expenses is \$6,485,678.00.
- The creation of a special assessment district consisting of all of the lands and premises within the municipal boundaries of the City of Harper Woods.

Residents who are unable to attend this hearing may submit their written comments regarding this matter to the City Clerk's office prior to the hearing date.

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3/16 vs.		7:30 PM
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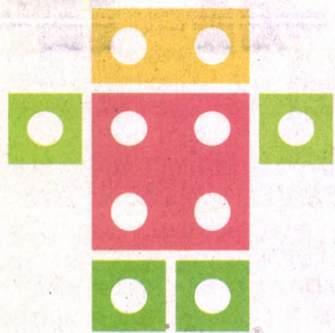


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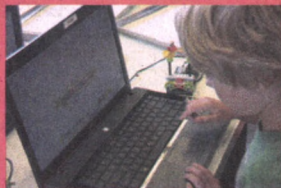
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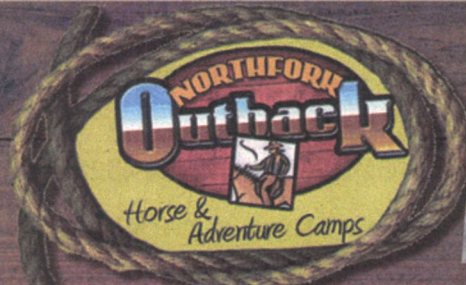
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- Present an Art Show

**Session 2**  
Students will explore the components of various Olympic sports and compete in various events and games. Areas of study and activities include:

- Opening ceremony
- Sports
- Yoga
- Gymnastics
- Basketball
- Track & Field
- Closing ceremonies: award medals to all winners

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- Architecture & Design: town building, fabric design
- On-site workshops: Bricks for Kids & Designer Elana Victoria
- Literature: drama, poetry & mythology
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- Painting & Sculpture: explore various techniques and media
- Present an Art Show
- Field Trip & on-site workshop: DIA
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Vitality Plus—6 a.m., 12 noon., 6 p.m., 12 midnight  
*Exercise*

Detroit Economic Club 6:30 a.m., 12:30 p.m., 6:30 p.m., 12:30 a.m.  
The 2015-2016 Detroit Red Wings

Mondays at the Max—7:30 a.m., 1:30 p.m., 7:30 p.m., 1:30 a.m.  
*WSU Department of Music Concert*

Family Center—8:30 a.m., 2:30 p.m., 8:30 p.m., 2:30 a.m.  
*"Mindfulness in School" presentation*

Senior Men's Club—9:30 a.m., 3:30 p.m., 9:30 p.m., 3:30 a.m.  
Robert Bury  
*Detroit Historical Society*

In a Heartbeat—10 a.m., 4 p.m., 10 p.m., 4 a.m.  
Dan Gilleran and Crosby Washburne  
*Grosse Pointe Schools Innovative Programs*

Great Lakes Log—10:30 a.m., 4:30 p.m., 10:30 p.m., 4:30 a.m.  
Nick Schroeck, Erica Shell, and Anna Rossi  
*Transnational Environmental Law Clinic at WSU*

MetroArts Detroit—11 a.m., 5 p.m., 11 p.m., 5 p.m.  
Up-and-coming artists from the Metro Detroit area

Cars in Context—11:30 a.m., 5:30 p.m., 11:30 p.m., 5:30 a.m.  
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