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News

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Sports

■ Grosse Pointe North's girls basketball team turn in one of its top performances of the season last week to beat crosstown rival Grosse Pointe South 47-21.

"We executed our offense better tonight than we have all season," North coach Gary Bennett said after the game.

The victory gives the Norsemen a 5-0 record. Page 1C.

■ Matt Jarboe rushes for 146 yards and Grosse Pointe South's football team got solid performances in all phases of the game as the Blue Devils beat Macomb Dakota 19-6 in South's homecoming game. Page 1C.

WEEK AHEAD

Thursday, Sept. 28

Author and medical doctor Larry Stephenson speaks about heart health at the central branch of the Grosse Pointe Public Library at 7:30 p.m. The program is free, but reservations are required. For more information, call (313) 343-2074, ex. 2.

Saturday, Sept. 30

University Liggett School holds its 26th Antiques Show at its middle school campus from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. The show continues on Sunday, Oct. 1, from noon to 5 p.m.

Tickets are \$8. For more information, call (313) 884-4444.

Sunday, Oct. 1

Carolyn Jefferson-Jenkins, president of the League of Women Voters of the United States, is the keynote speaker for the celebration of the 50th anniversary of the founding of the Grosse Pointe chapter of the organization.

The celebration begins at 2:30 p.m. in the Grosse Pointe War Memorial, 32 Lakeshore in Grosse Pointe Farms. It is free and open to the public.

Music fans can enjoy the "Best of Broadway" show and special buffet brunch at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial. Tickets are \$25 per person. Those wishing to attend are asked to register by Sept. 28. They can do so by calling (313) 881-7511 or through e-mail at www.war memorial.org.

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Photos by Roch Silara

A winning combination

Grosse Pointe South High School senior Marlowe Marsh is given a congratulatory hug by her father, Wilbert, after being crowned homecoming queen during halftime at South's homecoming game Saturday, Sept. 23.

The seniors took first place in the float competition, but the juniors took the first-place honors in the spirit, banner and front lawn decorations competitions.

The Blue Devils capped off the day with a 19-6 win over Dakota High School. See story on 1C.

War Memorial employees to run for Legacy project

By Jim Stickford
Staff Writer

These Grosse Pointe War Memorial staffers know exactly how far they have to go for the upcoming Legacy project — 26.2 miles.

In an effort to help raise the \$26,000 needed for the Legacy project, War Memorial president Dr. Mark Webber, as well as staffers Teri Carroll, Beth Clemens and Jill Marshall, will be running in the annual Marine Corps Marathon in Washington, D.C. on the weekend of Oct. 22-25. They will be joined by Marine Maj. Thomas Rose, former Marines Ken Perry and Jerry Carroll.

The Legacy project will collect and codify the wartime and military experiences of over 600 Grosse Pointers. Their stories will be available through a special computerized kiosk at the War Memorial. The kiosk, expected to be completed by next February, will provide visitors with instant access to historical and biographical information about Pointe veterans.

This information will include photographs, artifacts and digital interviews, available through a simple search process.

"It is important that we preserve the stories of our veterans so that we, as a community, may always be mindful of the selfless, brave men and women who have safeguarded our freedom," said Webber.

When asked why he decided to run in the Marine marathon to help raise money for the project, Webber said that he had decided, as a personal goal, to start running as a way to get into shape and devote some time to himself.

"This gave me the idea on how to help the Legacy project," Webber said. "I heard about the Marine Corps marathon and thought, 'this is nifty.' I had wanted to participate in a marathon and thought the Marine Corps one went well with the War Memorial's mission to veterans. I talked about this with some of the staff and the next thing I know, some of them had signed up to run with me."

The Marine Corps marathon accepts only 25,000 runners, said Teri Carroll. In order to participate, you have to sign up months in advance. War Memorial staff had to appeal to



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get all seven members of their team in the race. Other organizations raise money through the race and Webber and Carroll thought that some of them might have spaces they could give to the War Memorial. They were proven correct.

"When Dr. Webber started talking about the marathon, I thought that it would be great to get involved," said Carroll. "I've been training since February. I picked a 20-week training program and have followed it. At this point, I've run a couple of 16- and 18-milers. This mileage may sound incredible, but I say I'm just going to go out and run for three hours."

Carroll is 36 years old and the mother of two small children. Her husband Jerry, a former Marine, teaches in Hazel Park. He has never run a marathon but Carroll said he's training hard and this has allowed them to get out and get fit and meet a whole new set of friends.

Ken Perry is an attorney and member of the War Memorial board of trustees. Beth Clemens is 24 years old and is Webber's personal assistant.

"When I found out I had the opportunity to run for the Legacy project, I was excited," said Perry.

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Circuit judge pares NYCE suit in Shores

By Jim Stickford
Staff Writer

Village of Grosse Pointe Shores attorney Ralph Houghton updated the Grosse Pointe Shores board of trustees on the status of the lawsuit pending against the Shores and the Grosse Pointe Yacht Club over a proposed expansion of the club's harbor.

Houghton told the board of trustees that Wayne County Circuit Judge Isidore B. Torres issued stipulated orders eliminating a number of plaintiffs and counts from the suit.

Eliminated plaintiffs, said Houghton, include John Monahan, Lucas Georgandellis, Lawrence S. Wilkinson, Charles Bigelow, William J. Cutlip, Warren S. Wilkinson, Marion H. Tousey and Raymond Cracchiolo.

"They were released on stipulation," said Houghton. "That means that the parties involved all agreed they should be dismissed without prejudice. Some were dropped because they weren't residents of the Shores, while others were dropped because they were living in areas where accretion the buildup of sediment along the shoreline — was alleged to have been taking place."

In addition to a number of

plaintiffs being dropped from the suit, Judge Torres dismissed five counts as well. These included a claim that the lease the Shores has with the Yacht Club violates the village charter. The judge also dismissed the claim that certain board members had a conflict of interest by being members of the Yacht Club.

Torres also dismissed a claim that the Shores violated the state's open meetings act. Also dropped were two technical claims concerning a writ of mandamus and an alleged breach of the fiduciary duty of the Grosse Pointe Yacht Club. Several matters still remain before the courts, said Houghton.

"Another amended complaint will be filed and we will respond," said Houghton. "The next step is the discovery phase of the lawsuit. Then the judge starts setting dates. We wanted the judge to rule on our motions before we completed an expensive discovery process where we spend a lot of time and effort on motions that would be thrown out."

Issues that have yet to be settled, said Houghton, include alleged past accretion and efforts to halt future expansion of the Yacht Club and Shores harbor.

Faulty street lights latest woe in Farms

By Jim Stickford
Staff Writer

Like so many problems that have plagued Grosse Pointe Farms in the past year, the problem with street lights going out, especially after rain storms, is connected with the massive sewer separation project currently going on.

At the Sept. 18 Farms council meeting, many on the council complained about the number of street lights that don't seem to

work on any given evening. Assistant city manager Shane Reeside said that street lights going out has been an ongoing problem in the Farms this summer.

"It seems like after every rain storm lights go out," said Reeside. "It then takes several weeks to get them working again. We've had outages caused by storms, and, admittedly, outages caused by sewer separation

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POINTER OF INTEREST Martha Popovich

Home: Grosse Pointe Woods

Age: 52

Family: Husband, John; son, Michael, 26

Occupation: Aerobic dancing instructor; volunteer for AIDS Partnership Michigan

Quote: "Every time I work on the phone I feel like I've made a difference."

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Martha Popovich

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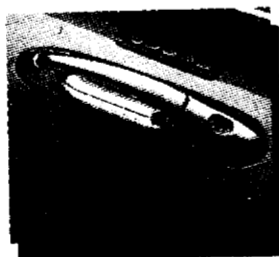
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Fire at South

Farms firefighters were called to Grosse Pointe South's Industrial Arts building at 3:45 p.m. on Monday, Sept. 25, after a passerby reported seeing smoke coming from the building.

The fire started in a plastic trash can. Investigators believe it started after a student accidentally disposed of "hot sawdust," which is used to fire clay pottery. The room's sprinkler was activated by smoke from the trash can and firefighters only had to use a portable fire extinguisher to put out the blaze. Inspectors said little damage was done to the room.

Lakepointe speeders get zero tolerance in the Park

By Brad Lindberg
Staff Writer

Police are putting an end to leadfooted drivers on a local side street.

In a policy that tenders no excuses, police in Grosse Pointe Park will continue letting speeders know who's boss in the 1000 block of Lakepointe.

In addition to a strict ticket policy, police will post caution signs on Lakepointe between Jefferson and St. Paul to remind drivers to take it easy.

The action comes after nearly 60 residents of the block signed a petition complaining about hotshot drivers.

A recent study of the one-block stretch, in which Park officers participated as the law enforcement arm of a traffic analysis, found rush-hour speeds approaching 40 mph. The traffic study began last Friday and was scheduled to conclude Wednesday of this week.

Among a total of nine peo-

ple cited for speeding last Friday and Monday, tickets went to at least five Lakepointe residents, but not residents of the 1000 block. Of three speeders caught during the Monday morning rush hour, all were Lakepointe residents whisking their kids at more than 35 mph to Defer Elementary School.

"They were trying to get their kids to school on time," said Richard Caretti, the Park director of public safety. "Normally, officers use discretion in those circumstances. But because of complaints, all (speeders) were given tickets."

Ken Puhly, who lives in the 1000 block of Lakepointe, said, "This is an area with lots of children. People shouldn't be going 35 mph."

He said on-street parking could make a dangerous situation deadly.

"It's an opportunity for youngsters to run between cars (into traffic)," said Puhly.

The traffic study, conducted by Tapan Datta, an international traffic consultant and president of the Livonia engineering firm of Goodwell-Grivas, discovered that an average of 185 vehicles travel Lakepointe between 4 and 6 p.m., times when children home after school are often outside playing before dinner. Caretti said Lakepointe handles about 1,800 vehicles a day.

"We have an awesome neighborhood," said Bill Henderson, who lives in the 1000 block of Lakepointe with his wife and toddlers. A benefit of the neighborhood, he said, is being among families whose children get along and play together frequently.

Lakepointe resident Theresa Miller supports the anti-speeding blitz, but wants long term measures to calm traffic. She suggested that Lakepointe be turned into a one-way street.

"Be careful what you wish for," advised Dan Clark, a Park city councilman. Citing traffic on Whittier, a one way street that handles some of the highest volume in the Park, Clark added, "(A) one-way (street) may increase the traffic problem."

"On second thought ..." said an appreciative Miller, who decided bright yellow traffic signs urging caution were the way to go.

Caretti said he'd order the signs "forthwith."

Caretti cautioned against installing speed bumps because they wreak havoc with ambulance runs.

Library board increases tax rate, eyes expansion

By Bonnie Caprara
Staff Writer

A 0.36 mill library tax hike could result in two brand new branch libraries in Grosse Pointe Woods and Grosse Pointe Park.

The Grosse Pointe Library Board voted to increase its millage rate at its Wednesday, Sept. 20, meeting to accommodate the need for two 8,000-10,000-square-foot buildings. One would be built adjacent to the existing Woods Branch at Parcels Middle School. Another would be a stand-alone branch on Jefferson on property recently acquired by the City of Grosse Pointe Park at the site of the former Jefferson Chevrolet dealership.

In a statement published for the public hearing on the tax increase, it said that the library board knows that each of the three libraries needs more space than is currently available.

According to national public library standards, a community the size of the five Grosse Pointes and a portion of Harper Woods requires about 50,000-60,000 square feet of library space. The

combined square footage at all three libraries is currently 28,000 square feet which includes 4,900 square feet at the Woods Branch and 4,500 square feet at the Park Branch.

"We have intense usage at the Woods Branch," said library board president John Bruce. "The Woods Branch comprises 40 percent of our total circulation. An expanded branch will offer higher use in the Woods."

Bruce also mentioned there would be too many restrictions to expand at the current Park Branch at Pierce.

"Pierce has greater constraints on a much smaller footprint and parking is more problematic," said Bruce. "There is little opportunity to expand. We'd like to ask Grosse Pointe Park for consideration to build on the property adjacent to their city hall. We believe this project would fit in with their recent renovations of the municipal buildings."

Bruce said that the board had been contacted by the Grosse Pointe Public School System for the need for more school space at Parcels and

Pierce Middle School. Neither the school district nor Grosse Pointe Park has been approached about acquiring such properties by the library board.

The tax increase would net the library an additional \$865,490 for the 2000-01 fiscal year. The library also has about \$3 million in fund equity that could go towards building and site expenses. Bruce said he was hopeful for philanthropic support as well.

Library board trustee Robert Klaczka said that the range of site and construction costs of 150 new public libraries built in 1999 ranged from \$200-350 per square foot. He estimated the construction costs based on the community and the needs of the library would be around \$250 per square foot.

While Bruce acknowledged much interest in expanding the Central Library, he cited limitations with available space and parking.

"The investment has to be made in our facilities," said Bruce. "As proud as we are of our services, we feel our facilities are substandard."

Farms officials preparing to create Hill authority

By Jim Stickford
Staff Writer

The Grosse Pointe Farms City Council has decided to take an active role in maintaining a retail business base on the Hill. To that end they have instructed assistant city manager Shane Reeside to develop plans for the council to consider before the end of the year.

"I believe there are steps we can take to attract retail business to the Hill," Reeside said. "I think we all believe it's nice to have a mix of retail and office space on the Hill. They complement each other and no one wants to see all the retail leave the Hill or see the current retail/office mix diminished. It's my job to take the needed steps to ensure that that doesn't happen."

Right now, said Reeside, Farms officials are looking at other successful retail districts to see what they have done to preserve their retail bases.

Reeside said he would also probably recommend the creation of a principal shopping district authority whose job it would be to implement council-approved policies for retail, including the active recruiting of potential retail businesses to the Hill.

There was some confusion as to what kind of authority should be created. Some members on the Farms council talked about

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Assistant City Manager
Grosse Pointe Farms

Downtown Development Authorities doing the job. But DDAs, as they are known, have specific legal requirements and powers. They can make improvements to neighborhood infrastructures, but they aren't used to recruit businesses.

That's why Reeside likes the idea of principal shopping district authority. Its power would come from the city council, not state law. Its mission is more flexible and changes to meet the changing needs of the Hill.

"Its mission will include

finding ways to strengthen retail on the Hill," said Reeside. "One way that can be accomplished is to successfully market the Hill to the greater public. If retailers don't know about you, they won't come."

It's too early to say exactly what form the authority will take, Reeside said. But he believes its members should include a healthy mix of business owners, landlords, Farms officials and even interested members of the public.

"The authority, in whatever form, will recommend policy to the council," Reeside said. "It will probably be created through some sort of ordinance. It will provide technical advice to the council so that the council's goals for the Hill can be achieved. Among the things we will have to determine is who serves on the authority and where the money to promote the Hill will come from. I expect to provide these answers to the council before the end of the year."

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construction. What we've done over the past few months is have a public safety officer go down all the streets in the Farms and map out where the outages are."

This list, said Reeside, is then faxed to Detroit Edison. He said there was a period during the summer in which about a third of the city street lights were out.

"We believe the outages weren't solely related to construction because there were outages in places where construction hasn't been taking place. Between the age of the infrastructure, storms and construction, a lot of lights have been out."

Detroit Edison owns and is responsible for the operation and maintenance of street lights, said Reeside.

Detroit Edison spokesman Scott Simon and Detroit Edison regional manager in charge of the Pointes, Mike Chriss, said that they don't believe the age of the equipment is what's causing the lights to go out. Simply put, it's the construction.

"Grosse Pointe Farms has what we call series circuits," said Chriss. "They operate on the same principle as old Christmas lights. If one

light goes out, the whole line doesn't work. The same with a series circuit. If there's a break in one part, then that whole series of lights it's a part of won't work."

When asked why there were so many breaks in underground power lines, Chriss said it was construction.

"They are using backhoes to dig up the streets, instead of doing it by hand," Chriss said. "That's faster, but it's not as delicate to the lines. We have counted over 100 breaks in the past six months with our lines. Sometimes the break isn't serious enough to knock out the lights, but then it rains and the rain water saturates the ground and water gets into the line and then the lights go off."

While Detroit Edison has tried to keep up with the problem in the Farms, they have other cities to cover as well, said Simon. Eventually they had to divert resources from the Farms to handle those problems.

"We will be presenting a bill to the contractor," said Chriss. "This is our equipment and it's being damaged. That cost will probably be passed on, ultimately to the taxpayers and that's unfortunate."

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Pointer volunteers at AIDS Partnership hotline

By Margie Reins Smith
Assistant Editor

"Where can I get tested for AIDS?"

"X.Y. and Z. happened to me. Was that risky behavior? Am I safe or have I exposed myself to the AIDS virus?"

"My cousin is coming to stay with my family for a weekend. He is HIV positive. What are the risks to my children if he shares meals with us and sleeps in our guest room and uses our bathroom?"

All are typical questions fielded by trained volunteers at AIDS Partnership Michigan. Martha Popovich of Grosse Pointe Woods and a dozen other trained volunteers handle these AIDS hotline calls.

"Every time I work on the phone I feel like I've made a difference," Popovich said. "I feel best about calls that allow me to teach something."

Popovich has been a volunteer with AIDS Partnership Michigan for eight years.

"My brother, Carl Ahlstrom, died of AIDS in 1990," she said. "He was diagnosed in 1987. They didn't have the treatments we have today. He was 44 when he died."

After about a year of dealing with his death, Popovich decided to do something positive.

"It took me about a year to come to terms with his

death. I decided, after a year or so, that rather than deal with dying, I wanted to deal with preventing and living. I called Washington, D.C. to find a Detroit-based agency that needed volunteers. They told me about Wellness Networks, which has evolved into AIDS Partnership.

In addition to staffing the regular hotline and a teen hotline, AIDS Partnership also offers assistance to clients who need basic living necessities such as food and shelter, medical care and support. It delivers meals to homebound clients; helps HIV infected clients adhere to their medication; assists clients with transportation; provides direct emergency assistance; and provides community educational services such as a speakers bureau. It also offers free confidential HIV tests and counseling at two locations.

Popovich grew up in Ferndale and graduated from Ferndale High School in 1966. She worked for three years as a sales assistant in several brokerage firms. She met her husband, John Popovich, a financial consultant. They married and moved to Grosse Pointe Woods, where Popovich became a stay-at-home Mom to Michael, who is now 26.

"But I always volunteered for one job at a time," Popovich said. She helped

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the Grosse Pointe schools as a room mother and a clinic mother.

"I was also a member of the League of Women Voters, where I did the newsletter and served on the board," she said.

She worked at Operation LINC — Linking Individuals to Needs in the Community — where she also was a board member, a Christmas fundraiser committee member and volunteer coordinator for the agency.

"Then I began working for the AIDS Partnership, which is the biggest AIDS organization in the state. One of our biggest problems is that people have been reluctant to talk about AIDS. Churches and schools have dragged their feet for too long."

Because of her brother's death, Popovich said she identifies most closely with people who call the hotline because they've lost someone to AIDS.

"A woman called. She said her son had passed away. She needed to talk. She needed to say how wonderful he was and how much she missed him. She needed

to tell somebody about the wonderful things he had done."

"In this situation, people are often reluctant to open up and really talk to their friends," Popovich said. "The hotline can help."

Hotline volunteers receive one-on-one training before working the phones. They learn about AIDS, about the legal issues surrounding AIDS, about helping people find support groups, housing and jobs. They learn about prevention and how to talk to people about eliminating risky behavior that might lead to AIDS infection.

Hotline workers are needed, as are volunteers to deliver meals. Assisting just one day a week or once a month between the hours of 1:30 and 4 p.m. would help, Popovich said. To learn more about volunteering, call Marge Sampson at (313) 446-9800.

Popovich also has been teaching Jacki Sorenson's Aerobic Dancing for the last 22 years.

"I saw a demonstration and it looked like fun, so I took a class. I loved it. I was asked to be an instructor."

She currently teaches a

class of 35 people two mornings a week at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial and a class of 20-25 people two evenings a week at Ferry Elementary School.

"In my morning class, about half of the participants are 62 or older. They're great," Popovich said. "I look at some 70-year-olds and say, 'I want to be just like you when I grow up.' As long as they keep coming, I'll keep teaching."

She recently returned to school to earn an associate's degree in marketing from Macomb Community College. She still takes courses she's interested in — mythology and history, for example — just for the sake of learning.

Popovich said that AIDS is still a disease with a stigma. "It's still there. It's

less than it used to be, but it's still there."

"This job on the hotline is not for the faint of heart. We get some heartbreaking calls," Popovich said. "Once in a while I go home and cry."

Every state has a hotline, but the Michigan AIDS hotline number is (800) 872-2437.



Photo by Margie Reins Smith

Martha Popovich of Grosse Pointe Woods volunteered to answer the hotline a half day each week for AIDS Partnership Michigan. The hotline is only one of many services provided to those who seek assistance at the agency.

Automotive professionals have never been more important

Fall is the ideal time to get your vehicle ready for winter conditions. So it should come as no surprise that October is National Car Care Month.

But given the complexity of today's vehicles, many motorists, including former do-it-yourselfers, are looking for professional auto technicians as "tune-ups" have become "engine performance diagnoses" and on-board computer systems, electronic climate control, anti-lock brakes and other advanced systems have become commonplace.

The following tips from the National Institute for Automotive Service Excellence (ASE) should make finding a qualified automotive technician easier.

- Ask a number of friends or business associates for recommendations.

- Be sure to call your local consumer organization and inquire about the reputation of the place of business in question. Look for a neat, well-organized facility with up-to-date equipment and polite service personnel willing to discuss your repairs and answer your questions. Policies concerning diagnos-

tic fees, labor rates, and guarantees should be posted.

- Check around for an auto technician certified by the National Institute for Automotive Service Excellence. ASE, a national, non-profit organization, certifies automotive professionals by means of nationally administered tests. Technicians voluntarily take competency exams in from one to eight automobile specialties, such as engine repair or brakes. (There are also exams involving medium/heavy truck and collision repair, and more.)

Those who pass at least one specialty exam and fulfill the hands-on work experience requirement are awarded ASE credentials attesting their competency.

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- Follow the manufacturer's service schedules.
- Make note of noises, unusual odors, changes in performance and handling.
- When describing your vehicle's problem, be concrete, but resist the tempta-

tion to diagnose.

- Have small problems repaired before they become major headaches.

- Keep good records. ASE has prepared a brochure, "How to Communicate for Better Automotive Repair." For a free copy, send a self-addressed, stamped, business envelope to: ASE Communication Brochure, Dept. CCC-R00, 13505 Dulles Technology Drive, Suite 2, Herndon, Va. 20171-3421.

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Friends of Grosse Pointe Woods resident Lori Spindler will hold a fundraiser on Friday, Oct. 6, at 7:30 p.m. at 360 Lincoln. To RSVP, call (313) 885-3255 by Saturday, Sept. 30.

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Safeguarding through vouchers

By Patrick L. Browne, M.Ed.

In the Sept. 14 issue of the Grosse Pointe News, "Private schools and vouchers," guest writer Matthew Hanly espoused his position on the voucher proposal and urged "caution when you vote on the voucher proposal in November."

Mr. Hanly's advice of caution was based on his statement that, "The current voucher proposal lacks specifics." He goes on to state, "Essentially, if approved, the proposal would empower the legislature to enact voucher legislation. But we don't know the all-important details."

Mr. Hanly states in his editorial that, "were schools like University Liggett School (ULS) to accept vouchers, admissions criteria and selectivity would be thrown aside; anyone seeking admission would put his or

her name in a hat and the names of new students would be drawn randomly without regard to academic or behavioral concern." Unfortunately, this argument is misleading and erroneous.

Parents and children living in failing school districts will have expanded options and equal educational opportunity if Proposal 1 passes this November. Proposal 1 has no provisions whereby non-public schools will be forced to participate in the voucher program, and Proposal 1 allows non-public administrators to maintain their current admission standards. Proposal 1 is about expanding educational opportunities to children who have none, it is not about adding burdensome regulations to schools like University Liggett.

Further more, Mr. Hanly's fearful contention that if vouchers were to be enacted, "Our mission-driven philosophies and curricula would be set aside in favor of a need-to-serve-all reality," should be bothersome to everyone who sees a greater common good as the goal of education. What is the purpose of our very existence as educators if it does not center on meeting the needs of all children?

Children do not choose what families they will be born into, what choices their parents make or what city they will reside in. Parents make the decisions and children either benefit or suffer based on their parents' choices. It is clearly unjust that children should have to suffer lifelong consequences for decisions which they did not make.

Every child deserves a good education and should not be relegated to a second rate school district because of their parents' choices. For too many years we have seen what results when segments of the population are denied the opportunities which a good education makes possible. Everyone suffers the consequences!

Students who live in failing school districts (districts which graduate less than two-thirds of their students) deserve an alternative which will help them reap the benefits of living in a free and democratic society. How can we continue to call our nation free when we relegate children to substandard education, force them to attend failing schools and subsequently deny them opportunity based on their lack of education?

As you learn more about the issue of vouchers I, like Matthew Hanly, urge caution. Be cautious what will result if we continue to deny children an education that will make them capable of functioning productively in society.

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Offering from the loft

Spun out in the City

I will never be a rocket scientist, nor, hopefully, will I suddenly become totally illiterate. I am a statistic in a poll, an American housewife who works a bit, plays a bit and is a logical, thinking human being.

Please, candidates, talk to me, talk to our husbands, children and friends. Speak to us in plain language that we can truly understand. Don't challenge us to take up arms against your rivals. Explain in simple terms why we should vote for you.

Do politicians think all our brains are on vacation, or do they think at all? I am tired of being treated like a 5-year-old and playing referee to a bunch of kids. There is more spin coming at us from our radios and televisions than Yankee Stadium has seen in decades from the pitcher's mound.

The presidential candidates change costumes more often than a Vegas performer. They dress for the audience of the moment. One day Al is in his customary dark suit, the next all in denim, leaning on a fence like a Texas ranch hand.

With the zillions of "experts" coaching their every move, G.W. still speaks of holding us "hostile," while

Al takes credit for everything good that has ever happened in this country for the past 50 years and nothing bad that has transpired in the last eight.

The frightening thing about all this is most of us seem to be swallowing the swill we are fed with few questions asked.

The Democrats talk to us in clichés as if we are an enormous herd of sheep. The Republicans are so mannerly that they miss delivering their message to those who need most to hear it.

Face it, too few voters take the time to read or research the facts on candidates and issues which ought to concern us and our children's lives. Like it or not, most of the voting public is getting their information from their televisions, and the spin on our nightly fodder is appalling.

Who are the heads who are polling the demographics? I don't think we live in the same country.

I long for the days when Jimmy Stewart took us to Washington to plead our cases as the Mr. and Mrs. Smiths of the world. We should insist that our questions be heard and answered, in simple language that everyone can understand.



And it is our responsibility to ask substantive questions. We should be looking at much more than the presidential candidates, and we must certainly be cognizant of what our vote will mean relative to the Supreme Court of the future.

When reading one of the dailies this week, I noted a two-page column concerning the "cool factor" of the presidential nominees. Good grief! Is this how we make up our minds who is to lead this country?

Unfortunately, to reach the majority of the voting public, candidates feel compelled to make appearances on talk shows and late night television. This is where the votes are supposed to be courted.

Like little Barbie and Ken dolls, our politicians must be dressed "appropriately" for the common folk, look the look, talk the talk of the audience.

It could be argued that we have an opportunity to see candidates in casual settings, taking questions at random and unrehearsed. Are we to believe that none of the questions were scripted and that it is a coinci-

dence that G.W. believes in God and Al Gore's favorite book is the Bible! As a Christian, I resent it!

It is one thing to recognize and appreciate that a candidate worships a power greater than himself; it is another to have religion used as a bargaining chip.

Puhleeze don't talk down to us any more. The spin doctors are spending the majority of their time attempting to confuse the voters instead of informing them.

And the good news is? Well, I'm not really sure. In a few weeks our mailboxes will have even more catalogs than political messages, a rash of mediocre new television programs will take the place of the reruns, and new ads will replace the political ones.

I'd rather not feel forced to turn off the television and put down the newspaper, but....

Most of all we still live in the finest country in the world and can use our brains and our libraries and be responsible for our own choices.

Letters

Thanks for honor

To the Editor:

We are writing this letter to thank the Grosse Pointe South student council for appointing the two of us as grand marshals for the homecoming parade. It was a great honor, and the festivities were wonderful.

Riding in the parade, it was very interesting to be waving to many, many people who we had taught before Mr. Underwood and I had the same thought: "How did those years fly by so fast?" One of the main reasons is that the school where we teach has a wonderful atmosphere conducive to the best education possible.

Where else can two math teachers receive an honor

like this? Again, thank you to all students for making homecoming a great success.

Tom Berschback
Richard Underwood
Grosse Pointe South High School

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Thanks good Samaritans

To the Editor:

Recently my car "died" on Jefferson near the Grosse Pointe War Memorial. Due to road repairs it was a very congested area.

A lady stopped and asked if I needed help and then

called the police on her car phone.

After about 20 minutes a young man pushed my car into the Grosse Pointe War Memorial parking lot.

The lady stayed with me and called a tow truck, leaving only after the truck arrived.

Thank you to these good Samaritans!

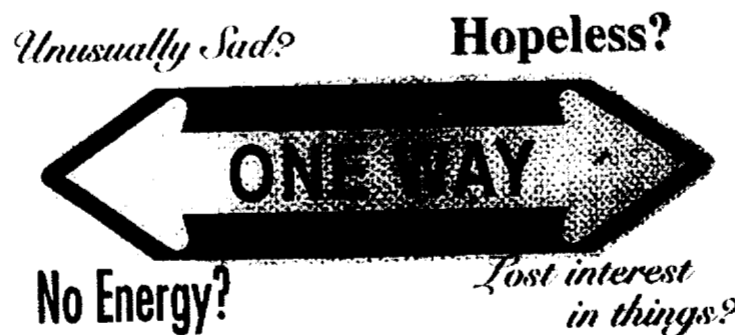
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Grosse Pointe Shores

Treasures staff

To the Editor:

My husband and I wish to recognize the staff at Bon Secours Hospital and at Bon Secours Health Services at Cottage for their professionalism and excellence in providing care for the patient without neglect.

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The Stickford Files

Thoughts at large... After writing untold numbers of "I Say" columns using the header "The Stickford Files," I finally heard from someone who got it.

Grosse Pointe Farms mayor Edward Gaffney, so far, is the only person who has realized that "The Suckford Files" is a riff on that classic James Garner 1970s television drama "The Rockford Files." When I mentioned that fact to him, he said that show was on so long ago that many people won't understand the reference.

Oh, Ed, you were doing so good until then. Got the Rockford reference, then you had to go and bring up how long ago it was on the air. Hey, I didn't watch the show

when it was first on. I caught it on reruns after it went off the air when I was in college. (The question of why I was watching TV in college instead of studying is better left unasked.)

Another thought is that musicals in the old days were better. I don't know how people can stand to pay \$40 to \$100 to see some techno "extravaganza" by Andrew Lloyd Webber. OK, I liked "Jesus Christ Superstar." It was actually about something. But "Cats?" Give me a break.

I saw "Les Miz" at the Fisher Theater (and yes I know it's not a Webber play). What was that about? Victor Hugo's long and complex melodrama got simplified to the point where we don't even know why the people have rushed to the barricades. Complexity gets in the way of forgettable songs.

Besides, whatever happened to a little something called "the book." In the old days, musicals had songs. The dialogue was called the book. So in the case of



"1776," (a vastly underrated musical) the songs and lyrics were by Sherman Edwards and the book was by Peter Stone.

As a writer who has no chance of ever writing anything approximating a decent song, I can appreciate good dialogue. These new modern musicals don't have dialogue. They just have a bunch of people singing songs with forgettable melodies, if indeed they have melodies at all.

I just saw the remastered version of "My Fair Lady" on AMC, the classic movie channel. Boy, was that an entertaining show. The dialogue, most of it was the

original George Bernard Shaw stuff from "Pygmalion," was crisp. The songs were understandable. They had melodies. They were funny. They advanced the plot and you wanted to hum them two hours after you saw the show.

It must have been wonderful to have the original show with the original cast on Broadway. With "Cats," who could tell if you saw the original cast or not?

You folks might be asking yourselves why I would care about musical theater so much. Well I went to an all boys high school. Plays were the only extracurricular events that involved girls.

No matter what you think about musical theater, for me it will always be a place to meet women. Hey, it was high school, what did I know about stereotypes.

Finally, the Olympics. I don't know what it is, but I just have no interest in the Olympics this year. Maybe it's because NBC, with a broadcast network and two cable networks, isn't doing one story about fencing. My hobby and one of four sports that date back to the first modern Olympics in 1896. It's an interesting sport, publicize it you dopes!

Maybe it's because NBC did a bad job drumming up excitement. I remember when ABC had the Olympics, they would publicize tryouts months before the games and build excitement.

Maybe it's because in order to get maximum ratings, NBC is trying to appeal to the broadest audience possible. This means trying to get non-sport fans interested. There are a lot of, in my mind, boring fea-

tures about athletes. We get to meet their third grade teachers and find about how they were inspired by a Wheaties box.

Sports fans want sports. By trying to appeal to a broader audience, they are actually driving guys like me away.

Maybe it's knowing the results a day ahead of time. With the Internet it's hard to build suspense when you've read the results ahead of time. Heck even newspapers are ahead of the NBC events.

Whatever the reason, I've watched maybe five minutes of the Olympics and from what I've read, I'm not alone. I don't buy NBC's story that football and baseball are distracting sports fans. If you can't compete with the Olympics, you shouldn't be broadcasting the Olympics. The fault, dear Brutus, lies not with the stars, but with ourselves. Translation: NBC, you blew it.

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The Op-Ed Page



If you have comments or suggestions, e-mail Doggo & Mark at lineslts@aol.com

Nixon's psychiatrist

The New York Times of Sept. 3 contained a most interesting article about our former and late president, Richard Nixon. The headline said, "Most Presidents Had a Counselor. One Had a Shrink."

The journalist was Adam Clymer, who said, "The only president whose wild mood swings prompted his own secretary of defense to issue orders designed to block him if he called out the Marines for protection against impeachment is also the only president known to have been treated by a psychotherapist."

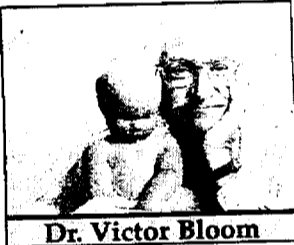
Both of these experiences are described in a book by Anthony Summers (Viking), titled, "The Arrogance of Power: The Secret World of Richard Nixon." The book describes wife-beating and pill-popping, but these accusations are angrily disputed by Nixon's defenders. However, the story about the order by the secretary of defense and the visits by the psychiatrist have not been widely disputed.

Nixon's labile moods, impetuous language and unlawful behavior have become well-documented history, as recent release of White House tapes has amply recorded. His elusive and self-serving behaviors about his complicity in the Watergate scandal are also well known.

They constitute textbook examples of self-destructive behavior, typical of a person harboring unconscious guilt feelings. He made the mistake of telling the American public that the White House tapes would vindicate him. Instead, they ultimately condemned him and he resigned in disgrace rather than face impeachment hearings.

He spent the rest of his life trying to save his place in history as a wise elder statesman, and to many of his supporters, he succeeded.

He will go down in history as the president who opened the door to China. The political climate at the time dictated that no



Dr. Victor Bloom

Democratic president could get away with being "soft" on communism, an attitude which survived as a legacy of McCarthyism.

Because of the stigma of mental illness, the psychiatrist's visits to the White House to see President Nixon were rare and in secret. Anecdotal accounts say that when he visited the president, he used false destinations when he signed in. Nowadays such visits could not escape media scrutiny, and since psychiatric treatment and the question of mental illness would end a politician's plan to seek the presidency, the word, "therapy" is assiduously avoided. The more acceptable euphemism for psychotherapy is now called "counseling."

The vice president's wife, Tipper, who has been praised by psychiatrists for openly discussing her depression and treatment, spoke of her "counseling." And when an article in 1993 described the family therapy received by the Gores after their son was struck by a car and nearly died, Gore's office complained that the article should not have said he had weekly visits from a "therapist," but from a "facilitator."

Interestingly, Nixon's psychiatrist is still alive, at age 102, living in Vermont. He wrote several books, most pertinent of which is "The Drive for Power," first published in 1974, which was the last year of Nixon's presidency, so it had to be written before, and probably during Nixon's term in office. The psychiatrist's name is Arnold A. Hutschnecker, a doctor who received his medical degree and psychiatric training in

Germany, and who was a practicing psychoanalyst.

His writings display a keen interest in the role of psychiatry in politics and suggest a new field of interest called "psycho-politics," in which psychiatric insights and experience are utilized in the process of choosing a president.

Of course he could not detail a method which would deal with the incredible complexity of the election process and the actual prerequisites for determining mental adequacy and stability. And so the American voting public continues to do its evaluation of presidential candidates by the usual methods — ideological belief and intuition. So far the American public has not done too badly.

I assume that Hutschnecker took his role quite seriously, and was worried about the mental stability of those in power. The history of World War II was well known as the mental illness of Hitler and Stalin became obvious. In his book, "The Drive for Power," he mentions the influence of childhood experiences which lead to healthy and unhealthy ambitions to gain power. In his book he quotes Albert Einstein, who said,

"The unleashed power of the atom has changed everything, except our thinking. Thus we are drifting towards a catastrophe beyond comparison. We shall require a substantially new manner of thinking if mankind is to survive."

President Nixon is to be commended for at least this one thing — he chose a psychiatrist with a world view and a view toward the future, one who hoped that a deeper understanding of the depth and complexities of the human mind would lead to a change in our way of thinking, one that would choose conflict resolution rather than violence as a way of settling human disputes. Today we can only hope that our leaders, who have access to that nuclear

Letters

From page 6A

ing the needs of the family.

We speak from an experience that required a five-day stay at the hospital and three weeks as an inpatient in rehab. Not once during that long stay did we experience any disappointment with the staff's performance and concern for my husband's needs and well-being.

Thank you, one and all. What a community treasure we have in those facilities!

William K. Koch
Eva Koch
Grosse Pointe Farms

Thanks for success

To the Editor:

On behalf of the Assistance League to the Northeast Guidance Center, we want to take this opportunity to recognize those who helped to make this years Art on the Pointe a success.

We would like to thank the following corporations, organizations and individuals for their support: Anderson Consulting, St. John Hospital, Anonymous Raffle Patron, Bank One, Karen and Bill Cassetta, Cheryl and Palmer Coleman, Judy Gruner, Healthmark Industries, Susan and Dick Allison, Denise and Jose Cara, Karen Cassetta and Char Cisló, Ellen and Douglas Cooke, Geri and Les Day, Patti and Peter Groezinger, Annie and Willie Comor-Jacobs, Barb and Dan Keller, Dori and Randi Martinuzzi, Sherry McRill, Liz and Dan Oates, Vincent Brennan and Family, Elaine Sikorski, Acme Bolt and Nut Co. Inc., Adlhoeh and Associates Realtors, Comerica Bank, Ross Mortgage, American Speedy Printing of St. Clair Shores, Willie Barber, Village of Grosse Pointe Shores,

button, will find ways to avert the nuclear catastrophe which still looms as a possibility.

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Correction: Dr. Bloom's column Sept. 14, "Elizabeth Rex," contained an error. The Shakespearean play within "Elizabeth Rex" was "Much Ado About Nothing," not "As You Like It."

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And last of all, thanks to our friends and neighbors of the community who attended Art on the Pointe — in spite of heat and stormy weather! Proceeds of the event provide financial support to the Northeast Guidance Center, with a special focus on family-oriented services.

Char Cisló
Karen Cassetta
General Co-Chairs,
Art on the Pointe 2000

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yesterday's headlines

50 years ago this week

■ As of October, rents will no longer be controlled in the City of Grosse Pointe.

In taking the action, the city council has found there is no shortage of rental housing to justify controls.

■ Construction continues on St. John Hospital in Detroit near the intersection of Moross and Chandler Park. The \$4.5 million structure will have 272 beds and 68 bassinets.

■ The Grosse Pointe School Board has accepted bids for the construction of two more school buildings. Slated for construction are

Poupard Elementary School in Harper Woods and Ferry Elementary School in the Farms.

25 years ago this week

■ On Oct. 1, Grosse Pointe Park will become the first Pointe community to charge for emergency ambulance service.

Victims will be transported to local hospitals for a basic fee of \$40, more if special services are needed, such as resuscitation and the administration of oxygen. There's no word on who'll pick up the tab if efforts to revive a patient are not successful.

■ Representatives of four of the Grosse Pointes, sans the Shores, and Harper Woods are considering the establishment of a centralized dispatch station to handle police and fire calls.

A central dispatch system would save money and reduce duplication of resources.

■ Blue Devil halfback Dave Wyborski ran for 93 yards in Grosse Pointe South High School's 20-0 win over the Port Huron Big Reds. South, which won the Eastern Michigan League championship last year, is 2-0 for the season.

10 years ago this week

■ Grosse Pointe Woods has joined St. Clair Shores in supporting the Milk River Intercounty Drainage Board. The board has an \$18 million plan to clean the Milk River.

If accepted, the project will include construction of a disinfection facility on the grounds of the Woods department of public works on Marter Road. For work to move forward, Harper Woods must join in.

■ Grosse Pointe Woods is in the process of organizing a judicial search committee to fill the impending vacancy of Municipal Judge Patricia Schneider. Schneider has announced her retirement after eight years on the bench.

■ Gary Corona took the Grosse Pointe North High School football team to a 3-0 win with a 20-yard field goal in overtime against Anchor Bay. The victory puts the Norsemen's record at 3-1 overall.

Corona, a junior quarterback, is 4-4 in field goals this year.

5 years ago this week

■ Residents of Grosse Pointe Park question whether an ice skating rink is appropriate for Patterson Park.

On the day groundbreaking took place for the skating facility, residents went before the city council saying the rink would better serve Windmill Pointe Park rather than Patterson, which is supposed to be a passive and natural setting.

■ Starting next year, Grosse Pointe Shores public safety officers will switch from a 12-hour day to eight-hour shifts. The change will put officers on the same work schedule as their officers.

■ Sarah Attie and Molly McKenzie of the Grosse Pointe South High School girls' soccer team have been named to the Class A All-State girls' soccer team.

—Brad Lindberg

PET POINTER OF INTEREST

By Jo Maldonado

Ernie Harper

Owner's occupation: Nanny
Pointer's occupation: Traveling hound
Residence: City of Grosse Pointe
Age: 3 years old
Type of Pointer: Miniature dachshund

Family: Ernie lives with Carmen

Claim to fame: For a little guy, in his short life, he sure does get around!

Ernie has lived in: Tennessee, Louisiana and now Michigan.

As an assistant to a nanny, Ernie not only goes to work with children every day, he is a frequent flier and loves the VIP treatment he gets when he quietly sleeps in his travel bag in the cabin.

FYI: The dachshund was developed in Germany over a period of several hundred years for the primary purpose of hunting badgers. They were specifically bred for the strength and tenacity to handle a badger with the body style to "go to ground" (burrow down a badger hole) after their prey. No wonder Ernie's favorite hobby is trying to dig holes in his blanket!

Best friend: His constant companion, Carmen

Favorite pastime: Chewing hooves

Favorite food: Frosty Paws

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Ernie Harper

25 years ago this week



Young skaters win club trophy

Members of the Grosse Pointe Skating Club brought home the Club Trophy in recent competition in the state capital. Pictured in front, from left, are Jennifer Lanfranki, Brian Abela, Richard Szalma, Lisa Ruggero, Michelle Simon, Lisa Zink, Karen Cordoba, Renaldo Cordoba, Michelle Zaccagni, Jennifer Szalma and DeAnn Patanis. In back, from left, are Valerie Rice, Jeanne Aris, Terri Jo Szymanski, club professional Terry Viviani, Stacy Danner, Kathy Abela and Lori Neil. (From the Sept. 25, 1975 Grosse Pointe News.)

Woods to loop main

By Brad Lindberg
Staff Writer

Tidying up loose ends, as it were, a deadend water main in Grosse Pointe Woods will be connected into the system as a whole.

The one-time project is intended to provide long-term improvements in water

service to residents in the neighborhood of Holiday Road near Lochmoor Boulevard and Sunningdale Drive.

Thomas Whitcher, the Woods head of public services, said, "A loop system is better than a grid system — there are no loose ends."

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What a drag

A Grosse Pointe Shores public safety officer saw a 1991 Dodge pickup truck drive through a red light at Vernier and Lakeshore at 11:15 a.m. on Wednesday, Sept. 20.

When he pulled the vehicle over and spoke with the driver, a 52-year-old St. Clair Shores man, he smelled the odor of marijuana.

The driver said he had "smoked a roach" but threw it out the window when he saw the officer.

He went on to say he had no marijuana in the truck. A search of the truck turned up marijuana under the driver's seat.

The man is free on \$100 bond and has been charged with possession of marijuana.

no sign of forced entry at the crime scene.

Drunk driver

A Farms patrol officer spotted a 2000 Chevrolet Blazer traveling 40 mph in a 25 mph zone on Webster at 2:20 a.m. on Saturday, Sept. 23. He finally managed to pull the vehicle over in the 500 block of Lincoln. When he spoke to the driver, a 18-year-old Farms man, he smelled alcohol.

The driver admitted to drinking three glasses of wine at a relative's home. He blew a .12 on his preliminary breath test (PBT).

There were two passengers, both under the age of 21 and they were also given PBTs. The tests indicated they had been drinking as well.

The driver was charged with operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquors. The passengers were charged with violating the Farms' zero tolerance drinking laws.

White powder

Grosse Pointe Farms police were called to Grosse Pointe South High School at 11:30 a.m. on Thursday, Sept. 21.

When officers arrived at the school, they met with a guidance counselor, who produced a packet of white powder that was taken from a 17-year-old Woods student who told her friends that the substance was "Special K."

The substance was taken in for testing and the student was referred to authorities who handle juvenile offenses.

Boosted bikes

Two bicycles kept in an unattached garage in the 300 block of McKinley were stolen between Tuesday, Sept. 19, and Wednesday,

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Sept. 20. The bikes were worth about \$500 and a car kept in the garage was scratched.

Another drunk driver caught

A Grosse Pointe Farms public safety officer saw a car weave between lanes on Mack at 12:40 a.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 19. The officer activated his overhead lights and turned on his siren, but the driver, a 64-year-old Detroit man, ignored them for several blocks before pulling over in the area of Broadstone and Lexington.

The driver refused to take a PBT and was so unsteady on his feet that an ambulance was called. He later admitted to drinking four or five beers and was charged with being a repeat violator of Michigan drinking and driving laws.

Garage B&E

A City of Grosse Pointe resident reported on Monday, Sept. 18, that sometime during the night before someone entered his garage and stole several items, including a checkbook with blank checks. The victim said he left the door open.

Useless B&E

A resident of the first block of Sycamore in the City of Grosse Pointe found a window removed from the side of his garage on Sunday, Sept. 24.

Police believe the would-be thief entered through the window and opened a door from the inside and exited that way. For all that effort on the part of the intruder, the victim said nothing appeared to be missing from

the garage.

Retail theft

A witness reported seeing a woman place a child's dress and a child's snowsuit in a bag and exit a store in the 17000 block of Kercheval in the Village without paying for them.

The woman got into a waiting Honda Accord, which was last seen heading north on St. Clair toward Detroit.

Briefly, it's gone

A manager of a store in the 17000 block of Kercheval reported that sometime during Tuesday, Sept. 19, someone stole her Ralph Lauren briefcase, which was kept in the store. It contained her planner and some catalogs.

— Jim Stickford

Angry driver

A man facing disorderly conduct charges in Detroit gave Grosse Pointe Woods police a hard time last week following a traffic stop.

On Saturday, Sept. 23, at about 4 p.m., a Woods officer saw the 41-year-old Detroit resident make an improper left turn from northbound Mack to westbound Vernier.

The man, whose driver's license had been suspended, became "irate and refused to be taken into custody," said the patrolman. The officer called for backup "ASAP as the (man's) hostility escalated."

The confrontation wound down after the man's wife calmed him. Officers arrested the man, turned his car over to his wife, and released him less than an hour later.

Fire averted

On Thursday, Sept. 21, at 10:30 p.m., a Woods public safety officer responded to the odor of smoke in a house

in the 800 block of Lochmoor and may have prevented a fire.

The officer discovered a malfunctioning light fixture, a portion of which had melted.

House theft

Police in Grosse Pointe Park are investigating the theft of jewelry taken from a home in the 700 block of Lakepointe.

The incident is thought to have taken place between Sept. 19 and 20.

Up in smoke

Woods police may have busted a teenager suspected of using a pop bottle to smoke dope in a Mack Avenue alley while carrying two bags of marijuana.

On Wednesday, Sept. 20, at 3:51 p.m., a Woods officer patrolling the alley in the 19400 block of Mack spotted the 17-year-old Woods male acting suspiciously on a bicycle.

According to police, the suspect held a soft drink bottle filled with smoke that smelled of marijuana. A search of the suspect turned up two quarter bags of suspected marijuana. Police arrested the subject and turned him over to his mother about an hour later.

Drug charge

On Friday, Sept. 22, at 4:06 p.m., a Woods patrolman pulled over a 20-year-old Detroit man driving a 15-year-old car with a loud muffler.

A quick investigation turned up a small bag of suspected marijuana in the man's front pocket. The incident took place near the intersection of Allard and Harper.

Phones napped

Two cellular telephones were reported stolen from parked vehicles in separate incidents last week in lower Grosse Pointe Park.

On Sunday, Sept. 17, a phone was stolen in the area of Wayburn and Kercheval.

On Friday, Sept. 22, another incident took place in the 1300 block of Wayburn.

Needs permit

Alerted by a pile of dirt and gravel in 800 block of Lochmoor, a Grosse Pointe Woods officer has cited a basement waterproofing company for working without required permits.

"The company has been warned and issued citations previously," according to the officer involved. The company also received a ticket for the unlawful deposit of materials in the street.

Carjacking suspect caught

A Grosse Pointe Park woman wanted for carjacking in Detroit has been picked up by police in Grosse Pointe Woods.

The arrest followed a traffic stop on Mack at about 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 21. The driver, a 42-year-old woman, was caught weaving her car down the street, often straddling the center line. She was cited for improper lane use and held on no bond for transfer to Detroit authorities.

— Brad Lindberg



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Stimulation directs seniors to keep going stronger

What makes a winner keep running? Why do men and women who have achieved their life goals, whether it be in business or professional fields, choose to continue on rather than sit back and enjoy a leisure they have earned.

We read of executives, retired from companies, who go out and start their own businesses, act as consultants to others or serve on several boards of corporations. The experience they bring is welcome and invaluable and the companies they serve are fortunate to have the opportunity to benefit from their hard-earned skills acquired over long years. But still the question prevails. Why don't they want to rest?

It is true that the urge to keep going, rather than level off, is not typical of most retirees. Fortified financially by Social Security, private pensions and investment income, most workers look forward to enjoying years of pleasurable activities: traveling, pursuing a lifetime hobby, improving their golf game or some other form of physical skill.

Why are these outlets not enough for those who look forward to more, not less work? It could be that from the time they entered the workplace, they had set their sights on being super achievers. Their whole lives

were wrapped up in what they did and their personal outlets came second to success.

According to psychologists, they were willing to take risks, convinced they would succeed. The fear of failure was never considered.

They are propelled at retirement age by the same motivation that influenced them when they first entered the job market.

As one successful post retiree explains: "I love work and love making money."

With experience I built up a backlog of decision-making and work values that taught me how to use my time and talents to the best advantage. I don't work as hard as I used to because I can get more done in a shorter length of time now. I am not one to sit back and rest on my laurels once I've reached a goal. There are always other goals."

A Los Angeles psychologist explains this affinity for work: Making one's mark in the world can be a stimulant.

We all know people who can't quit — the more successful they are, the harder they work. Why? Integrity is linked to ambition, but so is power. Once a person has held the reins of power, it isn't easy to let go. Money, then, is not the primary fac-



Prime Time

By Marian Trainor

tor. There are millionaires who never had enough. It is the wheeling and dealing that stimulates.

The "high" that comes from competition is still another factor. As one businessman, in his 70's put it: "When I was a kid I was always competing, trying to beat out the other guy. I got a big kick out of doing deals — even if it was trading marbles."

What it comes down to then, the answer to why people go on working when they could stop is that they are fulfilling personal needs which may be financial, emotional or personal. The No. 1 reason is financial. This is more true for older people who remember the Depression. For them it's financial security and it matters not how much money they have — here personal security is related.

Another need is love and respect. People who succeed at any endeavor have the

respect of their family, friends and those who work for them. Entertainers are an example. Even those who are past their prime come back because they thrive on the love and adulation of applause.

Sometimes those who kept going achieved a success in the later years that surpassed what they achieved when they were younger.

Burt Lancaster is one of them. At 68, after 36 years of stardom and 62 movies, he made a comeback in 1981 with "Atlantic City." Both the National Society of Film Critics and the Los Angeles Film Critics hailed the movie as the year's best.

Walter Matthau is another example of someone who, in spite of suffering a massive heart attack in 1966 and undergoing open-heart surgery and a quadruple bypass operation in 1976, still pursued his career.

He is also a perfect exam-

ple of life begins not at 40, but 45. Until that age he was out of work more than he was in.

He commented that he not only kept going but also kept growing.

The challenge of acting, the nonstop testing and putting his talent on the line, stimulated him.

Besides the competition and stimulation of the world of business there is another area where those who need recognition and enjoy a sense of power are attracted to.

It is a world where the individual may work to become proficient enough to compete in a sport that hitherto may have been a recreational outlet, or may just compete against his or her own body to whip it into shape.

A retired dean of the School of Fine Arts at California State University began to take her swimming seriously at the age of 70 when she entered the Masters Swimming events. She set eight national records in one regional meet and six more in six other events at the Masters Long Course Championships.

At 83 Clarence Ross, a retired insurance man from Montclair, N.J., swam his first Masters meet. After that he won all but one of 123 championships. "The biggest kick is beating the

young bloods," said Ross. In a survey of life after retirement, many retirees focus on physical conditioning.

Giving all their work, they have not had the time or energy for exercise. In the process of assessment, they may find that there is a lot of shoring up to do. They are surprised to learn how much disuse of muscles weakens the body.

Some scientists believe that much of the physical change blamed on old age is the result of inactivity. Disuse takes its toll in two ways. It dries us up and it shrinks us.

Stop moving and you stop pumping the very fluids that keep joints working and keep muscles firm.

The loss of height associated with age is from drying up of joint lubricants and fluid in the spinal discs. Starting an exercise program is a challenge. It's hard work.

There is soreness but it is borne because followed by an increase in resilience is satisfaction of having power over one's own body.

No matter what the proving ground is, there are those who can't bear to drop out of the race.

Years just add incentive to test limits and set down records whether it be in business, the entertainment world or sports.

SOC's auction honorary co-chairs

Former Services for Older Citizens (SOC) president Susan Davies and her husband Desmond have agreed to serve as honorary co-chairs at the fourth annual SOC fund-raising event, A September Evening By The Lake scheduled for Friday, Sept. 29, at the Grosse Pointe Club. The event includes dinner and a silent and live auction.

After being involved in various roles for 15 years with SOC, including president and board member, Davies and her husband moved to Princeton, N.J., last summer. She was the originator of the auction event, which is now the

major fund-raiser for the organization.

"SOC's real need is a heightened awareness," said Davies. "I believe there is a tendency to think of seniors in Grosse Pointe as being wealthy individuals who do not need help. This is far from the truth. SOC does what it can, but there is a shortfall of funds."

The auction provides additional funding and support for the organization and it is wonderful that it's still continuing," added Davies. "We are happy to help and hope there will be good attendance at the event."

Proceeds from the auction will be used to maintain the

programs of SOC, which include Meals at Home, Food and Friendship, Minor Home Repair, Escorted Transportation and Interfaith Caregivers.

Reservations for the evening are limited and tickets are \$75. Contact the SOC office at (313) 882-9600 for tickets and more information.

SOC was founded in 1978 as a nonprofit information, referral and social service organization for seniors in the five Grosse Pointes and Harper Woods. Their mission is to help older citizens maintain their lives within their homes in independence and dignity.



Pictured above are Desmond and Susan Davies, honorary co-chairs for the SOC auction event, A September Evening By The Lake.

Rising prescription costs a problem for many seniors

By Matilda Charles

Senior citizens are currently paying twice as much for their prescription drugs as they did in 1992.

And according to the research group Families USA, which just released a study (based on data gathered by Medicare, as well as projections for future costs developed by the PRIME Institute), on prescription drug charges, prices are expected to soar over the next several years.

This will be especially difficult for older people who use a greater percentage of

prescribed medication than other Americans even though they only make up 13 percent of the total population.

In figures, that means Americans 65 and older who now pay an average of \$1,205 a year for prescriptions — which is up from \$559 in 1992 — will shell out \$2,810 by 2010.

The average cost per prescription for a senior, which has risen dramatically from \$28.50 in 1992 to \$42.30, will cost \$72.94 in 2010.

While it's true that there are more effective drugs available today than there

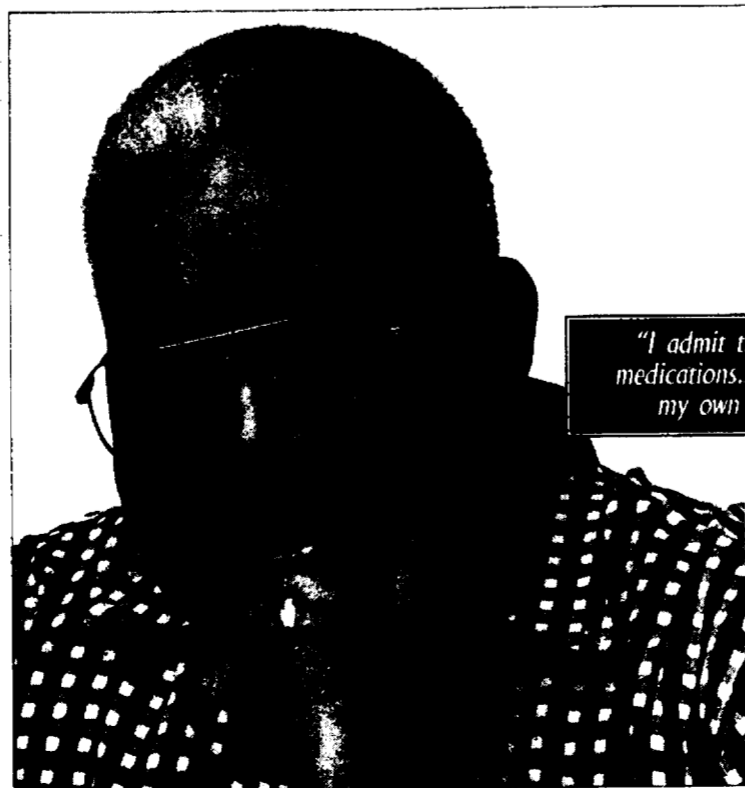
were 10 years ago, the cost is still a problem for many older people.

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Haven finds new homes and new activities for youth

By Bonnie Caprara
Staff Writer

After losing its home in the Calvary Senior Center in Detroit, Café has found new homes and has adopted a new name.

Now known as Haven, the multi-church sponsored youth group has partnered with other organizations to host a wider variety of activities for area youth outside of their typical twice-monthly high school dances and parties.

"It is not Café with a new name," said Haven director Mike Miller. "It will embrace our new vision and plan for the future with a new staff, new board members and, of course, a new plan to provide an alternative to teens of this community with a drug- and alcohol-free place where teens can seek truth and peace as they look for ways to connect and find

meaning and purpose in this world.

"We're going to many different venues," continued Miller. "It forces us to adapt without losing our purpose and mission."

The Neighborhood Club is now home to Haven's middle school nights.

"When John (Bruce) came to me earlier this year, the goal was to have something for our youth who were looking for more unstructured activity," said Neighborhood Club athletic director Mitch Armentrout. "We had some space that was being under-used. That's why I went to Mike. He already had those youth volunteers."

Christ Church Grosse Pointe youth minister Alan Akridge saw Haven's need for a home for some events as an opportunity to make the church's new and expanded facilities more

available to the community. "We have a space here in the basement that holds about 200 people," said Akridge. "It's where we hold our pizza lunches for the kids at South and they love it."

Christ Church Grosse Pointe has a couple of high school events scheduled this school year.

Armentrout was aware that one of Haven's drawbacks for attracting youth was its church backing.

"I've been to a Café event and I didn't see anyone proselytizing," said Armentrout. "We talked about the religious message. They're not going to go out of their way to promote it, but if someone asks them about it, they're not going to hide it. I don't see why that would be a conflict of interest for anyone involved. Hopefully we can come up with something

that fits everyone's needs." Even Akridge, who sits on Haven's board, felt Haven's need to move may be a blessing.

"A high school student is not looking for a nightclub that is housed in a senior center."

Both Armentrout and Akridge felt joining up with Haven allowed their organizations to reach beyond their usual range and serve more of the community.

Haven is also extending itself to urban outreach as well. They will be hosting high school nights at Solid Rock Assembly of God in Detroit.

In the meantime, Haven is still trying to raise funds to lease a full-time center that will allow for more drop-in activities after school and during the week-ends.

Haven happenings

Friday, Oct. 6 — High school techno/rap/dance party, Solid Rock Assembly of God, Detroit

Saturday, Oct. 21 — Middle school techno/dance party, Neighborhood Club

Friday, Nov. 3 — High school event to be announced, Solid Rock Assembly of God

Saturday, Nov. 11 — Middle school battle of the bands, Neighborhood Club

Friday, Dec. 1 — High school event to be announced, Solid Rock Assembly of God

Saturday, Dec. 9 — Middle school event to be announced, Neighborhood Club

Friday, Dec. 15 (tentative) — High school battle of the bands, Christ Church Grosse Pointe

Spring 2001 — High school skate demo/radio-sponsored event

Saturday, June 2 — High school battle of the bands and outdoor festival, Christ Church Grosse Pointe

G.P. Woods survey helps determine park use for citizens

By Brad Lindberg
Staff Writer

The cake hadn't been cut on the Grosse Pointe Woods 50th birthday party before

planning began for the future.

During the Woods anniversary celebration last weekend, recreation officials

started a survey to determine the best use of the new activities building at Lake Front Park.

Less than a year old, the

year-round building's basketball and racquetball courts were credited with contributing to Lake Front's near-record attendance last summer.

This winter, residents and guests are expected to use the facility's warming shelter, complete with fireplace, during breaks from skating on a temporary ice rink, cross country skiing on the 55-acre grounds, and exercising on the park's paved and lighted walking path.

Melissa Warnack, the Woods recreation supervi-

sor, has asked residents to select their favorite activities from about a dozen proposed programs.

Choices include gymnastics for toddlers, mid-morning step aerobics for adults, basketball lessons after school and teen dances with live bands at night.

Other options include low-cost massage therapy, karaoke night, kick-boxing and three-on-three basketball tournaments. There's even a proposed reading program to keep toddlers busy

while their parents take aerobics.

Warnack said the list of proposed activities is a work in progress. Nothing will be decided until the surveys are in toward the end of October.

Surveys are available at the Woods community center, which is part of the city hall complex on Mack. Completed surveys should be returned to the community center office, a drop box in front of city hall, or the office at Lake Front Park.

Pointes hit in U.S. flag thefts

By Jim Stickford
Staff Writer

All five Grosse Pointes were hit with a rash of flag thefts early in the morning of Wednesday, Sept. 20.

While most of the thefts were concentrated around Grosse Pointe Farms, public safety officers in all of the other Pointes received reports of American flag thefts on Sept. 20.

Later that day many of the stolen flags turned up around Grosse Pointe Farms. At 10:30, for example, a resident found eight flags with their poles on the path between Harbor Hill and Grosse Pointe Boulevard.

Farms Public Safety

Department detective Mike McCarthy said that no definitive motive for the thefts has been discovered, but officers believe it could be related to Grosse Pointe South High School's spirit week. One of the class themes was "All-American."

"In many cases residents were very upset about the theft of their flags," McCarthy said. "In one instance, a Grosse Pointe Park family's flag was of great sentimental value. I understand the family received it after it was used in a military service. We think word of just how important this flag was reached whoever stole it,

because a flag was specifically returned to the South principal's office. They still have it and the family should check with them."

McCarthy said the Farms public safety department collected several dozen flags and has them stored in the Farms public safety garage.

"We're asking people who had a flag stolen to stop by and see if we have it," McCarthy said. "We're pretty much open all the time, so people don't have to worry about stopping by only between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. We understand that many people work during the day. Whatever the motivation for the thefts was, this wasn't funny."

Woods to clear water mains

By Brad Lindberg
Staff Writer

A contractor with a record of doing good work in Grosse Pointe Woods has won another contract for sewer maintenance.

Insituform Technologies USA, of Owosso, Mich., submitted a low-bid price of \$258,990 to inspect and clean more than 4,800 feet of pipe measuring between eight and 24 inches in diameter.

Although no starting date has been set, the work will

begin this fall and last about a month, according to Thomas Whitcher, the Woods director of public services.

Technically, the maintenance is called "rehabilitation," not repair. Work involves reaming out existing pipes, not laying new ones.

Work will clear sewer lines running between Huntington and Manchester, Manchester and Allard, Stanhope and Littlestone, and on Goethe

between Brys and Roslyn. Bad weather could delay completion of the job.

To cover contingencies and engineering costs, the sewer contract caps out at nearly \$307,000.

"Insituform has satisfactorily performed work for the Woods," said Frank Varicalli, of the Woods engineering consulting firm of Anderson, Eckstein and Westrick. "They have also worked on similar projects in numerous cities in the Detroit area."

SOC sponsors health fairs

In order to meet the growing health and prevention needs of the senior population in the Grosse Pointes and Harper Woods, Services for Older Citizens (SOC) is sponsoring two fall community health fairs on Thursday, Nov. 16, from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the Grosse Pointe Woods Presbyterian Church, 19950 Mack Ave., and on Tuesday, Nov. 28, from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at SOC's new location at the Neighborhood Club, 17150 Waterloo, in the City of Grosse Pointe.

Seniors can receive flu shots, pneumonia vaccinations, diabetes testing, cholesterol testing, blood pressure screening, bone density testing and mammograms by appointment only.

There will be a \$10 fee for the combined blood glucose/cholesterol testing; all other services are free to Medicare recipients. Those who are not insured by Medicare may be charged a nominal amount for some services. Transportation will be provided for all who request it.

The Health Fairs are co-sponsored by the Wayne County Health Department, SOC, St. John's Health System/ Parish Nurse Program, and Med-Share Mobile Diagnostics.

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Seeing in black and white

By Monte Nagler
Special Writer

Taking photographs in black and white can be a very rewarding experience.

Most people would not think of putting anything but color film in their cameras. Undoubtedly this is because they want their photographs to record the way they remember a scene.

Yet the lack of color in a black and white photograph can make a far more striking interpretation of a scene. And since black and white is an interpretation rather than a documentation of a subject, the onus is on the photographer to create a picture through the use of textures and tones. Textures and tones are considerations in color photography, but in black and white they are all-

important.

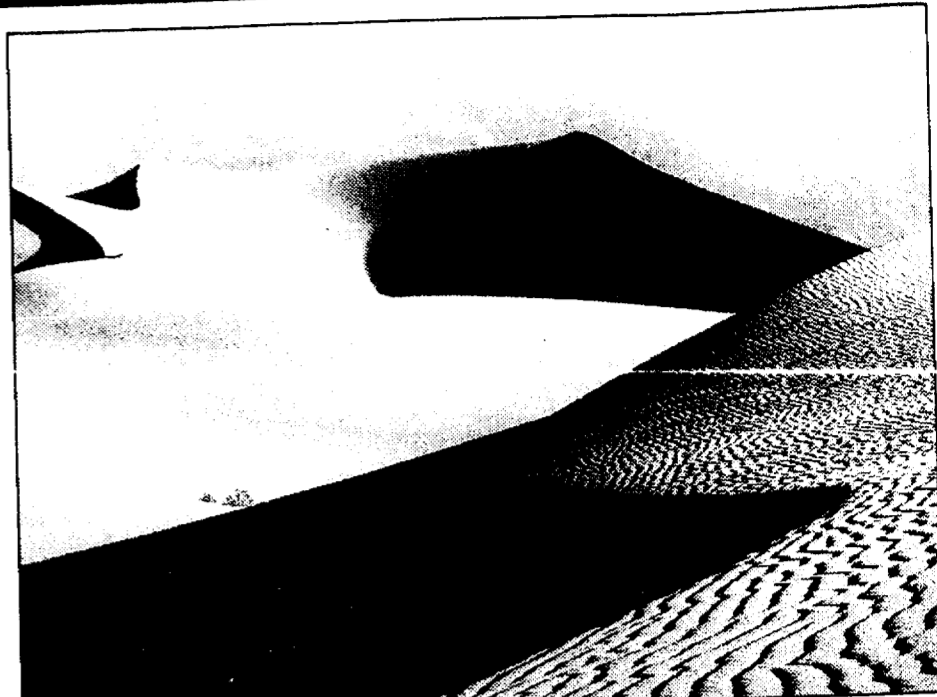
You may say that color photographs are analogous to seeing a movie while black and white is like reading the book. If you have two cameras, try loading one with color and the other with black and white. Take a shot of the same subject. When you compare your prints, you may be surprised at the power of the black and white image.

Portraiture in black and white can be very effective indeed. Look at some good black and white portraits, study them carefully, and you'll see the impact they possess. I've always felt that color portraits show the likeness of a person while black and white brings out the character of the face.

The tonal range from

black through various shades of gray to white is known as the gray scale. By utilizing these tones in an interpretive way, a photographer can truly express him or her self through their photography.

A black and white print using the extremes of the scale (no mid-tones) is referred to as a high-contrast print. Just the opposite, an all mid-tone print is called low-contrast. If the tones are towards the white end of the scale, it's called a high-key picture. A photo where most of the tones are near the black end is low-key. One that uses the full range of tones is called a full-tone print. By using the tones creatively and effectively, a photographer is able to "make a statement."



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Big ticket items stall teacher contract talks

By Bonnie Caprara
Staff Writer

Teachers in the Grosse Pointe Public School System are still coming into class each day wearing gold ribbons as a symbol of hope for a new contract.

"Gold is a precious metal and what we're providing is a quality education to our most precious commodity — our children," said Grosse Pointe Education Association president Rosalie Bryk.

The district and the teachers' union are still at work trying to renew a contract that expired on June 30. On the table are the issues of health benefits, salaries and elementary teacher planning time.

"We have a lot fewer issues on the table than a month ago," said district director of personnel and labor relations Eugene Washchuk. "It's the big financial issues that are the ones taking the most time."

Washchuk called the health benefits and salary issues big ticket items and claimed that the squeeze is caused by the state which controls much of the district's budget.

"We're trying to control costs," Washchuk said. "We're trying to spread that amount of money in the best fashion possible."

Washchuk also said that the district has some short-

term solutions on the table regarding elementary planning time issues, but that long-term solutions still needed to be worked on.

Bryk said about 350 teachers attended a union membership meeting last week.

"They're anxious, but also very supportive," Bryk said. Bryk also said a job action, such as a sick-out, is extremely unlikely.

"Any kind of job action requires documentation and the approval of the MEA (Michigan Education Association)," said Bryk. "We're not even close to going to the MEA."

In the meantime, the office employees union, the Grosse Pointe Association of Educational Officer Personnel; the classroom assistant union, the Grosse Pointe Educational Support Personnel Association and the administrators union have also not had contracts renewed which expired on June 30.

"We're making decent progress," said GPAEOP head bargainer Tudi Harwood. "It's not a complicated contract and we don't have any new issues."

Harwood is hopeful her union will reach a settlement within the next few weeks.

The classroom assistants' union president Nancy Salassa said her union was sitting tight waiting for the teachers to resolve their issues.

"We have no big issues on the table," said Salassa. "We just want parity with some of the other groups."

The administrator's union president, Michael Dib, simply said, "We are making progress."



South grad receives Ewald scholarship

Grosse Pointe South High School graduate Sarah Irvine of Grosse Pointe Park was one of 13 high school graduates who received scholarships from the H.T. Ewald Scholarship program. The scholarships are awarded for scholastic ability and outstanding character. Financial assistance is continued from year to year for students who maintain their high standards. Irvine, pictured with Kristi Ewald, is attending Western Michigan University to study elementary education.



ULS National Merit semifinalists

Four University Liggett School seniors have been recognized as National Merit semifinalists for their achievement on the PSAT, the qualifying test for National Merit scholarships. Semifinalists in the 2001 National Merit Scholarship competition include Matthew W. Hollerbach, the son of Michael and Nancy Hollerbach of Grosse Pointe Farms; John L. Durant, the son of Clark and Susan Durant of the City of Grosse Pointe; Kathryn A. Maurer, the daughter of David and Diane Maurer of Grosse Pointe Woods and Jeffrey B. Zens, the son of Jerry and Nancy Zens of Grosse Pointe Woods. The foursome now have the opportunity to continue in the competition for some 7,900 Merit Scholarship awards, worth more than \$31 million offered in the spring.

Scholars & honors

Grosse Pointe South High School's department of modern and classical languages had 45 students who were recipients of awards in national language contests last semester.

Graduate Prescott Murphy was No. 1 in the state and in the nation for his efforts in Spanish. Lauren Jahnke placed fifth in the state. Other Spanish award recipients include Theodore Ball, Emily Knaus, Kerian Engle, Christopher VanHof, Lauren Padilla, Rebecca Skinner, Amanda Andrade, Lysien Konakciu, Elizabeth Osburn, Sara Gutierrez, Oscar Vega, Patrick Dantzer, Katherine Wyman, Kristin Carlstrom, Sergio Barcena Turner, Anthony Galinato and Kimberly Farnen.

In Latin, award recipients were Anne Osburn, Emily Knaus, Renee Dufour, Amanda Henderson, Luke Parchment, Jacquelin Pike, Liam Parent, Jason Wong, David Minnick and Josiah Spurr.

In German, award recipients were Kristin Carlstrom, Ben Semmler, Matt Bernbeck, Angelica Moustardas, Beth Graham, Corriann Nadon-Nichols, Doug Schrashun and Nolan Powell.

In French, award recipients were Erin Burke, Emily Goodell, Brendan Cotter, Natela Chanidze, Crystal El-Khoury, Sandra Wohlgemuth and Alisa Lian.

Young View Pointes audition

The Grosse Pointe War Memorial's Community Access Station, Channel 5, is looking for local energetic young people to host "Young View Pointes," a weekly news magazine TV show.

The program will include all aspects of TV production from interviews to camera and audio control, editing and directing. Individuals will be responsible for writing and reporting their own stories that will air weekly in the Grosse Pointe and Harper Woods area. Topics covered will be current events, sports, fashion, science and others. The crew will meet every Thursday, from 3:30 to 5 p.m. at the War Memorial.

Auditions will be held on Thursdays, Sept. 28 and Oct. 5, from 3:30 to 5 p.m. in the Community Television Services studios located in the new wing of the War Memorial.

The audition is open to all students in the Grosse Pointe and Harper Woods school districts from ages 10 to 18. All interested participants should bring an original one-minute story to read on air.

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Pointers at home in Greenfield Village Old Car Festival

For a half-century, the Old Car Festival at Greenfield Village, usually held the weekend after Labor Day, has been a

The display included a Riker electric car made in 1896 and donated by Andrew Riker to the museum. Riker built electrics

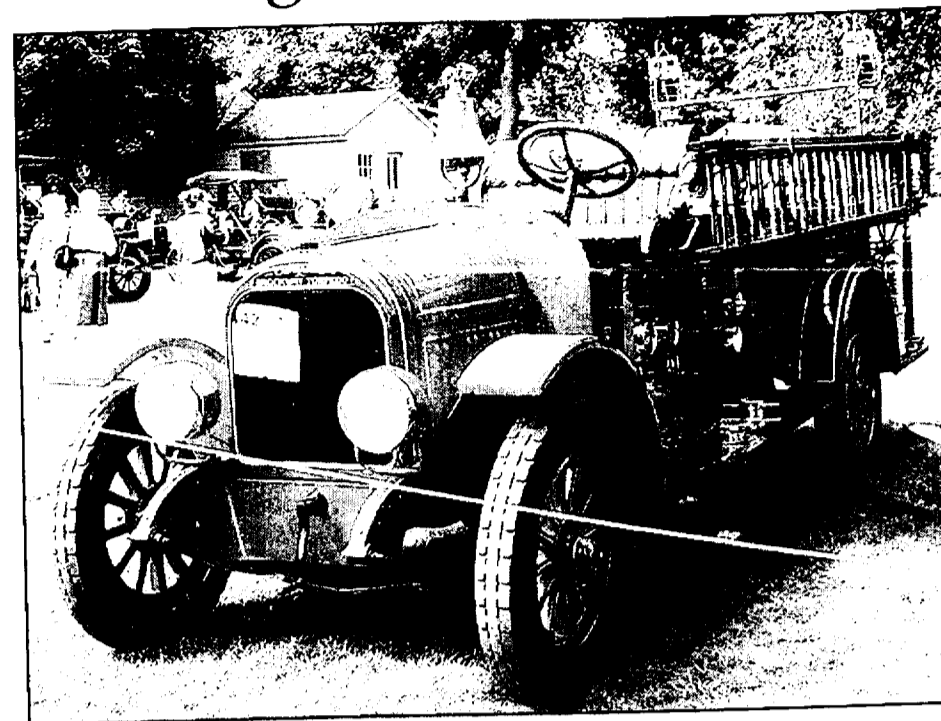
decided to try a hybrid, which it only built for two years.

The Pointes were ably represented at the festival. Marty Bufalini, of Grosse Pointe City, not only showed his 1923 LaFrance-Brockway Torpedo Fire Engine, but he also narrated and described cars as they passed before the reviewing stand.

LaFrance was a maker of special truck bodies, mainly fire engines. Brockway was a builder of heavy-duty trucks. So Bufalini's fire engine is a LaFrance body on a Brockway chassis.

Bill and Robin Heller of Grosse Pointe Farms showed their jaunty '30 Hupmobile S rumble seat convertible coupe. By 1930, the Depression was already eating into sales of Hupmobile, despite very sharp styling by Amos Northrup, tweaked by Raymond Loewy.

The Hupmobile bears the name of Robert C. Hupp (minus one "p"), although Hupp actually left the company just a few years after it began operation in 1908.



This 1923 LaFrance-Brockway Torpedo Fire Engine was shown by its owner, Marty Bufalini of Grosse Pointe City. Bufalini narrated and described cars as they passed before the reviewing stand.

One of the great cars of American history was the Ford Model A, introduced in late 1927 and Henry Ford

shut down his lines for most of the year to convert to building the all-new car which succeeded the Model

A very nice example of

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Autos

By Richard Wright

major event on the car enthusiast's calendar, the longest continuously running antique car show of its kind in the country.

This 50th anniversary Old Car Festival went back into history to show that there is not a lot new under the automotive sun. A special display of electric vehicles was put on by the Henry Ford Museum in a year that saw introduction of the Prius electric van by Toyota and the Insight electric/gasoline hybrid by Honda.

until 1900, by which time he decided the gasoline engine was more promising and he switched to internal combustion engineering. He became the first president of the Society of Automotive Engineers.

It also included a 1916 Woods Dual Power, an early attempt to combine the advantages of both forms of power. The Woods had a 14-horsepower four-cylinder gasoline engine and an electric motor. Woods had been building electric cars in Chicago since 1899, then

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Stuart James Dykstra

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Grosse Pointe Park resident Stuart James Dykstra died Tuesday, Sept. 19, 2000. He was 51.

Mr. Dykstra was born in Detroit and was a graduate of Grosse Pointe High School and attended Albion College. He was a freelance writer.

Mr. Dykstra is survived by a daughter, Sara; a son, Paul; two brothers, Craig and Steven; his mother, Pauline; two nieces and six nephews. He was predeceased by his father, Richard.

A memorial service for Mr. Dykstra was held Friday, Sept. 22, at Grosse Pointe Memorial Church. Burial was at Forest Lawn Cemetery in Detroit.

Memorial gifts may be sent to the Wayne State University Brain Tumor Research Fund, Attn: G.R. Barger, M.D., Department of Neurology BD-UHC, 4201 St. Antoine, Detroit, MI 48201 or to the Karmanos Cancer Institute.

William Shields Faber Jr.

William Shields Faber Jr. died in his Clinton Township home on Friday, Sept. 22, 2000.

Mr. Faber was a Grosse Pointe High School graduate. He served in the U.S. Navy during World War II and in the U.S. Marines during the Korean War. He enjoyed golf, sailing and football.

Mr. Faber is survived by five daughters, Penny (Dirk) Milliman, Laura (Chuck) Santora, Kathy (Curt) Young, Carolyn (Dave) Sandvig and Suzanne; two sons, Bill (Leslie) and Charlie (Jan); a sister, Janet Rogers; a brother, Mike (Joan); a cousin, Sister Margaret Ann; 20 grandchildren and many nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by his wife, Constance; his parents, Bill and Mildred; and a sister, Marilyn Connelly.

A funeral Mass for Mr. Faber was celebrated on Tuesday, Sept. 26, at St. Clare of Montefalco Catholic Church. Interment is at Mount Olivet Cemetery in Detroit. Funeral arrangements were handled by Verheyden Funeral Home.

Memorial gifts may be sent to the American Heart Association.



William Alvin Pankhurst

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City of Grosse Pointe resident William Alvin Pankhurst died of injuries from a fall Sunday, Sept. 17, 2000.

Mr. Pankhurst was born in Ohio on Oct. 9, 1916. He was a 1936 graduate of Grosse Pointe High School, a World War II Navy veteran stationed in Hawaii and was a budget analyst for Blue Cross/Blue Shield of Michigan.

Mr. Pankhurst's life truly began after retirement. He was involved with the Senior Men's Club of Grosse Pointe, the Men's Garden Club, the Blue Cross retirement group, the Villagers dance group and the AARP Chapter 2151. He served as treasurer for all of those groups. He was also a member of the Grosse Pointe Boat Club and was an avid bowler.

After retirement, Mr. Pankhurst worked Saturdays at Hirt's in the Eastern Market. He enjoyed seeing people and took great pride in the fact that he never needed a calculator to add customer's bills. He was also awarded the Salvation Army Volunteer of the Year Award in 1991 on behalf of his fundraising work through the Senior Men's Club of Grosse Pointe for the Salvation Army.

However, his true passion was his grandchildren. He loved watching them participate in sports, concerts and just spending time with them.

Mr. Pankhurst is survived by his wife, Margaret; a daughter, Beth (Joe) Moran; a son, Bill (Linda); and his six grandchildren, Megan Moran, Matthew Moran, Elizabeth Moran, William Moran, Lauren and Meryl.

A memorial service for Mr. Pankhurst will be held Sunday, Oct. 8, at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial with visitation at 11 a.m. and a service at noon. Funeral arrangements are being handled by A.H. Peters Funeral Home in Grosse Pointe Woods.

Memorial gifts may be sent to the Salvation Army, 2643 Park, Detroit, MI 48201.



Marilyn Grewe Ruthven

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Longtime Grosse Pointe Woods resident Marilyn Grewe Ruthven died of heart failure on Monday, Sept. 25, 2000. She was 75.

An accomplished pianist, Mrs. Ruthven was a graduate of the University of Michigan School of Music. While attending U-M, she served as secretary to the chairman of the music department and director of the U-M marching band. Upon completing her degree, she accepted a graduate school scholarship to Columbia University.

At age 22, she married Robert N. Ruthven, M.D. Earlier this year, they celebrated their 53rd anniversary. Surviving are their children, Barbara Taylor, Carol Bendure, Robert N. Jr. and Douglas. Mrs. Ruthven is also survived by her brother, Robert Grewe; eight grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Her lasting legacy was her devotion to her family.

Mrs. Ruthven was an active member of her church, the Lochmoor Club and the U-M Alumni Association.

She was also a volunteer for Meals on Wheels, served as a musician with Fine Arts and frequently attended talks at the Economic Club of Detroit.

A funeral service for Mrs.

Ruthven will be held Thursday, Sept. 28, at St. James Lutheran Church at 11 a.m.

Funeral arrangements are being handled by Verheyden Funeral Home.

Irene K. Seward

A funeral service was held Tuesday, Sept. 19, at Mount Vernon Mortuary in Fair Oaks, Calif., for Irene K. Seward. Mrs. Seward died in her Citrus Heights, Calif., home on Friday, Sept. 15, 2000.

Mrs. Seward was born in Chicago on Oct. 12, 1920. A resident of the City of Grosse Pointe for 48 years, she moved to California to be with her family.

Her beautiful eyes, smile and sense of humor and dignity will always be remembered.

Mrs. Seward is survived by a son, Richard; three granddaughters, Colleen, Karen and Laura; and great-grandson, David. She was predeceased by her husband, John in 1963; a daughter, Joan in 1970; and a son, Robert in 1992.

Interment is at Mount Vernon Mortuary.

Robert B. Squires

Former City of Grosse Pointe resident Robert B. Squires died in his Bloomfield Hills home on Saturday, Sept. 9, 2000. He was 90.

Mr. Squires was born in Ridgetown, Ontario, Canada. He was a retired director of labor relations for General Motors Fisher Body division. He served the City of Bloomfield Hills for 25 years on the planning commission and the tax review board. He was also a founding member of the Mature Minglers.

Mr. Squires is survived by two daughters, Mary P. (Michael S.) Caponi of Bloomfield Hills and Elizabeth of Bloomfield Hills; a sister, Gladys Gignac; and four grandchildren, Christina MacDonald of Charlotte, N.C., Angela Caponi of Royal Oak, Michael Caponi of Oak Park and Paula Caponi of Bloomfield Hills.

He was predeceased by his wife, Virginia (nee Bery) in 1994; and a son, Robert B. Jr.

A funeral Mass for Mr. Squires was celebrated on Tuesday, Sept. 12, at St. Hugo of the Hills Catholic Church in Bloomfield Hills. Monsignor Anthony Tocco officiated.

Funeral arrangements were handled by A.J. Desmond & Sons Funeral Home in Troy.

Memorial gifts may be sent to the Capuchin Monastery, 1740 Mount Elliott, Detroit, MI 48207; the Manresa Jesuit Retreat House, 1390 Quarton, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48304 or the Foundation for Exceptional Children, 16 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Farms, MI 48236.

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DEATH NOTICE

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Know when to hold them and when to fold them

You're at a cocktail party recently, and the conversation drifts to stocks, as it always seems to do.

Everyone says, one after another, "I bought this E-stock." Or, "Did you buy any of 'xyz.com' on its IPO last spring?"

The biggest problem to participating in this chit-chat is that you've never heard of most of the Internet stocks they're talking about. And most of the stock names don't even give you a clue what the company does, or makes.

A couple months ago, LTS saw a published list of the 10 "biggest" Internet stocks.

But they go up and down so fast, day-by-day, that the list is meaningless today.

Most investors think that the "tech stocks" are all on NASDAQ. Not so! If you follow the stock symbols, it's easy to tell which ones are traded on NASDAQ.

The NASDAQ stocks — both those traded on the National Market list and the babies traded elsewhere — have symbols of four or more letters, whereas the NYSE and ASE use one, two or three letters.

Is IBM a "tech stock"? Of course it is, and it's listed on the NYSE, as is LU, the symbol for Lucent

Let's talk...STOCKS

Technologies, the tech spin-off from AT&T.

You might, or might not, include the following Big Board big-cap companies in your high tech list: Hewlett-Packard (HP); Honeywell (HON) and Minnesota Mining & Manufacturing (MMM).

But, most analysts agree, the NYSE short list of "tech stocks" is very short compared to those traded on NASDAQ. The adjacent table lists last week's 10 most active NASDAQ stocks, based on the dollar volume of their shares traded.

crates in the basement, along with income tax documents for the past 25 years.

Fortunately, Mr. X has some "Mi-Reference" sheets with cost data dating to the early 1980s. The research department of the brokerage firm retrieved published data, which revealed that Sycor Inc. was acquired by Northern Telecom Ltd., a Canadian firm listed on the NYSE, symbol: NT.

That merger was effected by an exchange of stock on May 26, 1978, with each Sycor share receiving 0.9072 share of NT.

Mr. X's personal records show he exchanged 100 shares Sycor for 90 shares of NT, plus cash for the fractional share.

He later purchased 10 shares of NT, so he would then own a round lot of 100 shares. The combined cost of the 100 shares is about \$1,350.

During 1999, NT changed its name to Nortel Networks, reflecting its pre-

eminent role in computer networking, the Internet, and fiber optic data, voice and video transmission. Bell Telephone of Canada still owns 40 percent of its former subsidiary, now completely independent.

Mr. X's 100 shares have been split four times since 1982, as follows: (X's holding in shares after split is shown in parenthesis): May 1983, 3-for-1 (300 shares); May 1987, 2-for-1 (600); January 1988, 2-for-1 (1,200) and August 1999, 2-for-1 (2,400).

Mr. X's former 100 shares are now 2,400 shares, and his cumulative cost of about \$1,350 now has a market value of \$159,900, based on NT's close last Friday at 66.625 per share.

This is just one case of the "buy and hold" theory working out as a "miracle stock" for Mr. X. LTS is sure that many readers have even better illustrations.

Great wall of S.C.S.

Have you been following the construction of the Great Wall of St. Clair Shores along I-94, between Vernier and 9 Mile?

This "noise-barrier" wall,

about 8 feet tall, is being constructed of brick, on a concrete foundation with embedded upright steel rods for vertical stability.

If and when it is ever completed, nearby residents should experience significant relief from the engine exhaust and tire noises of the ever-increasing traffic levels on I-94. Such noise abatement programs are being financed by federal transportation taxes, upon recommendation of the Michigan Department of Transportation. Construction is probably supervised by the Macomb County Road Commission.

Regular I-94 commuters have been watching the daily progress, or lack thereof, all year now. One Grosse Pointe News reader told LTS it reminds him of the construction of the Great Wall of China.

China's Great Wall was constructed piecemeal over several decades of the third century B.C. It is 1,400 miles long and has over 25,000 towers.

Historians say the Great Wall was no barrier to invading hordes, but it probably deterred the wandering nomads.

Here's an even bet: Which local construction project will be finished first? St. Clair Shores' Great Wall or the paving of Grosse Pointe Farms?

Joseph Mengden is a resident of the City of Grosse Pointe and former chairman of First of Michigan. He is also a member of the Financial Analysts Society of Detroit Inc.

"Let's Talk Stocks" is sponsored by First of Michigan, John M. Rickel, CPA P.C., and Rickel & Baun, P.C. in Grosse Pointe Farms.

Shop opens 'At Last'

By Brad Lindberg
Staff Writer

A 30-year dream is coming true tomorrow for Grosse Pointe Woods resident Dorothy Troutman.

"At last," she said. Troutman has dreamed of opening a high-end gift shop where personal service reigns.

With the grand opening Friday of At Last on Mack north of Vernier, Troutman will have realized her goal. The shop will carry custom gifts and features personal shopping.

"Busy people can call and order something over the phone," she said. "I'll have it ready for them to pick up."

Located at 21035 Mack

next to George Koueiter & Sons Jewelers in the Woods, At Last will be "an upscale gift shop with a few antiques," said Troutman. "There will be eclectic gifts from many sources."

Items include custom silk arrangements, swags and wreaths.

Troutman will provide custom gift wrapping. Customers can bring in their own gifts for wrapping.

"It's a shop I'm sure people will find very comfortable to shop in," said Troutman. "I've dreamed of this for 30 years."

At Last will be open Monday through Friday, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Saturday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Buy and hold

That's the answer most often given when LTS asks investors what they are doing about the current stock market.

Buy and hold, a one-decision investment strategy. Find a good stock, buy it, and hold it!

At one time or another, everyone has heard about a "miracle stock" story. LTS ran across one last week. We'll call the investor Mr. "X," withholding the name to protect the innocent.

Like many investors, Mr. X can't locate his original brokerage confirmations without a lengthy search of the premises, from the attic to the basement.

So his original purchase of shares of Ann Arbor-based Sycor Inc. in the mid- to late 1970s is a mystery.

The purchase confirmations and monthly brokerage statements weren't thrown away. Maybe they're stashed in one of the milk

Business People



Grosse Pointe Farms resident Brett Peterson has joined Proquest Commercial Property Management in Bloomfield Hills as director of property management.

He will manage the company's property portfolio of more than one million square feet. Peterson previously managed properties for Prentiss Properties and an office building in downtown Detroit.

Peterson

Scott Russell has been promoted to director of marketing and new business development at AutoLine Manufacturing Group, Inc., a supplier of automotive collision repair aftermarket products.

In his new job, Russell will have additional responsibility for inside sales administration, customer service, specialty and non-collision repair product planning. He worked previously as the company's marketing manager.

Russell joined AutoLine in 1999 after working for a Detroit-based automotive public relations firm. He lives in Grosse Pointe Woods.

Grosse Pointe Farms resident Jean Edminster Brown has joined the law firm of Clark Hill as marketing director. She worked previously as communications manager for the Detroit Newspaper Agency. Prior to that, Brown was marketing manager for the Capital Area Transportation Authority in Lansing.

Brown is a member of the Public Relations Society of America, the International Association of Business Communicators and is on the board of the O.A.T.S. Handicapped Riding Program of Oakland County.

Dr. Kevin Everett, the team ophthalmologist for the Detroit Lions football team, has joined Henry Ford Eye Care Services in Grosse Pointe Park. He will begin seeing patients in his new office on Sept. 20.

His areas of expertise include cataract surgery, treatment of glaucoma and laser vision correction.

Everett graduated from the University of Michigan School of Medicine. He completed a residency in the department of ophthalmology at the University of Cincinnati Medical Center.



Everett

Gary Haberkorn has joined First of Michigan as vice president of investments and manager of the bank's office in Auburn Hills.

Haberkorn has a degree in hotel, restaurant and institutional management from Michigan State University and is an arbitrator for the Better Business Bureau.

He lives in Grosse Pointe Woods.

Two Grosse Pointe residents have been promoted at Lutheran Social Services of Michigan.

Ben Robinson of the Farms is the organization's new senior vice president of Lutheran Social Services of Michigan.

He will be responsible for long term managed care services, human resources, the office of advocacy and public policy, among other things.

Prior to joining the agency three years ago, Robinson was executive director of Adult Well-Being Services in Detroit for 12 years.

City resident Louis Prues has been named vice president of strategy and planning.

His job will include strategic planning and implementation of new facilities and programs for the agency that serves 53 Michigan cities and 49 counties in Indiana.

Prues is an ordained Presbyterian clergyman with a Ph.D. in Ministries from the San Francisco Theological Seminary.

Most active NASDAQ stocks

By dollar volume, in millions

Stock	Volume Millions	9-22-00 Close	Weekly Change
Intel	\$232.3	47.94	-9.58
Cisco Systems	131.6	60.31	-2.44
JDS Uniphase	102.6	107.00	+3.38
Sun Microsystems	95.3	118.06	+5.00
Juniper Network	89.2	225.64	+23.95
Microsoft	87.8	63.25	-0.94
Qualcomm	84.5	73.00	+6.75
Oracle Corp.	82.2	80.73	+2.42
SDL Inc.	77.4	344.44	+16.31
Dell Computer	59.9	35.94	+0.19

Source: Barron's, Sept. 25, 2000

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Village of Grosse Pointe Shores NOTICE OF ENACTMENT OF ORDINANCE NO. 210

Notice is hereby given that at its regular meeting on September 20, 2000, the Grosse Pointe Shores Village Council passed new Ordinance No. 210. This ordinance was ordered to take effect upon the publication of a synopsis of the ordinance in a newspaper circulated in the Village of Grosse Pointe Shores.

Ordinance No. 210 amends the traffic section of the Village's ordinance Code by adopting by reference in the Village the Michigan Vehicle Code, as now permitted by state law. The ordinance also repeals all inconsistent ordinances. Pursuant to state law, notice is further given that the purpose of the Michigan Vehicle Code, Public Act No. 300 of 1949, MCL 247.1 to 257.923, as amended, as stated in its preamble, is as follows.

"An act to provide for the registration, titling, sale, transfer and regulation of vehicles operated upon the public highways of this state or any other place open to the general public and distressed vehicles; to provide the licensing of dealers; to provide for the examination, licensing, and control of operators and chauffeurs; to provide for the giving of proof of financial responsibility and security by owners and operators of vehicles; to provide for the imposition, levy, and collection of specific taxes on vehicles, and the levy and collection of sales and use taxes, license fees, and permit fees; to provide for the regulation and use of streets and highways; to create certain funds; to provide penalties and sections for a violation of this act; to provide for civil liability of owners and operators of vehicles and service of process on residents and nonresidents; to provide for the levy of certain assessments; to provide for the enforcement of this act; to provide for the creation of and to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state agencies; to repeal all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act or contrary to this act; and to repeal certain parts of this act on a specific date."

A complete copy of the Michigan Vehicle Code is available for public inspection at the Village offices.

Linda S. Walton,
Village Clerk.

G.P.N.: 09/28/00

G. P. Park council tosses out Harvard pizza plan

By Brad Lindberg
Staff Writer

"That takes care of that," said Park Mayor Palmer Heenan.

Heenan and his colleagues on the Grosse Pointe Park city council didn't want to cheese-off homeowners by letting a pizza delivery franchise open near a traffic-clogged residential area, so they tossed out the idea.

Saga Com., Inc. buys back shares

Saga Communications, Inc. (Amex: SGA), of Grosse Pointe Farms, announced on Monday, Sept. 25, that it repurchased 144,000 shares of its class A common stock on Sept. 22.

The repurchase came as part of the company's previously announced stock buy-back program.

This purchase reflects management's belief that Saga's stock is undervalued and has been caught up in the overall devaluation of the stocks in the radio sector. Company management intends to continue the buy-back strategy.

Saga Communications, Inc. is a broadcasting com-

pany. It acquires, develops and operates broadcast properties.

The company owns or operates broadcast properties in 17 markets, including 31 FM and 18 AM radio stations, two state radio networks, one farm radio network, four television stations and two LPTV stations.

Additionally, Saga has agreed to buy the assets of WTKO-AM, WHCU-AM, WYXL-FM and WQNY-FM in Ithaca, New York from Eagle Broadcasting Company and its affiliates. Saga expects to close the deal early next year.

In a discussion coursing with overtones from the earlier parking debate, the pizza plan incited opposition from residents who faced living arms length from a pizza delivery service that would have operated past midnight.

Harvard resident Dante Rodino said the business would create a "nuisance."

Neighbor Vince Muniga, a 13-year resident of the street, said a pizza parlor could compound an anticipated increase in traffic volume. Next month, Lunchbox Deli, a carry-out delicatessen, is scheduled to open on Mack and Grayton, one block south of Harvard.

"What will happen when we have — not one — but two carry-out restaurants?" said Muniga.

Coming soon after the successful parking initiative, Muniga found the pizza plan distasteful.

"We've had some relief," he said. With the addition of a pizza delivery service, "we don't know how much traffic is going to come up and down (Harvard)."

Rodino added, "The street has become a major thoroughfare to avoid Cadieux."

Dan Clark, a Park city councilman, agreed.

"I take a dim view of any use of this property that would encroach on nearby



Prior to the passage of an ordinance banning commercial vehicles from parking in the 1400 block of Harvard in Grosse Pointe Park, residents said their street had become a parking lot, above. Earlier this week, citing potentially unsafe traffic levels, residents opposed a proposed pizza delivery shop on the corner of Mack.

residents," he said.

The pizza idea had been proposed by Michael Muer, owner of the Harvard Grill, a restaurant on the corner of Mack and Harvard.

Muer hoped to locate the Dominos franchise in rental property he owns in the 16600 block of Mack, across from the Grill at the corner of Harvard and Mack.

In a letter to the city council signed by business owners located in a one-block stretch of Mack bordered by Harvard and Cadieux, Muer acknowledged a "chronic parking shortage."

Yet, he continued, although "the parking shortage is undeniably serious, we cannot conclude that Harvard Road is unduly burdened by traffic."

Muer's attorney, Ron Cherf, said the pizzeria was slated for property that offered more parking than required by city ordinance.

In denying the plan, the council cited potential safety problems due to heavy traffic mixed with delivery vehicles pulling in and out of close-quarter parking lots.

Muer, in his letter, said, "Ideally, purchase by the

city of one or more residential properties between Cadieux and Grayton behind our businesses would provide the greatest promise of long-term relief from parking and traffic congestion in the neighboring residential area."

Heenan said, "It doesn't look as though there's any support for (the pizzeria). It would make use (in the area) so intense it would be to the disadvantage to residents."

Muer and his attorney said they hadn't formulated plans to pursue the matter.

Laboring for tax deductions: A plan for fall and winter

Before you know it, it will be time to wrap up another tax year.

Rather than waiting until December to take advantage of last-minute tax-saving strategies, the Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants suggests that you plan to focus on a few issues each month between now and year end.

The following month-by-month guide may help to lower your tax liability.

September:

Bunch deductible expenses.

Calculate your projected income for the entire year thus far and tally up your actual medical expenses.

Medical expenses are deductible only to the extent that they exceed 7.5 percent of your adjusted gross income (AGI). If you are close to this threshold, you may want to prepay your child's orthodontia, schedule elective dental work, or buy new prescription eyeglasses before year-end.

Alternatively, if your income is up and you don't expect to exceed the minimum 7.5 percent floor, defer as many medical expenses as you can until next year.

Apply the same logic to your miscellaneous itemized deductions — those deductions such as employee business expenses, investment expenses, and tax-preparation expenses that are allowed only to the extent they exceed 2 percent of your AGI.

October:

Maximize retirement contributions, monitor investments, and track down deadbeats.

If you haven't done so already, October is a great month to maximize retirement contributions. Deposit as much as you can into your 401 (k), Simplified Employee Pension (SEP), Keogh plan, or IRA.

Remember, every dollar you contribute to a tax-deferred retirement plan is one less dollar of income on which you will pay taxes come April 15.

By making your contribution now, your money has that much more time to grow on a tax-deferred basis.

Take a look at your investments. If you find that this year's market swings left you with some "clunkers" in your portfolio, consider selling them at a loss to offset capital gains on a dollar-for-dollar basis and up to \$3,000

in ordinary income.

Losses that exceed \$3,000 can be carried forward to future years.

If you loaned money to someone and have not been repaid, you should start taking steps to collect now and document those efforts in some manner.

Your collection efforts will provide the evidence you need to possibly claim a bad-debt deduction on your 2000 income tax return.

November:

Drain your FSA and take the expensing deduction.

Flexible spending accounts (FSAs) allow you to set aside pretax dollars to pay for health and child care, but you forfeit any money that you don't use by year end.

Check on the balance in your flexible spending plans at work and plan before year-end to use what's left.

For years beginning in 2000, small businesses that qualify can deduct the cost of up to \$20,000 in business equipment, instead of depreciating the expense over

time.

If you're in the market for a new copier, computer system, or other piece of equipment, purchase it now and put it into service before the

end of the year to take advantage of this new expensing deduction.

December:

Defer income and make

Personal savings at an all-time low

The Commerce Department estimates that the monthly savings rate has been hovering around rock-bottom since September 1998.

That's not good, but the return on savings accounts have not provided much incentive, either. In a survey of 10 major markets nationwide by Bankrate.com, yields on passbook accounts are at a decade-low 1.67 percent.

Now you'll need to be smarter about where you save that money.

- Credit unions. In most cases you'll be able to avoid fees and minimum-balance requirements.

- Higher-yielding certificates of deposit and money-market accounts.

- Wean yourself from ATMs that by more carefully planning your monthly money needs.

Treasury Secretary Lawrence H. Summers has announced the formation of the National Partners for Financial Empowerment, a coalition to help educate people about their finances and encourage traditional savings. But until banks and other financial institutions begin providing better incentives for savings, putting money in a bank isn't much different than stuffing it in a mattress.

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charitable contributions.

The most basic rule of year-end tax planning calls for you to defer income into next year and accelerate deductions into this year.

For example, employees that are due a bonus may want to hold off until after January 1, if at all possible. If you are self-employed, mail your invoices late in the year so you receive payment after the first of January.

One way to accelerate deductions into the 2000 tax year is to make charitable contributions on or before December 31.

For charitable organizations that accept credit card

payments, you can charge your contribution on December 31 and take the deduction even if you don't pay the bill until next year.

If you have appreciated stock that you've held for more than one year, you might want to hold the cash and donate the stock instead.

When you do this, you avoid paying tax on the appreciation and still qualify to deduct the donated property's full market value.

The best way to lower your tax bill is to make tax planning a year-round activity. Consult with a CPA for advice on devising a plan that works for you.

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Autos

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this historic car was shown by Thomas Flanagan of Harper Woods, a well-served 1931 Ford Model A two-door sedan.

There is still nostalgia at the Old Car Festival, but it is being replaced by an interest in history. Most of the cars were built before most of the show visitors

were born. The Model A Fords are familiar to the older visitors, even the Model T's, but for most visitors the cars do not really register as automobiles they remember. Gasps of amazement can be heard when one of the very antique machines is cranked and wheezes to life.

The sense of history is strong. Many of the names on the cars are the names of automotive pioneers — Maxwell, Duesenberg,

Studebaker, Hupp, Franklin, Nash, Velie, Pope and, of course, the more familiar Ford, Chevrolet, Buick, Chrysler, Olds and Dodge.

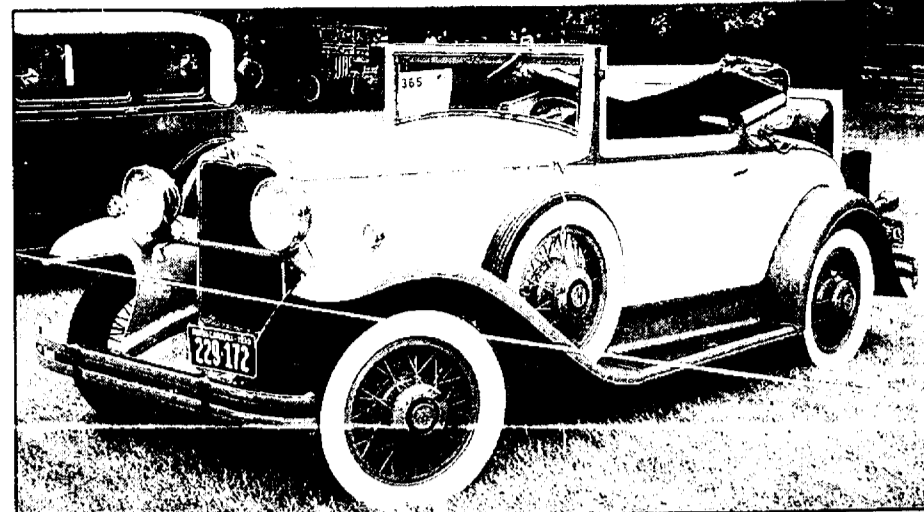
To the modern eye, the very old cars look a lot alike, because most were basically horse-drawn carriage designs with engines either under the seats or in front of the seats with a hood. They began looking more like cars around 1910-12, when they assumed a big-box/little-box shape as bodies were lowered onto the chassis with a big box for the passenger compartment and a little box for the engine.

Design evolved through the '20s into the classic shape of the early '30s. The big difference was that the new profession of designer or stylist was taking hold. Now bodies, fenders, trunks were integrated into coherent designs.

This is where the Old Car Festival ends. No cars newer than 1932 vintage are allowed. The classics, streamliners and finned behemoths to follow were at the Motor Muster earlier this summer.

Olds started the first auto plant in Detroit in 1900 and the Oldsmobile was an early success. But Olds left the company in 1904 after quarreling with his partners over what kind of cars they should build and returned to Lansing to build the REO (his initials; the original company owned his name, Olds). There were two REOs at the show, an early 1906 model and a classic '32 Royale.

There were a few foreign cars at the Old Car



By 1930, the Depression was already eating into sales of Hupmobile, despite snappy styling by Amos Northrup and Raymond Loewy. This '30 Hupmobile S rumble seat convertible coupe is owned by Bill and Robin Heller of Grosse Pointe Farms.

for the guy who put up the money was Hudson, named for department store owner Joseph L. Hudson. The car was created by Roy D. Chapin and Howard E. Coffin, both of whom learned the business working for Ransom E. Olds. Chapin and Coffin also helped Hugh Chalmers build the Thomas-Detroit and the Chalmers-Detroit.

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Festival. Two French Renaults of 1908 vintage were displayed as was a French Sizaire-Naudin of the same year.

Another "initialed" car was a 20 H.C.S., a car built by Harry C. Stutz after he left the better-known manufacturer that bore his name.

A '20 Nash recalled the auto pioneer Charles Nash for whom Walter P. Chrysler once worked at Buick and who was fired as General Motors president by William C. Durant. There were two 1904 Ramblers at the show, which were built by the Jeffery Motor Co., which was acquired by Nash after he left GM in 1916.

There was a 1915 Chevrolet Baby Grand, one of the cars with which Durant launched Chevrolet, and which was so successful he was able to regain control of GM and merged

Chevrolet into it. Louis Chevrolet? He got mad at Durant and left the company before it took off and challenged Ford for sales leadership.

Legacy

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"When I found out I had the opportunity to do this, I thought I had to," said Clemens. "It gives me the chance to combine a personal goal of getting into shape and a professional goal of helping raise money for the Legacy project. I wasn't a runner before this, but have been training for eight months. I come from a family of runners, but I was kind of the lazy one. My dad, Byron Clemens, has run in a couple of marathons and he was shocked that I was doing this."

Jill Marshall, 29, is the War Memorial community relations coordinator and works under Teri Carroll.

"It's a little crazy," said Marshall. "I wasn't a runner. The most I'd run before this was, maybe, six miles. I've been training since February and lost 10 pounds. This is a good thing to do before my 30th birthday. My husband is running in this, but not as a part of the War Memorial team. He's really helped me with training, getting me out there on those cold days where you don't feel like running."

Maj. Thomas Rose, 34, is an active Marine and lives in Grosse Pointe Woods. He graduated from North High School and is based out of Selfridge with the 472 Marine Wing Support Squadron.

"I've run two Marine Corps marathons previously," said Rose. "This will be my third. The biggest reason I'm doing this is because, when I was deployed during Desert Storm, the War Memorial sent me care packages. I owe them a lot. With our schedules, it's difficult to train together, but we do help motivate each other. It's so easy, at the end of a long day, to just lay down on the couch and watch television. I ran my last two marathons in about 3:30. If I can maintain that, I'll be happy."

So far the team has raised about \$14,000, \$12,000 short of what is needed for the display. The team has several corporate sponsors, with Ameritech donating \$5,000. Other sponsors include Monahan Development Corp., The Meade Group, Delina Obens of Prudential Grosse Pointe Real Estate Co., Abbott, Nicholson, Quilter, Eshaki & Youngblood P.C., Tom Youngblood of Remax in the Pointes, Healy's Health Hut, Comerica, AAA of Michigan, Dr. Kevin Prush of Diversified Dental, Robert Loomis and Associates, John Brookes of Allstate, Hambersky Solutions Group and Mrs. Shelby Mason's second grade class at Ferry Elementary.

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Picture a dolphin

By Brad Lindberg

Staff Writer

See Spot.

See Spot swim.

See scuba divers pester Spot.

See Spot swim away.

Spot is a 4 1/2-year-old male bottlenose dolphin. He prefers the bluish-green waters surrounding Cayman Brac, a tiny Caribbean Island about 90 miles south of Cuba.

But the intelligent and inquisitive animal raised anchor last summer and lit out for the territory.

Spot, named because of a white blotch on his blue and gray dorsal fin, abandoned Cayman Brac for the relative quiet of another island about five miles away.

A local underwater photographer familiar with the camera-happy dolphin speculates that a passel of animal-loving scuba divers crossed the line. Fed up with being petted and tugged, Spot took off.

"Spot is a wild animal. He has to be respected," said Jack Sullivan, a City of Grosse Pointe resident and marine photographer. "You don't want to make a wild animal your pet puppy dog."

One of Sullivan's pictures of a seemingly smiling Spot has been chosen for next year's Cayman national calendar. The image will also appear on one of the county's postcards.

From the light blue of Spot's snout to the darker hues at the tips of his streamlined fins and tail, Sullivan's photo is a crisp, fluid image of an apparently friendly and definitely appealing

animal. Taken at a depth of 40 feet in shoaling water, Sullivan used a pair of strobe lights to capture the graceful dolphin in full flight.

For all of Sullivan's interest in undersea life, his arms-length approach to wild animals includes his star subject, Spot.

"Dolphins need to be dependent on their own ability to provide for themselves," said Sullivan.

Sullivan turned down a magazine's offer to put Spot on the cover.

"I have some concerns," said

It's said that humans are the only animals able to fool themselves. We berried animals and imagine they feel likewise about us. The attitude is centuries old.

Aristotle wrote, "The voice of the dolphin is like that of the human in that they can pronounce vowels and combinations of vowels, but have difficulties with the consonants." In his book on the cleverness of animals,

Plutarch said, "To the dolphin alone, beyond all other, nature has granted what the best philosophers seek: friendship for



Photo by Jack Sullivan

Spot the bottlenose dolphin will appear next year in a Caribbean calendar.

Sullivan. He doesn't want the animal exploited.

A recent article in a national magazine bathed Spot in childlike innocence:

"Spot approached like a long-lost friend it was like he was giving us a guided tour... Spot was waiting patiently and thinking of new games to play."

"All that (article) has done is promote Spot as a tourist attraction rather than the wild animal he is," Sullivan said.

no advantage."

Shakespeare described a character's delight as "dolphin-like," but ascribing human qualities to a wild animal doesn't help anyone except poets and their readers.

Underwater, Sullivan knows he's a stranger in a strange and buoyant land.

"You're in the fish's environment," he said. "They are in control. You might be intimidating, but, it is their environment."

Even Sullivan, who objects to

divers interfering with nature, is compelled by Spot's expressiveness to describe him in human terms: "His mouth is wide open like he's smiling."

"People love these animals," said Dr. Greg Bossart, director of Marine Mammal Research and Conservation at the Harbor Branch Oceanographic Institution in Port Pierce, Fla. "They have a charisma and power that grabs people."

Bossart is a veterinarian and veterinary pathologist who studies dolphins and their diseases.

"Dolphins appear to like human interaction, visual and tactile, or to make people into toys," he said.

Bottlenose dolphins have large brains, second to humans in the ratio of brain size to body size.

But in man's enthusiasm to anthropomorphize dolphins, researchers said, we offer them false praise. Dolphins are about as smart as elephants. Most of a dolphin's brain deals with echolocation, which is nature's sonar, not reasoning.

A playful and peppy dolphin can draw adventurous divers like moths to a flame. But in a real-life analogy, too much attention can snuff out the fire.

Invasive human interaction makes a dolphin less than what it's meant to be.

"The worse thing you can do to a wild animal is desensitize it. It's the kiss of death," said Bossart.

Toss a dolphin a hot dog one day which will likely make it sick) and a piece of fish the next (which if it's not flash-frozen could also make the animal ill), and soon he's a beggar.

"You start having dolphins trail fishing boats wanting handouts," said Bossart. "People don't do it maliciously, but in the long run, they are harming the animals."

Inappropriate interaction with humans "alters the natural physiology of the dolphin," continued Bossart. "It raises the potential for causing an imbalance and introducing disease."

Sullivan agreed. "The worst thing you could do is feed any wild fish," he said. "They need to be dependent on their own ability to provide for themselves."

Bothering dolphins and other sea creatures is illegal.

The Marine Mammal Protection Act prohibits the harassment and feeding of wild marine animals.

The law applies to U.S. citizens in domestic and international waters, not territorial waters of foreign nations.

"The law is very clear," said Trevor Spradlin, a marine mammalogist with the National Marine Fisheries Service in Silver Springs, Md. "Harassment is any act of pursuit, torment or annoyance that has potential to injure, or the potential to disturb marine mammals in the wild."

Therefore, Spradlin added, "people who closely approach, chase or pet animals are risking harassment. If you harass or feed, it's a violation."

The law provides for fines up to \$25,000.

"The law is to protect the health and welfare of marine mammals in the wild and in the United States," said Spradlin.

Bossart added, "You're not allowed to interact unless they seek you out. Unless they come to you, you're not allowed to touch."

Spot approaches divers all the time.

Like a dog asking to be petted, "Spot will come and nudge you," said Sullivan, who waits for the animal to make the first move.

"You hold his dorsal fin, he goes upright and you rub his belly," Sullivan has taken underwater photographs all over the world.

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Meetings

New Friends, Neighbors

The New Friends and Neighbors Club of Grosse Pointe will meet from 11:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 5, at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial. After a luncheon, the speaker will be Elizabeth Roeske, whose topic will be newest developments in women's health care, including fact and fiction about vitamin supplements, hormone replacements and herbs.

Cost is \$10 a person and reservations must be made by Sunday, Oct. 1. Call Carla Teegan at (313) 885-6460. To learn more about the club, visit <http://community.mlive.com/cc/nfnc>.

Windmill Pointe Garden Club

The Windmill Pointe Garden Club will meet at 11:30 a.m. Wednesday, Oct. 4, at the home of Sandy Morrow.

The program will be "Bulbs and Perennials," presented by English Gardens. Co-hostess will be Sharon Mertz. Call Morrow for reservations.

Ski Club

The Grosse Pointe Ski Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 4, at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial.

Trips to Vail, Colo., and Big Sky, Mont., are being planned. Couples and singles are welcome. Call Jack Cotaling at (313) 886-5972 or John Byrne at (810) 293-8779 in the evening for more details.



KKG cookbook

Kappa Kappa Gamma's Detroit East Suburban Alumnae Association has published a cookbook, "The Key to Kappa Cookery." Recipes were contributed by local Kappas and the proceeds will go to the group's philanthropic projects, including the Detroit Rehabilitation Center. The book is \$18 plus shipping. To order, call Paula Sarvis at (313) 881-2191.

Members of the cookbook committee are shown. Seated, from left, are Linda McNitt, Kathy Williams and Betsy Boynton. Standing, from left, are Kay VanDeGraaf, Pam Faber, Win Meredith, Sara Sessions, Paula Sarvis, Emily Moellering and Laurie Huettman. One of the recipes — interpreted by Annie Rouleau-Scheriff — is printed at the right.

Dolphin

From page 1B

During a night dive in shallow water off Hawaii, a giant manta ray swooped down like a huge, slow-motion bat.

"Our lights attracted plankton, which is the natural food of manta rays," Sullivan said. "The ray was doing barrel rolls to the point where it knocked the viewfinder off my camera."

Divers whose anticipated interactions with Spot went unrequited this summer will be happy to know he's back in the picture. Worse for wear, with bites nipped from his tail, Spot returned

to Cayman Brac by the end of August.

Sullivan speculated that during Spot's respite, the unusually solitary animal had tried to join a pod but was rejected.

Closer to home, Sullivan has volunteered to feed the dolphins at Chicago's Shedd Aquarium, reportedly the world's largest indoor marine mammal pavilion.

Once a month, Sullivan will feed the dolphins in a 90,000-gallon coral reef exhibit. He'll then describe the experience to people touring the facility. Sullivan's photo of Spot

has a chance for world-wide exposure. In addition to appearing in a Cayman Islands calendar, the image is being considered for a postage stamp.

Ongoing discussions with Cayman postal officials have taken place in the untrashed, casual pace that defines a Caribbean experience.

Sullivan called it "island time."

Some of Jack Sullivan's undersea color photographs are displayed at the Coffee Grinder, 98 Kercheval, on the Hill in Grosse Pointe Farms. Email Sullivan about his photographs at mgtid1951@aol.com.

Shrimp wrappers are hors d'oeuvres

Shrimp cocktail is always the hit of a party or a special meal. It's the one food item that isn't around when it's time to wrap up the leftovers. I recently prepared a shrimp cocktail that adds an Oriental flair to an all-time favorite. I found the recipe in "The Key to Kappa Cookery 2000," a collection of recipes compiled by the Detroit East Suburban Alumnae Association of Kappa Kappa Gamma.

Oriental Shrimp Wrapped in Snow Peas

20 large shrimp (uncooked), peeled and deveined
1 tablespoon minced fresh ginger
2 teaspoons vegetable oil
1 large garlic clove, pressed (or finely minced)
1/2 teaspoon Chinese 5-spice powder
20 large snow peas, strings removed
1 teaspoon Oriental sesame oil
1/2 teaspoon sesame seeds, toasted
2 tablespoons soy sauce
20 small wooden skewers or toothpicks

In a medium bowl, toss the shrimp together with the ginger, vegetable oil, garlic and Chinese 5-spice powder. Cover and refrigerate for 1 to 4 hours, tossing occasionally.

Meanwhile, bring a small pot of salted water to a boil. Add the snow peas and cook for about 45 seconds. The peas will be tender, yet crisp. Rinse under cold water, drain and pat the snow peas dry. Transfer to a small bowl and toss with the sesame oil and toasted sesame seeds. Set aside.

Heat a large no-stick skillet to medium high heat and add the shrimp. Sauté the shrimp for a minute or two, then add the soy sauce and contin-

ue cooking until the shrimp are done and the soy sauce evaporates. Transfer to a plate and cool completely. Wrap one snow pea around each shrimp and secure it with a toothpick. Serve chilled or at room temperature. The finished shrimp can be refrigerated for up to six hours before serving.

Chinese 5-spice powder is a staple item in Chinese cooking. It usually contains a blend of ground anise, cinnamon or nutmeg, cloves, ginger or fennel seed, and szechuan pepper. It is available in the spice section of most supermarkets.

Toast the sesame seeds by placing them in a small no-stick skillet over medium heat cooking just until the seeds begin to brown. Remove from heat and cool.

This shrimp appetizer was a pleasure to make. Each step of the preparation is simple and not time-consuming. I chose to leave the tail on the shrimp and butterfly

À LA ANNIE

By Annie Rouleau-Scheriff



them. "Fruity" toothpicks rounded out the festive presentation of these succulent pieces of shrimp.

My mother, father, and husband were the lucky guinea pigs for my Snow Pea Wrapped Shrimp appetizer. Needless to say, there is nothing left but the memory.

The Key to Kappa Cookery is packed with delicious recipes from the past and present, from households and restaurants. The 2000 version is the first update in the past decade.

NEW ARRIVALS OF 2000

Grosse Pointe News and The Connection newspapers are planning their 6th annual special edition featuring the babies of the past year. We hope you (and the little one) will participate by supplying us with a photograph of your child (only 2000 babies, please) for publication in this section.

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Auction 2000

The Presbyterian Women of Grosse Pointe Memorial Church will hold Auction 2000 on Friday, Oct. 27, at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial, 32 Lakeshore in Grosse Pointe Farms.

The event includes silent and live auctions and a strolling dinner. Auction items will include time in vacation homes, tickets for special events, restaurant packages, antiques and collectibles. Carl Meyering will be the auctioneer. Tickets for the evening are \$35. Call the church at (313) 882-5330.

Proceeds from the event will benefit the Ronald McDonald House of Detroit, a home away from home for families of sick children, and the International Justice Mission of Washington, D.C., which seeks referrals from overseas missionaries and relief workers and attempts to intervene on behalf of victims of injustice and abuse.

Committee chairmen for Auction 2000 got together recently to finalize plans. Standing, from left, are Jane Warren, Denise Farrell, chairman Lisa Turner and Peg Muelle. Seated, from left, are Cynthia Hempstead, Karen Pratt, Mary Edwards with daughter Emma, and Mary Lou Wood.

Not shown are Sue Gawel, Amy Flood, Lynn Owen, Debbie Yoder, Barbara Griffith and Maudie Moody.

Holiday Mart comes to War Memorial Oct. 12-15

Want to get a head start on Christmas shopping? Want to find unusual gifts from one-of-a-kind shops all over the country?

Holiday Mart 2000 is coming to the Grosse Pointe War Memorial, 32 Lakeshore in Grosse Pointe Farms, from Friday, Oct. 13 through Sunday, Oct. 15. For an even-earlier way to start shopping for the holidays, come to the annual Patron Preview Party from 5:30 to 9 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 12.

Thirty-one different stores will be represented; 11 are new exhibitors; 14 are Michigan businesses.

Proceeds from the three-day event go to the prenatal and educational programs of Planned Parenthood of Southeast Michigan. Last year's proceeds were about \$79,000.

Some of the community programs sponsored by the southeast Michigan PP include: prenatal care services for low-income women; a teen theater/peer education program with teen actors promoting responsible sexual attitudes and behaviors among adolescents; "Baby Think It Over" — a teen pregnancy prevention program that involves teens "adopting" dolls; teenwire.com, a web site for teens with information about sexuality; a puberty program that explains anatomy and physiology for boys and girls from fourth through seventh grades; a program for parents on how to talk to children about sexuality; and a male involvement program to encourage men to be more proactive in family planning.

Shops co-chairmen for the Holiday Mart are **Martha Watson** and **Anne Clark**. Their committee evaluated products from approximately 200 vendors who applied for booths at the annual

event. They whittled them down to 31 of the best.

"Our goal was to have a good mix of stores that carry distinctive and high-quality merchandise," Watson said. She added that their goal was also to create a unique shopping experience by offering items not available locally.

Michigan exhibitors include Laurie Weingartz, Great Turtle Toys, Sweet Celeste, Mrs. Masons, Cherry Republic, Two Sisters Gourmet, Mary Francis Phillipi, Common Planet, Wreath of Wishes, Fiberworks, Kidstuf Ltd., Heather Lane Pottery, Enchanting Gifts and Barbara Rubright Wearables.

Specialty shops will offer such diverse items as: custom needlepoint rugs, decoupage pieces, dried floral arrangements, Italian jewelry, cherry products, packaged gourmet foods, hand-painted Christmas ornaments, Peruvian textiles and crafts, hand-painted children's clothing, original sweaters made of imported yarns, hand-knitted and loomed sweaters and more.

The preview party will also get complimentary cocktails and hors d'oeuvres from local restaurants such as Tom's Oyster Bar, The Hill, The Silver Spoon, Cup A Cino and Sierra Station. Tickets are \$50 a person and may be purchased in advance or at the door.

Holiday Mart hours are 9:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Friday; 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday; and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday. A cafe will be open for lunches and light snacks. Parking at the War Memorial is free. For more information or tickets to the Preview Party, call (313) 884-7624.

Just ducky: The Grosse Pointe chapter of

Ducks Unlimited Inc. will hold its annual banquet and auction on Wednesday, Oct. 11, at the Barrister Gardens in St. Clair Shores. The evening will feature a wild game dinner, live and silent auctions, door prizes and more. The public is invited. Proceeds will go to DU, which has more than 32,000 members in the state and has contributed nearly \$3.8 million toward the purchase and restoration of wetlands.

Chapter chairman is **Jim Dyle**. Grosse Pointers participating in the event include **Dave Hohlfeldt**, DU zone chairman; **Erik Anderson**, ticket chairman; **Dave Litchfield**, co-chairman; and **Doug Cordier**, event manager. For tickets or more information, call Anderson at (313) 496-5255.

Endowment benefit: The Nothdurft Pediatric Endowment of St. John Health System will hold its fundraising dinner on Thursday, Oct. 12, at Andiamo's restaurant in Warren. Cocktails begin at 6 p.m.; dinner at 7 p.m. Entertainment will be by singer **Mark Randisi**. The Humanitarian of the Year will be honored.

The Nothdurft Pediatric Endowment helps needy families with sick children who are served by St. John Health System. It provides funds for uninsured medical care and helps families who are in financial duress while dealing with the stress associated with having a sick child.

Committee members include Grosse Pointers **William Asimakis Jr.**, **Michael Curis**, **Michelle Giorgio**, **Alex Lucido**, **Karl Nothdurft**, **Dr. Ali Rabbani**, **Frank Trentacosta** and **Arthur Stringari**.



Antiques Show raffle

University Liggett School's 26th Antiques Show will include a raffle. The grand prize is a 2001 Volvo V70 T5, courtesy of Ford Motor Co. The Antiques Show will be held on Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 30 and Oct. 1, at the ULS middle school campus, 850 Briarcliff in Grosse Pointe Woods.

From left, are raffle co-chairmen Pat and Sue Greene of Grosse Pointe Shores and Clark and Susan Durant of the City of Grosse Pointe. For information or raffle tickets, call (313) 884-4444.

Tickets to the dinner are \$100 a person. For information or tickets, call (313) 343-3774 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. weekdays.

Bowling for dollars: The fifth annual Bowl for Breath, a benefit for the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, will be held from noon to 3 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 28, at Harbor Lanes in St. Clair Shores. Participating bowlers are asked to get sponsors to pledge money

ACS seeks volunteers

The American Cancer Society is looking for people to volunteer for the ACS's holiday cards program, which begins in September and continues through

for research, patient care and education for the foundation.

The cost is \$8 for each bowler, plus the pledges he or she collects. Sponsors may make donations or agree to per-pin pledges.

Participation includes three games, shoe rental, pizza and pop. Prizes will be awarded based on the amount of money collected. A raffle will be held at 2:30 p.m. Tickets for the raffle are \$2 each or \$10 for a

December. A variety of volunteer opportunities are available.

Call Fred Planck at (248) 557-5353.

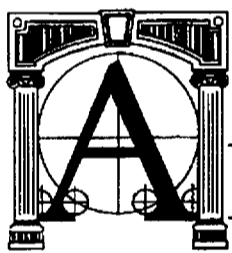
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Make checks payable to the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation. For more information, call **Gloria Kitchen**, chairman, at (313) 886-2850 or **Debi Avers**, director of special events for the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation at (248) 269-8759.

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The Pastor's Corner

What I did
on my summer vacationBy the Rev. Eddie Bray
Grosse Pointe United Church

Writing this week's column almost feels like the school assignment we've all had: "What I Did on My Summer Vacation." I was blessed by my congregation by having the whole summer off to study, write, reflect and rest.

One very important thing this opportunity afforded (among many others) was the gift of being able to worship in many different churches and of hearing many different pastors speak. I intentionally did not attend the same church twice. Though I've served as a senior pastor for 27 years in Ohio and Michigan, I have never, since seminary, had this much of a period available to let other pastors minister to me and teach me.

Certainly it was easy for me to be critical and to note what I liked or disliked. No doubt, some of the services were more exciting than others. The greatest sermon I heard all summer was given in a small country church where we sat with just 20 other people. It just goes to show that the size of the congregation or the building that houses them does not determine the quality of the message being delivered inside.

The whole of this particular aspect of my summer experience did not find its fullest expression in my mind until almost the end of my leave though. I was worshipping at a church in St. Clair Shores when the truth hit me. As I listened to the pastor preach, I thought of how marvelous it is that all across our communities, people are gathering at one time or another in small and big houses of worship, but still united in one purpose — to worship the Creator of all that is.

It was one of those kinds of thoughts that you already know you know but this time it felt new and like someone just turned on the light. (I'm sure you've been there.) Suddenly, I felt that indeed, God is present in all of our different churches.

Some congregations may have a tendency to smother God's presence among them and others just let God be God and the Spirit flows freely in their midst.

Whatever the case may be, "What I did on my summer vacation" was to learn the truth that God is always in the midst of the people, regardless of what the sign on the front lawn reads.

I write this because in every church where I worshiped, whether the preaching was the best that money could buy or just a feeble attempt, I found God there.

Jesus taught that it only takes the gathering of two or three people to realize God's presence among them. It is a joy and a comforting thing to know God is present in every worship setting across denominational lines, in every faith tradition, and will be, always and forever.

First English plans organ recital

First English Ev. Lutheran Church will celebrate the recent addition of 32-foot organ stops to its 43-year-old Moeller organ.

An organ recital by Robert Foster, director of music at FELC, will be held at 4 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 1.

Foster will perform the works of Bach, Franck, Liszt and the late Gordon Young,

a local composer. Megan Ford, a church member, will also perform at the piano.

A freewill offering will be taken and a reception will follow in the church lounge.

The community is invited.

The church is located at 800 Vernier in Grosse Pointe Woods.



Altar Society plans fashion show

The Altar Society of St. Paul Catholic Church will present its annual luncheon and fashion show on Thursday, Oct. 5 at the Grosse Pointe Yacht Club. The social hour begins at 11 a.m.; luncheon is at noon. Bon Loo in the Village will present the fashions. A silent auction will be included. Proceeds benefit the parish of St. Paul Catholic Church. Tickets are \$35. For reservations, call (313) 840-1171 or (313) 881-0442.

Committee members are, from left, standing: Anne McBrien, reservations; Juliana Chaplow, president; Marge Kahn, invitations; Michelle Kozak, co-chairman; and Sheila M. McNamara, raffle. In the front, from left, are Marie Reinman, silent auction; and Floramae Kliber, publicity. Not shown: Catherine O'Malley, co-chairman and Colette Dempsey, reservations.

Rummage
sale

The women of Grosse Pointe Methodist Church will hold a fall rummage sale from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 5, at the church, 211 Moross in Grosse Pointe Farms. For sale: clothing, toys, jewelry, antiques and books. For more information, call the church at (313) 886-2363.

At the left is chairman Shirley Van Beccelaere. At the right is Sarah Wootton.

Babies

Allison Leigh
Powell

Kim and Robb Powell of Naperville, Ill., are the parents of a daughter, Allison Leigh Powell, born Aug. 25, 2000. Maternal grandparents are Wilson and Margaret Rogers of Grosse Pointe Woods. Paternal grandmother is Jane Powell of Cocoa, Fla.

Erin Claire Kaled

Karen and Bob Kaled of Grosse Pointe Woods are the parents of a daughter, Erin Claire Kaled, born March 12, 2000. Maternal grandparents are Elizabeth Kegley of the City of Grosse Pointe and the late Kermit Kegley. Paternal grandparents are Helen Kaled of Grosse Pointe Park and the late Anthony Kaled.

Stephanie Kristina
Kaiser

Raymond and Laurie Kaiser of St. Clair Shores are the parents of a daughter, Stephanie Kristina Kaiser, born Aug. 31, 2000. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Chambers of Fairfield Glade, Tenn. and the late Edward Badke. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gunter K. Kaiser of Gaylord, formerly of Grosse Pointe Woods. Great-grandmother is Clara Dahnke of St. Clair Shores.

Elena Barbara
Edwards

Michael and Deborah Edwards of Plano, Texas, formerly of Grosse Pointe Woods, are the parents of a daughter, Elena Barbara Edwards, born Aug. 24, 2000.

Reunions

Detroit's Denby High School Class of 1940 will hold its 60th reunion on Saturday, Oct. 28, at the St. Clair Shores Country Club at 22185 Masonic in St. Clair Shores from noon to 4 p.m.

Tickets are \$25 and are available from Bob Beckley, 708 Country Club, St. Clair Shores, MI 48082.

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New flu treatments
may lessen bug's impact

By Dr. Louis Saravolatz
Special Writer

You know the unpleasant symptoms all too well. You're alternately racked with chills and fever. Your temperature spikes and you ache all over. Your throat feels raw and your head feels like it's ready to explode.

You've got the flu. Again. Every year from November to April, the flu virus rears its ugly head, making millions of Americans sick and resulting in the loss of thousands of school and work days. Until recently, there wasn't much you could do to lessen the severity of the illness.



Dr. Louis Saravolatz

But we now have a number of effective drugs that can reduce the number of days you're sick and get you back on your feet much faster.

The latest weapons in the fight against influenza are Tamiflu and Relenza. Taking one or the other of these within 36 hours of flu symptoms' onset can effectively reduce the duration of the illness by as much as 1 1/2 days.

This might not sound like much relief, but think what this could mean to corporate executives or people who serve the community, like policemen, firemen, teachers, doctors and other health care professionals.

Getting people back to their jobs and regular routines keeps our community and economy humming along smoothly — an important consideration when it comes to the demands of our busy schedules. Relenza is delivered with an inhaler. Because it can induce wheezing if you have asthma, make sure your primary care physician knows you have asthma when you inquire about any of these new drugs.

There have been a few other exciting developments related to controlling influenza. First, a new cold-adapted flu vaccine is under development that studies have shown is even more effective than previous vaccines. This vaccine uses a live virus rather than killed virus and studies have shown that it's more than 90 percent effective, more than old vaccines that were 60-80 percent effective.

This cold-adapted flu vaccine is sprayed into the nose rather than injected and will soon make needles obsolete. Studies have shown it's up to 93 percent effective in preventing the flu. The lack of needles certainly will make both adults and children with an aversion to needles more willing to be vaccinated.

Finally, new guidelines from the Centers for Disease Control now recommend that anyone over the age of 50 have an annual flu shot to lessen their likelihood of contracting the flu. Previously, it was recommended that anyone older than 65 be vaccinated, since they were at higher risk for complications of the flu. This will have tremendous implications as the Baby Boomer generation ages.

Other people at high risk from complications of the flu who should be vaccinated include: anyone with a chronic medical condition (including children), nursing home residents and women who will be in the second or third trimester of pregnancy during flu season. In addition, people who work with the public, including health care workers, caregivers and teachers, should be vaccinated to prevent the spread of the illness. The CDC is also recommending that 100 percent of the nation's children be vaccinated this year since they often bring the illness home and spread it to other family members.

To protect yourself against the strains of flu predicted for the 2000-01 flu season, you should be vaccinated in the period between October and mid-November. Vaccinations given later will still afford some protection, but that protection is decreased. If you are allergic to eggs, you should not receive a flu vaccination (since the vaccine is cultured in eggs).

It's anticipated this year that there could be a vaccine shortage. Manufacturers of injectable vaccine haven't been able to produce as much vaccine this year because of a larger than usual amount of antigen required to get a good level of antibodies. In addition, the nasal vaccine isn't quite ready to be marketed this year. So the CDC is currently conducting studies to determine whether individuals can get an adequate amount of protection from the flu with half the usual dose, which would allow the current supply of vaccine to be stretched further. More should be known soon about whether the reduced dosage is considered effective.

In an average year, 20,000 deaths are associated with complications of influenza, the CDC says.

So protect yourself and ask your primary care provider about flu shots as soon as possible.

Dr. Louis Saravolatz is chief of the department of Medicine at St. John Hospital and Medical Center and a professor of Medicine at the Wayne State University School of Medicine.



Assistance League

The Assistance League to the Northeast Guidance Center began its 36th season at a meeting Sept. 14. The non-profit auxiliary to the Northeast Guidance Center provides financial and volunteer support with a special focus on child and family services. The group sponsors community events and fundraisers such as the "I Like Me" program, the Auto Show Afterglow and Art on the Pointe. President Therese Cardoze, at the left, receives the gavel from past president Laurie Jensen.

Bon Secours Cottage plans
free depression screenings

Depression is one of the most common and treatable mental illnesses. It affects 15 million Americans every year, according to figures from the National Institute of Mental Health. Unfortunately, only one in four people with depression actually seeks medical treatment, even though treatment can help more than 80 percent of those affected.

If you think you might be suffering from depression, come to Cottage Hospital to attend a free lecture by Thomas Hulbert, Ph.D. He will discuss the causes and symptoms of depression as well as the impact this illness can have on affected individuals and their families.

Hulbert will also explore current treatment approaches. The lecture takes place from 6 to 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 5, at Cottage Hospital in the Partial Hospital Program on the

third floor. Cottage Hospital is located at 159 Kercheval in Grosse Pointe Farms.

Following the lecture, free depression screenings are offered from 7:30 to 9 p.m. To begin the screening, participants will be asked to complete an anonymous self-inventory of depression symptoms. A staff member will discuss the results of the self-inventory with each participant and, if appropriate, recommend further evaluation and referrals. No appointment is necessary and participants may come in at any time during screening hours.

Free parking is available in the parking deck on Muir. Bring your parking ticket to the program for validation. For more information or to register for the lecture only, call Bon Secours Cottage Community Health Promotion at (810) 779-7900 between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. weekdays.

Menopause program helps
'Take Charge of Change'

Bon Secours Cottage Health Services hosts an educational program specifically designed for women approaching mid-life who want to take responsibility for their physical health and emotional well-being.

The Taking Charge of Change program will be held from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 5, in the Bon Secours Hospital Connelly Auditorium, first floor. The hospital is located at 468 Cadieux in the City of Grosse Pointe. The cost is \$10 a person.

Menopause is a natural growth transition in the lives of women. Learn from Dr. Paula Kim how to manage this transition with a process that assures your individual needs for health and well-being are met. Each participant will receive a 15-minute audio cassette "Taking Charge of Change," which follows a question-and-answer format to provide information about menopause. Come learn how

best to prepare for menopause — what to do; what to expect. Refreshments will be served.

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St. John Health schedules
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Clinical depression is not a normal part of aging. It can and does affect young people. It does not go away by itself.

At a time when many Americans have started to learn healthy habits — to monitor their blood pressure, to know their cholesterol levels and to watch their fat intake — most people are still in the dark about the facts and myths surrounding depression.

You have the opportunity to learn more about clinical depression and to be screened for the illness at free, confidential programs Thursday, Oct. 5. The events are sponsored by two St. John Health System hospitals.

St. John Hospital will hold a screening at 10 a.m. at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial, 32 Lakeshore in Grosse Pointe Farms.

St. John Oakland Hospital will host a screening Thursday, Oct. 5 from 5 to 7 p.m. at the hospital education center (in the building across from the lobby entrance) at 27351 Dequindre, north of 11 Mile in Madison Heights.

Registration is not required, but is requested. Call the St. John HealthLine at (888) 757-5463. The program includes a presentation and film, an optional self-test for depression and consultation with a mental health professional. Referral for further testing and treatment will be made if needed.

Symptoms of depression include persistent and overwhelming sadness, hopelessness, loss of interest in usual activities, sleeping problems, changes in appetite, fatigue and difficulty concentrating or making decisions. Medical treatment by a mental health professional may include medications and therapy, and most people can be successfully treated.

Other facts about depression:

- Depressed men are more likely to die of heart disease than non-depressed men.

- Women get depression twice as often as men.

- Depression in people over 65 is often overlooked because they falsely believe that the symptoms are a normal part of the aging process.

- Heart attack survivors with major depression have a 3-4 times greater risk of dying within six months than those who do not suffer from depression.

"About 60 to 70 percent of patients suffering from depression will feel like themselves once again after four to six weeks of treatment with psychotherapy and medications. Depression can go on for a long time if not treated. But it can be handled, just as many other illnesses can," said Dr. Haresh Mehta, psychiatrist on staff at St. John Hospital and Medical Center.

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cut back on fat?



City of Grosse Pointe Farms, Michigan
**CODE NO. 10-09 - DTE ENERGY MARKING
FRANCHISE ORDINANCE**

ORDINANCE NO. 356

The City of Grosse Pointe Farms adopted an Ordinance granting DTE Energy Marketing Incorporated the right power and authority to conduct a local electric power business for public use in the City of Grosse Pointe Farms, Wayne County, Michigan for a period of thirty (30) years. Such franchise is non-exclusive and is revocable at the will of the City of Grosse Pointe Farms at any time during the thirty (30) year period.

A completed copy of the Ordinance is available at the City Clerk's Office, 90 Kerby Road, Grosse Pointe Farms, Michigan 48236.

Enacted: 09/18/00
G.P.N.: 09/28/00

SHANE L. REESIDE,
City Clerk

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Wayne County Commission will hold a public hearing to consider:

An ordinance to provide for the protection of the environment against pollution from storm water runoff; to provide flood control and adequate drainage within and around Wayne County; to prevent pollution within and around Wayne County; to provide for the implementation of a storm water management program in Wayne County; to provide for the issuance of storm water construction approvals for certain construction activities within Wayne County's jurisdiction; to provide design and construction criteria for storm water management systems; to provide for administration and enforcement of the Ordinance; to require long-term maintenance and financial assurance; to authorize inspections of construction activities governed by this Ordinance; to provide for the continuation of all preexisting legal requirements to preserve and protect the environment; to provide for the severability of this Ordinance; to provide for the effective date hereof; and establish penalties for violations hereof.

The hearing will be held:

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2000
Commission Hearing Room 402, 1:00 p.m.
Wayne County Building
600 Randolph, Detroit, Michigan

Copies of the proposed ordinance may be reviewed at the Commission Clerk's Office, 406 Wayne County Building, 600 Randolph, Detroit, MI. 48226. (313)224-0903.

G.P.N.: 09/28/00

Grant awarded to Emerald Sinfonetta

On Friday, September 15, the Michigan Council for Arts and Cultural Affairs (MCACA) awarded a 2001 fiscal year grant for \$7,000 to the Emerald Sinfonetta. The project for this award was the premiere and recording of a concerto for accordion and strings composed by Carmine Coppola (father of film director Francis Ford Coppola), a heretofore-lost work. This body of work will be presented during the Emerald Sinfonetta's opening concert, "Getting a Handel on Unique Music," at 7 p.m., Sunday, Oct. 22, at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial, with guest artist, bandoneon virtuoso Peter Soave. This concert will also feature works by Handel, Rodrigo and Villa-Lobos. At that time, a CD of the work, entitled "Homegrown, A Salute to 20th Century American Music," will be released. The CD includes two additional cuts highlighting 20th century American composers.

It is interesting to note that the Emerald Sinfonetta's conductor, Felix Resnick, and Carmine Coppola both trained at Juilliard and joined the Detroit Symphony Orchestra at the same time. Coppola was principal flautist with the DSO from 1942-44. During the Emerald Sinfonetta's season opener on October 22, the life of Coppola will be premiered. Following the concert, the CD release reception will be held at the new location of the Ambleside Galleries on Kercheval.

The CD may be purchased for \$15 at Ambleside Galleries, Harmony House Classical and Dearborn Music Classical. Tickets for the concerts are \$20 for adults;

\$15 for seniors and students; and no charge for children under 12. Tickets are available at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial, (313) 881-7511, or by calling Eldonna May at the Emerald Sinfonetta office, (313) 438-0780.



All members of the Grosse Pointe Arts Council are invited to an informal breakfast meeting on Saturday, Sept. 30, from 9 to 10 a.m. at the new Ambleside Galleries. Let's all get together and discuss how we can help each other sustain and bring more cultural programs to the community while we keep in step with our member needs and ideas for a grand new season. Continental breakfast will be served.

Attention thespians and wannabees! Grosse Pointe Theatre will hold open auditions for Alan Ayckbourn's comedy thriller "Communicating Doors" on Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 14 and 15, from 2 to 5 p.m. Those interested in auditioning must register no later than 3 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 14. Performance dates are Jan. 18-21 and 25-28 and Feb. 2-4. Auditions will be held at 315 Fisher at Maumee in Grosse Pointe. "Communicating Doors" is by turns a drawing room comedy, an intriguing thriller and a rollicking bedroom farce. Written by Ayckbourn, possibly the 20th Century's most popu-

lar British dramatist, "Communicating Doors" examines, in a very entertaining way, how lives may be altered via a glimpse of hindsight and a touch of compassion. For scripts or more information, call Marcia Proven, producer, at (313) 884-4685, or Barbara Bentley, director, at (313) 882-9879. Tickets for Grosse Pointe Theatre productions are available by calling (313) 881-4004.

It's a Spooktacular! Edsel and Eleanor Ford House will play ghost for the Little Goblins' Night(s) out, Sunday, Oct. 29 and Monday, Oct. 30, from 5 to 7 p.m. each night, rain or no. Tricks, treats, and a creepy tour of the grounds are planned for all the hobgoblins, followed by a monstrous mix of mouth-watering munchies. Don't forget your costume! It's dress-up time for the kids (and Mom and Dad, too) in your scariest — or prettiest — costume. Hop on the hayride, pin-the-nose-on-a-pumpkin, sip a witch's brew at the Playhouse, but don't miss this ghoulish gala at the Edsel & Eleanor Ford House. The cost is \$7 a person. Reservations are required. Call (313) 884-4222 for more information.

Autumn attracts the nicest people to Edsel & Eleanor Ford House for Harvest Tea on Saturday, Sept. 30, at 2:30 p.m. A tour of the Main House, the viewing of the grounds in all their autumnal splendor, and a high tea with favorite fall specialties in the Tea Room are yours to enjoy for a pleasurable seasonal fest. Take time out for tea at Edsel & Eleanor Ford House. The cost is \$21 a person. Call (313) 884-4222 for reservations.

This season the Jazz Forum has planned an

exciting salute to Louis Armstrong and his legacy. You may not know that Armstrong is credited with developing the art of the improvised solo rather than continuous ensemble playing and he was the first jazz artist to receive international acclaim. A British music critic unintentionally gave him his nickname, "Satchmo," during an early tour of England. Armstrong was one of America's effective ambassadors for the rest of his life and every true jazz performer today embodies a bit of his free-swinging spirit. The Jazz Forum's fall series features four of the region's top trumpet stylists in a friendly, intimate setting, where one can thoroughly enjoy the workings of the music.

On Wednesday, Oct. 4, Marcus Belgrave and Friends, with special guest Claude Black on piano, will present a tribute to Armstrong. Marcus has a definite feel for Armstrong's trumpet and vocal stylings.

The continuing concerts will include the Rayse Biggs Quintet, featuring Dwight Adams, on Wednesday, Nov. 1, and the John Trudell Sextet on Wednesday, Dec. 6. All concerts start at 8 p.m. in the Grosse Pointe Unitarian Church, 17150 Maumee. Individual concerts are \$10 in advance; \$12 at the door. The series of three is \$25. For more information about the concerts, call (313) 961-1714.

Look for the GPAC's ever-changing, artistic window in Damman Hardware — and enjoy this beautiful fall season with all its cultural delights and entertainment.

—Tom Mayshark
President, GPAC

Mahler proves impressive season-opener

The symphony season opened with a bang last weekend as Detroit Symphony Orchestra music director Neeme Jarvi zoomed back in town from San Francisco to launch the new year of music. In one of the orchestra's most powerful concerts of recent years, he led the full forces of the DSO plus two outstanding singers and the University Musical Society Choral Union in an impressive and deeply moving performance of Mahler's Resurrection Symphony.

State of the Arts



While this second of Mahler's symphonies is far from the longest work of its genre, the hour and twenty minutes it takes to perform, not to mention its grand scope and diversity, made it a wise move on Maestro's part to let this work stand as the entire program and to perform it without intermission. In the packed hall, the audience remained glued to its seats.

The small but important exception to that program decision, of course, was Jarvi's traditional encore.

Much is written and subject to speculation regarding Mahler's rationale for this piece. He is known to have been strengthening the conviction of his conversion from Judaism to the Roman Catholic faith. His music expresses a wide range of spiritual concern from struggles with his sense of mortality, his love of the beauty of life and the vision he gained of divine compassion and eternal life.

In a real sense, it was also a further development of the ideas he had expressed in his earlier collection of songs, The Youth's Magic Horn. The expressions of magic, eroticism and death fascinated him but lacked spiritual fulfillment. He sought to bridge the gap in the "Resurrection."

While it helps to have an idea of what was going on in the composer's mind, the drama, sense of longing and spirituality of the music are unmistakable even to the most casual listener. It was especially so in the moving and insightful performance of last weekend.

This is the kind of work, filled with passion and drama and punctuated with episodes of tenderness and humor, in which Jarvi particularly excels. His feeling for the flow and pace of such richly textured music is profound.

From the opening harsh chords, Jarvi found expression for the anxiety and mysticism that stirred the composer's muse. The Maestro's subtle quickening and slowing of the music created masterful phrasing and fulfillment of the score.

With that control in mind, it is fascinating to watch him conduct a score as rich and complex as this. His gestures with hand, baton and body are eloquent, yet highly efficient. Not a motion is wasted, yet he personifies total involvement.

With the orchestra in first rate form, following the funeral opening movement, he captured the spirit of charm and joyous life in the delightful pizzicato section of the second movement. This progressed smoothly to the legato development with lyrical grace and a sense of the love of life. In the scherzo, he brought out vividly the air of mystery and lively pace brought forward from the Magic Horn. In these flashbacks to that collection of flowing melodies he made the orchestra virtually sing.

But the best of the singing was yet to come. Contralto Ewa Podles applied her deeply rich and resonant voice to the Song of Ulrich, which expresses a simple and serene faith. Rarely has Orchestra Hall resounded so responsively to a voice and the effect was overwhelming. With velvety tones, Podles rendered the song against a sparkling violin obligato by concertmaster Boisvert and an elegantly modulated orchestral accompaniment. It was an artistic and spiritual culmination of the performance. The depth and resonance of Podles' voice and her artistry imparted a supernatural quality to the song.

From that point on, the score and the performance worked effectively to a conclusion of comfort and peace. Fanfares by the trumpets echoed from offstage followed more delicately with similar figures by flute and piccolo.

Soprano Marvis Martin gave a soaring expression of faith joined inspiringly by the chorus. Finally, both soloists and chorus joined the orchestra in the music's affirmation of love, hope and eternal life. It set an impressive standard for the season ahead.

Cheers and a standing ovation with multiple bows by all participants gave rise naturally to Jarvi's eventual return to the podium. The encore could not have been more wonderful. Orchestra and soloist Podles repeated Ulrich's song and if anything, it was even more moving than the first time.

Maestro Jarvi has returned to the San Francisco Opera this week to conduct more performances of The Tsar's Bride. He will return to his Detroit podium on Thursday, Oct. 5 with a program of Beethoven's 5th Symphony, Liszt's Mazeppa tone poem and the Detroit premiere of a piano concerto by Scharwenka with pianist Alexander Markovich.

This weekend's concert set on Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings, and Sunday afternoon presents conductor Jeffrey Kahane in an all-Mozart program.

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St. James Lutheran Church, as part of its 60th anniversary celebration, will present a series of four one-hour Sunday afternoon concerts.



Elizabeth Parcells

The first, at 5 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 1, will feature coloratura soprano Elizabeth Parcells, a Grosse Pointe Farms native who is an international opera and concert soloist. Parcells earned bachelor's and master's degrees from the New England Conservatory of Music.

She has sung in opera houses in Germany, Switzerland and France and recently appeared as Queen of Night in the Washington Opera production of Mozart's "The Magic Flute."

A free-will offering will be taken at the concert and a catered reception will follow. The church is located at 170 McMillan in Grosse Pointe Farms.

For more information, call (313) 884-0511 or (313) 886-4377.

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Thursday, Sept. 28

Lautrec lecture

Explore the life and times of one of the world's great artists when Alliance Francaise presents An Evening With Michael Farrell and Toulouse Lautrec, Thursday, Sept. 28, at 7:30 p.m., at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial. Admission is free for members or \$10 for non-members. (313) 881-8844.

Political perspectives

Get a spiritual perspective on politics when the Lay Theological Academy and Michigan Representative Lynn Jondahl present Cup of Responsibility: What Do Christians Have at Stake in the 2000 Election? Thursday, Sept. 28, from 7:30 to 9 p.m., at St. James Lutheran Church in Grosse Pointe Farms. Admission is \$5. Call (313) 884-0511.

Friday, Sept. 29

Religious repast

Nourish your body and spirit by partaking in the Men's Ecumenical Breakfast, Friday, Sept. 29, at 7:30 a.m., at Grosse Pointe Memorial Church, 16 Lakeshore in Grosse Pointe Farms. Bishop Wendell Gibbs, Jr. of the Episcopal Diocese of Michigan will be the speaker. Admission is \$5. Call (313) 882-5330.

Bid for SOC

A romantic cruise, Havana cigars and a getaway to Mission Point Resort on Mackinac Island top the exciting items that will go on the block during the Services For Older Citizens' benefit September Evening by the Lake, Friday, Sept. 29, at 6:30 p.m., at the Grosse Pointe Club. Along with silent and live auction action, hosted by WDIV-Channel 4 News anchor Devin Scillian, guests can enjoy a strolling supper. Tickets are \$75. Call (313) 882-9600.

Exciting antiques

Dealers from across the nation will offer an exciting selection of furnishings, art and more during the 26th annual University Liggett Antiques Show, on the ULS Middle School Campus, 850 Briarcliff in the Woods. Festivities begin Friday, Sept. 29, at 7 p.m., with a Preview Party. Tickets are \$70. The show will open at that same venue, Saturday, Sept. 30, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Sunday, Oct. 1, from noon to 5 p.m. Tickets are \$8. Patrons can take

their chances on winning a 2001 Volvo V70 T5, a Georgian mahogany secretary/bookcase, a Ralph Lauren Homes Collection estate chest, a Pebble Beach golf vacation, a platinum and diamond bracelet or a framed antique lithograph during the show's Grand Raffle. Call (313) 884-4444.

Deals and dessert

Test your luck and your sweet tooth when the Amity Circle of the First English Ev. Lutheran Church hosts its Fall Dessert Card Party, Friday, Sept. 29, at 1 p.m. Tickets are \$5. Reservations are required. Call (313) 884-0357.

Sunday, Oct. 1

Breakfast benefit

Make plans today to attend the St. Clair Shores Rotary Club's annual Pancake and Sausage Breakfast, Sunday, Oct. 1, from 8 a.m. to noon, at the Veterans of Foreign Wars Bruce Post, 28404 Jefferson in St. Clair Shores. Tickets are \$4.50, children ages 5 and under eat free. Proceeds benefit local and international charities. Call (810) 775-5000.

Historic stroll

Discover the exciting history buried in Elmwood Cemetery, 1200 Elmwood in Detroit, during a Detroit Historical Society Sunday Stroll, Sunday, Oct. 1, at 2 p.m., rain or shine. Admission is \$10 or \$5 for DHS members. Reservations are required. Call (313) 833-4727.

A bit of Bach

J. S. Bach's baroque church cantata Jauchzet Gott will be performed following the Evensong service, Sunday, Oct. 1, at 4:30 p.m., in Christ Church Grosse Pointe. The Christ Church Choir of Men and Boys will present the music of Victorian composer Charles Villiers Stanford during the Evensong service. Call (313) 885-4841.

Monday, Oct. 2

Spiritual history

Join the Detroit Historical Society on an exploration of the area's spiritual past during a Historic Church Tour, Monday, Oct. 2, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., leaving from the Detroit Historical Museum in Detroit. Destinations include the St. Albertus Historic Site, St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church, the Church of the Messiah, Episcopal and Elmwood Cemetery. Tickets are \$20 or \$15 for DHS members. Call

(313) 833-4727.

Tuesday, Oct. 3

For your health

Invest in your future by taking the time to have free screenings and evaluations during a Health Fair sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Walter F. Bruce Post 1146, 28404 Jefferson in St. Clair Shores, Tuesday, Oct. 3, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The event will also feature speakers from St. John Hospital and representatives from Blue Care Network, HAP, MCARE and Select Care. (810) 783-6270.

Wednesday, Oct. 4

Wisdom & well-being

Discover how the words of the Old and New Testaments can enrich your life when the Lay Theological Academy presents Wisdom, Jesus and Well-Being, Wednesdays, Oct. 4 through Oct. 18, from 7 to 8:30 p.m., in the lounge of Grosse Pointe Woods Presbyterian Church. The fee is \$5 per session. Call (313) 886-4301.

Jazz jam

The legendary Marcus Belgrave and Friends, with special guest pianist Claude Black, will offer a tribute to Louis Armstrong during the season premiere of The Jazz Forum, Wednesday, Oct. 4, at 8 p.m., in Grosse Pointe Unitarian Church. Tickets are \$10 in advance or \$12 at the door. Call (313) 961-1714.

Friday, Oct. 6

Pro tennis

Catch top tennis action during the 4th Annual Art Van Pro Tennis Challenge, featuring world-ranked professionals and nationally ranked players, Friday, Oct. 6 through Sunday, Oct. 8, at the Lochmoor Club, 1018 Sunningdale in Grosse Pointe Woods. Matches will be held on Friday, from 3 to 9 p.m., Saturday, beginning at 10 a.m. and Sunday, beginning at 2 p.m. Tickets are \$12 for a three-day pass or \$5 per day. Juniors, ages 17 and under, enter free. Call (313) 886-0777.

Sunday, Oct. 8

Art of the spirit

Christ Church Grosse Pointe, 61 Grosse Pointe Boulevard in Grosse Pointe Farms, invites you to view the works of noted 19th Century Christian artist Georges Rouault and partake in X-Claim Interactive Worship by River and L.I.T.E.S. during a Community Open House, Sunday, Oct. 8. Tours of the Church will be offered from 3 to 5 p.m., the service begins at 5 p.m. and the Art exhibition will be on display all day long. All events are free. Call (313) 885-4841.

Mark Calendars

Wednesday, Oct. 11

Edmund Fitzgerald remembered

John Polacsek, curator of Marine History for the Detroit Historical Department and director of the Dossin Great Lakes Museum, will offer a slide-illustrated lecture on the consecration of the site where the doomed freighter Edmund Fitzgerald sank in November of 1975. This Grosse Pointe Historical Society Dr. Theodore Bicknell Memorial Lecture will be offered, Wednesday, Oct. 11, at 7:30 p.m., at the Children's Home of Detroit. Admission is free. Call (313) 884-7010.

Going . . . going . . .

Enjoy great food, good friends and the thrill of silent and live auctions as you help to preserve America's wetlands at the Michigan Chapter of Ducks Unlimited, Inc.'s annual Banquet & Auction, Wednesday, Oct. 11, at 5:30 p.m., in the Barrister Gardens Banquet Center in St. Clair Shores. Tickets are \$75. Reservations are

required. (313) 496-5255.

Thursday, Oct. 12

Senior Expo

Discover great ways to enhance your golden years with free information from the Ninth Annual Senior Expo 2000, Thursday, October 12, from 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., at the Assumption Cultural Center. The Assumption Center and the Metro East Chamber of Commerce will sponsor this free event, hosted by Erik Smith of WXYZ-Channel 7. The afternoon will also feature live entertainment by the Gentlemen of Swing (810) 779-6111.

Saturday, Oct. 14

Historic house tour

Step back into history with a free Grosse Pointe Historical Society tour of the Provencal-Weir House, 376 Kercheval, Saturday, Oct. 14, from 1 to 4 p.m. Call (313) 884-7010.

Saturday, Oct. 28

Interesting appraisals

Discover the true value of your jewelry, paintings, silver and other objets d'art from the experts when the Grosse Pointe Public Library hosts Ask the Appraiser, Saturday, Oct. 28, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., in the Grosse Pointe War Memorial. Representatives of the Joseph DuMouchelle Jewelry Auctioneers will be on hand to evaluate your goods as part of the Library's Books on the Lake celebration. Joseph DuMouchelle will also offer a free lecture on Buying and Selling Jewelry at Auction in the 21st Century, at 9 a.m., in the Crystal Ballroom. Other celebration speakers at the Central Branch of the Grosse Pointe Public Library, include author David Halberstam, at 10:30 a.m.; Loren D. Estleman, at 1 p.m. and Alexandra Stoddard, at 2:30 p.m. Reservations are required for each lecture. Call (313) 343-2074.

Live & Learn

Courses & adventures

Enhance your mind, body and spirit by partaking in the courses and adventures offered by the Grosse Pointe War Memorial. Mystery Tales of Europe will launch the Adventure Series 2000-2001 travelogue/dinner programs, Wednesday, Oct. 4, at 6:30 p.m. The fee is \$20 for the complete evening, \$5.50 for the film only or \$14.50 for the dinner only. Sip a sampling of international vintages during the Friends of the Grosse Pointe War Memorial's Wine, Food and Friends: An Autumn Wine Tasting, Friday, Oct. 6, from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. Tickets are \$39. Invest in your good health Monday, Oct. 16. Osteoporosis Testing will be available in the Mobile DEXA Bone Density Detection Unit Bone Loss Prevention Centers, from 9:30 a.m. to 4:45 p.m. Mammograms will be offered in the Mobile Detection Unit of the Barbara Ann Karmanos Cancer Institute, from 9:20 a.m. to 4:40 p.m. Appointments are required and fees vary. Eugene Carl Strobel, Ph.D. will lead a Visit to the Treasures of Eastern Germany, Tuesday, Oct. 17, from 7 to 9 p.m. The fee is \$10. Meritage Wines from The West Coast will be featured during Bonnie Delsener's Tastings: The Fine Wine Group, Tuesday, Oct. 17, from 7 to 9 p.m. The fee is \$50. Pre-register for classes using your Master Card or Visa, via fax at (313) 884-6638, e-mail: www.warmemorial.org, or phone at (313) 881-7511.

Art appreciation

Develop a greater appreciation for art of all kinds through courses and experiences offered at the Detroit Institute of Arts. Learn simple techniques during a free Weaving Drop-In Workshop,

by Madeleine Socia

Thursday, Sept. 28, from noon to 3 p.m. Professor Thomas Madden, head of the Metals Department for the Center for Creative Studies, will offer a free Ottoman Metal-Working Techniques Lecture/Tour, Thursday, Sept. 28, at 7 p.m. Tales of ancient Turkey will enhance a free Storytelling program, Saturday, Sept. 30, at 2 p.m. Take in the free video Portrait of an Artist: Frida Kahlo, running continuously in the Prentiss Court Screening Room, through Tuesday, Oct. 31. Investigate Mexican Day of the Dead traditions during a Sugar Skulls Drop-In Workshop, Sunday, Oct. 1, from noon to 4 p.m. At that same date and time, build your skills during a free Drawing In The Galleries Drop-In Workshop. Enjoy a rare, intimate portrait of an artist through the free documentary Bill Viola Video Festival: Site of the Unseen, Sunday, Oct. 1, at 2 p.m. Make your own cards, envelopes and boxes during a free Creative Paperwork Drop-In Workshop, Thursday, Oct. 5, from noon to 3 p.m. Pre-registration is required for some courses. Call (313) 833-4249.

Assumption offerings

Autumn is off to an exciting start at the Assumption Cultural Center with a full schedule of classes and events. Let Assumption courses bring out the artist in you! Explore the versatility of Acrylics painting, beginning Tuesday, Oct. 3, from 10 a.m. to noon. The fee is \$45. Find out Everything You Need To Know About Home Health Care during a free presentation, Tuesday, Oct. 3, at 7 p.m. Test your talents with Beginning Watercolor, starting Wednesday, Oct. 4, from 7 to 9 p.m. The course fee is \$35 for six weeks. Prepare for your successful future with Career Planning: Make Your Dreams Come True! beginning Thursday, Oct. 5, from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. The fee is the six-week class is \$40. Bon Secours Cottage Health Services will sponsor an Adult Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) class, Monday, Oct. 9, from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. An Infant CPR class will be offered on Monday, Oct. 16, from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. The fee for each CPR class is \$15. Prepare for a beautiful spring garden with a Fall Is For Planting class, Wednesday, Oct. 11, from 7 to 8:30 p.m. The fee is \$7. Register today for Macomb County Community College Continuing Education courses at Assumption. A Computer Overview will be offered, Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 6 to 8 p.m., beginning Oct. 3. The fee is \$75. Intermediate Computers will be presented Mondays and Wednesdays, from 9 to 11 a.m., starting Oct. 9. The fee is \$55. Beginning Computers is slated for Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 9 to 11 a.m., starting Oct. 10. The fee is \$55. Pre-registration is required for most courses. Call (810) 779-6111.

Historic opportunity

The Detroit Historical Museum is offering free, 10-week, Volunteer Docents Training Sessions, Mondays, beginning Oct. 9 or Saturdays, beginning Oct. 14, from 10 a.m. to noon. Call (313) 833-0481.

Calling all crafters

The First English Ev. Lutheran Church is seeking crafters for its Fall Craft Show, to be held on Saturday, Oct. 14, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Call (810) 771-9049. Exhibitors are also needed for Regina High School Mothers Guild's 24th Annual Juried Arts and Crafts Fair, Saturday, Oct. 21, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., in Regina High School, 20200 Kelly in Harper Woods. The fees are \$40 for a six-foot table or \$50 for an eight-foot table. Call (810) 296-7616.

Senior games

From ballroom and line dancing lessons to computer education, card tournaments, luncheons and more, the St. Clair Shores Senior Activities Center, 20000 Stephens in St. Clair Shores, offers a full calendar of fun. Make plans to attend a Fall Card Party, Friday, Sept. 29, at noon. The fee is \$5. Happiness - Your Choice: Support Workshops will be offered Tuesdays, at 10 a.m., beginning Oct. 3. The movie Topsy-Turvy will be screened, Monday, Oct. 2, at 12:15 p.m. Jerry Robotka will provide live dance music, Saturday, Oct. 7, from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. The fee is \$5. Make your reservation today for upcoming Tour Company Trips including Circle New England, Port Stanley, Ontario and Chicago. Indulge in a shopping spree at Birch Run during a Bus Trip, Monday, Oct. 9, from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. The fee is \$5. The Center is open Monday through Friday, from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Tuesday evenings, from 7 to 9 p.m.; Wednesday evenings, from 7 to 10 p.m. and Thursday evenings, from 6 to 9 p.m. Call (810) 445-0996.

Ford House experiences

Experience the grandeur of an Auto Baron lifestyle with a visit to one of "America's Castles," the Edsel & Eleanor Ford House. Enjoy the genteel pleasures of a Harvest Tea, Saturday, Sept. 30, at 2:30 p.m. The fee is \$21. Reservations are required. Tours will be offered, on the hour weekdays and on the hour and half-hour weekends, Tuesday through Saturday, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., and Sunday, from noon to 4 p.m. The Tea Room is open Tuesday through Sunday, from 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Tours are \$6 for adults, \$5 for seniors and \$4 for children. Grounds admission is \$5. Call (313) 884-4222.

Literary views

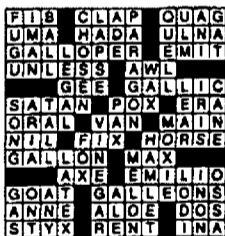
Seniors can share their literary views during a free Book Club at St. Peter the Apostle Elementary School in Harper Woods, on the third Wednesday of each month, from 2 to 3 p.m. Call (810) 778-8674.

Exhibitions & Shows

Pewabic galleries

The Bertoni/Heineman exhibition can be experienced, through Saturday, Oct. 28, in the gallery of Detroit's historic Pewabic Pottery, 10125 E. Jefferson in Detroit. Make reservations today to shape and fire your own ceramics during Pewabic's annual Raku Party, Saturday, Oct. 14, from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Admission is \$50 per person for one pot or \$80 for two pots. Call (313) 822-0954.

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Family features

by Madeleine Socia

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Educational adventures

The Grosse Pointe War Memorial, 32 Lakeshore in Grosse Pointe Farms, offers a full schedule of educational and social adventures for children. Little actors and actresses, ages 4 and 5, can build their skills with Tots in the Treehouse, Thursdays, Oct. 19 through Nov. 30, from 1:30 to 2:15 p.m. The fee is \$60. Junior green thumbs can fall into a Leaves Seeds To Grow On program, Saturday, Oct. 21, from 10 to 11 a.m. The fee is \$3. Pre-registration for all new classes can be charged to your Master Card or Visa, via fax at (313) 884-6638 or phone at (313) 881-7511.

Stage struck

The Grosse Pointe Theatre will host an Educational Workshop for star-struck youngsters, ages 8 to 17, from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. beginning Saturday, Sept. 30, ending with a performance on Sunday, Dec. 10. The fee is \$70 or \$50 for Theatre members. Pre-registration is required at the Theatre office, 315 Fisher in Grosse Pointe. Call (313) 881-4004.

Join the party

Your family can join in an afternoon of free fun, includ-

ing games and a cook-out, during a Block Party, Saturday, Oct. 7, from 2 to 5 p.m., at the St. Clair Shores Assembly of God Church, 24905 Manhattan in St. Clair Shores. Call (810) 772-9050.

Zoo news

Be the first kid on your block to visit the new \$6 million National Amphibian Conservation Center at the Detroit Zoo, at Ten Mile and Woodward in Royal Oak. This state-of-the-art village, dedicated to the conservation, preservation, education and interpretation of amphibian life, houses a host of amazing animals including Japanese giant salamanders, hellbenders, emperor newts and darling poison frogs. The Zoo is open Monday through Saturday, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Zoo admission is \$7.50 for adults, \$5.50 for seniors and students, ages 2 to 12. Call (248) 398-0903.

Auto excitement

Introduce your young auto enthusiast to all aspects of design and production through the hands-on exhibits of The Spirit of Ford, 1161 Village in Dearborn. The museum is open daily, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Admission is \$6 for adults, \$5 for seniors and \$4 for children ages 5 to 12. Call (313) 317-7474.

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North wins twice to take 5-0 record into MAC White opener

By Chuck Klonke
Sports Editor

Peggy Van Eckoute wasn't surprised that Grosse Pointe North's girls' basketball team played as well as it did against her Grosse Pointe South squad last week.

After all, the Blue Devils' coach knows the North players almost as well as she knows her own.

"I teach at Parcels (Middle School) so this doesn't surprise me," Van

Eckoute said after the Norsemen had posted a 47-21 victory in the Macomb Area Conference crossover game.

"Those kids have a lot of basketball experience. Some of them have been together since the fifth grade. A lot of them have played AAU basketball. That's why they play so well together. When

(Beth) Bigham and (Stephanie) Rose first came to Parcels, they were good

enough to have played on the boys team."

South scored the first basket — a layup by Lyndsay Dalby who turned it into a three-point play — but after that it was all North.

The Norsemen led 10-5 after one quarter and stretched their lead to 24-11 at halftime.

"We executed our offense better tonight than we have all season," said North coach Gary Bennett. "We have a

tendency to get sloppy sometimes but tonight we did a better job of running our stuff. We didn't finish off every opportunity, but we played hard and played with a lot of confidence."

Like always, North spread out the scoring. Natalie Potthoff led the way with 10 points but Meredith Farmer had eight, Bigham scored six and Jaime Francis and Jessica Westbrook added five apiece.

Francis, who was fighting a bad cold, didn't play her usual minutes but Bigham and Westbrook did an excellent job of picking up the slack.

"I thought Beth's activity on the floor really sparked us," Bennett said. "And Jessica did a great job of running the offense. She played with a lot of confidence."

Westbrook had six assists. Bigham collected five steals.

Bigham's performance earned the praise of both coaches.

The sophomore guard suffered a serious knee injury last winter while playing for her AAU team and doctors first told her that she would be out until November at least.

"It's really good to see her playing again," Van Eckoute

said. "I told her after the game that if I had anyone tell me that they couldn't (rehabilitate a knee injury) I'd have them call her. I really admire the way she worked seven days a week to come back."

Van Eckoute felt that her team wasn't at its best, both physically and mentally, for either of its games last week.

"I don't want to take anything away from North, but we have to be healthy to play with them," she said. "We're beat up physically and we weren't at our best emotionally either, because last week was our homecoming."

"I thought we'd give North a better game but they wore us down. They broke us

down. They broke us down. They broke us down."

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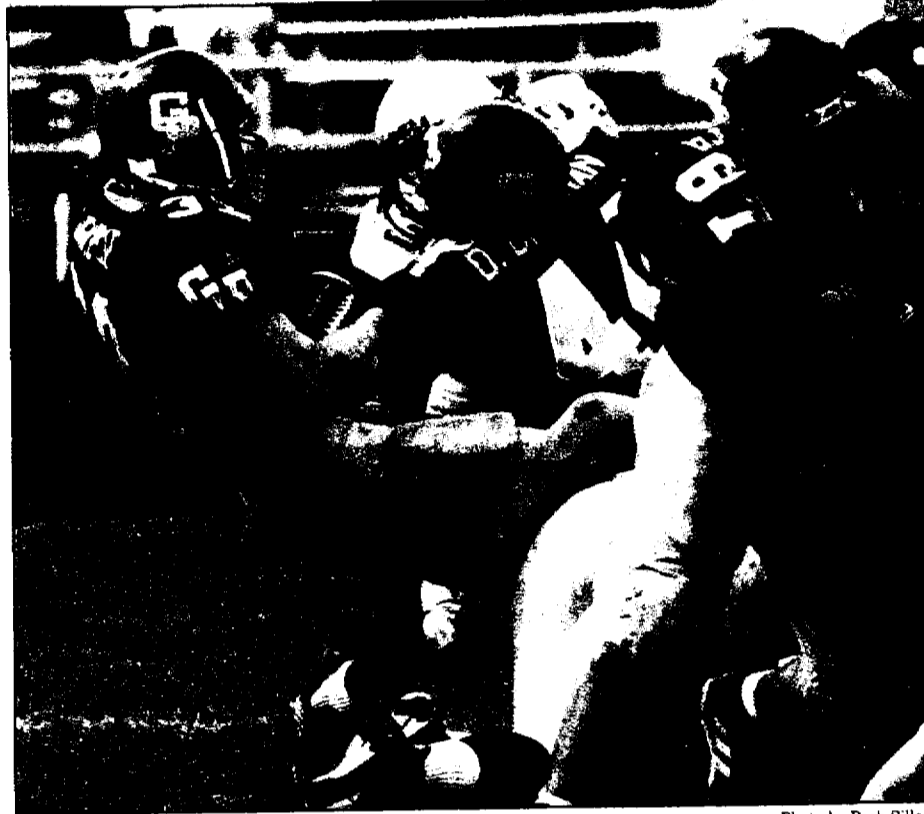


Photo by Roni Sillars
There's no more running room left for Grosse Pointe South's Matt Jarboe on this carry. Jarboe rushed for 146 yards in the Blue Devils' homecoming win over Macomb Dakota last Saturday. Jarboe is being blocked by Dan Brosnan (44) and Doug Ortenburger (67).

By Chuck Klonke
Sports Editor

There was nothing fancy about Grosse Pointe South's game plan once it got the lead against Macomb Dakota last Saturday.

"We just stayed on the ground and gave the ball to (Matt) Jarboe," Blue Devils coach Mike McLeod said after his team's 19-6 homecoming win over the Cougars.

"There were no surprises. They knew what was coming but they couldn't stop him. We could have thrown, but we wanted to use up the clock."

Jarboe rushed for a season-high 146 yards behind some solid blocking by offensive linemen Mark Fragel, Jim Brosnan, Jeff Schroeder, Doug

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Photo by Dr. Richard Dunlap
Grosse Pointe South's Sylvia Ridgway, center, battles Grosse Pointe North's Jessica Westbrook, left, and Stephanie Rose for a rebound.

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Chieftains win battle of unbeatens with Norsemen

By Chuck Klonke
Sports Editor

The sign of a good football team is being able to capitalize on an opponent's mistakes.

That's one of the reasons that Utica is 5-0 this year and talking about its first undefeated season since 1973.

The Chieftains scored three third-quarter touchdowns to break a 14-14 tie and went on to a 35-14 victory in the battle of Macomb Area Conference White Division unbeatens.

"That's a setback, but it's only one game and we can't let that affect us," said North coach Frank Sumner. "We made some mistakes and they capitalized on them. That's what a good football team does."

North, which is now 3-1 in the MAC White and 4-1 overall, plays a crossover game Saturday at 1 p.m. at Sterling Heights.

Sumner said that the difference in the game was Utica quarterback Brad Leach.

"He was the whole key for them," Sumner said. "We had to get to him."

Leach passed for 114 yards, including a pair of scoring strikes to Michael Longo, and also hurt the Norsemen with his running. He picked up 54 yards in 13 carries, but that total includes four sacks for 17 yards.

During Utica's 68-yard, 12-play march for the go-ahead touchdown with 8:54 left in the game, Leach ran five times. On consecutive plays he gained 11 and 12 yards to bring the ball to the North 29.

Three times in that drive the Chieftains converted third-down plays. Then Leach hit Longo in the corner of the end zone for a 22-yard touchdown.

"I don't know if we just spent so much energy coming back or what it was," Sumner said. "We just didn't get the stops we needed on defense after we tied the game."

"We were shorthanded in the secondary with (Steve) Hardin and (Bill) Dickerman out and that hurt us, too."

North failed to get a first down on its next possession and K.C. Cleary had to replace Dickerman as the punter. A short kick gave

South bows to Stevenson

Grosse Pointe South's girls cross country team ran into some tough competition last week.

The Blue Devils rolled to an easy win over Utica Ford II, but South dropped its first dual meet of the season in the Macomb Area Conference Red Division when it bowed to Sterling Heights Stevenson.

The Titans are ranked third in the state in Division I. South holds down the No. 9 spot in the rankings.

"Stevenson not only has its usual strong front runners but has the depth to back them up this season," said South coach Steve Zaranek.

"We'll see them again in the regional and state meets and we hope to close the gap by then."

South took the first five positions against Ford II. Elizabeth Osburn led the way, followed by Mary Gibson, Hilary Zaranek, Maureen Hoehn and Bridget Scallen. Kate Finkenstaedt was sixth and Megan Zaranek was eighth.

Blue Devils who posted season-best times were Heather Whiteley, Emily Gordon, Molly Damm, Nettie Champine, Julie Howe, Sara Swenson, Lauren Padilla, Katherine Shrilla, Alexis Miller, Hillary Cunningham, Anne Mackenzie, Kathleen Sholly, Caeth Bourbeau, Julie VandeVusse, Rachel Carion, Ann Wenzel and Catie Quinn.

Utica the ball on the North 35 and it took only five plays for William Lomasney to score from the three.

"That was a tough position to put K.C. in, but when Dickerman hurt his leg, we didn't have anybody else to punt," Sumner said.

A North fumble on its next possession gave the Chieftains the ball on the Norsemen's 28. On the first play from scrimmage, Lomasney went in for the touchdown.

Utica jumped out to a 14-0 lead. A bad snap on a punt gave the Chieftains the ball on the North 28 midway through the first quarter.

Two plays later, Leach passed to Bryan Marulli in the flat. Marulli then threw downfield to Kiel Roeschke, who caught the ball to complete the 25-yard scoring play.

On Utica's next possession, Leach found Longo on the other end of a 28-yard touchdown pass. Jacob

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Orttenburger and Matt Middleton. David Saylor and Scott Cederwall also came in and played well, as did tight ends Dan Keogh and Luke Parchment.

"Dan Brosnan (at fullback) had his best day blocking," McLeod said. "He didn't have the crushing blocks that (Julian) Danko makes but he was effective."

The game was one of South's best all-around efforts in quite a while.

"We played well on offense, defense and special teams," McLeod said. "Dakota had minus three yards rushing in the game."

The defensive line kept the Cougars from getting outside and it put heavy pressure on the quarterback for most of the contest.

"Sean O'Sullivan played the best game of his life," McLeod said. "Fragel played his best defensive game and Danko did a great job inside."

McLeod also praised the play of outside linebacker Haider Samhat, defensive backs Brian Berschback, Mike O'Neill and Jack Tocco and inside linebackers Parchment and Mark Peppler.

"When Haider got hurt, Matt Garver and Matt Santoro went in and did a good job," the coach said. "We had a lot of people step up and do the job."

South got a break to set up its first touchdown midway through the second quarter. Dakota's punter fumbled the snap under a heavy rush from Chris Getz and the Blue Devils recovered at the Cougars' five-yard line.

Three plays later, Danko went in from the one.

An interception by O'Neill set up the Blue Devils' next score, a 37-yard pass from Andrew Vlasak to Paul Lochirco with 4:44 left in the first half.

South missed the extra points after each touchdown and Dakota closed the gap to 12-3 on a 30-yard field goal by Brian Henderson with 1:16 left in the first half.

A 28-yard field goal by Henderson with about 2 1/2 minutes left in the third quarter brought the Cougars within a touchdown and an extra point.

South sealed the win with a 74-yard touchdown drive that consumed nearly five minutes. Jarboe followed Fragel's block to score from the one with 17 seconds left in the game.

Jarboe carried nine times in the drive with gains of 31 and 15 yards.

South, now 2-2 in the Macomb Area Conference White Division and 3-2 overall, travels to Romeo Friday to face the winless Bulldogs.

"We have to keep playing like we did against Dakota," McLeod said. "Romeo is dangerous. They're like a cornered animal."

Highfield's second of five extra points gave the Chieftains a 14-0 lead with 1:23 left in the first quarter.

North marched 78 yards in 10 plays early in the second quarter to cut the lead to 14-7 on a five-yard run by Jon Thomas and Eric Bertelsen's extra point.

Brandon Foutner had runs of 11 and 10 yards in the drive and Thomas had an 17-yard gain to the Utica 17.

"Thomas really sparked us with his running," Sumner said. "He came close to breaking a couple, but Utica plays well in the secondary and was able to bring him down. He and Foutner both had 100 yards rushing. Our offensive line did another great job."

North drove to the Utica 16 late in the first half but a

34-yard field goal attempt by Hardin was short.

The Norsemen tied the game with 2:25 left in the third quarter on a one-yard run by Thomas.

North's defense stopped Utica inside its 15 on the Chieftains' first possession of the second half and the Norsemen took over on their 46.

North used 11 running plays in the 12-play drive. The only pass was a 16-yard completion from Cleary to Joe Hermann.

"I thought after we scored the tying touchdown that we were on our way, but then they came right back to score," Sumner said.

North finished with 254 yards rushing and 79 passing. Cleary completed five passes against a Utica defense that had allowed

only six completions and had nine interceptions in its first four games.

The Chieftains had 114 yards passing and 165 rushing.

"This is one of those cases where the statistics are for losers," Sumner said.

Hermann played an outstanding defensive game, making one solo tackle and 16 assists. Austin Carter had eight stops, while Chris Dubay and James White had six apiece and James Dosmas made five.

Sterling Heights has struggled some this season, but the Stallions are no pushover.

"They're big and strong but not real fast," Sumner said. "They'll be a challenge. Fortunately, we have an extra day to get ready because of their homecom-

ing. We need it."

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down defensively. We couldn't move as quickly as they did."

A major factor in the game was the turnover ratio. South committed 28 turnovers while North had only nine.

The Norsemen also hit 42 percent of their shots, while the Blue Devils found the mark on only 17.1 percent.

Sylvia Ridgway played her best game for South as she pulled down a game-high 12 rebounds. Lawren Morawski had four assists. Ridgway and Stephanie Shepard each had four points to lead the Blue Devils.

Earlier in the week, North rolled to a 52-26 win over Macomb Dakota.

The Norsemen held a 25-12 halftime lead and were never threatened but Bennett wasn't excited about the performance.

"We didn't really play that well," he said. "We played much better (against South)."

Farmer led North with 11 points, Rose had nine and Francis and Jill Bramos scored seven apiece.

Francis also had nine steals and eight assists. Bramos grabbed 10 rebounds and Margaret McMann had five steals.

North takes a 6-0 record into MAC White play, which began this week.

In South's earlier game, the Blue Devils dropped a 42-27 decision to Fraser in a game that was closer than the final score would indicate.

"It was a 28-25 game (with Fraser leading) with six minutes to play," Van Eckoute said. "Then they hit a couple of threes and all of a sudden it just snowballed."

"This wasn't the week to play two of the best teams we'll see all season. Now we'll just have to put it out of our minds and concentrate on the (MAC Red) league season that starts this week."

Megan Shapiro led South with nine points in the Fraser game.

Pointe Gators are first again

For the second time in three years, the Pointe Gators finished the Michigan Youth Soccer League's spring season as the top boys team in their age group.

The Gators posted a 10-1 record in the very competitive under-17 division. Their 31 points placed them 10 points ahead of the second-place team.

The Grosse Pointe squad

scored more goals (45) and allowed fewer (17) than any other team in the division.

The Gators were led in scoring by interior halfbacks Mike Wolking (nine goals and five assists), Scott Berschback (eight goals, five assists) and Demetri Salvaggio (two goals, three assists).

Strikers Scott Vallee (eight), Ed Bommarito

(seven) and Jesse Graff (four) combined for 19 goals.

Coach Steve Miller also credited the skill and intelligence of wingers Jeff Johnson, Paul Lored, Jeff Roulo and Todd Damren for much of the Gators' success.

Goalkeepers Pete Roulo and Kevin Heaney had a combined goals-against average of less than 1.5. They were helped by a stingy defense that was led by sweeper Drew Byron and stopper Kwesti Yankston.

The excellent speed of fullbacks Andrew Yee, Nat Damren, Ryan McKenzie and Nate Minnick routinely thwarted opposition attacks. Only one team scored more than two goals against the Gators.

Two years ago the Gators were the top MYSL under-15 boys team. Last year they finished second in the under-16 premier division to a Rochester squad that the Gators tied twice.

As evidence of the Gators' smart and disciplined play, Miller pointed out that the team didn't receive any red cards and only a few yellow cards during the last three seasons.

This fall, members of the Gators will be playing on varsity teams at Grosse Pointe North, Grosse Pointe South, University Liggett School, Notre Dame and South Lake.



The Pointe Gators' captains and coach Steve Miller are shown with the trophy they won for finishing first in the Michigan Youth Soccer League under-17 division. In front are Mike Wolking, left, and Pete Roulo. In back, from left, are Scott Berschback, Miller and Jeff Roulo.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Wayne County Commission will hold a public hearing on the certification of revenues and appropriated budgetary expenditure adjustments to the FY 1999-2000 Appropriation Ordinance No. 99-497 as follows:

1. Certification of additional General Fund Tax Revenues for FY 1999-2000 totaling \$632,936 for the Youth Service Fund; the CEO advises that the additional revenue results from recognizing the use of fund balance of unexpended one-tenth mill funds from prior fiscal years. (00-35-038)
2. Certification of additional General Fund Tax Revenues for FY 1999-2000 totaling \$645,614; the proposed amendment results in increased appropriations in the General Fund for County Clerk expenditures; the CEO advises that the additional revenue results from the investment of revenues into interest bearing accounts and/or investment instruments for the period of July 1998 through September 1999. (00-35-077)
3. Certification of additional General Fund Tax Revenues for FY 1999-2000 totaling \$44,932,183; the proposed amendment results in increased appropriations in the Mental Health Fund. (00-35-196)
4. Certification of additional General Fund Tax Revenues for FY 2000-2001 totaling \$518,242 in Appropriation Ordinance No. 2000-532 from the Office of Drug Control Policy. (01-35-001)

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2000, 10:00 a.m.

Wayne County Commission
Committee on Ways and Means
600 Randolph, Room 402
Wayne County Building, Detroit

Copies of the above items may be obtained or reviewed at the Commission Clerk's Office, 406 Wayne County Building, 600 Randolph, Detroit, MI, 48226. (313)224-0903.

G.P.N.: 09/28/00

CITY OF HARPER WOODS WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN SYNOPSIS: REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING SEPTEMBER 18, 2000

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

ROLL CALL: All Council persons were present.

MOTIONS PASSED

1. To receive, approve and file the minutes of the regular City Council meeting held September 6, 2000.
2. To open the Public Hearing on the request for street and alley vacation - Gooley Cadillac property.
3. To close the Public Hearing on the request for street and alley vacation - Gooley Cadillac property.
4. To refer the proposed rezoning of a portion of Kelly Road back to the City Council subcommittee for further review after seeking additional input from other members of the City Council and City Administration.
5. That the agenda of the regular City Council meeting having been acted upon, the meeting is hereby adjourned at 9:50 p.m.

RESOLUTION PASSED

1. To approve the following items on the Consent Agenda: 1) Approve the Accounts Payable Listing for Check Numbers 57385 through 57473 in the amount of \$398,981.64 as submitted by the City Manager and City Controller, and further, authorize the Mayor and City Clerk to sign the listing. 2) Approve the bid submitted by CMP Distributors, Inc. in the amount of \$7,767.90 for the purchase of shotguns and racks for the police vehicles with the remaining 98 LLEBG Grant funds, and with the City receiving a rebate for the old equipment. 3) Approve the purchase of the necessary ground surface material from Miracle Recreation Company, Engen-Tooley-Doyle & Associates in the amount of \$3,220.00 for the additional heavy duty swing set that was purchased for Johnston Park. 4) Approve payment to Wayne County Revenue and Tax Division in the amount of \$4,993.91 for services performed on the tax rolls. 5) Accept the bid submitted by W.F. Miller in the amount of \$7,220.00 for the purchase of a replacement Giant Leaf Vac machine for the DPW. 6) Approve the request from the Harper Woods Parents Club to hold their annual Homecoming Parade on Friday, October 6, 2000 at 6:00 p.m. 7) Approve the installation of a natural gas line at Johnston Park for the recreation offices by MichCon in the amount of \$5,000.00. 8) Approve the payment to Wayne County Revenue and Tax Analysis in the amount of \$1,210.00 for printer lodging and maintenance for the month of April and May, 2000.
2. To vacate two alleys and a portion of Ridgemon Avenue located at 20875 - 20903 Harper Avenue, commonly known as the Gooley Cadillac property, legally described as follows: Parcel A - (Proposed Vacated 20' Alley) That Part of the 20' Planned Alley Adjacent to Lots 295-301 and Lot 282, Which Also Lies Easterly of Edsel Ford Expressway (I-94) and Westerly of Hampton Road Within the Recorded Plat of Dalby and Campbell Mack Park Subdivision, as Recorded in Liber 52 of Plats, Page 22, Wayne County Records. Parcel B - (Proposed Vacated 20' Alley) That Part of the 20' Planned Alley Adjacent to Lots 101-107 and Lots 232-237, Which Also Lies Southerly of Ridgemon Avenue and Northerly of Hollywood Avenue Within the Recorded Plat of Dalby and Campbell's Mack Verner Subdivision, as Recorded in Liber 58 of Plats, Page 90, Wayne County Records. Parcel C - (Proposed Vacated Ridgemon Avenue) That Part of Ridgemon Avenue Adjacent to Lots 79 and 102, Lying West of Harper Avenue and East of the West Line of 20' Planned Alley, Within the Recorded Plat of Dalby and Campbell's Mack Verner Subdivision, as Recorded in Liber 58 of Plats, Page 90, Wayne County Records.
3. To approve the 2001 budget meeting schedule with workshops to be held at regular and special meetings on October 2, October 9, October 16 and October 23, and further, to hold a public hearing on the Budget on November 6, 2000.
4. To authorize the City Manager to enter into an agreement with the Michigan Department of Transportation to contract for the reconstruction of Harper Avenue from Eight Mile in Kingsville southbound, and from Kingsville to Manchester northbound in an estimated amount of \$2.5 million with the City's participation of one-hundred percent (100%) except that portion lying in the City of Grosse Pointe Woods.
5. To adjourn to executive session for the purpose of discussing a collective bargaining matter.

Kenneth A. Poynter,
Mayor

Mickey D. Todd,
City Clerk

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Knights stay perfect in Metro Conference basketball

By Chuck Klonke
Sports Editor

It's hard to tell which of University Liggett School's two girls basketball games were the most important last week.

The Knights beat Cranbrook-Kingswood 41-39 in a come-from-behind thriller on Tuesday, then took care of business in a 53-32 win over Harper Woods to remain atop the Metro Conference standings with a 5-0 record.

The game with Harper Woods was a major cause for concern for ULS coach John Bandos.

"I told the girls before the game to think about how they'd feel if they worked as hard as they did to beat Cranbrook and then didn't work as hard and lost to Harper Woods," Bandos said.

"I was worried before the

game, but we came out real strong. They didn't want to get caught either. It's tough to play after an emotional win like we had against Cranbrook."

ULS led 21-9 after the first quarter and held a 33-17 halftime advantage.

The Pioneers took a run at the Knights in the third quarter and closed the margin to 10 points entering the final period, but ULS outscored Harper Woods 14-3 in the last eight minutes.

Alexa Davenport led the Knights with 20 points and also contributed five rebounds and four steals. Courtney Hills had 12 points and eight rebounds. Maria Lewis, who missed most of the first half when she took a knee to the thigh, scored all 11 of her points in the second half.

Sherma Brown played a solid all-around game with

four points, six steals and four assists. Tara Terry had seven rebounds, one more than Kia Williamson.

Courtney Wudcoski replaced Lewis when she was injured and played well, especially on defense.

The battle of Metro Conference unbeaten against Cranbrook was much different than the Harper Woods game.

"It was a tale of two halves," Bandos said.

ULS trailed 29-15 at halftime and it was a result of the Knights making only four of 31 shots from the field in the first half.

"We made some adjustments at halftime and put more pressure on (Cranbrook's) guards," Bandos said. "That created some baskets for us off of turnovers."

By the end of the third quarter, ULS had closed to

gap to 36-30.

"I had just hoped to get it under 10 points going into the fourth quarter," Bandos said.

The Knights' comeback hopes received a jolt when Brown fouled out with 6:36 to play.

"That could have been huge, but Latia Howard came in for Sherma, stepped up and really did the job both offensively and defensively," Bandos said.

With 4:47 remaining, Davenport scored on a running layup to give ULS its first lead, 37-36. The lead changed hands a couple of times in the last 1:40. Davenport hit a free throw with 12 seconds remaining to give ULS a 40-38 lead.

The Cranes missed a shot and Davenport was fouled again with 10.8 seconds left.

Once more she hit one of the two free throws to put the Knights up by three points.

With seven seconds left, a Cranbrook player was fouled and she made the first free throw. She deliberately missed the second and the Cranes got the rebound. The shot hit the front of the rim. Once more Cranbrook got a rebound but its final attempt fell short.

Courtney Hills led ULS

with 12 points and 10 rebounds. Davenport collected eight points, six rebounds and three assists. Lewis finished with seven points and Howard had six. Terry had nine rebounds and Williamson pulled down seven.

The two victories gave ULS an overall record of 5-1. The Knights play at Lutheran East on Thursday.

Defensive heroics win for Red Barons

The Grosse Pointe Red Barons football team is 2-0 and coach Brett Kurily's hair has a little more gray in it.

For the second consecutive week, the Red Barons needed some last-second defensive heroics to win.

This time, Kyle DeBets' interception in the end zone with no time remaining preserved an 8-6 victory over Mount Clemens in a game played at Grosse Pointe North.

"It was one of those times when it was a gut check for the entire team," Kurily said. "And they came through. I'm proud of them."

Trailing 6-0 at the half, the Barons took the second-half kickoff and drove down the field with quarterback Brian St. Hilaire scoring on a 10-yard run. St. Hilaire

then kicked the two-point conversion for the game-winning points.

It appeared Mount Clemens would take the lead late in the fourth quarter but defensive back Tom Paglia, showing tremendous speed and desire, ran down a Barracuda runner at the 20-yard line. The defense held after that.

Red Barons running back Brian Dempsey gained 75 yards on 11 carries and was helped by some excellent offensive line work.

Kurily was especially impressed by the line play of tackle Tom Ciotti and guards Mark Lepczyk, Chase Mitchelson, Brent Brown and Mike Rau.

"They created holes all day," Kurily said.

In the other games, the Mount Clemens junior varsity defeated the Red Barons

JV 20-7 and the freshman teams played to a 12-12 tie.

In the junior varsity game, the Red Barons were unable to overcome the running of Terrell Arnold, who scored two touchdowns, and two lost fumbles on punts.

The Red Barons tied the game at 7-7 late in the first quarter on a one-yard run by Mike Dallaire. Geoffrey Osgood caught a pass from Marc Reno for the game-tying extra point.

Arnold scored late in the second quarter as Mount Clemens took a 14-7 lead. His one-yard touchdown run in the third accounted for the final points.

There were a number of bright spots for the Red Barons.

Travis Hearing continued his fine running and the defense received solid efforts

from Alex Symonds and Matt Koppinger.

In the freshman game, the Red Barons rallied from a 12-0 halftime deficit for the tie.

The freshmen scored twice in the third quarter. On a perfect reverse, Jim Saros ran 34 yards down the left sideline to make it 6-6. The Barons tied it late in the quarter when quarterback Mark Riashi threw a 28-yard touchdown pass to Jack Monark.

Coach Paul Monark was pleased with his team's second consecutive tie and praised the defensive play of Saros, Frank Ferretti, Jim St. John and Andrew Philbrick. Offensively, Max Getz and Nick Sterr stood out.



Silver medalist

Karmen Bellhorn, a sophomore at Grosse Pointe South, won a second-place medal at the recent Michigan State 4-H Horse Show and Symposium in East Lansing. Representing the Outback Riders 4-H Club of St. Clair County, Bellhorn was second in the working hunter over fences competition, third in hunter seat equitation over fences and sixth in English equitation hunt seat. Bellhorn rode Flying Cloud, a retired thoroughbred owned by Diane Sage of Armada and trained by Debra Slanec. More than riders from Michigan competed in the event.

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ULS soccer team can't wait to get healthy again

By Chuck Klonke
Sports Editor

If University Liggett School's soccer team ever gets healthy, it could spell trouble for the rest of the Metro Conference.

"That's what I'm hoping for," said coach David Backhurst after his team split a pair of conference games last week.

"When we played Linden (in a non-leaguer) we had six starters out. It's going to take some time for them to learn to play together, but we should start getting people back after this week."

ULS began the week with

a 4-3 win over Hamtramck. It was a game that nearly slipped away from the Knights.

"We were ahead 4-1 with 21 minutes to play and I'm afraid that if we had played five more minutes, we'd have lost," Backhurst said.

In the last two minutes, the Cosmos rang a shot off the crossbar, goalie Calvin Ford made a save that bounced off a goalpost and another shot sailed just over the crossbar.

"They put on a lot of pressure," Backhurst said. "They outshot us 26-8. Hamtramck has some great individual

talent."

ULS struck quickly against the Cosmos with Todd Damren scoring his first varsity goal after taking a pass from Scott Vallee.

About five minutes later, Todd Callahan took a corner kick that Andrew Yee headed into the net. ULS made it 3-0 on an unassisted goal by Vallee with six minutes left in the first half.

Ford did a good job in goal under some heavy pressure in the first half as the Knights were outshot 15-6.

Hamtramck scored off a free kick about 10 minutes into the second half, but

Andrew Byron went almost the length of the field to score for ULS.

"It was one of the most beautiful rushes I've seen," Backhurst said. "It reminded me of Bobby Orr in his heyday. He must have run 80 yards with the ball."

But that was the end of the Knights' offense.

"We must have thought the game was a lock after that and we quit playing," Backhurst said.

With 21 minutes left, Hamtramck made it 4-2 and seven minutes later the Cosmos cut the margin to a single goal.

Next on the schedule was a strong Cranbrook Kingswood squad.

"They're off to their best start since Alexi Lalas was playing for them," Backhurst said. "They beat Country Day for the first time in 22 years."

ULS opened the scoring 10 minutes into the game when Vallee passed to Nick DiLoreto after a free kick and DiLoreto notched his first goal of the season.

After that it was all Cranbrook. The Cranes scored on a direct free kick and off a corner kick.

"They're a big team," Backhurst said. "On the corner kicks it looked like a stampede of elephants towering over our little guys."

Cranbrook wrapped up the 3-1 victory with the only goal of the second half.

ULS dropped its non-league game to Linden 4-0, but Backhurst was pleased with the effort.

"Someone said that we looked like a M.A.S.H. unit," he said. "I thought we played a gutsy game. Byron was hurting so we moved him up and put Vallee at sweeper and he did a great job."

ULS took a 3-6-1 overall record into Metro Conference games with Lutheran East and Lutheran Northwest this week.

Salvo '91 is off to a good start

The Grosse Pointe Soccer Association Salvo '91 opened its season with three straight victories, outscoring the opposition 13-4.

The Salvo beat the Pointe Gators 5-1 in their opener. The Gators controlled play early and put heavy pressure on the Salvo defense but couldn't score.

Adam Mitchell finally opened the scoring midway through the first half, assisted by Bobby Barrett and Kyle Nadeau. Brian Auty got the Salvo's second goal from Andrew Farley and Jay Creech. Barrett then scored three straight goals to give the Salvo a 5-0 halftime advantage.

Mitchell and Nadeau assisted on two of the goals and the other came off a free kick.

Michael Cunningham

scored the Gators' only goal. Michael Saleh, Nick Yost and Robbie Swanson also played well for the Gators.

Eric Osaer and Brett Reardon did a good job of setting up the offense for the Salvo. Steve Vanbeek led the defensive effort, along with goalkeeper Andrew Doetsch.

The Salvo's next game was a 5-1 win over the Troy Panthers.

Troy opened the scoring, but the Salvo came back with a pair of goals by Barrett to lead 2-1 at halftime. Auty and Mitchell picked up assists. Auty scored twice in the second half with Barrett assisting on each. Nadeau completed the scoring with a high shot from just outside the penalty box.

Ben Scarfone played a strong game at midfield for

the Salvo and Patrick Deters had a good game setting up the offense from his wing position. Doetsch had another good game in goal, while Chris Maynard and Trevor Sattelmeyer were strong on defense.

The Troy Chargers gave the Salvo its toughest test of the season, but the Grosse Pointe team still posted a 3-2 victory.

Late in the first half, Mitchell broke through the Chargers' defense after taking a pass from Auty and scored the only goal of the half.

Troy tied the game early in the second half, but once again the Salvo took control of the contest and scored twice to lead 3-1.

Sattelmeyer scored on an assist from Nadeau and Nadeau then tallied after getting a pass from Barrett. Troy cut the lead to 3-2 late in the game and applied heavy pressure the rest of the way. But the Salvo hung on to its slim lead with strong defense from Creech, Farley and Vanbeek and key saves by Doetsch in goal.



Photo by Russ Noble

Leslie Schott won the Grand Champion Memorial Pony Hunter Trophy at the Grosse Pointe Hunt Club's recent show. Schott, shown with her pony Center Aisle, is receiving the trophy from Hunt Club president Steven Brownell.

City of Grosse Pointe Farms, Michigan

SUMMARY OF THE MINUTES SEPTEMBER 18, 2000

The Meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m.

Present on Roll Call: Mayor Gaffney, Council members Kneiser, West, Gandelot, Schonenberg, Danaher and Waldmeir.

Those Absent Were: None.

Also Present: Messrs. Burgess, City Attorney; Solak, City Manager; Reeside, City Clerk; Leonard, Director of Public Service; Ferber, Director of Public Safety.

Mayor Gaffney presided at the Meeting.

The Minutes of the Regular Meeting held August 14, 2000 were approved as corrected.

The Minutes of the Regular Meeting held September 11, 2000 were approved as submitted.

The Council acting as a Zoning Board of Appeals, approved the Minutes of the Public Hearings held August 14, 2000 and September 11, 2000; granted the appeal of Mr. & Mrs. Bud Drettmann, 26 Cloverly, to construct a one-story addition on the rear of their residence; granted the appeal of Mr. & Mrs. Steven Gillespie, 426 Cloverly, to enclose a small deck on the rear of their residence; granted the appeal of Ms. Cathy Mertens, 122 Muir, to construct a new garage to replace an existing badly deteriorated garage in the rear yard; adjourned the Public Hearing for Ms. Maria Ross Warr, 120 Muir, to Monday, October 16, 2000 at 7:30 p.m.

The Council adopted Code No. 10-09 DTE Energy Marketing Franchise Ordinance, as amended.

The Council approved the Detroit Area Agency on Aging Multi-Year Plan as presented.

The Council approved the Booster Pumping Station Valve Rehabilitation project in the amount of \$20,000.

The Council approved payment of a statement of attorney's fees from the law firm of Dickinson, Wright, Moon, VanDusen & Freeman, Counselors at Law, in the total amount of \$15,243.32 for various legal services rendered on behalf of the City of Grosse Pointe Farms.

The Public Safety Department Report for the month of July 2000 was received by the Council and ordered it placed on file.

The Council approved the low bid of Cadillac Paving in the amount of \$115,829.00 paving Moross and Mack to Ridge to begin in the Fall; and further authorized administration to execute contract with Wayne County.

The Council approved the recommendations for the small harbor fees, credits and assignments of mooring spaces for the 2001 season, as presented by the Director of Parks and Recreation.

The Council approved Calgon Company's extension of their low bid price to provide the granular activated carbon to the City's water plant.

Upon proper motion made, supported and carried, the Meeting adjourned at 9:20 p.m.

THE NEXT REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL WILL BE HELD ON MONDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2000 AT 7:30 P.M. IN THE CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS. THE MEETING IS PUBLIC. ALL PROPERTY OWNERS AND RESIDENTS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND.

Edward J. Gaffney
Mayor

Shane L. Reeside
City Clerk

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Hunt Club rider wins top trophy

The final weekend of horse and pony competition for the Grosse Pointe Hunt Club was highlighted by the presentation of the Grand Champion Memorial Pony Hunter Trophy to Leslie Schott.

Schott, who beat out more than 65 other entrants from eight other farms and clubs, is the first member of the Hunt Club to win the Grand Championship in more than 20 years.

Her pony, Center Aisle, wore a rose blanket when she received the equestrian trophy and championship ribbon at the conclusion of the show.

Schott scored 32 out of a possible 40 points in the 13 events in which she and Center Aisle competed in during the two-day show.

The Hunt Club's Hillary Zimmerman was the champion in the novice pony division and reserve champion in children's small/medium pony competition. Other award winners in the pony events were Katherine Ross, Meredith Loomis Quinian, Brianne Tito, Randy Chlynski, Claire Eckert, Lauren Major and Caitlin Kiska.

In the horse trials competition, more than 100 riders competed in 81 different hunter and jumper classes.

The Hunt Club's horse competition team included director Val Temrowski, riding director Lisa Oberg and members Anna Millich, Anne Marie Clark, Heather McAfee, Jessica Pufahl and Kiera Corbin.

Millich won the Michigan Hunter Jumper Limit junior medal in recognition of her total point score in 10 classes of competition.

Oberg, riding Andrea Carsten's horse Waterfall, was first in the low hunter under saddle class. Clark

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Mustangs '89 beat sister team for Peachfest tournament title

The Pointe Girls Soccer Association couldn't lose in the championship game of the under-12 division at the recent Romeo Peachfest soccer tournament.

The PGSA Mustangs '89 won the title with a 6-1 victory over the Mustangs '90.

The younger squad turned in a strong effort to keep the game scoreless for the first 20 minutes but Becca Scholtes, Amy Hathaway and Elizabeth Palmer tallied for the Mustangs '89 to give them a 3-0 lead.

Madeleine Bossonney, Kara Trowell and Lindsay Krall were denied goals by the Mustangs '90's goalkeeper.

The Mustangs '90 scored on a breakaway in the second half, but the older team pulled away on goals by Scholtes, Marian Schmidt and Emily Walton.

The Mustangs '89, which

outscored the opposition 20-2, opened the tournament with a 4-0 win over the Clarkston Shadows.

Hillary Zimmerman broke a scoreless tie on a breakaway midway through the first half. The midfield play of Palmer, Krall, Allison Seely, Liz Lightbody and Amanda Marsh kept constant pressure on the Shadows in the first half.

Walton took several corner kicks that created scoring opportunities but the Mustangs couldn't convert. Finally, in the second half, the Mustangs added goals on long-range shots by Erin Hughes and Allison O'Connor. Amy Hathaway got behind the Shadows' defense and added the final goal off a crossing pass from Schmidt.

Careen Lewis posted the shutout.

In their second game, the Mustangs rolled past the Cobras 6-1 as Zimmerman

and Schmidt scored two goals apiece. Trowell and Marsh scored the Mustangs' final two goals.

Bossonney had two assists, while the creative midfield play of Katie Galea, Krall and Amanda Palffy provided many scoring opportunities.

The Mustangs advanced to the championship game with a 4-0 win over the Lake Orion Lobos.

Seely scored the only goal of the first half as the Mustangs struggled against the Lobos' defense. Palmer, Trowell and Schmidt scored second-half goals as a result of some fine offensive moves.

Lewis posted her second shutout of the tournament. She was supported by consistent defensive work from Elizabeth Carrier, Hughes, Walton and Scholtes.

Dan Kelly is the head coach and his assistants are John Walton and Jacques Bossonney.



The Pointe Girls Soccer Association Mustangs '89 took first place in the under-12 division at the Romeo Peachfest soccer tournament. In front, from left, are Kara Trowell, Emily Walton, Elizabeth Palmer, Amy Hathaway, Amanda Marsh, Marian Schmidt, Hillary Zimmerman, Katie Galea, Lindsay Krall and Clyde the Mascot. In back, from left, are Allison O'Connor, head coach Dan Kelly, Becca Scholtes, Erin Hughes, Amanda Palffy, Elizabeth Carrier, Allison Seely, Madeleine Bossonney, Liz Lightbody, Careen Lewis, John Walton Jr., and assistant coaches John Walton Sr. and Jacques Bossonney.



National champs

Skipper Richard Thoma, left, of Crescent Sail Yacht Club and crew Chris Granger of Grosse Pointe Yacht Club were members of the winning team that won the Jack Lowry Memorial Thistle Class Junior National sailing championship. This year's national championship was hosted by the Sayville Yacht Club on Long Island, N.Y. More than 80 Thistle crews from around the country competed in the event. Not pictured is crew member Matt Glover of Crescent Sail Yacht Club.

South tennis team gets tourney-tested

By Chuck Klonke
Sports Editor

Grosse Pointe South's girls tennis team showed where its priorities were at last weekend's rain-shortened Ann Arbor Pioneer Invitational.

"I'm so proud of the girls," said coach Mark Sobieralski. "It was homecoming but they wanted to go to the meet. And then they had to wait around until 11:15 for the rain to stop."

"There was another team that just didn't show up because it was their homecoming."

Because of the weather and the fact that the field was depleted, there were no team scores kept.

But there were some impressive performances by South players.

At fourth singles, Elizabeth Mason dropped her first set 6-2 to a Pioneer player, but she came back to win 6-1, 6-1.

"She hurt her ankle and was limping around between points, but it didn't seem to slow her down when she was chasing the ball," Sobieralski said.

Freshman Vicky Seiter won her first match 6-0, 6-0 at No. 1 singles and dropped her second to a strong Pioneer player.

South also did well in dou-

bles. Brody Dawson and Carolyn Gorski won their only two matches in straight sets at No. 1. Margaret Batten and Meghan White remained unbeaten at No. 2 with a 6-0, 6-0 win over Muskegon Mona Shores and a 6-2, 6-2 win against Holly. Batten and White were leading Pioneer 6-3, 1-0 when the match was halted by rain.

In third doubles, Anna Hume and Hadley Brink beat Port Huron 6-2, 6-0 and defeated Pioneer 6-3, 4-6, 6-2. In fourth doubles, Maggie Schott and Carolyn Rohde improved to 4-1 since teaming up a couple of weeks ago.

In South's only dual meet last week, the Blue Devils beat Port Huron 5-3 in Macomb Area Conference Red Division competition.

The Big Reds won the first three singles matches by scores of 7-6, 7-5; 7-5, 7-5; and 7-5, 7-5. In Susan Merrill's No. 2 singles match, she trailed 5-2 in both sets before making a comeback against Port Huron's Jessica Erickson.

Schott and Rohde made another impressive showing as they won their fourth doubles match 7-5, 6-3.

"They haven't lost since their first match against Port Huron Northern," Sobieralski said.

Light week for Knights tennis team

By Chuck Klonke
Sports Editor

Last week was a light week for University Liggett School's girls tennis team and Mother Nature did her part to make it even lighter.

The Knights beat Detroit Country Day 7-1 in their only dual meet, then competed in the rain-shortened East Grand Rapids Invitational.

"It's always good to beat Country Day," said coach Chuck Wright. "And we had some good competition at East Grand Rapids with Port Huron Northern and Cranbrook there, although all the matches were shortened to eight-game pro sets."

ULS won the first three singles flights against Country Day. Beth Sanders was impressive in taking a 6-2, 0-6, 6-3 win at No. 3.

"She played a girl who was their No. 2 last season," Wright said.

Lauren Ealba split her first two sets with the Yellowjackets' Cece Thomas at No. 1 singles and won the match when Thomas retired because of a knee injury. Julie Megler was a 6-1, 6-0 winner at second singles.

ULS swept the doubles matches with Katie Maurer and Nayla Kazzi, Lizzie Campbell and Sejal Parikh, Chrissie Keersmaekers and Puja Venkat and Katie Jones and Remi Alle.

The victory kept the Knights undefeated in dual meets with a 5-0-1 record.

Among the ULS highlights at East Grand Rapids were Ealba's 8-6 victory over Cranbrook Kingswood's Lindsay Teemeyer. Megler and Sanders each posted singles wins.

Kazzi and Maurer picked up an impressive victory over Cranbrook in first doubles and Jones and Alle won a match at No. 4 doubles.

Knights suffer first Metro setback

Metro Conference game.

"I'd like to think it might have been different if we had been able to score then, but when we didn't the monster just grew for them."

The defeat left the Knights 3-2 overall and 3-1 in league play.

ULS marched down the field after Knapp's touchdown and got a first down inside the Mustangs' five when Trevor Broad passed to Fielding Fleming on a fake field goal attempt.

Three running plays failed to get the Knights into the end zone and ULS came away empty-handed when kicker Mark Brammer slipped on a 19-yard field goal attempt.

"He's automatic from there," Sewell said. "I felt that we had to get some

points on the board when we were that close."

The Knights' defense kept North from scoring again until there were five seconds left in the first half. The Mustangs' got good field position on a 38-yard punt return to the ULS 12 and three plays later quarterback Michael Taylor went in from the one and North had a 13-0 halftime lead.

Taylor passed for three touchdowns in the third quarter, including two to Joe Blanchard. The other was to Michael Daubenmeyer.

Middle linebacker Dan Dzieszowski was a force on defense for the Mustangs throughout the game. He led North in tackles and had an interception to set up one of the third-quarter touchdowns.

"We didn't do a very good job of blocking him," Sewell said. "He was in our faces all game."

Among the bright spots for the Knights were the running of Charles Lowe and the defensive play of Lowe, who had nine tackles, and Andy Critchell.

"Charles ran well when he got the blocks," Sewell said.

ULS returns to action today, Sept. 28, at Cranbrook Kingswood in a 4:30 p.m. game.

"We didn't spend a lot of time on the (North) film," Sewell said. "We just concentrated on getting ready for Cranbrook. Playing on Thursday might be good for us. It's a day earlier that we can get this one out of our minds."

NOTICE OF LAST DAY NOTICE OF CLOSE OF REGISTRATION FOR PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2000

To the Qualified Electors of Grosse Pointe, Grosse Pointe Farms,
Grosse Pointe Park, Grosse Pointe Woods, Grosse Pointe Township -
Wayne County and Lake Township in Macomb County

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Tuesday, October 10, 2000 is the last day to register to vote or change your address for the above stated election.

If you are not currently registered to vote or have changed your address in the above stated jurisdictions in which you live you may do so at the following locations and times listed in this notice.

Qualified electors may also register to vote or change their address in the following manners:

IN PERSON:

- * At your city/township clerk's office or at the office of any county clerk DURING NORMAL BUSINESS HOURS.
- * At any Secretary of State Branch offices located throughout the state during normal business hours.
- * At the specified agency for clients receiving services through the Family Independence Agency, The Department of Community Health, Michigan Jobs Commission and some offices of the Commission for the Blind.
- * At the military recruitment offices for persons enlisting in the armed forces.

BY MAIL:

- * By obtaining and completing a Mail Voter Registration Application and forwarding to the election official as directed on the application by the close of registration deadline. Mail voter registration applications may be obtained by contacting:

T.W. KRESSBACH
City Administrator/Clerk
City of Grosse Pointe
17147 Maumee
313-885-5800

JANE BLAHUT
City Clerk
City of Grosse Pointe Park
15115 East Jefferson
313-822-6200

MARY MATUJA
Township Clerk
Township of Grosse Pointe
795 Lake Shore
313-884-0234

NOTE:

A person who registers to vote by mail is required to vote in person unless they have previously voted in person in the city/township where they live or are at least 60 years of age or are handicapped.

G.P.N.: 09/28/00 & 10/05/00

SHANE L. REESIDE
Assistant City Manager/City Clerk
City of Grosse Pointe Farms
90 Kerby Road
313-885-6600

LOUISE WARNKE
City Clerk
City of Grosse Pointe Woods
20025 Mack Plaza
313-343-2445

RAYMOND SUWINSKI
Clerk
Lake Township (Macomb County)
795 Lake Shore
313-881-6565

313-882-6900 ext. 3

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Oh most beautiful flower of Mt. Carmel, fruitful vine, splendor of Heaven, Blessed Mother of the Son of God, Immaculate Virgin assist me in my necessity. Oh Star of the Sea, help me and show me, herein you are my Mother. Oh Mary, Mother of God, Queen of Heaven and Earth I humbly beseech you from the bottom of my heart, to succor me in my necessity (request here). There are none that can withstand your power. Oh Mary conceived without sin, Pray for us who have recourse. Holy Mary, place this prayer in your hands. Say this 3 times, 3 days, publish it. It will be granted to you. C.O.

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CAREGIVER- for elderly lady in exchange for apartment in Grosse Pointe. Call 810-987-8953, Monday- Friday 5:30- 8:30p.m.

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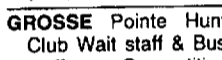
COOKS full or part time needed. Benefits. Apply within Village Grille, 16930 Kercheval, Grosse Pointe.

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BEDROOM set, washer/dryer, lamps, house hold items, other furniture, silverware, crystal, Beanie Babies. Friday, September 29, Saturday, September 30, 8am-4pm. Sunday, October 1, 12pm-4pm. 38527 Santa Anna, Clinton Township, North of Milar, between Garfield and Moravian.

HOUSE & garage collections include: coins, sports & trading cards, spoons, pocket knives, postcards, pens, stamps, cup & saucers, Memorabilia items: Elvis, Beatles, Marilyn Monroe. Also, steins, plates, political, old paper, Grandfather clock, watches, jewelry, Crefors, lots of knick knacks, records, books, ships, pipes, comic books, formal dining set, prints, Venetian glass, tools, lawn tools, patio furniture & much much more!! Friday & Saturday, September 29 & 30. Open at 10am. Numbers exchanged at 9:30am. 30440 Eiffel, Warren. Off 13 Mile Rd. 1 block west of Schoenherr, 2 blocks south of 13 Mile. South on Moulin- follow signs to sale. Elite Estate Sales.

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MAHOGANY 18th century style traditional furniture and accessories. Mahogany Chippendale table, 8 chairs and matching sideboard. Carved 3X6 French executive office set. Bookcase, secretary desk. Pair of carved bookcases. Queen size carved mahogany bed. Marble top console table, oil paintings, mirrors, tiffany style lamps and lots more. Wholesale prices to the public. 248-582-9646

SUPERB French desk, Thomasville bedroom, queen. Kittenger French dresser, Kin-dei chest on chest, 4 Oriental rugs, rare 18th c. Chinese urns, pair of alabaster lamps. Greenhill Apartments, 21514 Greenhill Rd. apt 142, building 38, Farmington Hills. 248-427-1444

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HARPER Woods, 20863 Country Club. Saturday, Sunday, 9am-3pm. No early birds. 30 years of accumulation. Housewares, china, books, priced to sell.

HARPER Woods, 20863 Prestwick 3 blocks west of Mack, corner of Craig. Friday, September 29. One day only, starts at 9am. Furniture & Vintage items.

LAWN mowers, rototillers, Flo Mo's. snow blowers, Billy Goat sweeper, spreaders. Friday, Saturday & Sunday, 12 noon to 4p.m. 18566 Old Homestead, Harper Woods. Between 7 & 8 mile. 810-446-8766

MOM to mom resale! September 30th, St. Margaret's, 21201 13 Mile, St. Clair Shores. 9:30am-1pm.

MOVING sale- everything must go! 19628 Lancaster, Harper Woods. September 29th, 30th, 9-5.

MOVING! Hunter green overstuffed sofa/ loveseat, Kerby vacuum (6 months old), oak/glass tables (2 end, 1 coffee), oak corner curio cabinet. All excellent condition. Make offers. Call for appointment, (810)778-3938



QUALITY crafts for sale. Saturday, the 30th, 10am- 4pm. 1810 Huntington, Grosse Pointe Woods. (1 block off Mack, corner house). Functional pottery, Hand sewn holiday items (Halloween, Thanksgiving, Christmas), dried flowers, unique topiary and wreaths, home-made soap, stained glass, specialty clothing and accessories, hand beaded jewelry.

ROSEVILLE, 10/ Kelly, 25065 Huron. September 28, 29, 30. 9am- 5pm. Three families!

RUMMAGE SALE Grosse Pointe Methodist 211 Moross (near Kercheval) Thursday, October 5th 9:00a.m.-1:00p.m.

SCHOOL rummage sale. Thursday October 5th. 9a.m.- 4p.m. 1444 Maryland, between Mack & Charlevoix

SEPTEMBER 29, 30, 9a.m.- 5p.m. Tools, household items. 21801 Raven, Eastpointe (East/ Kelly, North Toepfer).

ST. Clair Shores, 19525 Parkside. Between 8 & 9 Mile Rd/ East of Beaconsfield. Thursday, Friday, Saturday. 9- 5. Too much too list!

ST. Clair Shores, 2 family, 28973 Jane West of Little Mack, South of 12. Thursday, Friday & Saturday 9- 3. Good stuff, lots of it. 1 stop shopping!

ST. Clair Shores, 2 family, Thursday- Saturday, 9- 4. 22516 Millenbach, 12/ Jefferson. Furniture, clothing, miscellaneous.

ST. Clair Shores, 20519 Mauer. Friday, Saturday, Sunday. 10- 5. Stove, toys, clothing, exercise equipment, center pieces for wedding or shower.

ST. Clair Shores, 22051 Mauer. Friday, 10am-4pm. Refrigerator, furniture, and variety of items.

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ST. Clair Shores, 22222 Erben, 2 family garage sale, large size clothes. Saturday, Sunday 10- 4.

ST. Clair Shores, 22446 Alexander, east of Jefferson. Friday, Saturday, 9- 4.

ST. Clair Shores, 22972 Rosedale, Friday, Saturday, 8am- 2pm. Drop leaf table, microwave, clothing, household items, craft fabrics, and more.

ST. Clair Shores, 23236 Glenbrook, 2 blocks south of 14 mile. East off Harper. Saturday & Sunday 10- 4. Household, clothes, toys, bikes & more.

ST. Clair Shores, 25004 Ursuline. Multi- family! Thursday- Saturday, 9am- 4pm. Furniture, clothing, miscellaneous household items.

ST. Clair Shores, between 8 and 9 Mile Road, Jefferson and Marder at Westbury. September 28- 30. 9am- 5pm. Annual subdivision garage sale. 30 homes. Moving sales included. Antiques, collectables, miscellaneous.

WORD of Life Church treasure sale. Everything priced to go! Featuring: kitchen set, chairs, tables, desks, lamps, antique stoves, Maytag ringer washer, newer upright freezer, much, much more. Saturday, 10- 6. 17600 Chester at Herford.

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North boys finish sixth in Catholic Central Invitational

By Chuck Klonke
Sports Editor

Grosse Pointe North's boys cross country team bounced back from a disappointing dual meet defeat to make a solid showing in last week's Catholic Central Invitational.

"That's the best we've ever done there," coach Pat Wilson said of the weekend meet in which the Norsemen finished sixth.

"It was a strong field and a hilly, sloppy course. Novi, which is ranked No. 1 in the state and Catholic Central, which is in the top five or six, were both there. We ran better than we did there last year."

Pat Kenny led the North contingent with an eighth-place finish overall in 16:45.

"That's a PR (personal record) for him," Wilson said. "He ran with the top runners."

John Lucido finished 26th for North and also earned a medal.

Rounding out the top five for the Norsemen were Chris Tibaud, Andy Kapordelis and Roland Vandenbroeck. All three posted their best times in the meet.

Tibaud is a junior who's running cross country for the first time and Kapordelis and Vandenbroeck are both sophomores who are doing a nice job," Wilson said.

Others who posted personal bests in the meet were Kevin Kwiatkowski, Ken Chaklos and John Herbst.

In last week's Macomb Area Conference White Division dual meets, North beat Warren Woods-Tower 19-39 and lost 24-31 to Romeo.

"Romeo raced better than we did," Wilson said. "They were gunning for us. They knew that if they beat us, they had a chance to be league champions."

Wilson wasn't distraught over the defeat. "We've had some injuries and illnesses," he said. "I'm confident that by the end of the season we'll be where we want to be."

Kenny led the way for North, followed by Lucido, Kapordelis, Woody Floyd and Greg Blackburn.

Earlier, the Norsemen finished second at the Algonac

Muskrat Invitational.

Kenny ran an outstanding race, finishing third overall in 16:56.

"That was a 25-second drop from last year," Wilson said.

North girls bringing times down

By Chuck Klonke
Sports Editor

Laura Fisher and Laura Secord have been leading the way for Grosse Pointe North's girls cross country team all season.

Now coach Scott Cooper would like to see some of his other runners start pushing the two Lauras a little bit more.

"Right now our confidence isn't at its highest point," Cooper said. "Fisher has

been so far in front of everybody else that the other girls don't think they can run with her. Secord has been up there with her but we need all five to pick up their times. And I know they can do it."

That might have started last Saturday at the Catholic Central Invitational.

Fisher missed the meet with a recurrence of the leg injuries that have bothered her all season but North still finished seventh in the 15-team field.

"Last year we were fifth and we would have been fifth again if Laura had been able to run," Cooper said. "The encouraging thing is that all seven of our varsity runners ran their best times of the season."

Secord and Julia Weinert both earned medals in the race at Cass Benton Park. Rounding out the top seven were Erika Palazzolo, Sharon Thomas, Katie Walton, Kathryn Veryser and Susan Rhee.

Cooper was also pleased with the performance of a pair of freshman runners.

"Patricia Winterfield moved from 53rd place to 12th," Cooper said. "That's going from the back of the pack to the varsity. And Jennifer Makowski made a

big jump too, but not quite as dramatic as Patricia's.

In earlier dual meets, North beat Utica Ford II 19-41 in a MAC crossover and the Norsemen defeated Warren Cousino 19-42 in their MAC White opener.

with PRs. She was our 16th runner. The freshmen are starting to click. Next year, they should be really good."

Last week, North split its two dual meets. The Norsemen beat Warren Woods-Tower 16-47 but lost to Romeo 16-39.

"We knew Romeo would be tough," Cooper said. "They were fifth in the state meet last year and they're better this year. We didn't run well, either, but even if we had we wouldn't have

beaten them." Secord, Palazzolo, Weinert, Thomas and Walton were North's top five runners.

Cooper said that Rhee, Michelle Broderick, Lauren Safran, Meghan Seago and Christina Magri turned in good performances during the race.

Earlier, North defeated Warren Cousino 21-39.

Fisher led the way in that race with a 20:20 clocking. Secord was third overall and Weinert was fourth. Renee Bryzik and Thomas rounded out the Norsemen's top five.

Alcene Hang also ran a solid race.

"She's one of our senior captains," Cooper said. "She's having a good year."

South swimmers start out strong

Grosse Pointe South's girls swimming team is off to a good start, both individually and collectively.

The Blue Devils are 4-0 in the Macomb Area Conference Red Division and 4-1 overall with their only loss coming to Ann Arbor Huron.

Three South swimmers have achieved at least one state qualifying time, while two relay teams have also posted state cuts.

Lindsay Rodin has qualified for the state meet in the 100-yard butterfly and the 50, 100, 200 and 500 freestyle events.

Molly O'Loughlin has qualified in both the 50 and 100 freestyle and Amber Rodin has a state cut in the 50.

The 200 freestyle relay team of the Rodin sisters, O'Loughlin and Diane Upmeyer has achieved a state cut, along with the 400 freestyle relay team of Ashley Wenk, Allison Clark, O'Loughlin and Lindsay Rodin.

Several freshmen have done well so far. They are

Kristen Padilla in all strokes, Tina Jasin in the distance races, Jenny Conway in the middle distances and Alex Doherty in the sprints and breast-stroke.

Kealy Sloan and Katrina Laney have made a strong showing in diving competition.

South boys breeze past two rivals

Grosse Pointe South's boys cross country team got back on the right track in the Macomb Area Conference Red Division last week with a pair of one-sided victories.

The Blue Devils blanked Sterling Heights Stevenson 15-50 and posted a 16-46 win over Utica Ford II to improve to 3-1 in the division. South suffered its only loss against Sterling Heights a week ago.

South took the first four places in the meet. Nick Zerweck led the way, followed by Pat Dantzer, Nate Visger and Nick Galac. Bob Hanrahan was fifth for the Blue Devils.

"They all did a good job," coach Tom Wise said. "It was good to see Hanrahan move up to No. 5."

Andy Visger made an impressive showing in the junior varsity race.

GPSA highlights

UNDER-8
Sharks 3, Warriors 0
Goals: Mary Reilly, Will Quinn, Ellie Farber (Sharks)
Assists: Andy Hinman, Farber (Sharks)

Comments: The Sharks passed well in the game. The Warriors received strong offensive play from Sean Seaman, excellent defense from Clinton Carbonell and crisp passing from Evan Sudmer.

Rockers 5, Raiders 1
Goals: Henry Fildes 3, Danny French, Scott Driscoll (Rockers); Joey Aliotta (Raiders)

Comments: Mark Stormes also played well offensively for the Rockers, whose defense was led by Alexander Carabulea and Anna Tomovski. The Raiders had excellent teamwork and Jack Schulte made several good plays.

UNDER-10
Newcastle 4, Tottenham 1
Goals: Mark Ghafari 2, Drew Langton, Matt Buslepp (Newcastle)

Comments: Both teams had strong goaltending, especially Hunter Hughes in the first half for Newcastle. Ghafari just missed a hat trick when his shot went off a goal post.

Show

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won ribbons in each of her four classes on Harry Trout's horse, Mr. Snazzy Showtime.

McAfee won a ribbon in junior equitation. Pufahl won ribbons in each of her four jumper and equitation classes.

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Add brilliant color to your autumn landscape

Q. How can I add color and interest to my landscape in the fall?

A. Fall is when the landscape around us gets to show off. The beauty of the fall colors makes Michigan the best state for a fall color show. The trees are not alone in the show. You can have a colorful landscape right in your own yard.

The color of trees in the fall is just one part of the fall beauty. Maples are the most colorful trees with the varieties in the red maple family (*Acer Rubrum*) producing the reddish colors. Other trees such as dogwoods, service berry, hawthorn and ginkgo also have brilliant colors.

There are many shrubs that you can add for fall color. The best known for its bright red show is the burning bush (*Euonymus*). This plant is green throughout the spring and summer then changes to red after the first frost. Burning bushes grow to 5 to 7 feet and make a great screening plant. *Viburnum* is another variety of plant that has a nice fall color and



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By David Soulliere

many varieties have spring flowers.

Many plants produce colorful berries for the fall and winter. These berries attract birds to your yard as well as add color. Crabapple trees are the most well known trees that produce berries. Most varieties now produce marble size fruit as compared with older tree varieties that have berries the size of a quarter. *Pyracantha* and holly are known for their color. *Pyracantha* has bright orange berries and holly has red. Holly plants make nice foundation plantings because they are evergreens. Many designers will group plants together into a mass planting.

Perennials can add color to your landscape too. Fall mums add

instant color in a planter or just added to your garden. Other perennials with color are the many varieties of sedum and asters. Fall is also the time of year ornamental grass plants show off. Their plumes stand out against the other fall colors.

When designing your garden do not forget to add plants that will be colorful in the fall. This will give your garden year-round interest. Fall is a great time to visit garden

centers and see all the fall colors that you can add to your garden showplace.

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• To repair large gouges in furniture, sand an out-of-sight area of the damaged piece and collect the

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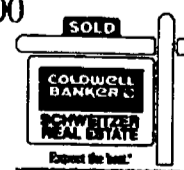
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Change your bath whenever you please

In the bathrooms of yesteryear, toilets, sinks and showers were fixtures in the truest sense of the word — permanent and unchanging. Remodeling meant a new coat of paint and homeowners replaced faucets because of the way they leaked, not the way they looked.

But now that fashion has caught up with function as the driving force behind bathroom design, consumers are seeking ways to easily and thoroughly update their bathrooms — right down to the plumbing — and fixture designers are making it easier than ever for them to accomplish the task.

In a room where major design elements are firmly attached to water pipes and drains, the task of redecorating can be a daunting one. According to Wanda Jankowski, a nationally known expert on consumer remodeling trends and the editor of Kitchen & Bath Business, people often put off remodeling their bathrooms for years because they fear the job will be costly and complicated. So, instead of giving the room a complete and fresh facelift, they seek other, easier ways to freshen up

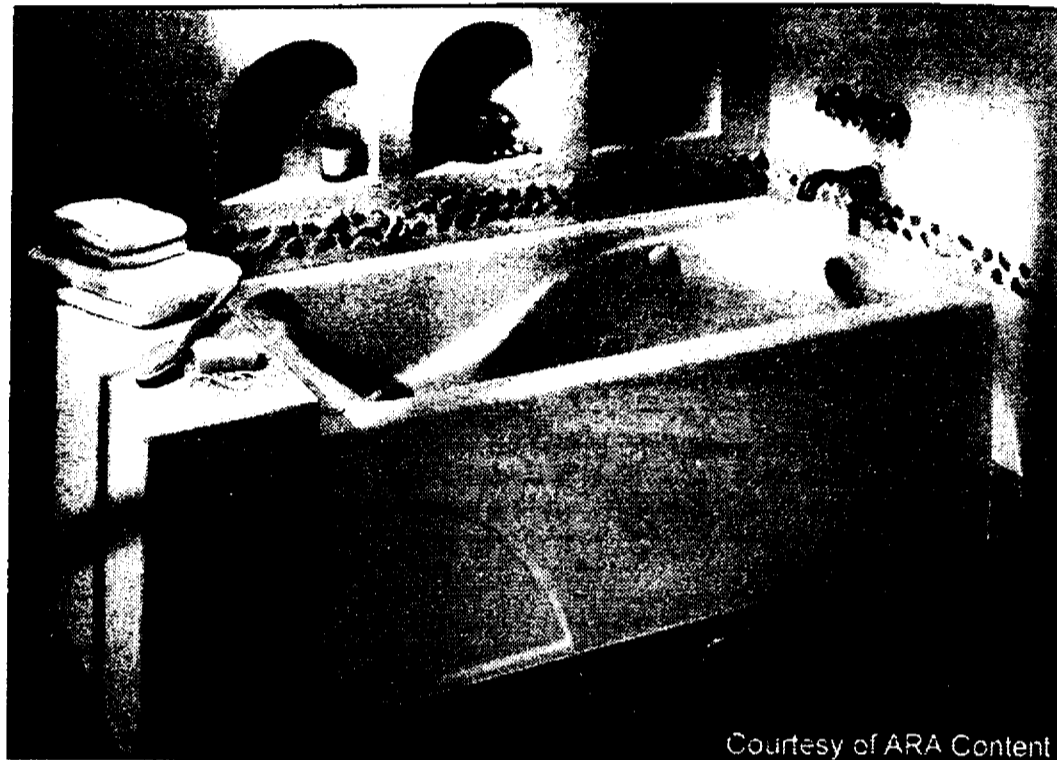
their bathroom.

"New towels, accessories, knick-knacks, rugs and draperies are all things that help to change the look of the bath that can be done often and without spending a lot of money," said Jankowski. "These items also help consumers put some personality in their bathroom and create self-expression."

Upgrading the easy way

Giving the room a totally new look is generally a bit more complicated. Even if the sink and bathtub stay, swapping out traditional faucets and shower heads can be a chore — or even enough to send fingers dialing for the professional help of a plumber or stress-management counselor.

Some of the bath industry's more advanced suppliers are reacting to consumer trends by making it easier to remove and replace their shower and sink fixtures. One company, Moen, has even gone so far as to introduce a modular system, known as the M-PACT system, that allows faucets and shower heads to be replaced without ever




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touching the guts of the bathroom's plumbing. As a result, homeowners are no longer limited to changing their bathroom linens when they want to remodel conveniently.

"Our research shows that people want easy ways to upgrade the look of their bathroom and that's why Moen introduced the M-PACT

system," said David Lingafelter, Moen Faucet marketing vice president. "M-PACT is a new valve architecture that lets you upgrade the style of the entire bath without going under the sink or behind the shower wall."


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ters, wrap yourself in a beautiful throw created by illustrator Anne Hathaway. She has created a collection of storybook style animal watercolors, which she has transitioned to prints, umbrellas, throws and needlepoint pillow covers. e-liza.com has even made carrying on the whimsy of Anne's decorator items simple, offering a collection of torch-cut, oxidized steel sculpture created by Claudine Buell. Throughout Claudine's works, you'll find an intense color palette and a family of characters ranging from musicians to animals.

And for those who would rather spend crisp indoor evenings playing games than writing letters, e-liza.com artisan Carl Martin has created The Home Shakespeare Festival, which includes The Merry Wives of Windsor, Macbeth and The Merchant of Venice, each in the form of a one-box play. Each play includes detailed instruction cards and roles, including directors and full cast. The perfect activity for whole families, the games also include props and a set of questions to discuss after the play.

No matter how you decide to spend your autumn days and nights, e-liza.com (www.e-liza.com) will provide you with all you need to spread the autumnal Midas touch throughout your yard, home and activities.

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So, warm some cider or munch a crisp apple, and log on to e-liza.com. Especially for this changing season, e-liza.com has added a fresh group of artisans and treasures, each as unique as the newly burnished leaves that frame your yard.

The cooling days and promise of Indian Summer is enough to bring children, adults and animals out of doors. After a day of play, everyone deserves a soft, comfortable place to rest — even your pets. This is something Carol Copple understands well. An e-liza.com artisan, Copple and her company Beastly Furnishings offer hand-crafted furnishings designed especially for your pet, whether it is small or large, dainty or rough-and-tumble.

Chilled autumn evenings are so relaxing, they practically require you to curl up and write to loved ones. Any letter is better received on a unique, meaningful piece of stationery. Amy Jennings Illustrations exemplifies the art of letter writing for e-liza.com, offering elegant and colorful illustra-

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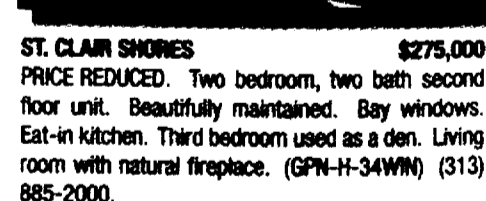
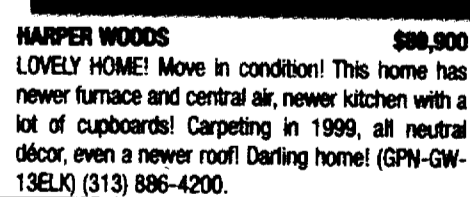
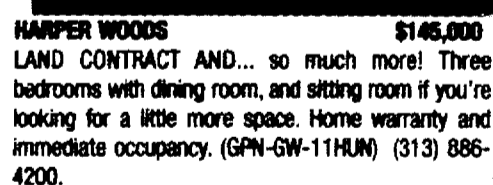
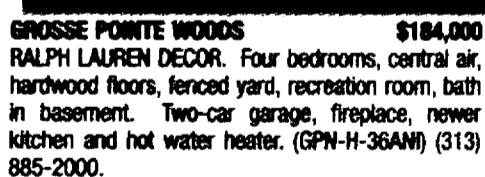
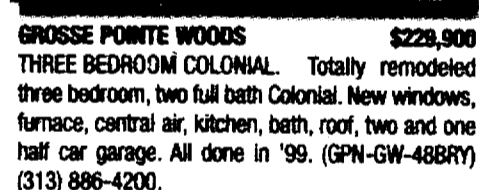
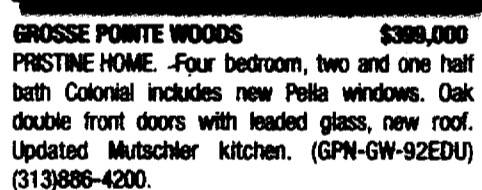
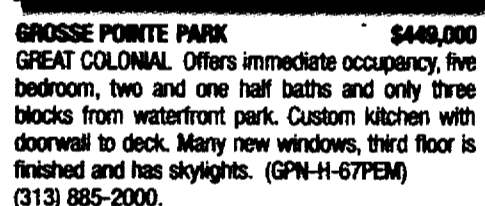
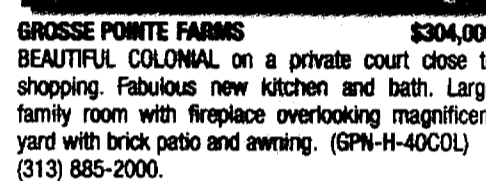
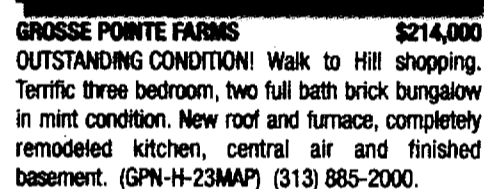
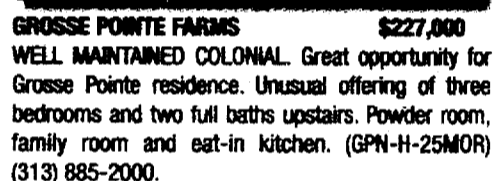
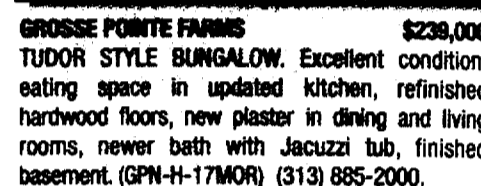
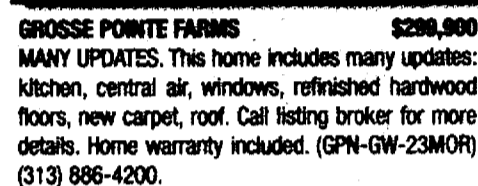
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Americans today are under constant stress, which weakens the body's immune system and increases the harmful impact of dust and mildew. Working parents are finding less time to provide a healthy environment to their families. The largest provider of home cleaning services, Merry Maids, helps time-pressed (and stressed) families and individuals in their cleaning battles.

"It is important that people develop a simple yet effective cleaning routine whether it be their own or by hiring a home cleaning service such as Merry Maids," said Grosse Pointe Woods Merry Maids owner, Joseph Ferrier, one of several Merry Maids in the area. "Many people relate housecleaning duties to the appearance of their environment, not the health aspect of it."

The Soap and Detergent Association recently discovered that Americans spend more than 90 percent of their time indoors — a figure which places emphasis on maintaining a healthy home. Though 88 percent of Americans understand that battling mold and mildew is important for good health, only 45 percent believe that regular dusting is as necessary.

To prevent dust and mildew's unhealthy effect, the experts at Merry Maids recommend the following:

- Dealing with dust:
 - Always clean top to bottom. When you dust, start at the top and work down.
 - When dusting acoustical tiles, clean with the dust-brush attachments of your vacuum cleaner.
 - To dust papered walls, tie a dust cloth over your broom and work from top down.
 - Remove dust from wicker by vacuuming with the dust brush attachment.
 - Spray your broom or dust mop with your favorite furniture polish and the dust and dirt will be easier to collect when you sweep.

— Use paintbrushes to dust cracks and hard to reach places in telephones, stereos, etc.

- Defeating mighty mildew:
 - To remove mildew from the corners of the tub, dip cotton balls in bleach and let them sit. When you finish cleaning the bath, remove the cotton and rinse well. The mildew will be gone.

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Joseph Ferrier

— Before hanging shower curtains, soak them in a salt-water solution to prevent mildew. To remove mildew, wash in hot soapy water, rub with lemon juice and let the shower curtain dry in the sun.

— Remove mildew on bathroom tiles and make them sparkle by sponging with a solution of ammonia and water.

— For mildew grout in tub and shower enclosures, scrub with a 1:5 solution of liquid chlorine bleach and water, then rinse. For colored grout: if the grout is old and dirty, you will want to clean it with a heavy-duty (no bleach) cleaner and a grout brush. Once the grout is clean, apply a coat of masonry sealer to prevent it from absorbing stains and dirt in the future.

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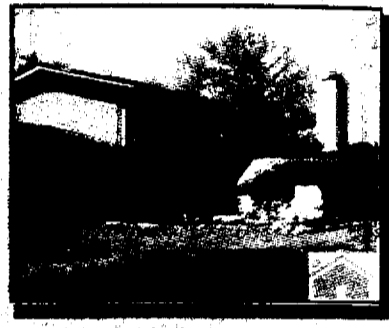


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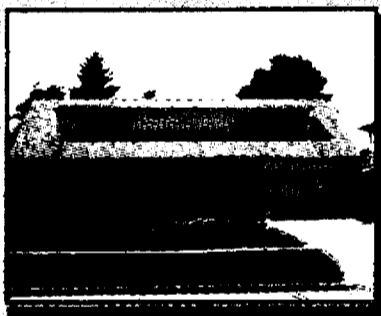
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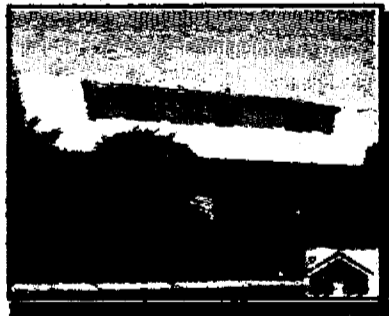
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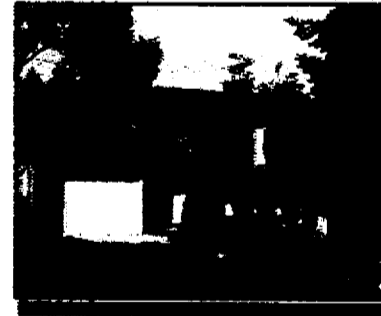
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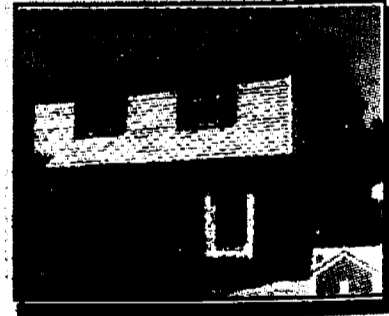
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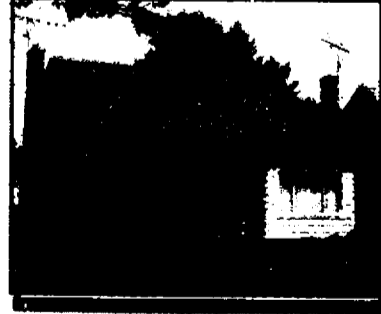
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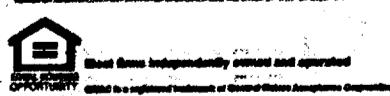
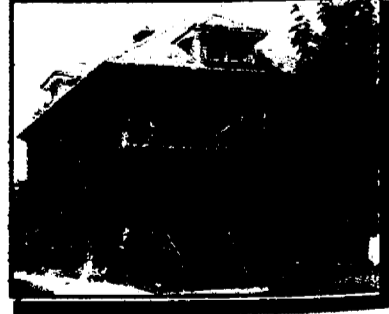
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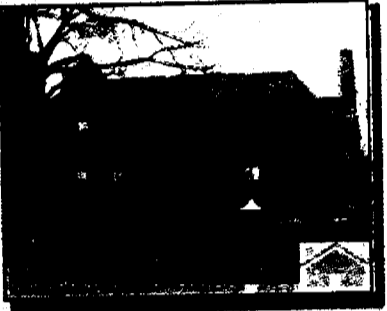
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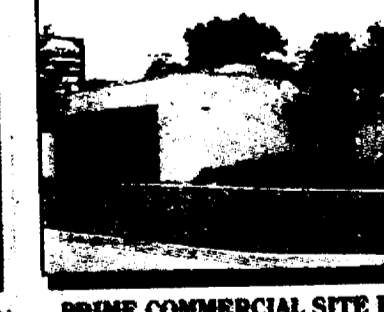
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Each decorative trim piece in the new Moen system fits on a common valve underbody. Once the system is installed, consumers can easily change the external spouts, faucet handles and shower heads — the pieces that define the overall look of most bathrooms — without touching the actual plumbing. All M-PACT sink handles and spigots simply unscrew and lift out of the system and can be easily replaced with a new style. Replacing the shower is just as easy — merely unscrew the handles and shower arm, remove the components from the wall and replace them with new trim.

The age of personal choice

According to the Yankelovich Monitor, which surveyed 2,500 American consumers on trends in consumer demand, the ability to make and alter products to suit their own tastes is a hot button in today's market.

Consumers want the ability to make the products they buy and use match their individual needs and lifestyles. In the same way that consumers can now record their own CDs or design their own furniture from selected designs and fabric choices, they can also design their bathrooms by mixing and matching various modular lines of fixtures.

"People want things that add value," said Jankowski. "Consumers are more apt to purchase modular items that they can update regularly. I've seen consumers today changing out things in the bathroom for special holidays and as seasons change — they don't want the plain, bland bathroom of a few years ago."

Lingafelter said Moen has seen the same trends reflected in its research, prompting it to offer its

new M-PACT system in two product lines — Asceri and Monticello — each featuring varying style options.

"With Asceri's five finish choices and Monticello's six (including the additional availability of mix and match combinations for the latter collection), consumers can change the bath whenever they change their mind about how they want the room to look," said Lingafelter. "Even the least savvy DIYer can unscrew and replace the M-PACT components to achieve a new look."

Suites

Aside from modularity, the other hot trend in home decor is suites — matched and integrated fixtures and accouterments that bring continuity to the design of a room.

"People want a totally coordinated and integrated look in the bath," said Jankowski. "Having many different choices in one line of products assures that the consumer will be able to find the style they want and then the product within that style — from luxury to value-oriented — that most fits their needs."

Moen, for example, offers its Asceri and Monticello lines as complete suites of products that easily lend a completely coordinated look to the bathroom. The company has to ensure that each suite is complete and offers a full line of various widespread sink faucet kits, Roman tubs, shower heads and bath faucets, bidets and matching bathroom accessories in order to be competitive in today's market, Lingafelter said.

"The good news is that consumers are expanding their tastes," said Jankowski. "This means that manufacturers will have more opportunity to provide new ideas and bathroom options."

For more information, call (800) BUY-MOEN (800-289-6636), or visit its web site at www.moen.com.

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A gracious classic home on a street that is a few blocks from the lake and Hill. Spacious second floor - three bedrooms (two king size) 2 baths, abundant closets, large deck. First floor - library, seasonal garden room overlooking lovely private courtyard garden. Kitchen with eating area, powder room, two car garage.



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Mortgage Rates as of September 22, 2000

	Phone Number	30 Yr. Fixed	Points	15 Yr. Fixed	Points	1 Yr. ARM	Points	Other Progs
A. Patrick Mortgage Co.	(248) 203-7730	7.625	0	7.375	0	6.875	0	JB
Aabco Mortgage	(800) 731-0001	7.875	0	7.5	0	7.375	1	JB/V/F
Allied Mortgage Capital Corp.	(888) 854-2828	7.625	2	7.5	2	6.25	2	JB/V/F
American Capital Services Inc.	(800) 321-7210	7.5	0.5	7.375	0	7.875	0	JB/V/F
American Mortgage Corp.	(248) 740-2323	7.25	2	6.875	2	NR		JB
Apex Financial Group Inc.	(248) 273-4000	7.375	2	7	2	6.875	2	JB/V/F
Approved Mortgage Inc.	(734) 455-5891	7.625	0	7.375	0	6.75	0	JB/F
Banco Mortgage Centre	(248) 258-2842	7.875	0	7.75	0	8	0	JB/V
Bank One	(800) 583-4636	7.5	2	6.875	2	7.125	1	JB/V/F
Bay Pointe Mortgage Corp.	(888) LOAN-099	7.375	2	7.125	2	6.5	2	JB/V
Best Choice Lending	(877) 888-8888	7.5	0	7.375	1	6.5		JB/V/F
Capital Mortgage Funding	(248) LOW-RATE	7.25	3	6.75	3	6.875	2	JB/F
Charm Bank	(734) 285-1000	7.5	2	7	2	7.25	2	JB/F
Chase Manhattan	(248) 649-1280	NR		NR		NR		J/V/F
Citibank	(248) 300-4500	7.625	2	7.125	2	6.625	1	JB/FN/B
Citizens Bank	(800) 999-6949	7.5	2	7.375	1.25	6.875	1	J/V/F
Comerica	(800) 292-1300	7.625	1.75	7.25	1.875	6.75	1.875	JB/V/F
Community Bank of Dearborn	(313) 274-1000	7.5	2	7.125	2	8.125	2	JB
Community Federal Credit Union	(734) 453-1200	7.5	2	7	2	7.25	2	JB
Countrywide Home Loans	(248) 262-8580	7.625	1.375	7.125	1.5	6.625	1.125	J/V/F
Credit Union ONE	(248) 544-1442	7.625	2	7.25	2	6.75	2	J
Dearborn Fed. Credit Union	(313) 322-8301	7.5	2	7.125	2	6.25	2	JB
Dearborn Federal Savings	(313) 565-3100	8	0	7.75	0	6	2	
Detroit Mortgage Corp.	(810) 263-4600	8	0	7.875	0	7.75	0	JB
East-West Mortgage Co.	(800) 844-1015	7.75	0	7.375	0.25	6.75	1	JB/V
East-West Mortgage Co.	(248) 855-9900	7.5	2	7.125	2	6.125	2	JB
Fidelity National Mortgage	(800) 251-5104	8.25	0	8	0	8	2	JB/V/F
Financial Services Group Inc.	(800) 784-1074	7.75	0	7.5	0	7.5	0	JB/V/F
FINet.com	(800) 887-7662	7.375	1	7.125	1	4.5	1	J
First Alliance Mortgage Co.	(800) 282-7357	7.375	2	7	2	6.875	2	JB/V/F
First Equity Residential Mort.	(800) 557-0270	7.25	2	7	2	6.625	2	JB/F
First Federal of Michigan	(800) DUAL-FFM	7.40	2	7.05	2	6.45	2	J/V/F
First International Inc.	(248) 258-1584	7.75	0	7.625	0	8	0	JB
Flagstar Bank FSB	(800) 72-FIRST	7.375	2	7	2	6.625	2	JB/V/F
Gallatin Mortgage Co.	(734) 994-1202	7.5	2	7	2	7.375	2	JB
GMAC Mortgage Corp.	(800) 888-4622	7.25	3	6.75	3	6.75	3	JB/V/F
Golden Rule Mortgage	(800) 785-7755	7.25	1.625	6.875	1.75	6	1.25	JB/V/F
Great American Mortgage Co.	(800) 240-9448	7.625	0	7.25	0	7.25	0	JB/V/F
Group One Mortgage	(734) 953-4000	7.5	2	7.125	2	6.25	2	B/V/F
Guardian Mortgage	(248) 642-7500	7.375	2	6.75	2	NR		JB/V/F
Home Federal Savings Bank	(313) 873-3310	7.25	2	7	2	NR		J
Home Finance of America	(800) 358-5826	7.625	0	7.375	0	6.625	1.5	JB
Huntington Mortgage Co.	(800) 538-1812	7.5	2	7	2	7	2	JB/V/F
International Mortgage Inc.	(248) 548-7676	7.25	0	7.625	0	8	0	JB
Investors Mortgage Corp.	(810) 254-8150	7.25	1.875	6.875	2	6.625	2	B
JMB Mortgage Corp.	(248) 480-4020	7	3.875	6.5	3.875	6.75	3.5	JB
Kellum Mortgage	(800) 675-2593	7.75	2	7.375	2	7.25	2	JB
Keybank Mortgage	(800) 403-8821	7.375	2	7	2	7.25	2	JB
LoanGiant.com	(888) 47-GIANT	7.375	2	7.25	2	7	1	JB
Madison Savings Bank	(800) 829-9259	7.75	0	7.375	0	7.625	0	JB/V/F
Mainstreet Mortgage	(800) 447-2270	7.875	0	7.5	0	6.75	1	JB/V/F
Manufacturers	(810) 777-1000	7.375	1.75	7.125	1.75	6.5	1.75	JB
Mentor Financial	(877) 362-5626	7.75	2	7.25	2	6.875	2	JB
Metro Finance	(248) 538-7820	7.5	1	7.125	1	7.5	1	JB/F
MLA Inc.	(888) 892-2130	7.625	2	7.375	2	NR		JB/V/F
Money Source Financial Services	(734) 981-4200	7.5	2	7	2	6.625	2	JB
MoneyHouse Mort. - Ann Arbor	(734) 913-2022	8.125	0	7.875	0	7.25	0	JB
National City Bank	(810) 825-0825	7.375	1.875	7.125	1.875	7	1.25	JB/B
National Future Mortgage	(800) 291-7900	7	3	6.5	3	6.875	3	
North American Mortgage	(800) 700-6262	7.625	2	7.375	2	NR		JB/V/F
Paramount Bank	(800) 421-BANK	NR		NR		NR		JB/V/F
Pinnacle State Bank	(810) 879-4345	7.25	2	7.125	2	NR		JB
Pioneer Mortgage	(248) 344-1544	7.625	2	7.125	2	6.875	2	JB
Planet Financial Inc.	(248) 203-9199	7.5	0	7.375	0	7.25	0	JB
Prime Financial Group The	(888) 82-PRIME	7.5	2	7	2	6.5	2	J/V/F
Real Funding Mortgage Corp.	(248) 553-8000	7.25	0	7.5	0	7.375	1	JB
Republic Bancorp Mortgage	(800) 758-0753	7.5	2	7.125	2	7.375	2	J/V/F
Rock Financial	(800) 731-ROCK	7.625	2	7.375	1.5	6.625	2.25	J/F
Rock Home Loans @ Mich. Natl	(800) 713-2119	7.875	1	7.625	1	7.625	1	J/F
Ross Mortgage Corp.	(800) 521-5302	7.5	2	7.125	2	7.125	1	J/V/F
Shore Mortgage	(800) 678-6663	7.25	3	7	3	6.5	2	J/V/F
St. Clair Mortgage Corp.	(248) 280-0066	7.5	2	7.375	2	7	1	JB/V/F
St. James Mortgage Corp.	(800) 837-7005	7.375	2	7	2	7.375	0	JB
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Stratford Funding	(800) 685-0757	7.75	0	7.5	0	6.875	0	J/V/F
TCF Bank	(800) 334-5253	7.625	2	7.25	2	NR		JB/V
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Washington Mortgage Company	(888) 927-4288	7.5	2	7.25	2	7.125	2	JB
York Financial Inc.	(248) 865-9100	7.75	0	7.5	0	6.875	0	JB
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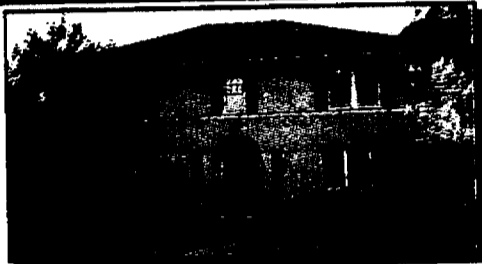
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Wonderful open floor plan in this stunning four bedroom residence just a stone's throw from the lake. This home sparkles throughout and offers both a cozy library with fireplace and a family room filled with natural light.

Grosse Pointe Park



Don't miss this exceptional home offering a first floor master suite as well as four additional bedrooms on second floor. Gleaming wood floors, dramatic entrance hall and living room, library, lovely newer kitchen and an abundance of charming

Grosse Pointe Woods



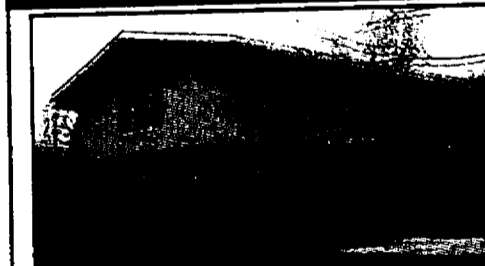
Gracious and stately pillared Colonial located on a prime cul-de-sac! The lovely home has a grand two tory entrance, marble floors, a large paneled family room, a cozy library and a first floor laundry room. \$592,000.

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Spacious four bedroom, two and one half bath Colonial, fully updated. Great room opens to new kitchen. Finished basement with many updates including furnace, hot water heater, and windows. Neutral decor. QS#11002190. (313) 882-0087

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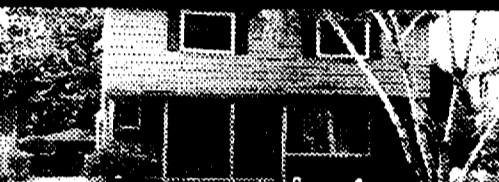


\$767,000 GROSSE POINTE

Exceptional home with many recent updates and improvements in last three years. Features include fresh paint, carpet, refinished parquet floors and plantation shutters. Top quality Mutchler kitchen, newly refinished family room and basement. New 30 yr roof, new storm windows and basketball court. QS#11002121. (313) 882-0087

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Attractive Colonial near shopping. Newly updated. Bright and comfortable. Hardwood floors. Newer furnace, with central air, roof, deck and driveway. QS#11002170. (313) 882-0087

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\$127,000 DETROIT

East English Village! Clean and fresh three bedroom, one and one half bath Colonial. Large living room with natural fireplace. Formal dining room, Hardwood floors. Newer windows in garden room. QS#11002054. (313) 882-0087

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\$249,000 GROSSE POINTE WOODS

Ranch, with neutral decor. Move in condition. Ideal layout with three bedrooms, hardwood floors, garden room looks at professionally landscaped property, attached garage. Near shopping. (313) 882-0087

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\$765,000 GROSSE POINTE PARK

Tudor style, architecturally inspired, spacious and casually elegant. Three floors of living space. Library, formal living room with dominant fireplace. Natural woodwork: wainscoting, balustrade, recently refinished hardwood floors. Two octagonal four season sitting rooms. New two car garage. QS#11002151. (313) 882-0087

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Meticulously maintained Ranch. Spacious living. Garden room overlooks generous back yard. Professionally paneled basement with full bath and several amenities. One year home warranty included! QS#11002014. (313) 882-0087

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Charming 1916 Arts and Crafts home in move-in condition. This home is filled with original architectural details. Beautiful wood detail throughout. Enchanting private English garden off the split deck. Updates: kitchen, bath, freshly painted and hardwood floors. QS#11002039. (313) 882-0087

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\$114,900 EASTPOINTE

Well maintained brick bungalow with lots of charm. Newer furnace and central air. Large corner lot. Formal dining room, natural fireplace, half bath in basement. Home being sold "as is". QS#11002010. (313) 882-0087

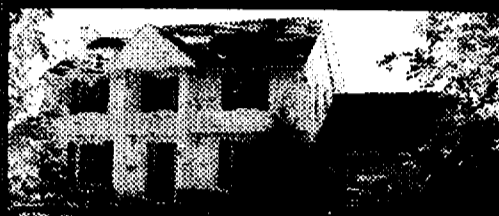
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\$157,500 EASTPOINTE

Outstanding brick ranch. This custom three bedroom, two full bath home is exceptional. Just some of the amenities: central air, attached garage, fireplace, recreation room in the basement with half bath, and more. QS#11002200. (313) 882-0087

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\$725,000 GROSSE POINTE PARK

Short distance to Lake Shore and the Shores Park. The older quality home enhanced with modern new addition featuring: custom gourmet kitchen, huge formal master bedroom suite, first floor laundry and professionally landscaped. QS#11002160. (313) 882-0087

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\$284,000 GROSSE POINTE

Colonial near Village shopping. Updates include: Pella windows, steam heat. Living room features natural fireplace and built-in bookshelves. Nice hardwood floors. Finished basement with full bath. QS#11002167. (313) 882-0087

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\$169,000 EASTPOINTE

Great location in Eastpointe with South Lake schools. Large custom brick ranch, large kitchen with eating space. Living room and family room with fireplaces. One and a half baths. Florida room and brick patio. Wonderful finished basement with wet bar, fireplace and bonus room. Attic fan, alarm system, intercom system and sprinkler system. QS#11002223. (313) 882-0087

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Very well maintained bungalow which features a natural fireplace in living room. Hardwood floors on main floor. Large bedroom with sitting area on second floor. Basement is finished/divided with paneling and gas log fireplace. One year Home Warranty included QS#11002025. (313) 882-0087

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\$369,000 EASTPOINTE

Four bedroom Colonial. Move-in condition. First floor laundry. Newer vinyl windows. Recent tear off roof. Newer furnace. Marble foyer. One year home warranty for purchaser. QS#11002201. (313) 882-0087



GROSSE POINTE SHORES

Fabulous contemporary! Panoramic view of Lake St. Clair from all rooms. Completely remodeled. Bright family room includes hot tub, surround sound, full bath and sauna. From the phone system to the power generator, Gaggenau appliances, Amish custom built in cabinets and bedroom furniture, this home is most definitely a one of a kind. For a Virtual Tour, log onto www.homesellers.com QS#1100281. (313) 882-0087



\$870,000 GROSSE POINTE SHORES

Within view of Lake St. Clair. Four bedroom executive Colonial w/grand entrance marble foyer. Three car garage, three full baths and two half baths. First floor features, laundry room, large family room with wet bar, library w/built in book cases off entry, solarium, formal living room and dining room. QS#11001786. (313) 882-0087



\$525,000 GROSSE POINTE PARK

Beautifully preserved Tudor. Large professionally decorated rooms. Outstanding master suite and a pub like basement. Private yard and wonderful screened in porch. The perfect home for entertaining. QS#11001524. (313) 882-0087

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\$499,500 SHELBY TWP.

Majestic Colonial in pristine move in condition on Somerset Lake. 3,657 sq. ft. plus 200 sq. ft. walk out basement. Two story foyer with hardwood floors, crown moldings. Multiple fireplaces, central vacuum, sprinkler and alarm system, paddleboat, exterior jacuzzi. Deck overlooking lake. For a virtual tour log on to www.prudgp.com. QS#11001765. (313) 882-0087



\$469,000 GROSSE POINTE WOODS

Well designed and spacious Scott built home. Large marble foyer with dramatic winding staircase. Four bedrooms, two full and two half baths. First floor laundry. Master bedroom features his and hers closets, dressing area and a walk in closet. New furnace and central air. Huge kitchen. Finished recreation room. For a virtual tour log on to www.prudgp.com. QS#11001387. (313) 882-0087



\$345,000 GROSSE POINTE FARMS

A lovely three bedroom, two and one half bath Colonial in established Farms neighborhood. Located close to Kerby elementary. First floor laundry room, half bath, newer kitchen features ample counter space with many cupboards, living room with fireplace, step down family room, formal dining room expands into den. Upstairs, master bedroom with two closets and full bath. Full bath off hall features two sinks. Carpeted basement. Attached two car garage. QS#11001910. (313) 882-0087



\$339,000 GROSSE POINTE WOODS

Well maintained four bedroom, two and one half bath Colonial. Hardwood floors. Kitchen updated w/countertops and sink, large eating area. Family room with parquet floor and fireplace that leads to three season garden room. Full basement. Two car attached garage. QS#11001518. (313) 882-0087



\$299,000 GROSSE POINTE PARK

Wonderful Colonial in the Park, below Jefferson. Newer Euro kitchen w/eating area and doorwall to large deck overlooking back yard. Living room w/natural fireplace and gas logs. Den has beautiful hardwood floors. Finished basement w/recreation room and wet bar. Newer furnace and central air. Move in condition. Close to school and parks. Also available for Lease. QS#11001381. (313) 882-0087



\$280,000 GROSSE POINTE FARMS

Move right in! This English style Colonial has three bedrooms, one and one half baths and newer tiled kitchen with cherry cabinets, eating space and desk area. Freshly painted and all wood floors on main floor refinished. A must see! QS#11001862. (313) 882-0087



\$245,000 GROSSE POINTE FARMS

Gracious three bedroom one and one half bath Colonial. Spacious family room leads to deck. Brand new kitchen and bath. Built in illuminated shelves surround new marble fireplace in living room. Newly vinyl sided two and one half car garage. Move in condition. QS#11001740. (313) 882-0087



\$234,900 GROSSE POINTE FARMS

Lovely four bedroom, two and one half bath English with handsome moldings. Leaded glass doors, hardwood floors. Living room with natural fireplace adjacent to library/den. Large dining room. Updated kitchen with pass thru window to family room. Large deck and open basement. Updated electric. Home warranty included. QS#11000638. (313) 882-0087



\$197,900 GROSSE POINTE PARK

Great investment! Both units have natural fireplace, kitchen with eating space, refinished hardwood floors, separate basements, utilities and lavatories in basement. Some updates in both units. QS#11001745. (313) 882-0087



\$196,500 GROSSE POINTE WOODS

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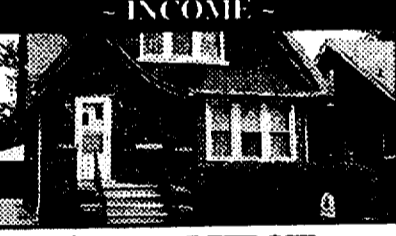
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Household Help

By Samantha Mazzotta

Q. This is my first year in a home with a fireplace. When I lit a fire to test it, smoke poured back into the living room even though the damper was open. This is a new house, so I'm sure the chimney is clean. Any insight would be appreciated. — John K., Lithonia, Ga.

A. Your smoke problem may be as simple as a lack of upward air draft. In an unused chimney flue, cold air often settles down near the damper. Since cold air tends to sink while hot air rises, the air in your chimney is pushing downward, reversing the airflow and blasting lighter warm air back into your living room — along with smoke, burning cinders, bits of newspaper and anything else you're trying to burn.

The solution is to warm the air inside the flue before building a fire, creating an updraft that will draw away smoke and cinders.

Stack the wood and kindling first, then open the damper. Next, roll a couple sheets of newspaper into a tight cone. Light the wide end of the cone and hold it up just inside the flue, moving it from side to side, for about 30 seconds. When the paper is burning brightly and you can see the smoke flowing upwards, the flue is ready. Go ahead and light the fire.

I recommend an inspection of the chimney, inside and out, to make sure there are no obstructions or unseen damage.

Q. Since the heating season began, I noticed black smoke exiting my chimney. This is my first winter in this home that has a fireplace. Can you detail the best method of cleaning the flue on top of my roof?

A. The simplest way of detecting soot and creosote deposits is to lower a bright droplight into the flue liner. Carefully examine the condition of the flue liner itself, besides the dirt and soot. If you

find mortar missing in the joints between the tiles and/or cracks in the tiles, you will need to call in a professional. If all of the above looks fine, you can proceed to clean the flue.

Begin by taping a large 3 millimeter thick plastic bag over the fireplace opening. Next, make sure you have already removed any screen or other covering on top of the flue cap. You'll have to purchase a specific brush attachment with lengths of flexible rod and buy one that fits your flue opening. It is also required that you wait an hour or more to allow the fallen soot to settle before removing the bag. You will need a special type of vacuum to clean up after removing the bag. Ask your home decorating center for details.

Q. I recently sanded my child's hardwood floor due to many nicks and scratches on it. The floor is all prepared, but I'm a bit perplexed as to what kind of polyurethane to use. I'm told that there are water- and oil-based types on the market. Can you tell me which of the two I should use?

A. Generally speaking, both kinds of polyurethane will provide a good, protective finish. The oil-based kind has been around longer than the water-based type. However, there are some minor disadvantages to using the oil-based.

The oil-based polyurethane will slightly darken the wood, and it is composed of a semi-clear oil. This type also contains about 50 percent solids and 50 percent solvents making it dry to a thicker coat. It also dries much slower than water-based which can allow more airborne dust to settle on the finish. Finally, the oil-based will give off strong fumes and is also flammable.

Send questions or home repair tips to homeguru2000@hotmail.com, or write *This Is A Hammer*, c/o King Features Syndicate, 628 Virginia Drive, Orlando, Fla. 32803.

Builder's prelicense class offered

Get the help you need to pass the Michigan state builder's license examination with a 16-hour comprehensive seminar offered by St. Clair Shores Community Education in cooperation with Oakland Builders Institute. The seminar is scheduled for Monday/Wednesday, Oct. 9 and 18, from 6 to 10 p.m. at Lakeview High School, 21100 11 Mile.

The course is for those who want to subcontract the construction of their own homes,

real estate investors and developers and building tradespeople who want to work legally in Michigan. The cost of the seminar is \$170 plus \$20 for the course textbook and sample questions.

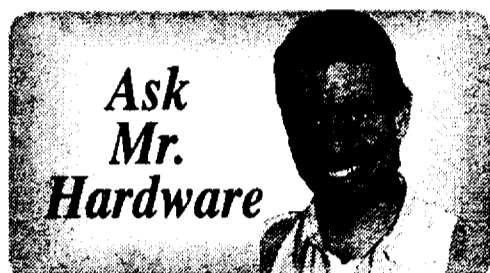
Preregistration with payment is required no later than Thursday, Oct. 5, to St. Clair Shores Community Education. For more information or to register, call (810) 285-8880.

Toilet repair for inaudible or visible leaks

Blair says, "If you can't find the time to do it right, when will you find the time to do it over?"

What do you want to work on? Washing windows, fertilizer and grass seed, or that expensive water bill? The weather is too unpredictable this time of year — remember this is Michigan! Let's save some money and fix plumbing this week.

Faucet leaks are obvious costs to the water bill, drip, drip, drip... penny, penny, penny, no wonder that bill gets so high. But you have a high water bill and you can't see any leaks. You might not even hear a leak! Go in the bathroom, take the stuff off the top of the toilet tank, remove the lid and place it in a safe place. Look in the tank and check the water level in relation to the overflow tube. The overflow tube is about 10 inches tall and one-inch round in the middle of the tank. Is the water level up to the top of the overflow tube? If it is, then the ballcock must need repair or replacement.



**Ask
Mr.
Hardware**

By Blair Gilbert

The ballcock is that tall thing on the left with the float attached. To stop the leak, shut off the water and remove the uppermost part, or parts, of the ballcock. You'll find a gasket in the center that does most of the work in shutting off the water. This part and the gasket should go with you to the store to get replaced. Better hardware and plumbing shops will have parts and in-store training to repair most ballcocks. Of course they'll be happy to sell you a new ballcock to replace an obsolete model. My biggest complaint is when folks replace a repairable premium ballcock with a "cheapo" plastic one.

What if the water level is below

the top of the overflow tube! Now what? The water is leaking out of the tank somehow. To test, pour some food coloring in the tank and wait 20 minutes. Is it peeking its ugly face in the bowl? If the water in the bowl shows color the flush valve is leaking. To repair, remove the flapper or rubber ball at the bottom of the tank and replace it. They could need replacing every five or so years. More often if you put those auto-toilet cleaners in the tank. The bleach pickles the rubber in most flush valves.

Flappers and rubber balls are the most common flush valves. If you have something different, a little investigation may expose what holds water in your tank. If you can't get the unit off call your local plumbing or hardware store and describe your mechanism to the clerk. They may help prevent you from breaking something that could be easy to disassemble. Then it's off to the store to get replacement parts. You may only need one trip if you remember to take the old parts with you.

Now you're a plumber! Heck,

without a word processor I couldn't even spell it!

Send your questions to Mr. Hardware c/o Gilbert's Pro Hardware at 21912 Harper in St. Clair Shores 48080; call (810) 776-9532, e-mail staff@mrhardware.com, or visit www.mrhardware.com to view past columns.



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Period English, American, French, Chinese, Continental and upholstered furniture, boxes, snuff-related items, decorative art and accessories, copper, brass and fireplace accessories, estate and antique jewelry, silver, Staffordshire, porcelain, prints, drawings and paintings, as well as Chinese export, Dutch Delft, French faience, Imari, Majolica, Oriental rugs, 19th-Century textiles and Native American and Asian antiques will be featured at the 26th celebration of the University Liggett School Antiques Show, Saturday-Sunday, September 30 and October 1, 2000.

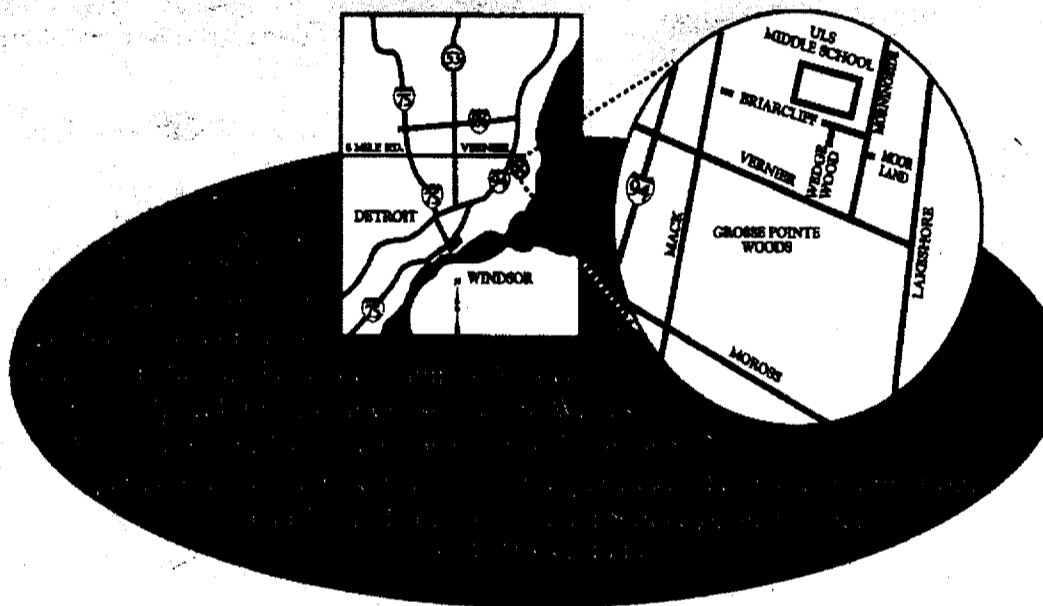
The ULS show, noted as one of the premier antiques shows in the country, will be held at the middle school campus, 850 Briarcliff Drive, and features 35 of America's top antique dealers from 16 states. Hours are 10:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m. on Saturday and noon-5:00 p.m. on Sunday. Tickets are \$10. The show is managed by Wendy Jennings.

The show weekend will also include performing arts presentations by ULS students, informal talks by show exhibitors, and the always-popular Grand Raffle - with this year's Grand Prize a 2001 Volvo V70 T5, courtesy of Ford Motor Company.

For the potential buyer as well as the browser, the ULS show is a "two-for-one" opportunity. Not only do you get to see some exceptional antiques, you have the opportunity

to speak personally with some of the most educated antiques professionals in the business, as well as during informal talks by the show exhibitors throughout the weekend.

The University Liggett School Antiques Show celebrates a 26-year history of service and support for one of America's leading independent schools. Proceeds from the Antiques Show benefit the technology program and other immediate needs of the school - continuing a tradition of educational excellence in preparing students for the challenges of the 21st Century.



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Over the years since that first show, the Show has evolved into a "friend-raiser." It has equal merit, however, as a fundraiser. Much like a history class, the ULS Antiques Show is a source of cultural understanding for all. It illustrates a history of people by what they have done and imparts a special understanding of our past.

That heritage has exerted its influence on the community of today. Each day, ULS is preparing young people for the challenges of the 21st Century. The ULS students of today are a mix of the metropolitan Detroit, including the entire range of suburban areas. They bring with them a cultural diversity that is one of the most valuable assets of the ULS community - and a unique facet of our school education.

Thanks to the link between ULS and the community, the school's innovative programs will continue to evolve, preparing whole new generations to meet the challenges of their future.



Patrons at last year's show took time to carefully examine some of the many outstanding antiques for sale.



Everywhere



A WEEKEND FULL OF EVENTS!

Of course, there are more than antiques to explore during the show weekend! You can enjoy a light luncheon, courtesy of The Rattlesnake Club, daily in the Pineapple Terrace, where performing arts presentations by ULS students will be featured. Also, consider one or all of these special events!

• THE PREVIEW PARTY

Kicking off the excitement of the show weekend is the much-anticipated Preview Party on Friday, September 29, at 7:00 p.m. Patrons will have the opportunity to preview a collection of antiques chosen to appeal to the connoisseur as well as the novice collector. They'll also enjoy a gourmet buffet dinner presented by Jimmy Schmidt, chef/proprietor of The Rattlesnake Club, and entertainment. Tickets and sponsorship opportunities are available ranging in price from \$70-\$500.

• THE GRAND RAFFLE

The 2000 Grand Raffle has a stunning array of prizes - with this year's Grand Prize a 2001 Volvo V70 T5, courtesy of Ford Motor Company. Other Grand Raffle prizes include: a Georgian Style Mahogany Secretary/Bookcase, courtesy of DuMouchelles Art Galleries Co.; a Ralph Lauren Home Collection Estate Chest, courtesy of Scott Shuptrine; a Pebble Beach Resorts Getaway; a Platinum and Diamond Bracelet, courtesy of edmund t. AHEE jewelers; and a Framed Antique Lithograph, courtesy of W. Graham Arader III. Raffle tickets will be available for purchase throughout the show weekend. The drawing will be held Sunday, October 1 at 5:00 p.m.

• INFORMAL TALKS BY SHOW EXHIBITORS

- **Tea Caddies** — Sally B. Kaltman, Sallee Antiques, September 30, 1:00 p.m.
- **Old Master Drawings** — Monroe Warshaw, Kunstkabinett, September 30, 3:00 p.m.
- **The Art of Handmade Carpets** — Geoffrey A. Orley, Shabahang Persian Carpets, October 1, 2:00 p.m.

You'll want to save the entire weekend for this event! After 5:00 p.m. on Sunday, these outstanding exhibitors will head back home. It may be an entire year before you'll have another chance to see these beautiful antiques - and to learn from such experienced and knowledgeable dealers!

The ULS show only lasts two days - but the antiques you'll purchase, the good time you'll have, the friends you'll make and the insight you'll gain - these will last a lifetime! Don't miss it!

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Healthy soil for vigorous garden harvest

Good, healthy soil provides plants with the right amount of nutrients, water and air to thrive. Understanding the characteristics of soil will help you improve your soil's health and the overall health of your garden.

One indicator of healthy soil is the number of earthworms it supports. When a lot of organic matter is present, earthworms abound. Healthy soil also is bursting with microorganisms breaking down organic matter into a usable form by plants. But that's difficult to see.

"Know your soil," recommends Julian Wesley, botanical supervisor for Boerner Botanical Gardens, Hales Corners, Wis. "Have your soil tested for the pH and levels of nitrogen, potassium and phosphorus."

You can determine the quality of your soil with some simple tests that indicate its structure, pH level and fertility. Armed with these basics, you can amend the soil appropriately and look forward to producing beautiful plants and flowers and a bountiful vegetable garden.



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Soil structure

Soil structure is determined by the amount of sand, silt, clay and organic matter it contains. The size and characteristic of each particle affects the soil's ability to hold air, water and nutrients. Humus is the organic component of soil. It is the remains of once-living organisms, mostly plants. The ideal soil for

gardening contains a mixture of all four items.

Sand, the largest particle, allows air and water to infiltrate the soil and drain well. But sandy soils also lack the ability to hold moisture and nutrients. As a result, they tend to dry out quickly and require more fertilization.

Silty soils usually occur in flood

plains and readily hold water. When dry, these soils become powdery and difficult to rewet. Silty soils hold more nutrients and water than sandy ones.

Clayey soils readily retain water and are easily compacted. Clay soils require more time to dry out in spring and may puddle. These soils also easily hold most nutrients.

The addition of organic matter will generally improve poor soils. Organic matter improves sandy soils by retaining moisture and nutrients, and improves the drainage and aeration of silty and clayey soils.

"Add lots of compost," recommends home gardener Ruth Alt, Glendale, Wis. "And use mulch that will decompose into compost. But don't forget to replace the nitrogen, which is drawn out of the soil by the decomposing mulch."

Natural organic fertilizers, which come from biological materials, provide organic matter as well as nutrients to soil, including the nitrogen lost to decomposing

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Soil

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mulch. Milorganite, for example, is a natural organic fertilizer that contains a high amount of organic matter — up to 40 percent carbon.

Proper pH

"The most important thing to do when you begin gardening is to test and then amend the soil to bring it up to the proper pH level," recommends Alt.

A soil's pH value indicates the acid or alkaline level and can affect the availability of some nutrients to plants. The ideal pH level for fertile soil is 7.0, which is considered neutral. For most edible plants, a pH range of 5.5 to 7.5 is good. Amendments can be added to bring the soil closer to neutral, but organic matter, especially compost, tends to neutralize soil over time.

To test the pH of your soil, use a do-it-yourself pH kit available at garden centers, or send a soil sample to your local county extension agent. Home kits also may test fertility by measuring the relative amount of nitrogen, potassium and phosphorus. University extension laboratories will test soil for a small fee and may provide a more extensive analysis and recommendations. A soil's pH can change over time and should be checked every three to four years.

Fertility

How well soil supports plant life determines its fertility. Three basic nutrients are essential to plants: nitrogen, phosphorus and potassium.

On packages of fertilizer you'll find the N-P-K ratio — nitrogen (N), phosphorus (P) and potassium (K). Potassium also is referred to as potash — K is its chemical symbol.

"N-P-K is the amount of macro nutrients in the fertilizer by weight. It's guaranteed by law," explains Archer. "For example: If the N is 6, the product contains 6 percent nitrogen by weight. In a 40-pound bag of Milorganite, that's 2.4 pounds of nitrogen."

Nitrogen is vital for healthy leaf and stem growth. It is the prominent nutrient in fertilizers designed to stimulate foliage growth. It promotes quick growth and dark green foliage. Too much nitrogen can cause plants to become leggy. Too little will stunt growth.

Phosphorus promotes strong root growth and aids flowering, fruit and seed production. This nutrient is especially important to vegetable gardens, fruit trees, bulbs and newly planted bare root plants. Phosphorus must be placed near the roots where the plant can use it.

Potassium is a word derived from potash (chemical symbol K). In the past, this nutrient was applied to gardens in the form of wood ashes. It is necessary for flower and fruit production. It also is responsible for healthy growth, resistance to disease and cold, and aids plants in utilizing other nutrients.

Natural organic fertilizer

Fertilizers replace nutrients that have been used up from the soil. Whether you use a natural organic fertilizer or a synthetic chemical fertilizer is a personal preference. Although each has benefits, natural organic fertilizers may provide your garden with a bit more of what it needs.

Natural organic fertilizers provide nutrients and encourage microorganisms to thrive. The organic materials turn into humus as microorganisms in the soil break them down. Synthetic fertilizers tend to deplete organic matter in the soil, which leads to a more compacted soil. It also may interrupt the ecology of the soil with its quick release of nutrients. Beneficial microorganisms can be harmed, while harmful microorganisms may be encouraged.

"A slow release fertilizer, like Milorganite, is good," explains Dennis Lukaszewski, urban agriculture program coordinator for the University Extension Milwaukee County. "It encourages microbial activity in the soil."

Nutrients from natural organic fertilizers are released into the soil over a longer period of time at a rate the plants can use. The rapid release of nutrients from synthetic fertilizers may cause run-off and ground-water concerns.

"A slow release of nutrients, especially nitrogen, is beneficial to plants," explains Archer. "Plants that receive a quick shot of nitrogen grow too quickly, increasing their susceptibility to disease. Top-heavy plants may grow at the expense of root growth and may impede their ability to set flowers and fruit."

A slow-release natural organic fertilizer may take a little longer to show results, but you won't need to fertilize as often. You'll save time because they require less frequent application than their chemical counterparts.

There are many benefits to natural organic fertilizers, like Milorganite, that home gardeners will certainly appreciate. But Lukaszewski puts it best, "You can't mess up with Milorganite." How can you dispute someone who used this natural organic fertilizer to grow 100 varieties of tomatoes last season — a total of 1,000 tomato plants?

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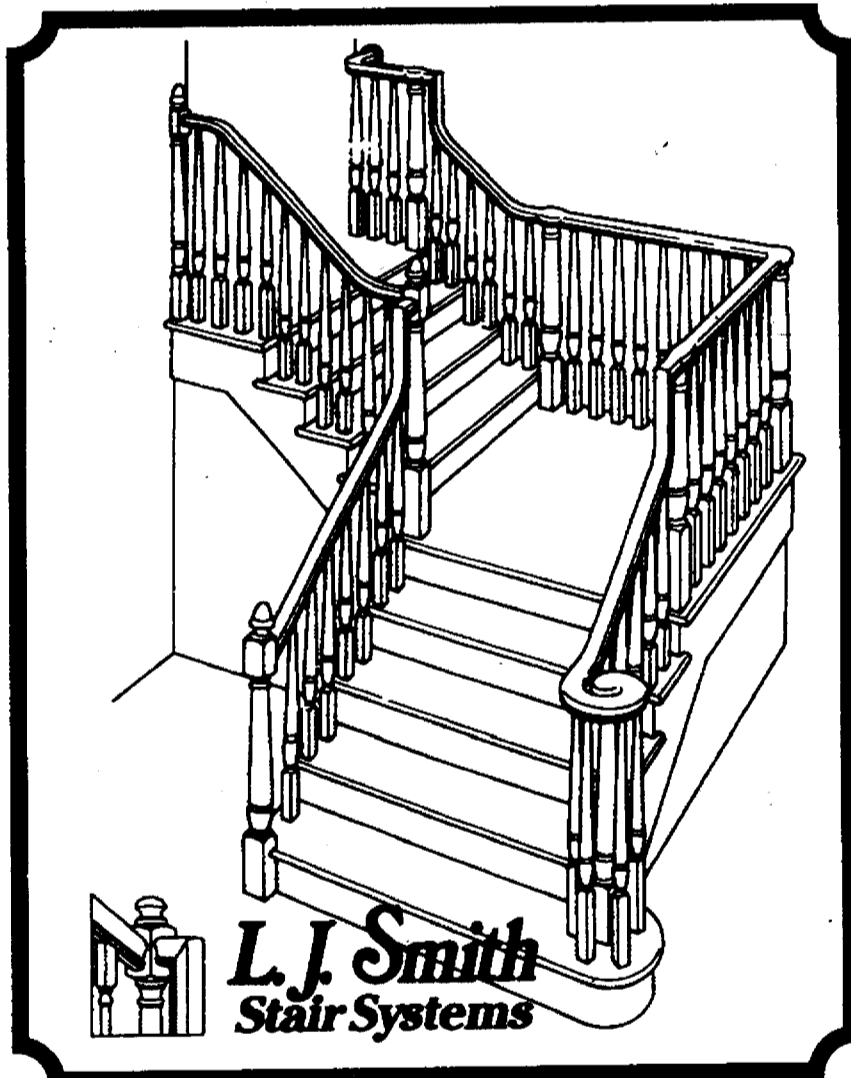
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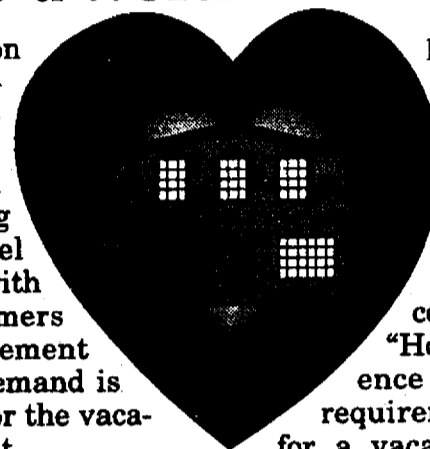
More consumers find vacation-home ownership a worthwhile investment

More than 3 million Americans own vacation homes, representing a staggering 900 percent growth since 1980, according to Hotel and Motel Management. And with today's baby boomers looking at retirement options, consumer demand is at an all-time high for the vacation-home investment.

"Today's interest rates, coupled with the availability of products and services designed for multiple home ownership, make today a great time to purchase a vacation home," says Paul May, area manager for the Troy area of Wells Fargo Home Mortgage Inc., a leading originator and servicer of home mortgages. "Second homes give homeowners a place to relax, unwind and vacation, and also serve as a great investment and residence during retirement."

May said home buyers should understand the financing requirements and guidelines the mortgage industry follows regarding vacation and second homes:

- Several lenders, including Wells Fargo Home Mortgage, require only a 10 percent downpayment on a second home, although some lenders still require up to 30 percent of the total cost of the home;
- Potential rental income on a vacation home cannot be used to qualify a borrower for a mortgage loan;
- Financing for vacation homes used as rental property costs slightly more than conventional loans, typically interest rates are one-eighth to three-eighths of a percent higher. However, second homes not being used as rental property usually do not have any



pricing variation;
• Vacation or second homes must be suitable for year-round occupancy, meaning the home must be weatherized and have adequate heating and cooling.

"Home buyers may experience a few additional requirements when applying for a vacation home vs. buying their primary home," says May. "However, the benefit of lower down payment requirements and the advantages of owning a second home make it worth the time and investment."

Besides the obvious perks to owning a second home, homeowners also receive several tax benefits with dual home ownership. One advantage is the ability to deduct up to \$1 million of the mortgage interest when purchasing or improving a principal residence and one other home. This may allow homeowners to fully deduct mortgage interest and property taxes on a second home. In addition, income earned on a second home, when it is rented for less than 15 days per year, is considered tax-free, meaning the homeowner is not required to pay taxes on that income earned.

"Vacation and second homes do not need to be pricey coastal retreats," says May. "Today's home financing products and interest rates make a variety of price options available to consumers. There's never been a better time to purchase a second home."

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By Leon A. Frechette

Q. If I want to mill my own picture frame moulding, do I need a shaper as well as a router? I'm not sure how to cut the decorative edge of the frame.

A. This depends on whether you are doing this commercially or just making an occasional cut and how wide a profile you want to cut. Mouldings used in picture frames can be exceptionally wide with large detailed profiles — a shaper would be the preferred tool. However, a portable router mounted into an accessory table could produce results similar to a shaper. These tables are sold separately although some bench-top table saws have a spot built into one of the extensions ready to accept a router.

It is important that you use a plunge router as this makes it easier to adjust your depth-of-cut. Also make sure the router comes with a router height adjustment knob or it is available as an accessory. You'll find this a lot easier to use.

Personally I have this type of setup in my shop; however, I use a router that's rated at 3 1/2 HP and 15 Amps and has a 1/2-inch shank. This size router gives the feel of a shaper and allows such bits as edge forming, which includes raised panel and stile and rail, which includes ogee stile to be used. These bits can have a diameter up to 3.5 inches. You need the

HP behind the router to use such large bits.

To get an idea of what these bits look like and others, look in a tool manufacturers' catalog (Bosch or Porter Cable). The section under "routers" will display the kinds of bits available. This type of operation allows the material to lay flat on the surface while the cutting is done from the underside.

If your work is stationary (well clamped), there is no reason why you can't use a portable router. In this case you will work and cut from the top surface of the material. The most commonly used router is the 1 1/2 HP, which can handle most projects. If you don't have a router and are considering one, first define your needs, what type of wood you work with, and the type of bit you are going to use. Once you have that information, contact the manufacturer for a recommendation on the best router for you.

Since routers come in different weights and styles, visit a dealer that specializes in tools and check them out personally. You need to pick them up to get a good feel—especially to see if you like the two-knob handle vs. the D-handle. Most manufacturers can be contacted through the web via e-mail.

Send inquiries and questions to Leon A. Frechette (author of six books) at C.R.S. Inc., P.O. Box 4567, Spokane, Wash. 99202-0567.

Learn how to install glass block

Grosse Pointe Community Education, in cooperation with Oakland Builders Institute, will offer a three-hour, one evening workshop to learn how to install glass block for beauty and security in the home on Tuesday, Oct. 10, from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. at Brownell School, 260 Chalfonte in Grosse Pointe Farms.

The course shows people the techniques and materials needed to install glass blocks to replace basement windows or create beautiful new vistas and special

effects in the home. The instructor will demonstrate how to remove old windows, measure and install glass block. Tools, mortar preparation and finishing techniques will be discussed and shown.

The seminar costs \$50 and includes a step by step brochure. Preregistration with payment is required no later than Friday, Oct. 6. For more information, call (313) 343-2178. There will be no phone registration.

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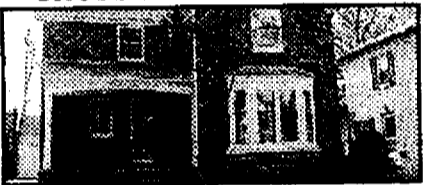
540 SHOREHAM GROSSE POINTE WOODS



Great area! Very attractive home, beautiful landscaping, brick walkway, lawn sprinkling system. Newer kitchen including appliances. Three bedrooms, one perfect for den. Rear Florida with large deck. Home beautification award winner.

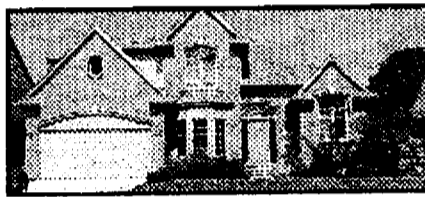
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1620 TORREY ROAD GROSSE POINTE WOODS



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314 UNIVERSITY PLACE GROSSE POINTE CITY



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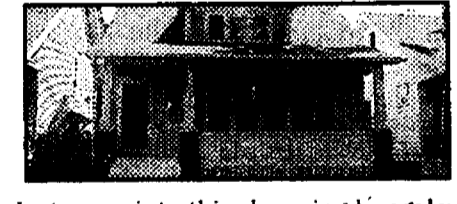
1034 WHITTIER GROSSE POINTE PARK



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243 BEAUPRE
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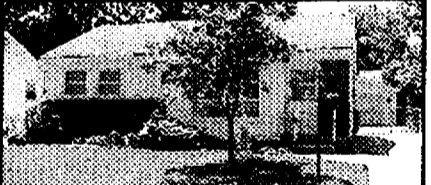
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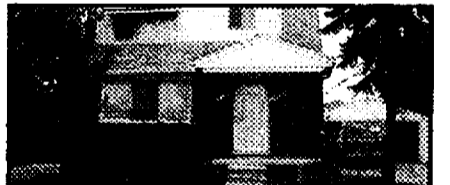
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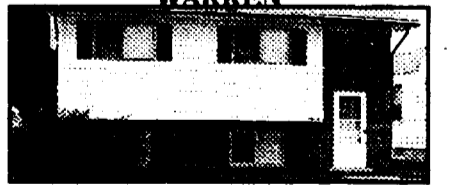
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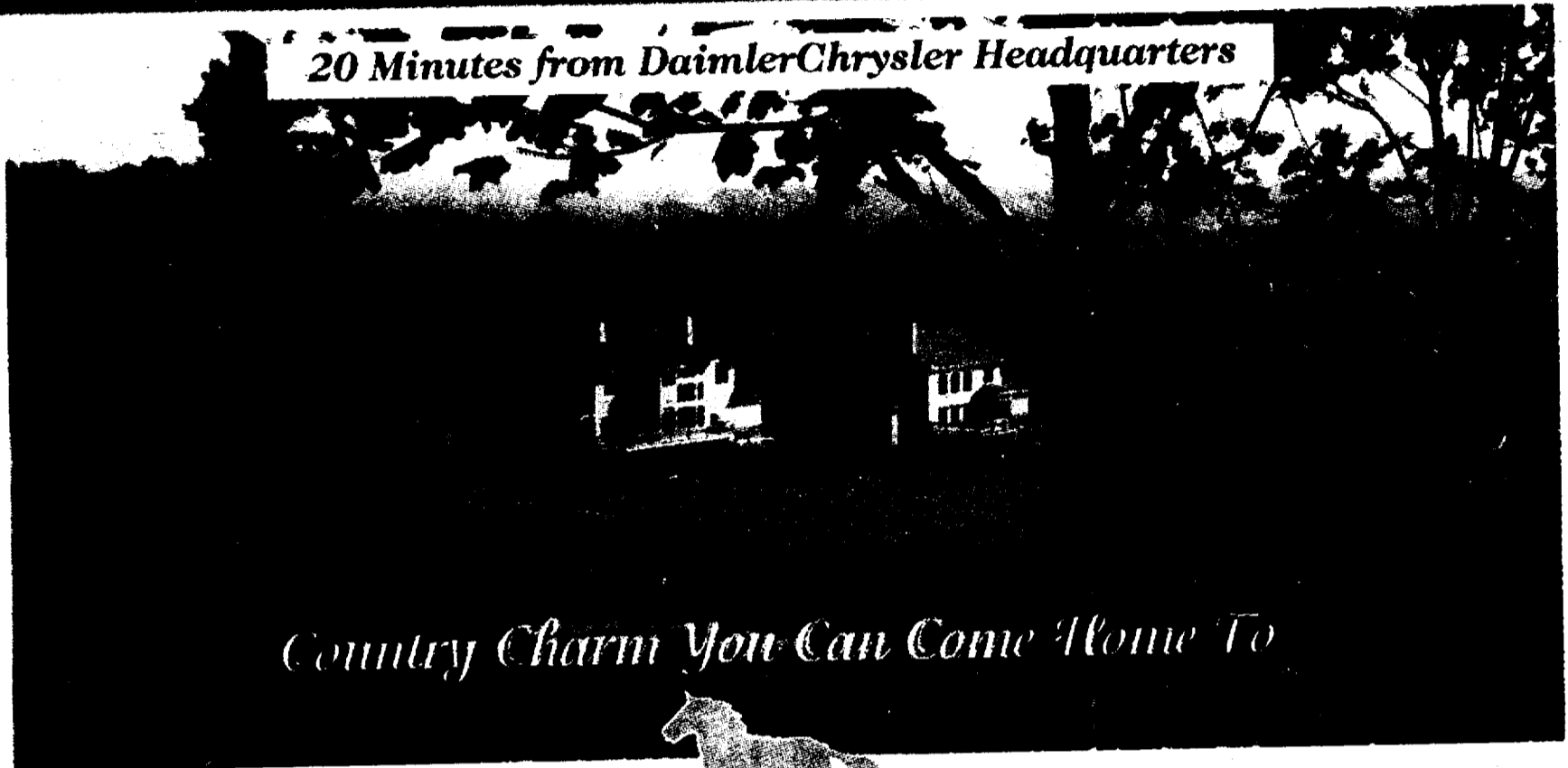
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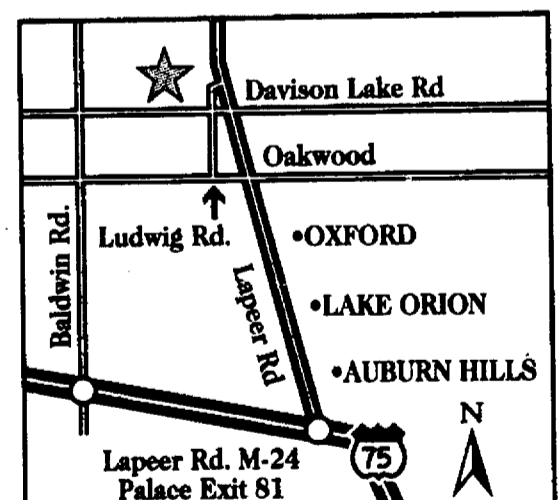
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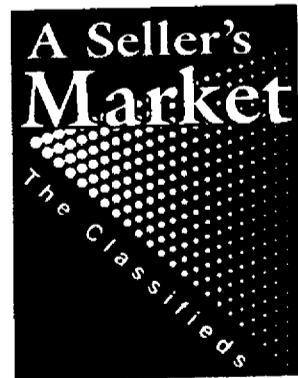
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1041 Cadieux	\$429,000	2-4pm	Century 21 Associates	313-886-5040
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2073 Ridgemont	\$138,900	3-5pm	Goosen Realty Services	810-773-7138
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