

Subscribe Today

1 Year — 52 Issues for \$37⁰⁰

15% OFF
NEWSTAND
PRICE

Call Today

15% OFF
NEWSTAND
PRICE

313-343-5577

Feature

MOPS supports
young mothers
of preschoolers
— 1B



Sports

High school
roundup

— 1-3C



96

Grosse Pointe News

Since 1940

Serving the five Grosse Pointes and Harper Woods

Vol. 64 • No. 41 • 46 pages

Grosse Pointe, Michigan

Home Delivery 71¢ • Newsstand \$1.00

October 9, 2003

INSIDE

■ See, and taste, Mexico up close on a culinary tour with a local cook as your guide. Page 3A

■ Two members of the Grosse Pointe Woods City Council will head to Nashville for a conference on government. Page 9A

■ A committee to formulate a harbor master plan for Grosse Pointe Shores is conducting further study to determine whether the village should maintain or renovate its harbor. Page 3A

■ The City of Grosse Pointe's Neff Park has a busy fall and winter ahead — not for residents, but for construction. Page 17A

■ Paul Ignani, a teacher at Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic School, makes history come alive for his students. Page 21A

■ The Grosse Pointe Academy is embarking on a year-long, interdisciplinary study of ancient Greece. Page 18A

WEEK AHEAD

Thursday, Oct. 11

A free movie about depression will be followed by a talk by a psychiatrist and a question-and-answer period, beginning at 5 p.m. at St. John Hospital and Medical Center's education building, 22101 Moross.

No registration is necessary. For more information call (888) 757-5463.

Friday, Oct. 10

The Grosse Pointe Historical Society presents a night of interactive storytelling, folk music and an art display of Grosse Pointe legends in "Legends of the Fall" at the Provencal-Weir house from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m.

Festivities also include pumpkin painting, doughnut bobbing and cider. Tickets are \$4 in advance or \$5 at the door. For more information, call (313) 884-7010.

Saturday, Oct. 11

The Wayne County Community College District hosts the Festival of Flight at Lutheran High School East from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Admission is free. For more information, call (313) 884-7958.

Monday, Oct. 13

The Grosse Pointe Park City Council meets at the Park city hall at 7 p.m.

The Grosse Pointe Board of Education meets in the Wicking Library at Grosse Pointe South High School at 8 p.m.

Tuesday, Oct. 14

The Grosse Pointe Senior Men's Club meets at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial at 11 a.m.

Mark Gordon, dean of the University of Detroit-Mercy Law School, will be the keynote speaker.

Call (313) 881-5592.

INDEX

Opinion.....	6A
Obituaries.....	12A
Harper Woods.....	14A
Schools.....	18,19,21A
Business.....	22A
Autos.....	24A
Seniors.....	5B
Entertainment.....	9B
Classifieds/Crossword.....	4C



North's queen and her court

This past weekend, Grosse Pointe North High School wrapped up its spirit-filled celebration of homecoming. Pictured above, homecoming queen Christina Coury, center, celebrates her title with her fellow nominees, from left, Andrea Sheridan, Stephanie Rinderknecht, Kristen McPharlin and Angela Theis.

See the story on North's homecoming festivities, page 19A.

Farms' Ron Kneiser says 'goodbye' after 10 years

By Bonnie Caprara
Staff Writer

Monday, Oct. 6, marked the end of a legacy on the Grosse Pointe Farms City Council as Mayor Ronald Kneiser sat at his last regular meeting.

After 10 years, Kneiser is retiring from civil service in the Farms. He declined to seek reelection for another term. He is currently the most senior member on the council.

On behalf of the council, outgoing Councilman Robert Herdegen presented Kneiser with a resolution commemorating his service and dedication to the city.

"Our mayor, Ronald Kneiser, has served our city well for the past 10 years in many capacities on the council," Herdegen said.

As a council member, Kneiser served on the Compensation, Budget and Audit and Parks and Harbor committees. He served as mayor pro tem for the past four years, and was appointed by the council to assume the mayoral responsibilities of former Mayor Edward Gaffney upon his resignation at the beginning of the year.

Gaffney, now a first district state representative, attended the meeting

to present a State of Michigan Special Tribute to Kneiser.

"First elected in November 1993, Ronald V. Kneiser began public service with a strong desire to help Grosse Pointe Farms grow and prosper as a community," Gaffney said. "Using his extensive legal and accounting knowledge, he helped the city council resolve a vast array of issues and concerns with his invaluable insight and good judgment."

"While serving the people of Grosse Pointe Farms, he accomplished numerous goals ensuring the progress of the community. The accomplishments of the city council during Ron's tenure included enhancing the budgetary stability, maintaining a low tax rate while making vast improvements to Pier Park and Kerby Field, updating the city's infrastructure, and instituting bulk leaf collection."

"His selfless devotion to the progress toward community improvement has set an excellent standard for succeeding public servants to follow."

City Manager Richard Solak said,

See KNEISER, page 2A



Photo by Bonnie Caprara

Rep. Edward Gaffney, R-Grosse Pointe Farms, paid a visit to the Grosse Pointe Farms City Council meeting on Monday, Oct. 6, to present a State of Michigan Special Tribute to outgoing Mayor Ronald Kneiser for his 10 years of service on the council.

Flagstar Bank, Allard neighbors renegotiate deal

By Brad Lindberg
Staff Writer

Residents picked up where their city council left off by brokering a deal with bankers planning a branch in Grosse Pointe Woods.

As a result, Flagstar Bank has been issued a welcome mat to join the neighborhood on Mack and Allard.

Bankers and residents met last week to resolve contentious aspects of a site plan most council members hadn't thought of, didn't address or said couldn't be changed when approving the original plan the week before.

"If our requests were this simple for the bank to accommodate, I can't understand why the city council didn't think of them," said Kelly Shimko, an Allard resident.

Shimko lives near where Flagstar received city permission to open a branch. To Shimko and neighbors, the single-story bank's 24-hour outdoor ATM, drive-up window and parking lot exit onto Allard presented unsafe and unsightly incursions into the residential district.

Within a week of council members approving the site plan, however, a number of residents brimmed with ill will.

Alessandro DiNello, Flagstar's executive vice president of retail banking, put those feelings to rest.

He agreed to travel from his Jackson office to reopen discussion with residents about the site plan.

"It's not you we're angry with," Shimko said she told DiNello. "It's about the city council."

The conference concluded with DiNello agreeing to:

- make sure lighting doesn't spill onto residential property,
- redesign the exit onto Allard by adding a sharp angle toward Mack. The

change, plus a landscaped barrier, is intended to prevent drivers from turning into the residential neighborhood, and

• seek city permission to build a wall along the bank's rear lot line to shield residents from the headlights of vehicles and prying eyes of drivers queued for drive-up or ATM service.

"Conceptually, we discussed increasing the wall height (upwards of eight feet) and tying it down to a lower level (of four feet where the property line approaches the Allard sidewalk)," DiNello said. "Our architect is going to design it. We'll have residents look at it. Once everybody is satisfied, we'll propose it to the city."

City officials had opposed residents' requests for a tall privacy wall. Public safety administrators said a high wall would prevent officers from monitoring the property, including the all-night ATM.

Nevertheless, the supplemental meeting with DiNello made Shimko an optimist.

"Look how wonderful this worked out," she said. "It was Flagstar, not the city. We had to go through the bank to get our needs met."

DiNello said, "Once we had time to consider (residents') concerns and provide full information on the project — which, in their defense they didn't have — we were able to come together."

DiNello surprised Shimko by offering to pay for a school crossing guard for the busy intersection where Allard and Cook meet at Mack. Children converge on the corner to attend schools on Cook.

Woods approval of Flagstar's original site plan

See FLAGSTAR, page 2A

POINTER OF INTEREST

Linda Mackool

Home: Grosse Pointe Woods

Age: 46

Family: husband, Michael; daughter, Andrea; and son, Michael

Occupation: Teacher of Kindermusik, a music class for children

Quote: "There's so much you can appreciate about music. There are so many different things you can have to pick you up, to make you happy if you're down."

See story, page 4A



Linda Mackool

Backer LANDSCAPING Inc.

Complete Landscaping Design & Construction

SEE OUR AD IN YOUR HOME

586-774-0090



The Van Elslander Cancer Center is proud to bring you FREE community education lectures

Call 888-757-5463 for more information and to register.

VAN ELSLANDER
CANCER CENTER

HOW MUCH DID THAT HOUSE SELL FOR?

Find Out...Go To

GPrealestate.com

Click on recent home sales.

Coldwell Banker Schweitzer Real Estate (313) 885-2000

yesterday's headlines

50 years ago this week

■ Low water pressure during last summer's heat wave prompts Grosse Pointe Farms officials to upgrade the filtration plant.

The \$75,000 project includes increasing the size of the intake pipe, which will allow the plant to draw more water from Lake St. Clair.

The water intake will be enlarged to get more water into the system. It also will be necessary to enlarge water mains around the plant.

The Farms sells drinking water to the City and a portion of Grosse Pointe Shores.

■ Grosse Pointe Bank will break ground next month on the Hill in Grosse Pointe Farms.

The new bank will be located two doors from the Grosse Pointe News, between the Punch and Judy Toyland building and Pongrancz Jewelry shop.

■ Some 340 parking spaces will be created at Grosse Pointe High School. In addition, an overflow lot of 103 spaces will be available behind Christ Church.

The plan, approved by members of the Farms city council, will provide a total of 443 spaces available at the school, which is expected to be enough to eliminate the parking problem along Fisher Road.

25 years ago this week

■ Discussion continues about the possible closure of McMillian Road between Kercheval and Ridge in Grosse Pointe Farms.

Closing the street would enable Richard Elementary School administrators to merge their two playgrounds, which McMillian bisects.

■ The Grosse Pointe public school administration refuses to recognize Pointe teachers' affiliation with

workers in Macomb County as part of Michigan Education Association Local 1. The rejection makes way for a legal battle that could take months to resolve.

In a letter to Local 1's chairman, Pointe superintendent William Coats accuses the union of taking a "back door approach which ignores that law" in attempting to win bargaining agent status in the Pointes.

■ Members of the Grosse Pointe Farms city council join their counterparts in the Park and City by approving a route for the Detroit Free Press International Marathon for later this month.

More than 1,000 runners are expected to participate in the race, which begins downtown and heads up Jefferson into the Park, through the City and onto Lakeshore in the Farms.

Runners will turn left at Moross, left again at Kercheval and run back to Detroit. The 26-mile, 385-yard race ends on Belle Isle.

10 years ago this week

■ A Detroit man, 21, and woman, 24, are arrested in Grosse Pointe Park for stealing campaign signs of Municipal Judge Kristen Frank.

The man admits that his uncle had offered \$150 for every 100 Frank signs he stole and delivered to an area near Finney High School on Detroit's eastside. Park police recover 43 signs from the back of the man's van.

Frank has been missing more than 200 campaign signs from lawns throughout the Park.

■ Students from Richard and Ferry elementary schools attend dedication ceremonies for the new playscape at Grosse Pointe Farms Pier Park.

■ Remember the emerald green, 3 1/2-foot iguana

reported missing in July from a resident of the City of Grosse Pointe? Apparently the runaway reptile has been close to home all along.

A neighbor finds the lizard in her backyard. The cold-blooded animal is extremely sluggish due to exposure to prolonged cool weather. Attempts to raise the lizard's body temperature fail, and it dies later that night.

The lizard's owners speculate their pet survived its three-month bolt for freedom by feeding from neighbor's vegetable gardens.

5 years ago this week

■ Trees, pheasants, greenspace and something called "greenviews" have nothing officially to do with the Grosse Pointe Farms city council's opposition to a proposed lot split at 232 Lothrop, called Pine Woods.

Despite pleas by neighbors that the split would wipe out one of the Farm's last tracts of undeveloped land, council members deny the action because it would have left a 90-foot-wide strip of land in an area zoned for lots to have a minimum width of 100 feet.

■ A student-run garage sale is organized in the Grosse Pointes to raise money for homeless shelters in Detroit and battered women everywhere.

KOCOTS, the Kids Organization for the Coalition on Temporary Shelters, will hold the sale this month in the parking lot behind City of Grosse Pointe municipal offices.

KOCOTS is an independent offshoot of the Coalition on Temporary Shelters founded by Elizabeth Wayman, Dayna Santoro, Christine Ritok and Amanda Drozer, all in their senior year at Grosse Pointe South High School.

— Brad Lindberg

50 years ago this week



Headmasters study proposed school

D.H. Fletcher, left, headmaster of the Detroit University School from 1916 to 1939, visits Grosse Pointe as guest of honor at a testimonial dinner. He is shown looking at the architect's model of the new school which will house DUS and Grosse Pointe Country Day School. With Fletcher is John Chandler Jr., present headmaster of the two schools. (From the Oct. 8, 1953 Grosse Pointe News.)

Flagstar—

From page 1A

wasn't unanimous. Council members Patty Chylinski and Vicki Granger cast "no" votes.

Chylinski helped arrange the follow-up meeting with DiNello.

"It was very kind of him to come," Chylinski said. "Neighbors came away very happy."

She said the meeting confirmed the need for city officials to listen to residents.

"It's a matter of inclusion of people whose lives are affected by government decisions before those decisions are finalized," she said.

For Shimko, the experience lit an interest in local government.

"I think his legacy is going to be in the areas of support of Pier Park enhancements

Flagstar's offers for a higher wall and changed lighting.

Chylinski said the issue exposed defects in the way the city handles construction projects.

She has proposed to council colleagues the need for an ordinance requiring the planning commission, comprised of council appointees, to hold public hearings on major construction projects.

Kneiser

From page 1A

"Ron has played an active part on the city council from day one on the job 10 years ago. He's contributed to discussions and has always been substantively constructive with respect to the issues before the city council, and he's been supportive of the staff."

"I think his legacy is going to be in the areas of support of Pier Park enhancements

"I want to force Grosse Pointe Woods to give residents adequate notice, which means you mail a notice to give residents and business owners an opportunity to speak."

DiNello said the branch could open this spring. Drive up hours will be 7:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. Lobby service will be open from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

over recent years, the stability of the general fund balance and the support of improving the city's infrastructure, especially fire apparatus and road paving."

Kneiser said he was most proud of his accomplishments of budget stabilization and infrastructure

"Of his last year as mayor, Kneiser said, 'It was a nice recognition after 10 years of service.'"

USA★LEAGUE TENNISSM

PRESENTED BY LINCOLN

"COMBO DOUBLES" TENNIS TOURNAMENT

at
Wimbledon Racquet Club
20250 East Nine Mile Road St. Clair Shores, MI

Sat., October 18, 2003

Play starts after 2:30pm

Team Play in Combination Ratings of 6.5, 7.5 or 8.5

Cost \$25 per Player on your Team

- Separate Teams for Men & Women
- Players must be current United States Tennis Association members
- Teams must have a minimum of 6 players
- Team matches consist of 3 courts of doubles
- Add partners' USTA ratings together to determine your team combination level
- Entry Fee covers all court costs and tennis balls
- Prizes for the winning team.

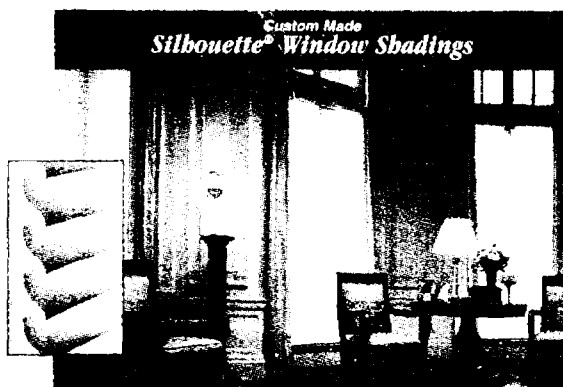
To enter your team, have team member names and their USTA numbers available when you call (734) 421-6404.

USTATM
MIDWEST SECTION
SOUTHEASTERN MICHIGAN DISTRICT

15195 Farmington Road A-1 Livonia, Michigan 48154
League Office (734) 421-6404 Main Office (734) 421-1025 Fax (734) 421-1925

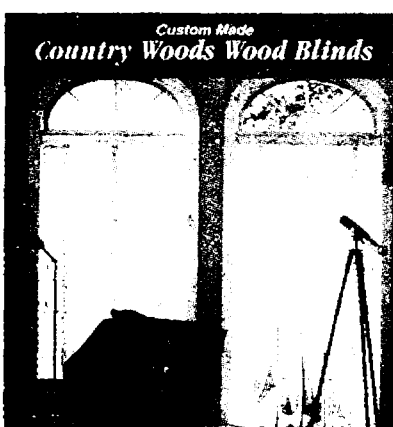
The Natural Choice for Beautiful Windows...

HunterDouglas **Sale!**
WINDOW FASHIONS



Silhouette shades feature soft fabric vanes that seemingly float between sheer fabric facings. This unique construction allows you to design with light, using light as nature's perfect paintbrush, creating an exquisite room of incredible beauty and warmth.

Guaranteed Lowest Price and...
FREE Installation



65% off retail list
and...
FREE Installation

Superior quality, selection and attention to detail have made Hunter Douglas Country Woods the best selling wood blinds in America!



FREE SHOP-AT-HOME
We do the Measuring
Professional Installation
Save on...
Woven Woods, Roman Shades & More!

22011 Kelly, Eastpointe Between 8 & 9 Mile
We Support Habitat for Humanity
List price may not reflect price at which item was sold
Offer expires October 18th, 2003

586-552-5463

Open: Mon-Fri 10-6:00, Sat 10-4

HunterDouglas

EXPRESS Blinds
A HunterDouglas Priority Dealer

Mexico, if you've never been, but you'd like to go

By Brad Lindberg
Staff Writer

A cooking enthusiast has a recipe for a good time south of the border: combine culture with culinary curiosity on a food tour down Mexico way.

"We go from restaurant to restaurant; we tour the countryside; we go to local artists," said Doug Cordier, a Grosse Pointe Farms resident who is hosting the tour Nov. 8-14. "It's Mexico up close and personal. You'd never have that kind of experience as a tourist."

Viewers of community cable television's WMTV-5 might be familiar with Cordier's guest appearances on the "Who's in the Kitchen" with host Chuck Kaess. Or cooks may have enrolled in one of Cordier's classes at the Pointe Pedlar.

They can meet Cordier for a four-hour jet ride to Houston for a connecting flight to Guadalajara in central Mexico.

From there, Cordier's troupe will head to its week-long base of operations inside a well-appointed and landscaped house in a little town named Tlaquepape, pronounced *talacki packi*.

"Tlaquepape is the seat of a lot of Mexican traditions, like mariachi,"

Cordier said.

The town also is an artists colony where authentic Mexican culture comes through in brightly colored paintings, ceramics, glass-blowing and sculpture. And great food.

"We have a contact with an ex-chef who owns a home in the middle of Tlaquepape called Casa de las Flores," Cordier said.

Home base in Mexico is Casa de las Flores, an ornate home located a short distance from the town's main square.

"It's a jewel," Cordier said. "It's almost 200 years old and has been reconditioned. The gardens are spectacular. There are citrus trees and all kinds of bougainvillea. It's beautiful."

Guests often breakfast on authentic Mexican gourmet meals served on a terrace overlooking lush greenery.

"This time of year the temperature is 70 degrees and no bugs," Cordier said. "It's perfect weather."

The group goes to markets and meets farmers.

"We learn about different vegetables, chilies and things," he said. "It's a cultural tour. Sometimes we'll get up in the morning, have breakfast and go into town, get food and create a meal. Other times we'll go to

restaurants. Chefs will come out and show us how they do things."

Although tourists are exposed to tons of food, there's more to do than cook and eat.

"At night we go down to the local square," Cordier said. "There are restaurants all around. We go to different places and listen to mariachi bands. There might be 10 mariachi bands playing at once. They walk to your table to see if you'll pay for them to play for your group. It's mariachiville."

Side trips are taken to artist studios.

"In Mexico, artists are considered national treasures," Cordier said. "They all have their own little business, whether working something in clay, metal or whatever."

The culmination of activities is a train ride to rural Tequila, the town that gave its name to the potent liquor.

Blue agave plants grow everywhere. Giant blade-like leaves stick up more than four feet from ground level.

"At harvest time, a fellow cuts the shafts until the plant looks like a pineapple," Cordier said.

Plants are squashed and the purple juice inside is fermented. Culinary tourists



Photos by Doug Cordier

Culinary tourists eat gourmet breakfasts from the terrace of Casa de las Flores, where lush greenery reigns.

The resort agave was used to produce each. The distillation plant located inside the ex-hacienda San Jose el Refugio. The hacienda is preserved as a museum and working distillery of Tequila Herradura.

"They'll take you through the modern factory to see the tequila bubbling," Cordier said. "After you've seen that, you go back to the tasting room."

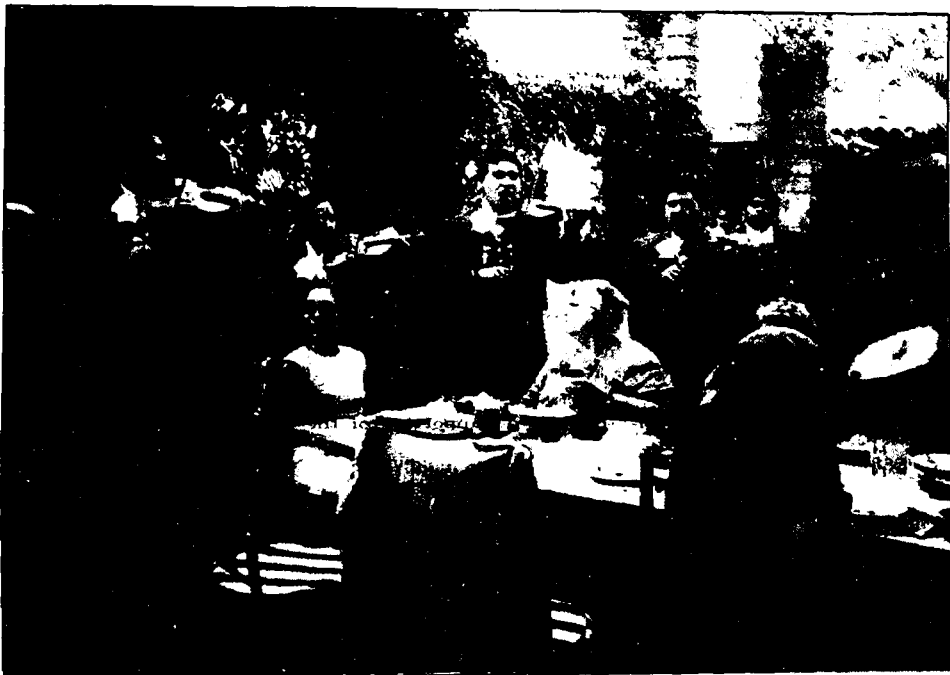
Cordier limits tour groups

"We want a small, intimate group that's easy to move around," he said.

He said culinary tours have given him a special appreciation of Mexican culture.

experience, up close and personal through the kitchen door."

For more information, call Doug Cordier at (313) 881-6699 or by e-mail at casom-grp@aol.com.



In Tlaquepape, Mexico, the hills come alive with the sound of mariachi bands.

Committee to devine Shores harbor plans

By Bonnie Caprara
Staff Writer

A committee formed to formulate a harbor master plan for Grosse Pointe Shores is conducting further study to determine whether the village should maintain or renovate its harbor.

The results of a survey conducted among Shores residents indicated, "A course of action is split between maintaining and renovating the harbor with an equal percentage (of respondents) in favor of maintaining and renovating the harbor," according to village council Trustee and Harbor Committee Chairman Karl Kratz.

Of the 32 percent of residents who responded to the survey this summer, the executive summary of the survey results indicated many residents were in agreement by considering the harbor to be important to the village and the values of their homes.

However, boat owners and non-boat owners had conflicting attitudes about the current condition of the harbor. Non-boat owners were twice as likely as boat owners to consider the existing harbor as excellent than fair and attribute the facilities as excellent and well-maintained. Boat owners tended to rate the harbor as "poor" compared to local municipal and private marinas.

Of the residents who replied to the survey, 27 percent owned a dockable boat. Of the dockable boat owners, 58 percent dock their boats in the Shores' harbor, 26 per-

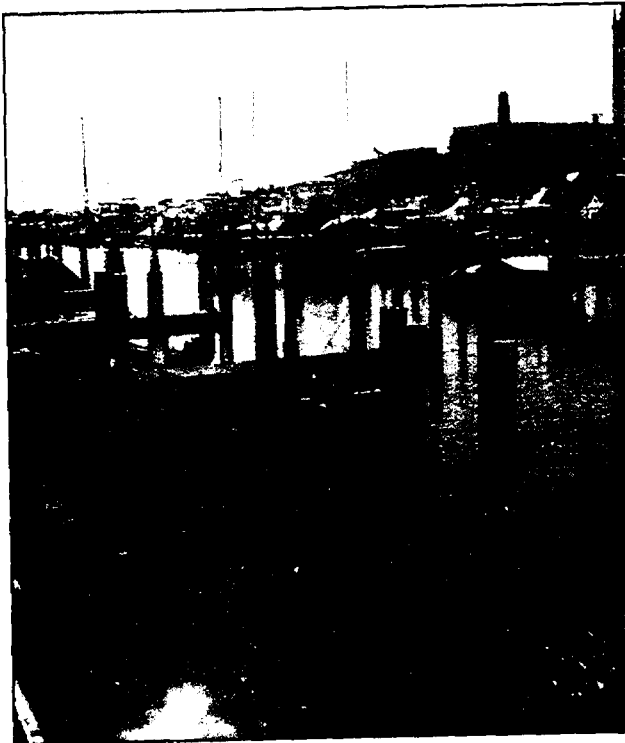


Photo by Bonnie Caprara

A five person harbor committee will further investigate possible harbor maintenance and renovation projects in Grosse Pointe Shores. A \$16,000 survey completed by Shores residents this summer drew inconclusive results whether the harbor should be maintained or renovated.

cent dock outside of the Shores' harbor, 9 percent previously docked in the Shores' harbor and 8 percent did not indicate where they docked their boats. Of those who docked their boats outside of the harbor, many said they would consider docking their boats in the Shores' harbor if the village renovated and improved the harbor.

About 1/3 of 206 slips in the Shores' harbor are not used.

In addition, people in favor of maintaining the harbor tended to be older residents who have resided in the community over 20 years. Boat owners and people newer to the community and have children were more likely to be in favor of renovating the existing harbor. Six out of 10 people said they would be in favor of a shared but not equal responsibility to finance any harbor renovation with harbor

revenues and money from the village's general fund.


"We are going to use this information as a foundation for developing both maintenance and renovation plans for the harbor," Kratz said.

The five-person committee comprised of Kratz, Village Superintendent Michael Kenyon and residents Bruce Volmer, Bruce Kopf and Cheryl Cusamano will visit other municipal and private marinas to find out how they built and funded harbor projects. Visits will include one to Neff Park, where the City of Grosse Pointe is about to begin harbor reconstruction this month.

The Shores has been considering harbor plans for about a year and a half. A harbor ad hoc committee was in place for only a few months and was disbanded in Summer 2002 after Village President Dr. James Cooper said it had "too many people with too many agendas." Soon afterward, the five-person committee was formed. The village council granted the committee \$16,000 in January to conduct the survey.

Before that, the Shores last proposed a joint harbor renovation and expansion project with the Grosse Pointe Yacht Club in 1999. That plan was turned down by a non-binding referendum vote of Shores residents.

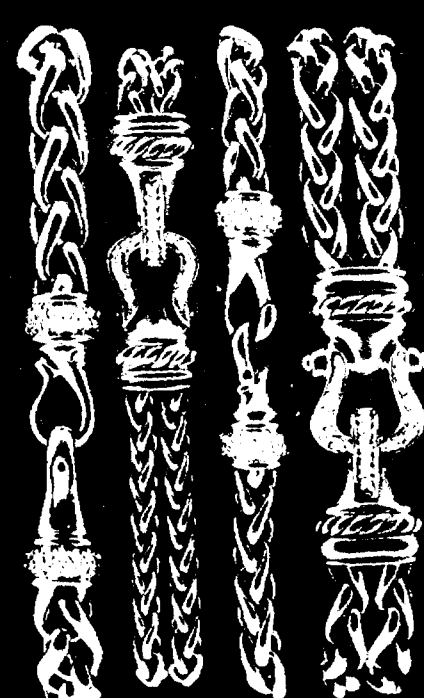
The harbor master plan, when completed, will be added to the parks master plan which was completed last summer.



Doug Roby
Farms Council
Vote For Douglas Roby Tues. Nov. 4th

Paid for by the Committee to Elect Douglas Roby to Council • 222 Lathrup • Grosse Pointe Farms

DAVID YURMAN



edmund t. AHEE Jewelers
20138 Mack Avenue, Grosse Pointe Woods, MI 48238
800-967-AHEE

Mackool gives the joy of music to Pointe children

By Carrie Cunningham
Staff Writer

Bells ring. Rattles shake. Xylophones ping. Voices emit languorous and melodious pitches.

Those are just some of the magical sounds Kindermusik teacher Linda Mackool, 46, draws out from her students.

Kindermusik is a music educational class for children from newborns to age 7 that was developed in Germany in the 1960s. The program's philosophy is that every child is musical, and learning music will not only be enjoyable but also aid in the emotional, cognitive, and physical development of a child.

Mackool has been teaching Kindermusik for 13 years at Barnes School. The classes run for 45 minutes to an hour per week and occur Monday through Thursday.

Mackool has had a lifelong fascination and love for music and wanted to impart her affinity to her own children as well as children in the Grosse Pointe community. Teaching Kindermusik has been one way to transmit her knowledge.

Mackool grew up in Grosse Pointe and attended

POINTER OF INTEREST

Barnes, Parcels, Grosse Pointe North and Wayne State University. She received a toy piano from her mother when she was five years old and got to play on a real piano when her parents bought one a year later. She enmeshed herself in piano, taking lessons all through college. She minored in music education and majored in business at Wayne.

Her mother is from Romania, and her father is from Syria. She relished in the diverse range of music from those countries that her parents taught her.

"My father actually taught me to dance when I was a little girl," she said. "I can still remember dancing up at the Grand Hotel up on Mackinac Island."

Mackool passed on her love of music to her children. They are budding musicians: her daughter Andrea, 20, plays the violin, and her son Michael, 16, plays the electric guitar and saxophone.

When she got some literature about Kindermusik in the mail she thought she

should extend the joy of music to children outside her family.

"I just think it's wonderful," she said of music. "I thought why not give it to everybody."

She got trained for teaching at Northwestern University in Chicago and Eastern Michigan University.

Kindermusik classes start with singing hello. Younger children get out jingle bells and rattles, and they will perform dances with scarves.

"We do a lot of creative movement," said Mackool. "We tell a story."

They sing various folk songs throughout the class by musicians like Woody Guthrie and end with a good-bye song.

Older children will play instruments like the dulcimer, a stringed instrument, the recorder, a wind instrument and a glockenspiel, a type of xylophone.

"They learn how to read the notes on the staff, and they learn to transfer what they're reading onto their instruments," she said.

Mackool said students can springboard into more advanced music classes after they have completed Kindermusik.

"This class is a wonderful beginning," she said.

Both the younger and older children learn so-called foundations of music, which are different stages in the understanding of music.

Mackool used to teach Kindermusik all by herself, but in recent years, she has been assisted by teachers Judy Allam and Faith Waters.

"They're both wonderful teachers. They have beautiful singing voices," she said.

Aside from her penchant for the piano, Mackool listens to music of every stripe.

"I like Aerosmith to Vivaldi. I listen to everything," she said. "If there's something I've never heard before, I'm more than happy to listen to it."

She finds music relaxing.

"There's so much you can appreciate about music. There are so many different things you can have to pick you up, to make you happy if you're down," she said.

Mackool has a sister,



Photos by Carrie Cunningham
Linda Mackool stands in her Kindermusik classroom with tambourines and maracas.

Karen, who is both deaf and mentally retarded. Her disabilities have made Mackool feel lucky about being able to listen to and play music.

"I often look at her and thought what a shame that she's never heard music in her life," she said.

Mackool's husband, Michael, is an engineer and owner of a manufacturing company. Mackool says he is different from her, being very black and white while she is musical.

"They say opposites attract," she said.

Her husband likes listening to all kinds of music, often turned up high, Mackool said.

Mackool gives an aura of

gratitude when she speaks about teaching Kindermusik. She feels she has given both her own children and her students a treasure they will always have.

"I tell everybody, you can play football now, but when you're 40 years old, you're not going to be playing football. You can still play your instrument. It's something you will have all of your life," she said.

Registration for winter Kindermusik classes begin in November. Call (313) 885-5635 for more information.

You know the problem. Now meet the solution.
Merry Maids — here to help.

Got too much to do and too little time to do it? Call Merry Maids. We'll take the hassle out of housework.

313.885.3360
586.498.9165

\$30 OFF
\$10 off 1st, 5th, 10th cleanings
New Customers Only

Exp. 10/31/03

ELECTRICAL REPAIRS
• Charging System
• Windows & Doors
10% Discount
on total invoice with this ad
General Repair Facility
Hours: Mon. - Fri. 7 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Lakewood Total Service
14259 Mack Ave • 313-331-3600

MODERN FENCE
Automatic gate openers
776-5456
29180 Gratiot Ave.
Roseville



Mackool has made a collage of pictures on a bulletin of all the Kindermusik stars that are thriving in her classroom.

Celebrate Sweetest Day Saturday, October 18th

Flowers are delightful gifts of love and friendship. Let Viviano's help you express your heart's fondest wishes with the season's most festive flowers.

Bosses Day is October 16th

VIVIANO FLOWER SHOP
For All Of Life's Celebrations
12050 Harper Avenue • St. Clair Shores, MI 48082
17593 Van Dyke Avenue • Shelby Twp., MI 48157
Call 800-VIVIANO (848-4266) or shop online at viviano.com

PAINT THE TOWN SALE
Men's & Women's
10% OFF
SAS
Comfort Shoes
& Sandals
Oct. 9th, 10th, 11th & 13th

VERFAILLIES & COSSETTES SHOES
"Where Fit is Our Concern"
23515 NINE MACK DR., S.C.S.
586-775-5537
Monday - Friday 10 to 6, Saturday 10 to 5

Sherman SHOES **TRUNK SHOW**
FRIDAY OCTOBER 10
Noon - 4pm
Grosse Pointe
Saturday, October 11th
Birmingham

ara
SHOE FASHION, THAT FITS
Salerno

BRING IN THIS COUPON
FREE TOTE BAG WITH PURCHASE

Receive a **FREE GIFT** when you try on a pair of ara shoes

Fri, Oct 10 • Noon - 4 pm Grosse Pointe • Sat, Oct 11 Birmingham

16980 Kercheval at Notre Dame
313-885-9299

BIRMINGHAM
116 N. Old Woodward
248-646-8431

E. LANSING
539 E. Grand River
517-337-0100

Lake levels down

The following lake levels as of Oct. 3 are offered by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers:

Lakes Superior, Michigan-Huron, and St. Clair are 10, 23, and 11 inches respectively, below their long-term average. Lake Erie is 4 inches below its long-term average while Lake Ontario is 3 inches above its long-term average. Lakes Superior, Michigan-Huron and St. Clair are currently 6, 12 and 7 inches respectively, below last year's levels. Lake Erie is 2 inches below its level of a year ago, while Lake Ontario is 4 inches above its level of a year ago.

The Lake Superior outflow through the St. Marys River into Lake Huron is expected to be below average during the month of October. Flows in the St. Clair and Detroit rivers are also expected to be below average, while flows in the Niagara and St. Lawrence rivers are expected to be near average in October.

All of the Great Lakes are into their seasonal declines. Lakes Superior and Michigan-Huron are expected to decline 1 to 3 inches, while Lake St. Clair, Erie and Ontario are each expected to decline 4 to 5 inches over the next four weeks.

Alerts: Users of the Great Lakes, connecting channels and St. Lawrence River should keep informed of current conditions before undertaking any activities that could be affected by changing water levels. Mariners should utilize navigation charts and refer to current water level readings.



VILLAGE FOOD MARKET

HOME OF THE BELL RINGER SPECIALS!

18328 Mack Avenue ~ Grosse Pointe Farms • 882-2530 ~ Fax 884-8392

Open Monday through Saturday 8 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Fine Wines and Liquor • Prices in effect October 9, 10, 11, 13, 14 & 15



No rainchecks
We reserve the right
to limit quantities

12 PACK COKE CAN PRODUCTS

MURPHY'S IRISH STOUT
8 PACK CAN \$5.99 + DEP

MILLER PRODUCT
• MILLER LITE 24 PACK CAN
• MILLER C. DRAFT
• MILLER C. DRAFT LITE
YOUR CHOICE \$13.89 + DEP

12 PACK CAN
• REG BLUE \$6.89
• LIGHT BLUE
YOUR CHOICE \$6.89 + DEP

WINES

KENDALL JACKSON
Vinters Reserve
Chardonnay \$8.99 750 ML Save \$5.00

Sauvignon Blanc \$7.99 750 ML Save \$3.50

Cabernet, Merlot & Pinot Noir \$12.99 750 ML Save \$6.00

NEW! Australia's JACKAROO
Chardonnay & Big Red \$5.19 750 ML Save \$2.50

YANGARRA PARK
Australian Wines
Cabernet, Merlot, Chardonnay & Shiraz \$5.79 750 ML Save \$3.20

DOURTHE
FRENCH WINES
WHITE \$5.99 1.5 LT Save \$3.00

LINDEMANS
Australia's #1 Winery
Chardonnay, Merlot, Shiraz, Reisling, Sauvignon & Pinot Noir \$5.59 750 ML Save \$3.40

B&G FRENCH WINES
St. Louis Beaujolais, Vouvray, Cotes du Rhone, Beaujolais & Chardonnay \$7.99 750 ML Save \$2.50

CAVIT
Italian Favorites
Pinot Grigio, Merlot, Chardonnay, Cabernet Sav & Pinot Noir \$8.99 1.5 LT Save \$3.00

ESTANCIA
Cabernet, Merlot & Pinot Noir \$9.99 750 ML Save \$3.00

Chardonnay \$7.99 750 ML Save \$2.00

\$5.99 SPECIALS FALL SALE
BLOSSOM HILL ALL VARIETIES \$5.99 1.5 LT
AUSTRALIAN WINE Black Swan \$5.99 750 ML
REDWOOD CREEK \$5.99 750 ML
CALLAWAY ALL VARIETIES \$5.99 750 ML

SUTTER HOME
Chardonnay, Cabernet, Merlot & Pinot Grigio \$8.99 1.5 LT Save \$2.00

White Zinfandel, White Merlot, Sauvignon Blanc, Zinfandel & Moscato \$6.99 1.5 LT Save \$2.00

BEST BUY! MCWILLIAMS
Hardwood Estates
Cabernet, Chardonnay, Merlot & Shiraz \$7.49 750 ML

FACE PUMPKIN
\$3.99

PIE PUMPKIN
99¢

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

"BOLTHOUSE"
BABY PEELED CARROTS 79¢ 1# PKG

"TASTEE"
CARAMEL & CANDY APPLES \$1.99 3 PACK

"HOMEGROWN"
MACINTOSH APPLES 69¢ LB

GREEN ONIONS 69¢ 200

MICHIGAN FRESH CIDER 2/5.00 GAL

SEALTEST
100% PURE ORANGE JUICE

BREAKSTONE
COTTAGE CHEESE DOUBLES \$3.99 PKG
ALL FLAVORS - YOUR CHOICE

HEALTHY CHOICE
ICE CREAM BARS & SANDWICHES
• FUDGE BAR
• STRAW/CRM BAR
• CARAMEL SWIRL SAND
• FUDGE SWIRL SAND
• VAN/SANDWICH
YOUR CHOICE \$2.99 6 PACK

TILLAMOOK
JACK CHEESES \$1.89 8 OZ
• COLBY-JACK
• PEPPER-JACK
• MONTEREY-JACK
IN DAIRY SECTION YOUR CHOICE

ROMANO'S
PASTA SAUCE \$4.29 26 OZ
• SICILIAN
• BASIL/TOM
• MARINARA
YOUR CHOICE

KOEPLINGER'S
HEALTH BREAD

RED GOLD
KETCHUP \$9.99 24 OZ

BAY'S ENGLISH
MUFFINS
• REGULAR \$1.19
• SOURDOUGH \$1.19 6 PACK
YOUR CHOICE - IN DAIRY SECTION

Nestle TOLL HOUSE
HALLOWEEN
• CHOC CHIP W/SPOOKY SHAPE
• FUDGY BROWNIE W/SPOOKY SHAPE
• SUGAR W/SPOOKY SHAPE \$2.99 18 OZ
YOUR CHOICE IN DAIRY SECTION

"NEW" ARCHWAY
BED & BREAKFAST CRISPY CLASSICS \$1.99 7.2 OZ ALL FLAVORS

RED GOLD
TOMATO SAUCE 49¢ 15 OZ

MASTRO
"THE ART OF ITALIAN CUISINE"
FRESH PASTA \$1.99 PKG

Kellogg's
BREAKFAST CEREAL
• CORN POPS
• TONY'S CINN KRUNCHES
\$1.99 15-16 OZ
YOUR CHOICE

SEALTEST
SKIM MILK

HEALTHY CHOICE
PREMIUM LOW FAT ICE CREAM \$2.29 56 OZ
ALL FLAVORS - YOUR CHOICE

LURPAK
"YOUR EVERYDAY LUXURY"
DANISH BUTTER
• SALTED • UNSALTED
FLAVORED LURPAK \$1.69 4.4/5 OZ
YOUR CHOICE

AQUAFINA
NON-CARBONATED PURIFIED DRINKING WATER 99¢ 15.2 LT

POM WONDERFUL
\$2.99 15.2 OZ
• POMGRANATE JUICE
• POM MANGO
• POM BLUEBERRY
• POM CHERRY
SAVE \$1.00
YOUR CHOICE

FRITO-LAY
DORITOS \$2.29 13 OZ
YOUR CHOICE SAVE \$1.00

BIG CHIEF
GRANULATED SUGAR \$1.99 4 LB

PEPPERIDGE FARM
100% NATURAL BREADS 3 \$1.99 LOAF
VARIETIES YOUR CHOICE

NATURE'S GRAIN
FOCCACCIA \$2.99
GARLIC BREADSTICK \$2.99 PKG
ALSO AVAILABLE - ENERGY BARS

KRAFT
MAC/CHEESE 69¢
• ORG. MAC/CHZ
• SPONGE BOB
• MAC/CHZ
YOUR CHOICE

DEMING'S
RED SALMON \$2.99 14.7 OZ
LIMITED QUANTITIES

BOUNTY
BUNDLE PACK \$5.99 8 ROLL

BUTCHER

U.S.D.A CHOICE **RIBEYE STEAKS** \$8.49 LB

CENTER-CUT, BONE-IN **PORK CHOPS** \$2.69 LB
PLAIN OR STUFFED

FROZEN **CORNISH GAME HENS** \$2.25 EA

PORK COUNTRY RIBS \$2.29 LB

MADE FRESH AT VILLAGE FOOD MARKET

BELGIAN SAUSAGE \$1.99 LB

MARINATED **CHICKEN BREASTS** \$2.99 LB

5# BAG **HAMBURGER PATTIES** \$9.99 PKG

SEAFOOD

TILAPIA FILLETS \$4.99 LB

PEELED AND DEVEINED **SHRIMP** (READY TO COOK) \$6.99 LB

FROZEN **FROG LEGS** \$4.99 LB

VILLAGE FOOD MARKET **COCKTAIL SAUCE** 99¢ 1/2 PT.

DELICATESSEN

BOARS HEAD **CORNE BEEF OR PASTRAMI TURKEY** \$5.19 LB

BOARS HEAD **SMOKED TURKEY OR SALSALITO TURKEY** \$4.99 LB

CHEESE

BOARS HEAD **BOARS HEAD** \$5.19 LB

BAKERY

FRESH BAKED **CHERRY PIE** \$6.99 EACH

DANISH
• CARAMEL • RASPBERRY \$3.89
• CINNAMON \$3.89 EACH

HOMESTYLE TWO-BITE
• BROWNIES • MACAROONS \$3.19
• MACAROONS W/CHOCOLATE \$3.19 EACH

Mack/Moross key issue with voters

Grosse Pointe Farms voters have a chance to make changes on their city council Nov. 4. Chief among the campaign issues this year is what to do with the property at Mack and Moross.

Some feel that with Kroger's lease on the property, nothing can be done now. Others with more foresight believe we should be making proactive decisions now.

Six candidates are running for four council seats. Two incumbents are seeking re-election. The two other seats up for re-election are being vacated.

Of those running for city council, we endorse incumbent Therese Joseph, newcomer Douglas Roby and former Councilman Peter N. Waldmeir.

Since we do not favor the way the mayoral portion of the ballot was created, we choose not to endorse for that position.

Joseph was the fourth-highest vote-getter in the last municipal election and therefore must run to keep her seat after just two years.

A soft-spoken member of the Eastside Republican Club, Joseph



gained notoriety and was ostracized by her peers on city council when she courageously authored a citizen's referendum for an amendment to the city charter to have the Farms mayor directly elected by the voters. Her referendum appears on the ballot as Proposal A: The Joseph Amendment Mayoral Election Proposal.

As a council member, Joseph serves on the Parks and Harbor, Pension and Ordinance committees. She is chairman of the Parking and Traffic Committee.

Joseph says one of her main campaign issues is fostering more openness between the council and the community. We wholeheartedly agree with that goal.

She has not made up her mind on the disposition of the Mack and Moross property. She voted against the temporary soccer field there, which turned out to be a smart vote considering what it has ended up costing the city.

Roby is one of the best new candidates to come along in some time. As former owner of a machinery compa-

ny, Roby brings to the council a lifetime of sound business experience.

In his first bid for public office, Roby has a good grasp of the issues, is aware of the problems on the current council and was able to articulate better than any of the other candidates what is going on in the Farms.

He says the biggest issue on voters' minds is the Mack and Moross property. He said residents are anxious and want to know what is going to be done there. He said they realize that land is precious in the Pointes, and judicious use must be made of it.

Waldmeir is running to regain his seat on the council after a two-year hiatus due to personal reasons. He appears to be a changed man.

With 10 years serving on city councils — four years in the City of Grosse Pointe and six years in the Farms — Waldmeir has more experience than any of the other council candidates.

Even though he has been "out of the loop" for a couple of years, Waldmeir brings something lacking on the council: perspective.

He co-chaired the Grosse Pointe

and Harper Woods Futuring Committee and is one of few to still have a copy of the report, let alone who have read it.

Waldmeir is the only Farms candidate to express concern over how the double hit of the Headlee Amendment and Proposal A is affecting city revenues and its ability to provide services.

With city revenue tied to the inflation rate, the only way to increase revenues is through new construction. But, he points out, many of our zoning laws are designed to prevent new construction.

He correctly acknowledges that for every change there is reaction, and it could be positive or negative. All factors have to be considered.

Waldmeir sounds as if he still favors a joint-, multi-use facility at Mack and Moross in which all the Pointes might share in the cost and overhead.

He feels something for everyone, from seniors to youth, can be built at the major intersection, but only with other communities' support.

We do not agree with Waldmeir's ambitious vision for Mack and Moross, but at least he has a vision.

He also correctly points out that it is silly to plan major work on a Pier Park recreation center without first deciding whether a recreation facility might be built at Mack and Moross.

In November, we believe Therese Joseph, Douglas Roby and Peter N. Waldmeir deserve your vote.

Robert G. Edgar
Publisher

Robert B. Edgar
Founder and Publisher
(1940-1979)

John Minnis
Editor and General
Manager
(313) 343-5590

EDITORIAL
(313) 882-0294
Margie Reins Smith,
Assistant Editor, Feature Editor
Chuck Klonke, Sports Editor
Bonnie Caprara, Staff Writer
Brad Lindberg, Staff Writer
Carrie Cunningham, Staff Writer
Jennie Miller, Staff Writer
Diane Morelli, Editorial Assistant
Madeleine Socia, Special Writer
Betty Brosseau, Proofreader
Gilbert Gray, Copy Editor

CLASSIFIED - (313) 882-6900
Barbara Yazbeck Vethacke,
Manager
Fran Velardo,
Assistant Manager
Ida Bauer
Melanie Mahoney

CIRCULATION - (313) 343-5578
Karla Altevogt, Manager
Amy Conrad

DISPLAY ADVERTISING
(313) 882-3500
Peter J. Birkner, Advertising Manager
Kim M. Mackey, Assistant to the
Advertising Manager
Kathleen M. Stevenson,
Advertising Representative
Mary Ellen Zander,
Advertising Representative
Julie R. Sutton,
Advertising Representative
Ken C. Ong,
Advertising Representative
Kathleen D. Bowles,
Advertising Representative

PRODUCTION
(313) 882-6090
Ken Schop,
Production Manager

Greg Bartosiewicz
David Hughes
Pat Tapper
Penny Derrick
Carol Jarman
Allan Gillies



Member Suburban
Newspapers of America
and National
Newspaper Association

Grosse Pointe News
Vol. 64, No. 41, October 9, 2003, Page 6A

KISS method best for mayor

To directly elect or not directly elect, that is the question before Grosse Pointe Farms voters under Proposals A and B on the November General Election ballot.

There is a third proposal, but it's a no-brainer.

Proposal C: City Council Automatic Succession Proposal amends the city charter "to provide for the automatic succession of the mayor pro tem to office of mayor caused by the death, resignation or extended absence or disability of the mayor."

The need for a provision in the city charter to fill the vacancy of the mayor became clear when then-Mayor Ed Gaffney was elected last year to the state House of Representatives.

Proposal C is a needed change to the city charter, and we urge all Farms voters to vote "Yes" on its adoption.

That's the easy one. The other two proposals are a bit more difficult to describe.

On the ballot, Proposal A: Joseph Amendment reads:

"This initiative proposal amends Sections 3.5 and 4.4 to permit the voters at each regular city election to elect a mayor for a 2-year term. This proposal would replace the current requirement that the mayor be selected by the city council from among its members. While the council will continue to consist of a mayor and six other council members, the number of council members elected at each regular city election would be reduced from four to three to compensate for the change in election of the mayor."

Simply, the Joseph Amendment will make the Farms mayor and city council as it is in the other Pointes and Harper Woods and nearly all other cities in the state and country.

The mayor will be directly elected by the voters every two years. Candidates for mayor can only run for mayor. Candidates for city council can only run for city council. This is the pure form of a mayoral-council form of government and the one we favor. It is

simple, unambiguous and the best for voters.

Proposal B: City Council proposal would better be called the "City Council Self-Preservation Proposal," which would make it easier for council members to become mayor. It reads:

This proposal by the city council amends Sections 3.5 and 4.4 to permit the voters at each regular city election to elect a mayor for a 2-year term. This proposal replaces the current requirement that the mayor be selected by council from among its members but retains the current procedure for electing four members of council at each election. The council will continue to consist of a mayor and six other council members. To be elected mayor, a candidate also must be elected to council or be a continuing member of the council."

The Proposal B form of government is reflected on this year's ballot. Farms voters will be asked to select one among four candidates for mayor. Two of the candidates are current council members who are two years into their first four-year terms. They have nothing to lose by running for mayor.

Two other mayoral candidates are also on this year's ballot as council candidates. As a result, Farms voters may be forced to vote for the same candidate twice.

Proposal B was surreptitiously drafted and added to the ballot without advance notice in order to make permanent the ordinance that was adopted this year that does the same thing.

Proponents of Proposal B feared that Proposal A, the Joseph Amendment, would be approved by voters, which would then supersede the city council ordinance, and the council would be taken out of the mayoral selection process.

We think Proposal B: City Council Mayoral Election Proposal is inane. Keep it simple; vote "Yes" on Proposal A: Joseph Amendment and "No" on Proposal B: City Council proposal.



Address comments to cartoonist Phil Hands at phands@grossepointenews.com or go to www.philtoons.com

and other Grosse Pointe cities elect mayors.

Proposal B — City Council Mayoral Election Proposal: Called by many "The Council Self-Preservation Amendment." The key sentence in the proposal: "To be elected mayor, a candidate also must be elected to council, or be a continuing member of council." In this proposal, only council members or council candidates can run for mayor. If incumbents lose, they still retain their council seats. A "nothing to lose" proposition for council members. In my opinion, this proposal could exclude many competent Grosse Pointe residents from being candidates for mayor.

Proposal C — City Council Automatic Succession Proposal. The key sentence in this proposal: "To provide for the automatic succession by the mayor pro tem to the office of mayor..." This makes a lot of sense. Most people assumed that the council that elected a mayor pro tem would automatically promote him to mayor if the mayor resigned. Some council members did not understand this logic, so it had to be put in an amendment.

Kudos to Councilwoman Therese Joseph for having the courage and initiative to circulate a petition and obtain over 700 signatures from Grosse Pointe Farms residents to have Proposal A for the direct election of mayor on the ballot. She listened to residents and took action.

Please exercise your privi-

lege to vote. Vote by absentee ballot or at the polls on Nov. 4

Thomas R.
McCleary Jr.
Grosse Pointe Farms

Thanks for great season

To the Editor:

As the coaches for the Grosse Pointe Farms Barracuda Swim Team, we would like to take this opportunity to thank the swimmers and their families for another great season.

To all the swimmers: your hard work and enthusiasm made the team an exciting and fun place on a daily basis! You can be proud of the personal bests you achieved this season, and we hope all of you keep swimming the rest of the year.

To the parents: your support on a daily basis is the hallmark of the Barracuda team. From bringing your children to practices, to timing at meets, to organizing picnics, to the encouragement you give your child, and the countless other things that develop team spirit; we appreciate your help and guidance.

Thanks for making the 2003 season a great one!

Alison
John
Josh
Kevin
Lauren
Rachel
Grosse Pointe Farms

Barracuda Swim Team
Coaches

Needs, wants of schools

To the Editor:

Recently a friend completed a series of chemo treatments. He retired from a company that has closed its doors. He pays \$180 per month for medical insurance. He pays \$1,007 every two months for his medicine.

He is a WWII Navy veteran, and has checked out the Veterans Affairs hospital for support. The VA divides its support into five categories; he falls into the fifth. Help from the VA is questionable.

We spend more on medication and medical procedures in the last few years of our lives than at any other time.

Now it's time for this community to honor its seniors in a tangible way. It's time to eliminate K-12 school taxes from home owners 75 years of age, and older. It's time to put some heart in our system.

We have several types of K-12 systems; home schoolers who score, on average, 20 to 30 points higher on college entrance exams than other private and public systems.

The foundation of private and public K-12 systems is the classroom teacher. Without the classroom teacher there is no system.

You turn your most valued responsibility, your child, over to the classroom teacher to provide for your child's educational needs. The classroom teacher educates, guides and protects our children. If a child has a

See LETTERS, page 8A

Letters

Direct election of mayor

To the Editor:

Grosse Pointe Farms residents will finally have an opportunity to vote for a charter amendment for the direct election of mayor by the residents. This simple proposal has been complicated by the Farms Council creating a competing pro-

posal. Please read all the amendments closely before you vote.

As a longtime attendee of the Grosse Pointe Farms council meetings and a witness to the vote over the election of mayors by divide four to three votes of the council, I recommend that we vote for the true direct election of mayor by the peo-

ple.

Proposal A — The Joseph proposal calls for the true direct election of mayor. Any Grosse Pointe Farms resident can run and, if elected by the people, serve as mayor. The key sentence in the proposal: "To permit the voters at each city election to elect a mayor for a two year term." This is how we elect presidents, governors

When radio was

Radio has nosedived from an image-grabbing world of snappy writing and creative programming to cookie-cutter FM stations whose unimaginative DJs copy each other's trash-mouthed attempts to be the next Howard Stern.

Although AM radio hasn't sunk so low, it has fallen farther from what it used to be.

Many wavelengths have gone to waste with hosts masquerading as news reporters who report simply by mouthing stories taken from newspapers without attribution.

Not long ago, radio was great. Although I grew up listening mainly to a healthy mixture of rock 'n' roll FM stations and classical music on now-defunct WQRS, Detroit's WJR-AM was my parents' pick.

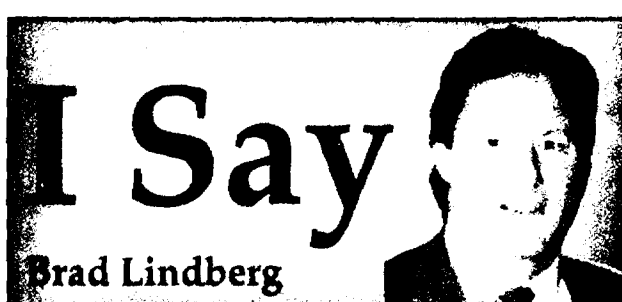
I grew to appreciate J.P. McCarthy's morning show and insightful "Focus" lunch-time interviews.

Jay Roberts hosted "Nightflight 760," an all-night music program that began with the sound of a jet airliner taking off for a fictional destination. I remember trying to stay up late just to hear the jet engines spool up.

"Kaleidoscope," a mixture of history and music put together by Mike Whorf, aired daily. The show has been reduced to Sunday mornings.

Thanks to vintage recordings, we can go back even further in radio history to a time when adventure, drama, comedy and variety ruled. It was an image-grabbing world of creative programming that marked radio's golden age, generally regarded as 1925 to 1955, when radio was great, or simply, when radio was.

Jack Benny had one of the



Brad Lindberg

best programs ever. He always pleased. The writing was witty, the ads librettier. They stand up today.

Here's an excerpt from a Benny show in which Jack is worried that a glitch is preventing his program from being broadcast.

Benny investigates by talking to the assistant engineer, played with an odd little voice by Mel Blanc of cartoon fame:

Benny: "I'm Jack Benny, and my radio program isn't going out on the air."

Blanc: "Who says it ain't?" Benny: "I says it ain't."

Blanc: "Maybe it isn't." Benny: "Why isn't it?" Blanc: "I don't know, but it aren't my fault."

Benny: "I'm not saying it am. Look, what is the reason for my show not being broadcast?"

Blanc: "Let me look at this control panel here. Hmm. Hmm. Oh, yeah, now I see what's wrong. Well, ya see Mr. Benny, when you talk into the microphone it creates a series of electronic impulses which are converted to vibrating wavelengths at varying frequencies, which are instantaneously reconverted by a series of

transistors, and it comes through here to the master control panel. Then they pass through the super heterodyne condenser, and the volume is reostatically controlled."

Benny: "I still don't quite understand from your explanation why my program isn't coming out over the air."

Blanc: "It ain't plugged in."

A skit from the "Fred Allen Show" illustrates how radio gag writers played with words and expectations to manipulate the listener's imagination.

Allen is listening to an old codger named Mr. Moody complain about how radio has interfered with his simple lifestyle:

Moody: One time a fella says on the radio, "Try Creamers Corn Syrup."

Allen: And? Moody: I poured some of

that syrup on my corn. Allen: Corn syrup on your corn?

Moody: Yep. My feet were stuck in my shoes for six months.

From the same show, Allen sings the "Banana Man's Lament" to a cha-cha rhythm in keeping with his guest star, Carmen Miranda, the "Brazilian Bombshell".

Bananas. Bananas. I'm a little island boy — Staten Island that is. I'm a poor banana peddler, But I'm sho' nuff a wiz. I've got lots of bananas, But I cannot sell. And my whole banana business is going to Yonkers.

In Michigan, old-time radio shows are broadcast on CKWW-580 AM, categorized as a nostalgia station. Two shows run back-to-back

See I SAY, page 8A

Grosse Pointe News

October 9, 2003, Page 7A

The Op-Ed Page



Visit the Grosse Pointe Dogs website: <http://gpdogs.keenspace.com>

fyi

by Ben Burns



Pirate kin

In the Pointes, we have had as residents Daughters of the American Revolution from both sides of the fence, owners of National Football League teams, professional hockey, baseball and football players, the pilot of the first Transatlantic flight and the president and family of an infamous motorcycle gang who is now doing time in a Florida prison.

But did you know that we also have a direct descendant of a crew member of Edward Teach, better known as "Blackbeard the Pirate?"

Mannon Brooks McClure, of the Park, is probably prouder of the fact she is also descended from a Revolutionary War soldier Thomas Brooks, who served under Gen. George Washington at Valley Forge in 1777-78.

Or perhaps that she'll be receiving presidential birthday greetings from George W. Bush and Gov. Jennifer Granholm shortly as she will turn 100 on Oct. 22.

She was born in Indian Territory in 1903, a place on the map that later became



Mannon Brooks McClure of Grosse Pointe Park comes from adventurous ancestors, including A Revolutionary War hero and Blackbeard the Pirate!

Oklahoma. As a youth, she played basketball, softball and ran track and learned to sew. Later, she sewed often for her 11 grandchildren, 10 of whom were part of the Jarvis family of Grosse Pointe Park.

She married **Seba Thomas McClure** in 1923 and had two children, Thomas and Brooks.

Brooks, now Mrs. Brooks Jarvis, has lived in the Park since 1970.

Her grandson, **Daniel Jarvis**, had this to say about Mannon Brooks McClure:

"At 100, she is known for her good looks, her sharp wit, her keen sense of humor and for being an avid reader. She is a sharp conversationalist with a strong sense of fairness and faith in humankind." That was well said, Daniel.

Mannon's philosophy: "Don't worry about the small things; work hard; act with kindness and honesty, and stay young by always looking at the bright side of life."

That doesn't sound much like Blackbeard and his crew's philosophy of life; so Mrs. McClure must have been more influenced by her Revolutionary War ancestor's genes than his forebears.

Rotarmite

Claire Noel Valente, 6, became the youngest Grosse Pointe ever awarded a Paul Harris Fellowship by

See FYI, page 9A

Streetwise

Question of the Week:

What TV show are you into right now?



Terri Farrell

"Everybody Loves Raymond". It's very true to my life."

Terri Farrell
Grosse Pointe Park

"My favorite TV show is 'The Wiggles,' but not the one with the magician."

Charlotte Farrell
Grosse Pointe Park



Charlotte Farrell

"I like 'Survivor' and 'Smallville.'"

Greg Morgan
Grosse Pointe Park



Greg Morgan

"I love 'Law and Order' and 'CSI.' I'm into all those crime-solving shows."

Brooke Tompkins
Grosse Pointe Farms



Brooke Tompkins

"I don't watch a lot of TV other than CNN. I haven't found anything else I like."

Alisa Shefke
Grosse Pointe Shores



Alisa Shefke

"I like 'Survivor.' It's the most competitive reality show I've seen."

James Stinson
City of Grosse Pointe



James Stinson

Points about the Pointes

The November City Council elections... will we have the sense to vote for change?

Driving around the Pointes this past weekend, one thing became obvious...there is an election in the wind!

The lawn signs are starting to bloom on lawns all over our community. I even saw some lawns with two signs for candidates for the same position (which is probably in violation of our wonderful new sign ordinance).

As with any election, this November we as voters have a chance to make a difference. In order to make intelligent decisions as to who to vote for, we have to know if we share the candidates' visions for our communities.

In Grosse Pointe Woods, the big concern for many residents is whether or not our prospective Council members will bring some common sense to our Council table. We desperately need Council members with a true commitment towards helping the Mack Avenue business community recover from its downward spiral, created by both the rapid cycling of consumer confidence and certain Council members who have micromanaged our business community and our City administrators beyond belief, without any real life experience in city planning or retailing.

In Grosse Pointe Farms, the decision is black-and-white if you as a voter are logical and have an ounce of self-esteem.

If you feel you're intelligent enough to pick a mayor without the Council meddling in the decision, and if you think someone shouldn't be able to run for Mayor and Council at the same time, then you have no choice but to bring new blood to your City Council.

The League of Women Voters is going to help all of us with our voting decisions. They have Candidate forums scheduled for October 8th for the Farms and October 14th for the Woods, both at 7:30PM at their respective City Halls. If you can't attend the forums, at least take the time to watch them when they are replayed on cable TV. They will be televised a number of times before the November elections.

Above all else, take the time to research the candidates and intelligently vote your mind. If we don't let our voices be known by way of our votes, our communities will never be the best they can be for us and for our children.

...Ahmed Ismail (ahmed.ismail@comcast.net)

IT'S OUR INK JET DIGITAL PRINT TRADE-IN SALE!

Thru 10/16, bring in your CD or memory card with the ink jet prints you made from the images. Trade them in for real photos on real Kodak paper...FREE!



Speedi Photo & Imaging Center

20229 Mack Avenue Grosse Pointe Woods (313) 881-7330

Open Daily, 9AM to 7PM; Saturday, 9AM to 6PM; Closed Sunday

Digital & Traditional Same Day Color Processing Portraits Passport Photos Frames Photo & Scrapbook Albums Greeting Cards Video-to-DVD or CD Transfers Kodak Picture Maker Print-to-Print Processing

If you have a question you would like asked, drop us a note at 96 Kercheval on The Hill in Grosse Pointe Farms, MI 48236 or email to editor@grossepointenews.com

Letters —

From page 6A

problem, that child will invariably seek out a classroom teacher. In an emergency the classroom teacher shepherds our children to safety.

If education is what our schools are about, our classroom teachers provide our child's needs.

However, public classroom teachers not only provide our child's needs, but must cope with an education bureaucracy of "wants" and "gimme gimmies."

The wants are the non-teaching jobs — all of whom receive more salary than our needed classroom teachers.

A gimme gimme is the \$6 million-plus being spent on our two high school pools. Our pools were adequate to teach swimming. But our pools were not metric, and unless a pool is metric when a state record is broken it cannot be official. That's a

gimmie gimme.

It's time we cut back on wants and gimme gimmies, and start emulating our best private schools. Private is always better. In this country, many of our best public school administrators send their children to private schools. That should tell us something.

And it's time to free grandma, grandpa, great-grandma and great-grandpa from this unfair tax. It's time the public system stops taking the widow's mite. It's time to put some heart in this affluent system.

Eliminating the K-12 tax from seniors is long overdue. Can you imagine the accolades the first school board that does this will receive? I hope it's ours.

S.E. Girardin
Grosse Pointe Farms

Appreciation
runs deep

To the Editor:

I want to thank all the

kids who were in Mrs. Anne Mertz's fifth-grade class at Mason Elementary last spring for the many care packages they sent me during my deployment to Kuwait and Iraq.

Their support and that of so many others in Grosse Pointe was deeply appreciated.

Those who have served know how much such a gesture means.

Captain Douglas Wolfe
United States Marine Corps

Thanks
for donations

To the Editor:

Neither the bees nor the biting flies could chase away the 650-plus residents and their guests who attended the 15th annual Grosse Pointe Shores Improvement Foundation picnic in honor of Grandparents' Day on Sept. 7.

We extend our thanks to Frank McBride for being our delightful master of ceremonies. We would also like to thank the numerous businesses, residents and trustees who contributed to the success of our raffle through their most generous cash or prize donations.

Special thanks to Jim Cooke and his staff, as well as the Grosse Pointe Shores Department of Public Works for all their help. We also wish to thank the Grosse Pointe Shores Department of Public Safety for their "live demonstration" of the newest technology in emergency vehicles. We thank the members of the U.S. Coast Guard who were on hand to explain the homeland security measures being used on our waterways.

Last, but not least, a heartfelt thank you to all of our hardworking volunteers:

Lynn and Harry Kurtz, Chris Kurtz, Bruce and Susan Kopf, Chris and Mare Cullen, Rob Squiers, Vicki Liggett, Daria Cooper, Mary Matuja, Cindy Tech, Jon Walton, Brett Marshall, Laurie Duncan, Jim Jacobs, Gordon and Audrey Holness, Pat Cardellio, Chris Fines, Ron Wagner, Bob Hamilton, Ted Huebner, Sgt. Dan Pullen, Pat Lowry, Rowland Austin, Ray England, Tom Astalos, Bill Dahling, Pat Schriever, Ginny Rice, Barb Willett and Karen Cullen.

Our student volunteers (we couldn't have done it without you) were Courtney Duncan, Paul and Carolyn Jacobs, Sarah and Lindsey Kurtz, Eric Jorgenson and Robbie Squiers.

Village officials who helped out were Jim Cooper, Mike Kenyon, Brian Hunt, Fred Minturn, Linda Walton and Vicki Boyce.

Thanks to Helen Bai and her staff for the mums and perennials and for making our community so beautiful.

To anyone else I may have forgotten, thank you so much for making this year's picnic so successful!

Joyce Jacobs
2003 Picnic Chairman
Grosse Pointe Shores
Improvement
Foundation

Thanks caring,
helpful people

To the Editor:

On the afternoon of Sept. 22, at about 5 p.m., our beloved family dog, Spike, was run over on eastbound Jefferson Avenue at Balfour. Although the person who hit our dog did not stop, I want to thank the people who did.

Thank you to the woman who first saw Spike get hit, stopped and directed traffic away from the area.

Thank you to the woman who stopped with her children and family dog. Your call to the vet and guidance are greatly appreciated.

Thank you to another woman who stopped, called the local police and waited.

In those stunning moments I didn't think to take names, but your kindness will never be forgotten.

Thanks to the Grosse Pointe Park safety officers for their immediate response and gentle assistance in getting Spike to the vet.

Thank you to Dr. Herzog and his staff who, despite a busy office, did everything to make Spike comfortable, assess his condition and treat his wounds; but most of all your compassionate handling of the worst possible outcome.

My young sons lost their mascot and little buddy; my daughter, her lifelong companion; and I, my fourth "child."

To the person who hit Spike, I need to say that Spike should have been in the yard where he belonged. Accidents are sometimes unavoidable. The callous disregard for life you exhibited by continuing on your way as though nothing happened is no accident.

It is comforting to see that within our community there are such caring, helpful people and we thank you very much.

As you drive eastbound on Jefferson Avenue we must

all remember that it is a residential area with children, dogs, cats, pheasants, rabbits and squirrels that sometimes may wander away from where they belong.

Linda Procida
Grosse Pointe Park

School calendar

To the Editor:

In response to the letter "Calendar Year" (Sept. 11 Grosse Pointe News), I too feel that school should begin after Labor Day.

The midwinter break is unnecessary and often disruptive to family life, especially when one child attends public school and another parochial/private school.

I never had a midwinter break, therefore I looked forward to spring break, Easter, even more; I survived.

The midwinter break could be eliminated or shortened to a long weekend. It is then that the schools could get back to a post Labor Day start.

The Birmingham and Bloomfield districts have eliminated their weeklong midwinter break as of this school year. Isn't this where the process began?

Denine Boyle
Grosse Pointe Woods

Civil liberties

To the Editor:

The following statement from Kay Maxwell, president of the League of Women Voters-United States, indicates the league's position on the Patriot Act. The League of Women Voters-Grosse Pointe strongly supports this position.

"The president proposed an expansion of the USA Patriot Act's law enforcement powers. This expansion of power would significantly undermine the fundamental liberties guaranteed to all citizens in the Constitution. The League of Women Voters calls on Congress to reject the administration's attempt to limit Americans' freedoms."

"We are deeply concerned with the administration's plan, which would allow subpoenas to be issued without obtaining approval from judges or grand juries, and make it legal to hold suspects without bail."

"It is up to Congress to keep close watch over the Patriot Act's implementation and continue to address instances where citizens' freedoms have been abused."

"On this second anniversary of Sept. 11, the League memorializes those who lost their lives in the attacks two years ago. We must stand together to protect and strengthen the American way of life and our democratic system of good government that our adversaries would so like to destroy."

"We call on the administration and Congress to protect our homeland through means that protect our civil liberties, rather than chipping away at the basic values for which America stands."

Judy Morlan
Grosse Pointe Park
President
League of Women
Voters — Grosse Pointe

I Say —

From page 7A

each week night starting at 10 p.m.

Tonight's shows are "Duffy's Tavern," originally broadcast on March 2, 1959, with guests Mickey Rooney and Marlene Dietrich; followed by the Screen Director's Playhouse production of "Champion," starring Kirk Douglas, from March 17, 1950.

Tomorrow, Oct. 10, a 1952 production of "Suspense" airs with Jack Benny as the unlikely guest star. The second show is "Yours Truly, Johnny Dollar," from Feb. 2, 1955, with Bob Bailey in an episode titled "The Bennet Matter."

A complete schedule is listed online at www.radiospirits.com. Go to "On the radio," the "Check the schedule."

WE GET THE SHOW ON THE ROAD, OR THE SHOW'S ON US!

Minor emergencies happen fast. So should your medical care. At the Cottage Hospital Emergency Center, our board-certified physicians and emergency department nurses pledge to evaluate minor emergencies that don't require hospital admission — within 30 minutes. 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Right in your neighborhood.

- Cuts requiring stitches • Body aches • Breaks and sprains
- Abdominal pain • Severe cold or flu symptoms

You'll receive a FREE MOVIE RENTAL gift certificate if our ED superstars don't live up to the 30-minute promise.

Cottage Hospital Emergency Center

THINK FAST.

159 KERCHEVAL, GROSSE POINTE FARMS



BON SECOURS COTTAGE HEALTH SERVICES



Lochmoor crash site disturbs locals

A Lochmoor homeowner has complained to Grosse Pointe Woods officials about people visiting trees planted in memory of teenage victims of a car crash.

Last month, a Lochmoor homeowner told the Woods tree commission, which administers the memorial tree program, that gatherings at the site created a "disturbing" atmosphere, according to commission records. One of the memorial trees was damaged and replaced last summer.

Three trees were planted along with ground-level brass markers in lieu of a larger stone marker friends of the dead wanted placed on the Lochmoor median just north of Fairway.

City council members denied the marker in large part because Lochmoor residents signed a petition opposing the idea. They testified before the city council saying they didn't want a reminder of the most devas-

tating crash in recent Pointe history.

Three teens died at the location in July 2001 when a speeding vehicle driven by Woods resident Anthony Pierno jumped the median and hit a series of trees.

Most occupants of Pierno's SUV were celebrating their recent graduation from Grosse Pointe North High School. Another Woods teenager was injured.

Pierno, uninjured, ran from the scene, according to court statements by the injured survivor.

Even before Pierno turned himself in more than eight hours later, mourners had decorated the crash site with flowers, stuffed animals, candles and similar trinkets. The practice continues, although at a lessening frequency and extent.

Members of the tree commission have begun drafting guidelines that address the Lochmoor situation.

FYI

From page 7A

District Gov. Roberto Sanchez recently. A squirming Claire was held aloft by her father, Dean P.

Valente, of the Park, while Sanchez bestowed the honor medallion on Claire. The award acknowledges financial support for Rotary International programs such as the effort to eliminate polio from the world, dental clinics in South America and wells in third world countries.

Valente, his wife, Lois, and their other children, Kiera and Dante, were already Paul Harris fellows.

Bumpy friends

One of the nice things about the Grosse Pointes is that you sometimes run into the nicest people when you are shopping on the Hill, in the Village or in the Park.

For example, Barbara Wagner, of the City, some weeks back dropped her son off at orthodontist Tom Gebeck's office on Cadieux in the Village about 9 a.m. As she was leaving via the exit onto Kercheval Place, a mini-van backed rapidly out from in front of Blockbuster. Barb slammed on her brakes, but the minivan still crashed into her.

The other driver — who prefers to remain anonymous — jumped out of her vehicle and ran back to Barb's window. "Oh, I'm so sorry, so sorry," she said.

"This is awful," replied Barb, instantly aware of Grosse Pointe decorum. "I'm still in my bathrobe."

"Oh, that's OK," the other driver answered. "I'm still in my pajamas."

Both women started laughing about being caught in a public situation in their nightwear. The two were still laughing when a Grosse Pointe City patrol car arrived, and the officer



Claire Noel Valente, 6, became the youngest Grosse Pointe Rotarian ever awarded a Paul Harris Fellowship on Sept. 22. She is being held by her father, Dean P. Valente, from the Park. Rotary District 6400 Gov. Roberto Sanchez bestowed the honor medallion on Claire.

remarked, "Well at least you can both laugh about it." They pointed out they were laughing about their morning clothes rather than the crash.

By then the pair had a budding friendship going. Barb learned the other driver had four sons and is moving to the City, and the other driver learned that Barb has three sons, and the home she moved into had belonged to a friend of Barb's.

Free jazz

One of the best of the fall freebies is the "Jazz in the Garden" concert series at the Winter Garden in the Renaissance Center. Hosted by artistic director Alexander Zonjic and sponsored by the Riverfront Shops, the concerts are designed to lure you to the area early enough to browse the stores.

p.m. Then you can buy drinks, a variety of sandwiches and desserts while waiting for the music to start at 7 p.m.

Two Pointe city managers were among the 500 or so at the Renaissance Center when Chuck Mangione kicked off the series.

Retiring Farns City Manager Rich Solak was in the building for a conference. Grosse Pointe City Manager Mike Overton and his wife Lynn were accompanied by Mayor Dale Scrace and his wife, Mary.

Tonight "Straight Ahead," a Grammy-nominated recording group, is scheduled to play, and on Oct. 16 it will be the Ramsey Lewis Trio followed on Oct. 23 by Marcus Belgrave and David "Fathead" Newman.

Parking is either valet at the door or about a block's walk away in the parking ramp off Beaubien.

Ben Burns of the City of Grosse Pointe is a professor in the journalism program at Wayne State University. He can be reached at burnsben@comcast.net or by phone at (313) 882-2810.

GPW council members to visit Nashville

The Grosse Pointe Woods city council has appointed two of its members to attend this year's Congress of Cities, the annual meeting of the National League of Cities.

The council appointed Allen Dickinson to serve as a voting delegate at the conference in Nashville, Tenn. Thomas Fahrner was appointed alternate.

"I've gone almost every year," Fahrner said. "You always learn something."

The five-day conference includes seminars on numerous topics, including:

- building a collaborative community,
- how to balance your political and personal life,
- gaining public trust,
- "speak and make a difference" and
- dealing with the media: techniques to control the story.

Registration costs at least \$435 per person. Hotel rooms recommended by conference organizers cost from \$72 to \$171 per night. Seminars cost from \$95 to \$150.

Woods council members will be given a \$65 daily expense account for food and travel. Upon return, expenses must be approved by the finance committee for reimbursement.

Woods council members will be given a \$65 daily expense account for food and travel. Upon return, expenses must be approved by the finance committee for reimbursement.

Woods council members will be given a \$65 daily expense account for food and travel. Upon return, expenses must be approved by the finance committee for reimbursement.

City of Grosse Pointe Woods, Michigan

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING: Notice is hereby given that the Council of the City of Grosse Pointe Woods, in accordance with Chapter 98, Zoning, Article VI, C.F. COMMUNITY FACILITIES DISTRICT, Section 98-171, et al. of the 1997 City Code and the Michigan Compiled Laws, Section 125.581-584, et al. will hold a public hearing at 7:30 p.m. on **MONDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2003**, in the Council Room of the Municipal Building, 20025 Mack Plaza, Grosse Pointe Woods, to hear the request of the **GROSSE POINTE PUBLIC LIBRARY**, 10 Kercheval, Grosse Pointe Farms, MI, 48236, for permission for a special land use to construct a new public library and site improvements for the Grosse Pointe Woods Library branch located at the corner of Mack Avenue and Vernier Road, adjacent to Parcels Middle School (20600 Mack Avenue). The subject file folder is available for public scrutiny at City Hall and all interested persons are invited to attend.

Louise S. Warnke,
City Clerk

G.P.N.: 10/09/03

Travel confidently powerfully impressively luxuriously assertively distinctively securely boldly Well



2004 TOWN CAR

LINCOLN

No car had ever achieved five stars in each of the government's five crash-testing categories, until this one.* Which further proves that with Lincoln, luxury includes the comfort of knowing that you and your family's safety are always considered paramount. Travel Well.

2.9% APR FINANCING FOR 60 MONTHS OR UP TO \$5,000 CASH BACK** (INCLUDING \$500 AARP CASH)

RETURNING AND 2 LESSEES \$427 A MONTH \$2,062 CASH DUE AT SIGNING (AFTER \$5,000 CASH BACK FOR RETURNING LESSEES, INCLUDING \$500 AARP CASH)

A-PLAN STARTING AT \$32,547 (AFTER \$5,000 CASH BACK INCLUDING \$500 AARP CASH)

VISIT YOUR METRO DETROIT LINCOLN MERCURY DEALERS.



For latest offers go to LMAplan.com

ANN ARBOR

Sesi

2100 W. Stadium Blvd.
at Liberty
(734) 668-6100
sesi.com

CLINTON TOWNSHIP

Stu Evans Lakeside

17500 Hall Rd.
at Romeo Plank
(586) 840-2000
stuevanslakeside.com

DEARBORN

Jack Demmer

21531 Michigan Ave.
Between Southfield & Telegraph
(313) 274-8800
demmerlin.com

DETROIT

Bob Maxey

16901 Mack Ave.
at Cadieux
(313) 885-4000
bobmaxeylin.com

DETROIT

Park Motor

18100 Woodward Ave.
Opposite Palmer Park
(313) 869-5000
parkmotorslin.com

GARDEN CITY

Stu Evans Garden City

32000 Ford Rd.
at West 12 Mile Rd.
(734) 425-4300
stuevansgardencity.com

NOVI

Varsity

49251 Grand River
at West 12 Mile Rd. (Exit 159)
Two Exits West of I-248 Mall
(248) 305-5300
varsitylin.com

PLYMOUTH

Hines Park

40601 Ann Arbor Rd.
at I-275
(734) 453-2424
hinesparklin.com

ROCHESTER HILLS

Crissman

1185 South Rochester Rd.
Between Hamlin & Avon Rd.
(248) 652-4200
crissmanlin.com

ROSEVILLE

Bob Maxey

29000 Grotto
at I-248
(586) 552-6000
bobmaxeylin.com

SOUTHFIELD

Star

24350 West 12 Mile Rd.
at Telegraph
(248) 354-4900
starlin.com

SOUTHGATE

Southgate

16800 Fort Street
at Pennsylvania
(734) 285-8800
southgatalincolnmercury.com

STERLING HEIGHTS

Crest

36200 Van Dyke
at I-275
(586) 939-6000
crestlincolnmercury.com

TROY

Bob Borst

1950 West Maple
Troy Motor Mall
(248) 643-6600
borstlin.com

YPSILANTI

Sesi

950 East Michigan
at I-275
(734) 482-7133
sesi.com

*Based on 2003 NHTSA crash test results. <http://www.nhtsa.dot.gov/ncap> **Not all buyers will qualify for Ford Credit financing. Amount financed is \$17.92 per month, per \$1,000 financed regardless of down payment. \$500 AARP Bonus Cash offer for AARP members, with proof of membership required. Limit one per member. This offer cannot be combined with any private offers. ***Not all buyers will qualify for Red Carpet Lease. Some payments higher, some lower. Includes refundable security deposit and acquisition fees. Excludes tax, title and license fees. Residency restrictions apply. *Cash back includes \$1,000 for returning eligible Lincoln or Mercury lessees who renew into a new lease by 12/1/03. Proof of ownership required. *2004 Lincoln Town Car Signature. See dealer for their price. "Starting at" A-Plan price is less cash back and excludes tax, title and registration fees. For APR and all cash back offers, take delivery from dealer stock by 12/1/03. Offers subject to change. See dealer for complete details.

GE Remarkable

Rebates & More

Remarkable Rebate Savings!

\$50

BONUS REBATE
By Mail When
you Buy 2 Eligible
GE Appliances

\$100

BONUS REBATE
By Mail When
you Buy 3 Eligible
GE Appliances

\$200

BONUS REBATE
By Mail When
you Buy 4 Eligible
GE Appliances

Get Up To \$775 In Total Rebates
By Mail with the Purchase of
Qualifying GE Appliances.



12 MONTHS
NO DOWN PAYMENT
NO MONTHLY PAYMENTS
NO INTEREST CHARGES
On Select GE Appliances!



**THE FIRST EVER LAUNDRY PAIR
THAT COMMUNICATES!**

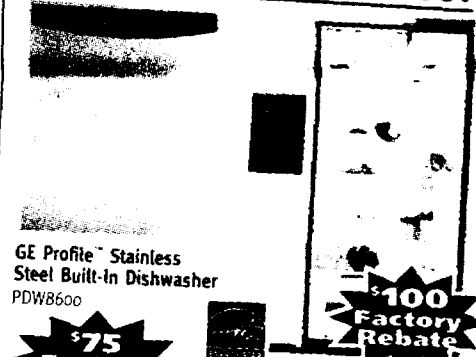
THE NEW GE PROFILE™ HARMONY™ CLOTHES CARE SYSTEM

THE FIRST WASHER THAT COMMUNICATES ELECTRONICALLY TO
THE DRYER, PRESETTING DRY CYCLES FOR BETTER CLOTHES CARE
AND INCREASED TIME & ENERGY SAVINGS.

- The Largest-Capacity Laundry Pair Available.
- ENERGY STAR™ Top Load Washer uses up to 40% less water than a traditional top load machine and 47% less energy.
- Stain Inspector™ Stain Removal System.

*Financing, rebates and special prices valid on eligible GE appliances September 10 through November 10, 2003. See store for complete details.

GE Remarkable SPECIAL SAVINGS!



\$75 Factory Rebate
GE Profile™ Arctic 22.6 Cu. Ft.
Stainless Steel Side-By-Side P5129S

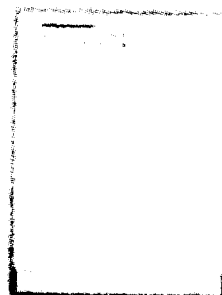
Look for More Special Rebates on GE
RANGES • MICROWAVES & LAUNDRY PAIRS

Renovation Inspiration

\$50 REBATE

GE Profile™ Stainless Built-in
Dishwasher

- Energy Star™ qualified
- Full color wrap contour door
- Bright annealed stainless steel interior
- Nylon racks with color matched components
- Removable upper rack



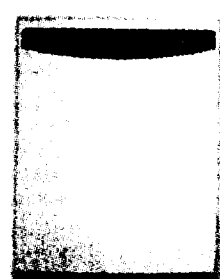
GE Profile™

P0W62BLWW

\$75 REBATE

GE Profile™ Stainless Built-in
Dishwasher

- Energy Star™ qualified
- Stainless steel contour full wrap door
- Bright annealed stainless steel interior
- Removable four position adjustable upper rack
- Countdown display with 1-9 hour delay start



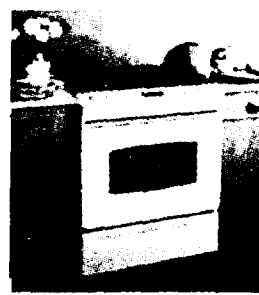
GE Profile™

P0W66BLJS

\$100 REBATE

GE Profile™ 30" Slide-In
Gas Range

- Self-clean oven
- Precise simmer burner
- High output burner
- Super large oven capacity
- Electronic oven controls



GE Profile™

JGSP48WHWW

\$100 REBATE

GE Profile™ 30" Slide-In
Electric Range

- Self-clean oven
- Electronic oven controls
- Dual size ribbon element
- Super large capacity
- TrueTemp™ system



GE Profile™

JSP47CFCC

\$100 REBATE

GE Profile™ Free-Standing Self-Clean
Convection Gas on Glass
Range with Warming Drawer

- Gas convection oven
- Self-clean oven
- Extra large oven capacity
- TrueTemp™ system
- QuickSet™ glass touch oven controls



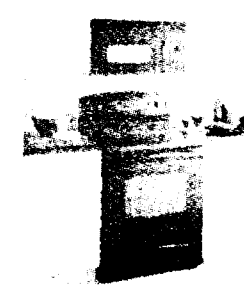
GE Profile™

JG89201EFWW

\$100 REBATE

GE Profile™ 30" Free-Standing
Electric Range

- Self-clean oven
- Super large oven capacity
- TrueTemp™ system
- QuickSet™ glass touch oven controls
- Dual size ribbon element



GE Profile™

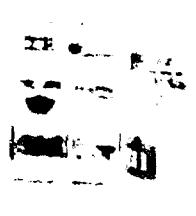
J890521H8

GE Profile™ Bottom-Freezer Refrigerators Up to \$75 Cash Back!

\$50 REBATE

GE® Energy Star 19.63 Cu. Ft.
Bottom-Freezer Refrigerator
with Icemaker

- Stainless steel
- Slide-In Store™ freezer drawer
- Full width Slide-In Store™ freezer basket
- Adjustable slide-out spill proof glass shelves
- ShelfSaver™ rack



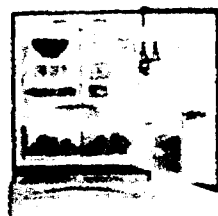
GE

P0S28MCPWW

\$75 REBATE

GE® Energy Star 22.19 Cu. Ft.
Bottom-Freezer Refrigerator

- Stainless steel
- Slide-In Store™ freezer drawer
- Full width Slide-In Store™ freezer basket
- Adjustable slide-out spill proof glass shelves
- ShelfSaver™ rack



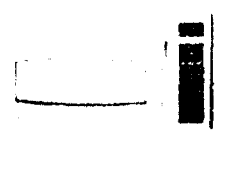
GE

P0S278P8SS

\$20 REBATE

GE Spacemaker® 1.8 Cu. Ft.
Microwave Oven

- Profile Family appearance
- Circulwave™ 1100 cooking system
- Sensor cooking
- 7 racks
- 12 1/4" recessed turntable



GE Profile™

JYM18T051

\$50 REBATE

GE Profile™ 3.5 Cu. Ft. King-Size
Capacity Washer with Stainless
Steel Basket

- Full electronic controls with Adaptive Logic System™
- ENERGY STAR™ qualified
- Variable speed motor
- 35 wash/spin speed combinations
- Multiple wash cycles



GE Profile™

WPR842780WW

BRUNOS

APPLIANCE • TV

SERVING THE EASTSIDE FOR OVER 50 YEARS

23118 HARPER AVE. (NEAR 9 MILE) • ST. CLAIR SHORES

(586) 778-4520

MON. & THURS. 10:00-8:00 TUES. WED. FRI. & SAT. 10:00-5:00

11800 EAST ELEVEN MILE (NEAR HOOVER) • WARREN, MI.

(586) 759-0366

MON. THURS. 9:00-8:00 TUES. WED. FRI. SAT. 9:00-6:00

Neon nabbed

A 2000 Dodge Neon was stolen from a driveway in the 1800 block of Prestwick sometime between 8 p.m. on Thursday, Oct. 2, and 8 a.m. the following day.

Grosse Pointe Woods police said Detroit officers recovered the vehicle within a day of its being reported missing.

Sebring snatched

On Monday, Sept. 29, between 8:55 and 9:03 p.m., a green 2001 Chrysler Sebring four-door was stolen from in front of a home in the 1800 block of Newcastle in Grosse Pointe Woods.

No hitting back

Parents of a Shelby Township hockey player who came out swinging during a game in Grosse Pointe Woods want assault charges levied against a referee who broke up the brawl.

Police didn't arrest anyone in the case, which the referee said involved five players at an arena in the 1600 block of Cook on Thursday, Oct. 2, at about 9:15 p.m.

"(The 23-year-old Shelby Township) stood up and started swinging toward other players," the ref reportedly told officers.

The player admitted fighting but said the ref got rough when breaking things up. The player complained of being grabbed by the throat when being thrown off the ice.

"(The player) told me his throat was sore," said an officer. "I saw no signs of injury."

Police will watch a video tape of the incident before deciding if charges are warranted.

Kitty criminal

A stray kitten has been ticked in Grosse Pointe Woods.

On Thursday, Oct. 2, at 7:35 p.m., a woman found the kitten, brown with black stripes, in an alley behind the 19700 block of Mack.

A public safety officer took the stray to a local veterinarian.

"I then issued citation No. 090036 for animals running at large and for no tags on collar," the officer said.

The feline has been ordered to appear before Municipal Judge Lynne Pierce on Dec. 17, at 8:30 a.m.

"I wedged the citation halfway into the animal cage," the officer said. "I cleared (the scene) without incident."

In the meantime, Woods police have offered no leads on three break-ins that occurred on Mack the night of Saturday, Sept. 13.

Heroin heroine

Grosse Pointe Woods police arrested a 47-year-old woman for drugs last week. Officers acted in cooperation with an undercover drug unit from Macomb County.

Officers made the arrest shortly after the suspect dropped off a passenger in the 1800 block of Fleetwood in the Woods. A search of the woman's wallet turned up four small packages of heroin "packaged for sale," police said.

Officers impounded the woman's tan 1992 Ford four-door but said the vehicle probably won't be forfeited. The woman was released at 6:05 p.m.

Drugs found

A 41-year-old Detroit man was released on \$360 bond after being processed in Grosse Pointe Woods for drug possession. The man also had three driving suspensions, an outstanding warrant for speeding in Eastpointe, no registration and a defective taillight.

A Woods officer caught the man driving at 5:10 p.m., Thursday, Oct. 2, on southbound Mack near city hall. Police impounded the man's

red, 1993 Chrysler four-door.

Officers found two cigarettes that tested positive for marijuana inside a cigarette box in the front driver's side map pocket.

Bike taken

Sometime during normal school hours on Wednesday, Oct. 1, a locked, medium-sized, white and cream Haro trick bicycle was stolen from racks on the south side of a library on the grounds of a middle school at the corner of Mack and Vernier in Grosse Pointe Woods.

Power outage

A power outage prompted numerous complaints to DTE during the early hours of Wednesday, Oct. 1.

At 4:10 a.m., power went out in the southeast corner of Grosse Pointe Woods. The failure extended into the Farms and Detroit.

Woods police contacted a DTE operator, who said the utility had been "flooded with calls."

Backhanded

An alleged assault and battery occurred last week when an employee of a Mack Avenue store backhanded a restaurant clerk during an argument over free soft drinks.

On Tuesday, Sept. 30, at 4:10 p.m., the confrontation took place on the sidewalk in the 19700 block of Mack.

A 26-year-old Detroit man who worked in the 19600 block of Mack filled a water glass with soda pop while ordering lunch at a shop in the 19700 block.

The 21-year-old clerk from Harper Woods reportedly followed the man outside, grabbed his arm and knocked the soft drink and sandwich from his hands.

That's when the customer reportedly hit the clerk, police said.

There were no arrests.

Fire bugs?

Two 14-year-old males from Grosse Pointe Woods drew suspicion from a public safety officer who was dousing a trash can fire in Chene-Trombly Park on Saturday, Oct. 4, at 8:40 p.m.

"(The boys) were standing on the sidewalk appearing very interested in what was going on," the officer said. "I spoke with them as they attempted to leave the scene rather quickly."

Car entered

Sometime between 7 and 9:30 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 4, someone broke into a 2002 Dodge Durango parked in a lot behind Mack and Moross. Although nothing was stolen, clothing stored within was strewn about the vehicle.

PUBLIC SAFETY REPORTS

A Grosse Pointe Woods public safety officer found evidence the driver side door had been pried, shattering the window.

The vehicle's owner speculated that no clothing was taken because it wasn't new.

Chimney fire

On Friday, Oct. 3, at 2:18 a.m., Grosse Pointe Park firefighters extinguished a chimney blaze in the 1200 block of Audubon.

Officers completed the job with the department's new tower truck.

Dodge done in

A 2001 Dodge Intrepid was taken from a parking lot in the 1500 block of Mack in Grosse Pointe Park on Saturday, Oct. 4, between 3:39 and 5:15 p.m.

Multiple thefts

Grosse Pointe Park police said three mountain bikes, a road bike and Legend 50cc motor scooter were taken from a garage in the 1400 block of Grayton within the last two weeks.

Running wild

Two Grosse Pointe Park public safety officers completed the Detroit Free Press International Marathon.

Lt. John Kretschmar finished the more than 26-mile race in 3 hours, 46 minutes. PSO Brent Merlington finished in 3 hours, 58 minutes.

Anniversaries

The following employees are celebrating anniversaries with the public safety department in Grosse Pointe Park:

- Lt. James Smith, 26 years and
- PEO Stella Esperit, 22 years.

Stolen cars

A silver 2002 Chrysler Sebring was stolen from a driveway in the 400 block of Cloverly in Grosse Pointe Farms between 3 and 4 a.m. on Wednesday, Oct. 1.

A blue 2002 Jeep Liberty parked in front of a house in the 400 block of Lothrop in the Farms was stolen sometime between 9 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 3, and 7:55 a.m. on Saturday, Oct. 4.

A neighbor called the Farms public safety department and said she heard a banging noise outside of her house at 4 a.m. but didn't look outside of her window to see what was going on at that time.

Resident halts possible car theft

A City of Grosse Pointe resident may have prevented a car theft in a parking lot at Mack and Lincoln in the City of Grosse Pointe on Wednesday, Oct. 1.

The resident called the City's public safety department to report a suspicious man. When officers arrived, the man, an 18-year-old from Detroit, was standing by a car and said he was in the alley because he had to go to the bathroom. The officers checked out the man and discovered he had a felony warrant on a stolen vehicle charge out of Wayne County.

The man was then turned over to Wayne County Sheriff's deputies.

Later that afternoon, a physician with an office in that block called the public safety department and said he found a screwdriver and a rock under his car.

Offensive driver

A 30-year-old Grosse Pointe Farms woman compounded her problems by resisting and obstructing officers during a traffic stop on Moross north of Chalfonte in the the Farms on Saturday, Oct. 4.

An officer pulled the driver over for speeding 14 mph over the speed limit at 1:48 p.m. The driver, who had no driver's license, registration or proof of insurance said, "Why are you pulling me over? I was only going 34 mph."

As the driver became angered and insisted she was in a rush, the officer discovered her driver's license was suspended. As the offi-

cer attempted to hand her citations for speeding and driving with a suspended license, and she spewed obscenities.

She became further angered when an officer said her car would be impounded. She also insisted that she couldn't be arrested, and walked away from the officer as he tried to handcuff her. Two officers tried to restrain her as she struggled.

Officers did arrest her, and the driver posted a \$400 bond. A court date has not yet been set.

Zero tolerance

Two 18-year-old Grosse Pointe Park men were arrested for violating the state's zero tolerance law on Thursday, Oct. 2.

City of Grosse Pointe public safety officers were flagged down by a resident on Fisher and St. Paul by a citizen who saw the two men, one who urinated on a wall, who appeared to be intoxicated in a nearby parking lot. Another officer located the car the men were in headed northbound on Fisher near Kercheval.

The driver of the car was arrested for drunken driving in addition to the zero tolerance charge.

— Bonnie Caprara

Identity theft

A woman living in the 18000 block of Woodside said that last July someone attempted to pay her television bill for \$17 and a subsequent bill for \$133.96. All payments were processed as insufficient funds and the television company billed her. The woman said she doesn't know who would be making the payment and that the television company would not hear her dispute without a police report. Police were contacted at 4:30 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 4.

Items in box taken

On Saturday, Oct. 4, a man said items were stolen from a locked box in the rear of his truck that was parked near a store in the 20300 block of Kelly. The car was alarmed. There were no suspects and no evidence. Police were informed at 3:20 p.m. the same day.

Bike stolen

On Friday, Oct. 3, a man said he parked his bike on the north side of a store in the 20500 block of Kelly at 4:30 p.m. When he returned at 6 p.m., the bike was gone. No one had permission to take the bike, and it was not registered with the police department. The man said the cameras outside the store might have caught the theft on video. Police were informed at 7:30 p.m.

Car theft

A woman said she parked and locked her car at a store in the 18000 block of Vernier at 6:30 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 6. When she returned to where her vehicle was parked at 8:10 p.m. the car was gone. The lot was checked, but nothing turned up. The police were informed at 8:25 p.m. and entered the car into the computer system.

Weapons theft

A man living in the 20400 block of Balfour said that between mid-August and Sunday, Oct. 5, he noticed two weapons were missing from a duffle bag underneath his bed. The man said there was no forced entry into his apartment; he does not know of anyone who would steal the weapons. Police were contacted at 2:28 p.m. and entered the weapons into the computer system.

— Carrie Cunningham

LET INSPIRATION BE YOUR GUIDE

Design a Look for Less at the Calico Corners
Columbus Day Weekend Storewide Sale



SAVE 15% STOREWIDE AND 10% ON FURNITURE!
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9 THROUGH MONDAY, OCTOBER 13

Be sure to shop Calico Corners for spectacular savings on our exceptional collection of fabrics, furniture and accessories during our Columbus Day Weekend Sale. You don't have to travel far to discover a whole new world of decorating options!

Offer excludes custom labor services and prior purchases. Cannot be combined with any other offer.

CALICO CORNERS

Your Home for Custom Decorating

BLOOMFIELD HILLS
1933 S. Telegraph Rd.
(North of Square Lake Rd.)
(248) 332-9163

NOVI
City Center Plaza
25875 Novi Rd.
(248) 347-4188

ST. CLAIR SHORES
23240 Mack Ave.
(South of Nine Mile)
(586) 775-0078

OKEMOS
Central Park Place
5100 Main Rd.
(517) 347-1602

Visit our website at www.calicocorners.com.

City of Grosse Pointe Woods, Michigan

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING: Please be advised the Planning Commission of the City of Grosse Pointe Woods will hold a public hearing under the provisions of Chapter 98, Zoning, Article XVII, Interpretation and Application Section 98-493(3), Conditional Zoning Approval, of the 1997 City Code, and in accordance with Michigan Compiled Laws, Section 125.581-592, on **Tuesday, October 28, 2003**, at 7:30 p.m. in the Council-Court Room of the Municipal Building, 20025 Mack Plaza, Grosse Pointe Woods, to hear the request of the Alex M. Lucido and W. Matouk, 19455 Mack Avenue, Grosse Pointe Woods, to re-zone the following described property:

Common address: 1878 Hawthorne Road;

Legal description: Lot 80, except that part taken for road purposes, Hollywood Subdivision, being a subdivision of a part of P.C.'s 223 and 249, between Mack and Marter Roads, Grosse Pointe Township (now City of Grosse Pointe Woods), Wayne County, Michigan, as recorded in Liber 45 of Plats, Page 96 of Wayne County Records.

It is proposed to rezone such property from R-1C Residential to RO-1 Restricted Office conditionally. Such proposed rezoning would amend Article XIX, Zoning Map, Section 98-531, of the 1997 City Code of the City of Grosse Pointe Woods. The subject file folder is open for public review and any interested person is invited to attend the public hearing.

Louise S. Warnke,

G.P.N.: 10/09/03

City Clerk

Elizabeth Therese Aubin

Longtime Grosse Pointe Farms resident Elizabeth Therese Aubin, 86, died on Sunday, Oct. 5, 2003, in St. Paul, Minn.

Mrs. Aubin was a volunteer at Bon Secours Hospital and a member of the Altar Society of St. Clare of Montefalco Catholic Church. She was an avid reader and enjoyed traveling.

She is survived by her sons, Dennis (Catherine), Robert (Charlene) and Michael (Betty A.); her grandchildren, Elizabeth (Robb) Noye, Ethan, Ashlee, Amy, Thomas, Alissa, Kara and Joseph; and her great-grandchildren, Justin and Brittany Noye.

She was predeceased by her husband, Leo; her brothers, Patrick and Charles Mooney; and her sister, Ruth Ogilvy.

Visitation will be held on Friday, Oct. 10, from 4 to 9 p.m., at Chas. Verheyden Inc. in Grosse Pointe Park. Prayers will be held on Friday at 7 p.m.

Instate on Saturday, Oct. 11, at 9:30 a.m. until the time of Mass, at 10 a.m., at St. Clare of Montefalco Catholic Church.



John Michael Couvreur

John Michael Couvreur

John Michael "Jack" Couvreur, 49, of Detroit, died on Tuesday, Sept. 30, 2003, at Bon Secours Hospital.

Born in Grosse Pointe, Mr. Couvreur was employed as an engineer at Grosse Pointe South High School for 25 years.

He was an avid boater and a motorcyclist.

He is survived by his fiancée, Catherine Hanlon; his daughter, Courtney Anne Couvreur; his sister, Lynda (Bruce) Doubles; his nephews, Brian and Christopher (Darcy) Doubles; and his great-niece

and nephew, Allison and Christopher Doubles.

He was predeceased by his parents, George and Eileen Couvreur.

A memorial service was held on Saturday, Oct. 4, at the St. Clair Shores Chapel of Bagnasco & Calcaterra Funeral Home.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society of Macomb County, 37040 Garfield, C-4, Clinton Twp., MI 48036 or Bon Secours/Cottage Hospice, P.O. Box 02220, Detroit, MI 48202-0220.



Anne Marie Couzens

Anne Marie Couzens

Anne Marie Couzens, of Guerneville, Calif., died at home on Friday, Sept. 26, 2003.

Born in Detroit in 1950, Ms. Couzens attended the Academy of the Sacred Heart and St. Paul High School.

She graduated from Regis College in Denver, Colo., where she achieved Summa cum laude honors as one of the first female graduates.

Ms. Couzens continued migrating westward, which ended in the mid-70s when her station wagon broke down in what she considered one of the most beautiful

Russian River; and from then on she called Sonoma County her home.

Nothing was more important to Ms. Couzens than

raising her son, Azul. She also dedicated herself to educating and nurturing children as a teacher at Guerneville Elementary in Sonoma County.

Passionate about art, Ms. Couzens frequently utilized nature as her medium of choice.

An environmentalist at heart, Ms. Couzens felt that beauty and solace were as easy to touch upon as a walk under the canopy of Armstrong Woods.

Her frequent visits to "The Colonel" were more than a walk in the forest; they were a tribute to her sense of spirituality.

Ms. Couzens battled pancreatic cancer for eleven months before her death.

She never once allowed it to prevent her from living her life to its fullest or dulling her sharp sense of humor.

She continued planning her next projects and trips, even trekking up the coast on her motorcycle with her good friend, Rick Topper, just days after her release from the hospital.

She is survived by her son, Azul; her father, Frank Couzens Jr. (Linda); and her siblings, Joan (Tom) Cliff, Margaret (Mike) Crandall, Carol (Larry) Marantette, Frank (Robin), William (Marion) and John (Melinda); and many nieces and nephews.

She was predeceased by her mother, Joan Ulrich Couzens.

Ms. Couzens' family and friends laid her to rest in the Gilliam Cemetery in Graton, Calif., and celebrated her life on the beach she loved.

In keeping with Ms. Couzens' wishes for a fund for a reading program, her family requests that memorial contributions be sent to Guerneville Elementary School, c/o Doug Robinson, 16430 Armstrong Woods, Guerneville, CA 95446.

Louise M. Hindelang

Louise M. Hindelang, 88, died on Sunday, Oct. 5, 2003.

Mrs. Hindelang attended St. David Grade School and High School in Detroit.

She worked as a bookkeeper at Detroit City Ice Co.

She was active in the altar society, parish council and parent-teacher organizations at St. Juliana Church, and she served as a leader for Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, Bluebirds and Campfire Girls.

Mrs. Hindelang volunteered for the March of Dimes, the Marist Mothers of Seminarians, the Third Order of Mary, Meals on Wheels, and charitable collections of food and clothing for an inner-city family.

Mrs. Hindelang enjoyed traveling with her husband and their family, and found time for Arthur Murray dance lessons, Dale Carnegie leadership courses and square dancing.

She later moved to Queen of Peace Parish in Harper Woods, where she became active as Eucharistic minister, parish council member and volunteer driver.

Mrs. Hindelang was involved for several years in the Detroit Adult Literacy program at Dominican High School and organized an inter-generational tutoring program at Queen of Peace Grade School.

She is survived by her sons, Ronald J. (Jean Marchant) Hindelang, Thomas J. (Christine Kydd) Hindelang, Robert L. (Paula) Hindelang, and the Rev. Joseph C. Hindelang, S.M.; her daughters, Mary L. (Mark Silver) Hindelang and Ann T. (James) Noble; 12 grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

She was predeceased by her husband, John L. Jr.; her son, Michael; and her brothers, Elmer C. Van Tiem, George A. Van Tiem, Alvin Van Tiem and Donald M. Van Tiem.

Visitation will be held on Friday, Oct. 10, from 3 to 9 p.m. at Chas. Verheyden Inc. in Grosse Pointe Park, with prayers at 7 p.m.

Instate on Saturday, Oct. 11, at 9:30 a.m. until the time of Mass at 10 a.m., at Our Lady Queen of Peace in Harper Woods.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Marist Fathers Seminar Fund, 1300 Giddings, Pontiac, MI 48340.

Harriet Quelos Hunt

Harriet Quelos Hunt, the last surviving member of the old Detroit family, died on Sunday, Aug. 17, 2003, in Panama City Beach, Fla.

Born in 1930 in Flint, her family moved to Detroit and later Grosse Pointe, where she attended Grosse Pointe High School.

Mrs. Hunt was long employed at the Good Housekeeping and later owned a boutique with her sister, Eugenie.

After the death of her parents, John Leggett Hunt and Pauline Smith Hunt, she moved to Harper Woods and later to Florida.

She is survived by her cousins, Madeleine Lindley Furnans, Madge Lindley Haymes, Helen McGraw, the widow of Graham Hunt Lindley, and his daughter, Carol Lindley Boothroyd.

Interment is in the family plot at Elmwood Cemetery.

George F. Lathrop

George F. Lathrop, 70, of Grosse Pointe Park, died on Saturday, Oct. 4, 2003, due to complications from Parkinson's disease.

Born in Detroit, Mr. Lathrop graduated from Southeastern High School and received his bachelor's degree in marketing from Wayne State University.

He was a veteran of the U.S. Army and a former copy editor, having previously worked at The Detroit News and the Grosse Pointe News, from which he retired in 2000.

Mr. Lathrop enjoyed reading, crossword puzzles, playing cribbage and showing others his ability to juggle.

He is survived by his wife, Isabel (nee San Sebastian); and his sons, Stephen and Christopher (Mira).

A memorial gathering will be held on Saturday, Oct. 11, at 10 a.m. until the time of the memorial service at 11 a.m. at Chas. Verheyden Inc. in Grosse Pointe Park.

Interment is in Resurrection Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Parkinson Foundation or the charity of one's choice.

Arlene E. Meier

Arlene E. Meier, 79, of St. John Community in Detroit, died on Sunday, Oct. 5, 2003.

Born in Minnesota in 1923, Mrs. Meier was a member of the Detroit Yacht Club, St. Thomas Lutheran Church in Eastpointe, and a former member of St. James Lutheran Church in Grosse Pointe Farms.

She is survived by her second husband, Ernst R. Switzer; her daughters, Lynda J. Meier and Charlene M. (Jeffrey) Lowe; her granddaughters, Krista and Leah Chester; and her sister, Mervil Lage.

She was predeceased by her first husband, Julian C. Meier; her siblings, Alvin, Lee, Bill, Earl, Jack and Lucel Scherff, Viola Lage, Velma Castle, Lorena Popkes, Helen Partridge, Rilla Shaw and Marlus Busse.

A funeral service will be held on Thursday, Oct. 9, at 11 a.m., at St. Thomas Lutheran Church in Eastpointe.

Interment is in Cadillac Memorial Gardens in Clinton Twp.

Lois Olive Meissner

Longtime Grosse Pointe Farms resident Lois Olive Meissner, 82, died on Sunday, Sept. 14, 2003, at St. Mary's Nursing Home in St. Clair Shores, after a lengthy illness.

Mrs. Meissner owned and operated the Lo-Ru School of Dance in St. Clair Shores for 50 years, teaching ballet, pointe, tap and jazz. She was a member of the Meissner family.

Mrs. Meissner was a lifetime member of Dance Masters of America and Dance Masters of Michigan, of which she was a board member, examiner and a past president.

She was also a member of the Chicago National Association of Dance Masters, Canadian Association of Dance Teachers, and Order of the Eastern Star.

As a teenager, Mrs. Meissner appeared on Major Bowes Children's Theater on WXYZ and won many talent awards.

She appeared with the Jewish Theater Detroit and was referred to as "Schiksala," which indicated that she was the only fair-haired gentile in the company.

She was also the first high school majorette in the city of Detroit.

Mrs. Meissner attended Alma College and graduated from the Detroit Business College.

She studied dance under Emme Hartell, Homer Babb, Gus Giodano, David Howard and George Zorich. She danced with Jack Kelly (Gene's brother), Gene Nelson, and sang with the Vaughn Monroe Orchestra.

For 15 years, in collaboration with the Lac St. Clair Symphony Orchestra, of which she was a board member, Mrs. Meissner choreographed and presented Tchaikovsky's "Nutcracker Suite" as well as excerpts from "Swan Lake" and "Copellia." She also collaborated with the Macomb Symphony.

Mrs. Meissner loved teaching but was a strict disciplinarian. This quality proved to be an advantage, since six of her former students are now operating dance schools themselves.

Mrs. Meissner is survived by her husband of 55 years, Allan; her daughter Leslie Pray; and her twin grandchildren, Connor and Christine.

IN MEMORIUM

November 17, 1923
October 11, 2002

We Love You
We Miss You...

Thoughts from Ken
Randy & Sue, Robin,
Candy & Louis
Grandchildren,
Great Grandchildren

Jean B. Kent

Something To Think About

DAVID A. OTTO

DIRECTOR

"Memorial Record"

One of the advantages of preplanning one's funeral is that you can select the mortuary in advance. You can find one which suits your needs, and one which has a good reputation in the community for reliability and service.

The funeral director can also be of assistance to you in preparing the rest of your plan. He will be happy to work with you in putting all your wishes down in writing on a form designed for this purpose. Don't hesitate to do this. This "memorial record" does not obligate you in any way, but it certainly will save your spouse or survivors much grief later on.

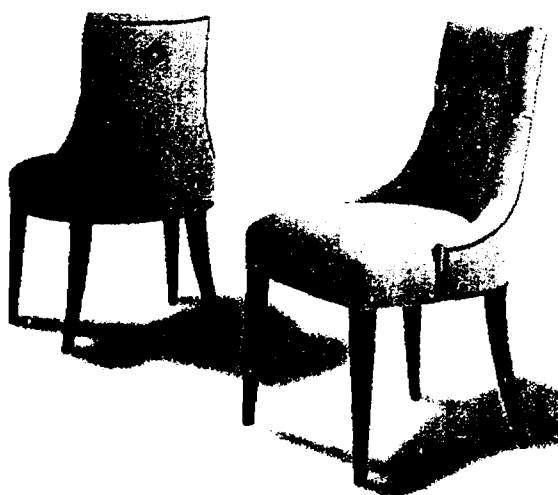
It can include such things as religious affiliation and type of service desired; whether lodge or fraternal organization will perform a special ritual; if veteran honors are applicable. You can include as much or as little detail as you want, right down to a particular selection of music or passage to be read.

Chas. Verheyden, Inc.

Brian A. Joseph, President
16300 Mack Avenue
Grosse Pointe, Michigan 48230
(313) 881-8500
Brian A. Joseph, Manager
28499 Schoenherr
Warren, Michigan 48088
(586) 756-5530
Valerie Winkowski-Miller, Manager

INDEPENDENTLY OWNED AND OPERATED SINCE 1908

FALL SALE



Baker

FURNITURE • FABRIC • ACCESSORIES

BAKER BIRMINGHAM 34500 WOODWARD AVENUE 248 (93) 9608

AVAILABLE TO DESIGNERS AT

MICHIGAN DESIGN CENTER 248 649 6730

BAKERFURNITURE.COM

Get Your Own Extreme (Smile) Makeover

- takes away gaps
- instant straightening
- lightens dark teeth

LIFE-CHANGING DENTISTRY!

CALL NOW for your FREE CONSULTATION



The patient shown here is actually one of Dr. Quinn's. This bride wanted to look her most beautiful by her wedding but feared dental work. In less than 2 hours total chair time, the results were phenomenal and truly life-changing.

- No shots, no droopy lips • No drilling (in most cases)
- No discomfort at all



Dr. Carol J. Quinn
WOODS COSMETIC DENTAL CARE

20870 Mack at Hollywood • Grosse Pointe Woods
313-881-1231

The Hill

Seafood and Chop House

123 Kercheval, Grosse Pointe Farms • 313-886-8101 for Reservations • Carry-out 313-886-6245

PRESENTS

Ferrari Carano Wine Dinner

Tuesday, October 21, 2003
Call today to make your reservations.
Space is limited.

Celebrate Sweetest Day on Saturday, October 18th

Seafood Pasta • Grilled Chicken Sandwich • Vegetarian Lunch • Steaks • Seared Salmon • Grilled Chicken Club • Brûlée Cream Eisotto



New fall
entrées
Extensive
wine list

Lobster Bisque • Seared Foie Gras • Mussels Meuniere • Pan Seared Tilapia • Pepperoni Hawaiian Big One Tuna • Cedar Plank Salmon • Herb Roasted Pork Chop

the Wine Cellar

private service for 15-50 without any room/set-up fees

Let our professional and courteous catering
staff create a warm & memorable event,
allowing you to be the gracious host.

Holiday
in home catering
Parties

Dining with a Comfortable Atmosphere

Lunch is Monday thru Friday from 11:30 am to 3:00 pm

Dinner is Monday thru Thursday 5:00-10:00 pm and 5:00-11:00 pm Friday and Saturday

Sundays we are open 5:00-9:00 pm





BON SECOURS COTTAGE
HEALTH SERVICES



Celebrating Our Fifth Anniversary

Five years ago, Bon Secours Health System, Inc. and Henry Ford Health System started with a concept of partnership and community. Today, we celebrate our anniversary of working together as Bon Secours Cottage Health Services. Our joint venture provides the benefits of combined resources and enhanced levels of health care services including Bon Secours and Cottage Hospitals, 25 outpatient facilities, more than 2,900 employees and 720 physicians representing 40 specialty and sub-specialty areas. We thank our Eastside communities for sharing in our continuing success.



BON SECOURS HOSPITAL

468 Cadieux Road • Grosse Pointe
313-343-1000

- 24-hour emergency care
- Diagnostic services
- Adult and pediatric inpatient medical and surgical care
- Ambulatory surgery including laser, laparoscopic, arthroscopic and endoscopic procedures
- BirthCare single-room maternity services
- Orthopedic specialties including the "Spa by the Shore" joint replacement accelerated recovery program
- Critical and intermediate care units

COTTAGE HOSPITAL

159 Kercheval Ave. • Grosse Pointe Farms
313-640-1000

- 24-hour emergency care with emphasis on rapid treatment of minor emergencies not requiring hospitalization
- Women's Diagnostic Center
- Edith McNaughton Ford Center for Radiation Oncology, affiliated with the Josephine Ford Cancer Center, Henry Ford Health System
- Outpatient Surgery Center
- Inpatient Rehabilitation Services including physical, speech, language, audiology, and recreation therapies
- Outpatient physical therapy and sports injury clinic
- Mental Health Services including full adult and geriatric/medical inpatient, outpatient and emergency services
- Cardiac and Pulmonary Rehabilitation programs
- WoundCare Center
- Pain Management Center
- Sleep Disorders Center



IMAGEMAX, INC.

1-800-YOU-FILM

JOB # 60420009	
ROLL NO. 2	
MICROFILMED FOR	Grosse Pointe News
MATERIAL MICROFILMED	Newspapers
ROLL STARTS WITH	October 9, 2003
ROLL ENDS WITH	
DATE MICROFILMED	
FILMER RL	BOXES
CAMERA	COUNT

October 9, 2003

Farms voters to choose 4 for council plus mayor

By Bonnie Caprara
Staff Writer

This will be the first general election in which Grosse Pointe Farms residents will be able to choose their favorites for city council and mayor.

Six city council candidates are running for four open seats. They include incumbents Therese Joseph and Frances Schonenberg, former Councilman Peter Waldmeir, and first time challengers Joseph Leonard, Douglas Roby and Eric Turin. The top three vote getters will earn a four-year term and the fourth-highest vote getter will get a two-year term.

Under an ordinance passed this past July, current city council members and city council candidates may place their names on the general election ballot to be considered for the nomination for a two-year term for mayor. The name of the top vote getter will be presented to the city council for its vote at the first city council meeting following the election.

Four people are seeking the vote for mayor: current city council members Charles S. "Terry" Davis and James Farquhar Jr. and council candidates Joseph and Leonard. Joseph and Leonard must be elected to the city council if they receive the most votes for mayor. The mayor is paid \$900 a year, and council members are paid \$600 a year.

Charles S. "Terry" Davis

Mayor

Charles S. "Terry" Davis, a two-year council incumbent, is one of four people seeking the mayor's seat on the Grosse Pointe Farms City Council.

Davis is the council member who introduced the ordinance that allows Farms voters to pick their preference for mayor from a pool of council incumbents and candidates which will be endorsed by the council in the first order of business of the council meeting following the Nov. 4 general election.

Davis is also the council member who brought Proposal B, the City Council Proposal (formerly known as the Direct Election Proposal), to the council in July. The city charter proposal would allow council incumbents and candidates to be elected as mayor by the voters.

"I think the experience I have in life, both in government and business, would serve me well in helping to set the tone and the pace of the council to conduct meetings and conduct proper oversight of the city operations," Davis said.

Davis is a principal in the CDRV Group based in the Farms. He has also served as an associate administrator for the U.S. General Services Administration and finance manager for the Ford Motor Land Development Corp.

Davis sees a need to start planning for development of the city-owned property at Mack and Moross toward the end of his four-year council term in 2005.

"Whatever goes there assumes citizen involvement and that all viewpoints are assessed," Davis said. "There will have to be a survey and town meeting and competitive master plans for that site. There are more short-term issues that are more timely now."

One of those short-term issues is related to the Mack and Moross property; the 10-year, one mill tax which was used to purchase the parcels, which expires at the end of this year.

"I see some short-term needs where people's taxes may not go down by the total one mill," Davis said. "The reason for all of it not being available is although our city performed marvelously in the last electrical blackout, it was like a wake-up call in some areas that we hadn't thought about."

"We were very lucky to be able to borrow a generator for our sewage plant. If we had not been able to borrow that generator, and if we had a heavy rain storm during that 24 hours, there would have been no question we would have had flooding in homes north of Charlevoix."

"The other thing we noticed is to maintain garbage collection and police service, our underground fuel storage would run out between 24 and 48 hours."

One of the things we may spend money on is preparing one of the gas stations in the area for an emergency.

"There are certain elements like these we may want to spend some money on. I can't see this costing more than 1/4 or 1/3 of a mil. This is not sexy, but the first fundamental duty of government is to continue in health and safety. It's not a popular answer, but it's something that has to be done."

Davis expressed hesitancy in spending tax dollars on a new recreation center at the Pier Park.

"My position is frankly we've invested a lot of capital expenditures at Pier Park with a new splash pond, a storage facility, a new lighting system and aeration of the beach," Davis said. "You don't want to do everything at once because you'll have to repair and rehab all at once. I would recommend phasing in improvements over a period of time where we can contain them in our normal operating budget."

"I don't want to follow the errors of some of our neighboring communities where we put in functions in public facilities at public expense that compete directly with either the public sector or duplicate services that are available from other entities such as the public school system."

"I'm not against reskinning the building at the proper time. I'm not against, if there's a need, tearing the building down and building a new one. I'm against doing something that doesn't have a large functional requirement for the citizens of the community."

Davis also commented on the Grosse Pointe News' criticisms of abusing the state's Open Meetings Act.

"I don't think we're abusing it; I don't think we're explaining it (our reasons for going into closed sessions) properly," Davis said.

Davis, 59, has lived in the Farms since 1948 and is married to Susan. They are the parents of three grown children.

James Farquhar Jr.

Mayor

In the middle of his first four-year term on the Grosse Pointe Farms City Council, James Farquhar Jr. is seeking the mayor's seat.

"There are different functions the mayor has," Farquhar said. "The first is leadership. I believe I have the leadership skills to be the mayor. The second is a ceremonial role. When he leaves the city or goes to any other function, he represents the city. I believe my background helps me to be a great representative of the City of Grosse Pointe Farms. My listening skills are very good. I'm not quick to fly off the cuff; I tend to listen to people and digest it. I'm not out there with an agenda of any kind. I'm here for the city."

Being a third generation Farms resident and business owner, the president of

Grosse Pointe Florist, Farquhar believes these positions are benefits for being an ideal mayor.

"I have a broad-based knowledge of the Grosse Pointes," Farquhar said. "I feel as if I'm very accessible to the public."

By the same token, Farquhar said he has taken great strides not to let business and council matters intervene or interfere with each other.

"I'm not out there to promote my business," Farquhar said. "I've lost two customers so far because of ZBA (Zoning Board of Appeals decisions). I was hoping people could differentiate between political views and business views."

In addition to serving on the Grosse Pointe Farms Beautification Commission, Farquhar is chairman of the Parks and Harbor Committee and has been very involved in the preliminary studies of renovating or rebuilding the recreation center at the Pier Park.

"The building is inadequate right now," Farquhar said. "It's a cold place and it's one room. We can't rent it out except for in the winter, and then people share it with skaters."

"What we're hoping to do is come up with four proposals for that building. We've asked four different groups for their input on that building. It'll be interesting to see the final report. I don't envision anything as big as Grosse Pointe Park's recreation building, and I don't want to compete with the Grosse Pointe War Memorial, the Country Club of Detroit or the Grosse Pointe Club. A lot of people who use it tend to use it for birthday parties or showers and aren't club members."

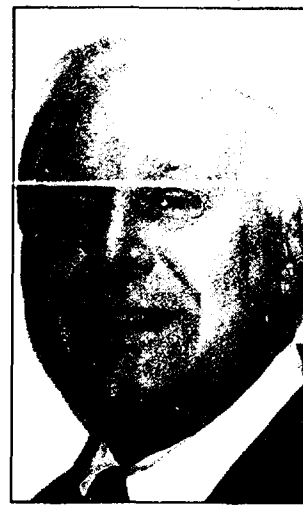
In addition to his commission and committee work, Farquhar has also brought various sports leagues that use Kerby Field together to get input on possible improvements and has requested a spring bulk pickup for leaf and yard waste.

Since he first campaigned for his council seat two years ago, Farquhar said he has not wavered in his ideas for the city-owned property at Mack and Moross.

"I don't see putting city hall and the public safety station there," Farquhar said. "I'd rather spend the money on additional police officers. I think the best deterrent to crime is to have extra police coverage, and the first place you want the fire trucks to get to is the schools and hospitals. The best place for the trucks to get to those places is where the station is now."

"If you put senior citizen housing there, some people are going to want a place where they can lock the door and go away to Florida for the winter, other people are going to want a place where they can have lunch with other fellow senior citizens, and if you can't guarantee it for Farms residents only, they'll say, 'Oh, boy.'"

"No matter what goes



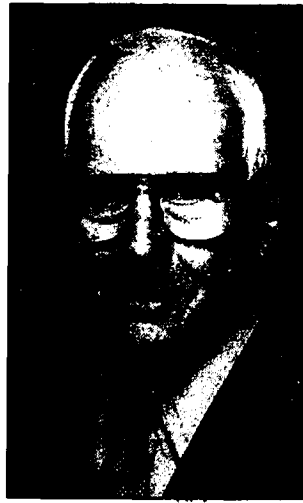
Charles S. "Terry" Davis



James Farquhar Jr.



Therese Joseph



Joseph Leonard



Douglas Roby



Frances Schonenberg

there, we're not going to make everyone happy. Half of the objective was to get rid of the blight, and we've accomplished that."

As a councilman, Farquhar believes the council has used the appropriate guidelines to meet in closed sessions.

"We're good about it; we really are," Farquhar said. "When we took office two years ago, we said we'd be an open council. If I think anything is being done wrong, I'll be the first person to say, 'Open the door; something's wrong.' I'm not going to sit there and talk about things that are not right or unethical. I pride myself on that."

Farquhar, 44, is married to Elaine. They have a daughter, Leigh, 6 1/2.

Farquhar is endorsed by the Grosse Pointe Farms Police Officers Association and the citizen members of the Parks and Harbor Committee.

Therese Joseph Council, mayor

Therese Joseph is seeking the mayor's seat and her second term on the Grosse Pointe Farms City Council. She earned a two-year term on the council after bringing in the fourth-highest vote count in the 2001 general election.

Although Joseph voted against the ordinance in July that allows council incumbents and candidates to run for mayor, she said, "I see now the Farms needs a leader — one the people can go to and one who will listen to the people and deal with them in an honest and fair way."

"I've been a member of the Parks and Harbor, Pension and Ordinance committees. I've served as chairman of the Parking and Traffic Committee since January. By seeing how the city works from those committees, I've enjoyed being active in seeing all these things going on. The culmination of all that is why I decided to run for mayor."

One of Joseph's main campaign issues is fostering more openness between the council and the community.

This past July, Joseph was criticized by some members of council for coming to the Grosse Pointe News with information about the Direct Election Proposal, now known as Proposal B: The City Council Amendment, a week before it was to be presented to the council on July 24. The proposal would



Eric Turin



Peter Waldmeir

allow voters to choose a mayor from a pool of council incumbents and challengers who wish to serve as mayor. The proposal is in contention with Proposal A, also known as the Joseph Amendment, which would allow voters to choose a mayor from a pool of candidates outside of council incumbents and candidates. Joseph presented Proposal A, a citizen referendum she led, to the council in June.

"I believe in operating more openly," Joseph said. "When I went to the Grosse Pointe News with information about the City Council Amendment, I was told it was subject to attorney-client privilege. I had an issue about attorney-client privilege with them. It means the attorney himself can't discuss the issue but we can. It's our duty to keep the Farms residents informed of what's going on, especially if it pertains to their charter where they live."

"I think and I've shown that we need to be more open with the system. As mayor, I think that's a good thing to work on. That's the person the attorney goes to."

As mayor or council member, Joseph said she would also like to focus on being fiscally responsible, parking and public safety.

"The citizens are becoming more and more concerned about their safety," Joseph said. "I'd like to expand the Public Safety Committee to have more citizen involvement and promote more safety awareness."

Joseph said she has given some thought of how she would proceed with making development decisions on the city-owned property at Mack and Moross.

"The first thing we can do without any costs is to assess what is needed there

and what the cost will be. A lot of people want a public safety department there. We could have a developer come in and tell us what the costs will be, give us some ideas, and see how it would fit in with our budget. Also, we could have something that would bring us tax revenue. We have to be careful of what that would be; we don't want an attractive nuisance. Some people want senior citizen condominiums there. There might be room for something like a community center — nothing big."

"I think we could start looking at ideas in the next year or two."

Last summer, Joseph voted "no" along with former Mayor Edward Gaffney to construct a soccer field on that land.

"I voted 'no' because of the cost, and I think it's prohibiting us from moving along as quickly as we could," Joseph said.

Joseph was less definitive about reconstruction plans of the recreation center at Pier Park.

"I want to hear what the wants and needs of the citizens are first, and then we'll have to weigh what they want with the cost," Joseph said. "Whatever we do, I want the focus to be on the view."

Joseph, 45, and her husband, Edward, have lived in the Farms for nine years. She is a community care nursing manager for the Henry Ford Health System.

Joseph has been endorsed by Mayor Ronald Kneiser, former Mayor Joseph Fromm and Park Mayor Palmer Heenan in her run for mayor; and by the Grosse Pointe Farms Police Officers Association and Rep. Edward Gaffney, R-Grosse Pointe Farms, in her run for council.

See CANDIDATES,
page 16A

Candidates

From page 15A

Joseph Leonard
Council, mayor

In this election, Joseph Leonard is looking to come back to Grosse Pointe Farms not as an employee, but as a councilman and mayor.

Leonard retired as the Farms' public service director at the end of last year after 13 years of employment. That experience, he said, "would allow me to contribute something to the community after retirement."

Leonard, 67, and his wife, Joanne, have lived in the Farms for 38 years.

If he were to serve as councilman or mayor, Leonard said he'd take a somewhat moderate stance on building or renovating a recreation building at Pier

Park.

"(That kind of facility) shouldn't parrot what's out there," Leonard said. "We have an exercise facility on Fisher. I'd like to see a facility such as Grosse Pointe Woods has. It's not a Taj Mahal; it's a plain use facility with paddleball and half-court basketball. We have a segment of the community that doesn't have access to the private clubs. There could be good uses besides community meetings and municipal rooms for classroom teaching."

Leonard did not offer any insight on what he envisioned for the city-owned property at Mack and Moross but did advocate keeping the city hall and public safety station at its current location.

"Mack and Moross is a nice location for a city hall for exposure, but I see so

many drawbacks," Leonard said. "It (the current building) is a central location for any response. For \$1 million, you could make the current facility state-of-the-art with the proper wiring and get the proper computers, air conditioning, revamp the footprint for public safety to make it more efficient."

Closed sessions, Joseph believed, "are a must."

"What if you have a personnel problem?" Leonard said. "If I spoke publicly, I could ruin the guy and put a cloud over him that wouldn't be justified. But you shouldn't use it as a guise to do business. Having worked for the Farms, every closed meeting I sat in there were legitimate discussions."

As council member or mayor, Leonard said he'd focus on infrastructure needs.

"Our infrastructure needs some TLC — especially our water mains and sewers — even though it's not very glamorous to pour money into things you can't see," Leonard said.

Douglas Roby
Council

"I'd like to see the character of Grosse Pointe Farms preserved, and I want to keep it simple," Roby said. "I'd provide sound and prudent business principles to city government and help provide public recreation for people of all ages. Public safety continues to be an issue; we have to continue to be vigilant about that."

Roby credited his business experience as the past owner of Palmer Equipment Co., a contract machinery business, in Detroit and considers himself "very approachable."

Roby sees the city-owned property at Mack and Moross as Farms residents' main concern.

"The thing people talk about most is Mack and Moross," Roby said. "They're nervous about it, they're concerned, and they come from a lot of perspectives."

"Land is precious here, and that's a big chunk of land. We have talent in our community, and we have to reach out and form a committee representative of the community."

Roby said he felt a study to put a city hall and public safety station on that corner would be worth studying, but admitted he had not yet talked with public safety personnel about that location.

Roby also has reservations about building a new recreation center at Pier Park.

"It's (the recreation building) a fantastic facility right now," Roby said. "I have not heard why that building is coming up short. I'm not sure how much a community should do. We have a lot of places that are free enterprise that offer a lot of things. The council should move with caution on that. I'll listen (to what's proposed), but it has to make sense."

Roby, 70, and his wife, have lived in the Farms for 40 years.

Frances
Schonenberg
Council

Frances Schonenberg is seeking her third term on the Grosse Pointe Farms City Council.

During her six years on the council, Schonenberg has served on the Traffic and Parking Commission, the Ordinance Committee, and has been the Farms' SEMCOG and Grosse Pointe-Clinton Township Refuse Disposal Authority representative. She is also the chair of the

Compensation Commission.

If elected, Schonenberg said, "My priority would be promoting civility on the council. To work together, it's really important to be willing to and able to listen to each other and be able to exchange ideas without baggage."

Schonenberg considers her strength as a facilitator on the council.

"If you can't facilitate and keep things running smoothly, you won't get anything accomplished," Schonenberg said.

Schonenberg also credited herself with being the only council member to take advantage of classes geared toward council members offered by the Michigan Municipal League.

"I came to the council knowing a lot about organizations and a lot about the Farms; I didn't know a lot about governments," Schonenberg said. "I've taken 10 academic classes on things such as planning, zoning, the Freedom of Information Act and public relations."

With that background, Schonenberg believes that the council has not abused the guidelines set in the state's Open Meetings Act regarding closed council sessions.

"The check is in that all seven council people are there," Schonenberg said. "I don't believe in kicking people out of the room unless we have to."

Schonenberg said she would like to see mixed-use development at the city-owned property at Mack and Moross.

"A long time ago, I was chairing a group called Focus on Seniors," Schonenberg said. "We wrote a letter saying we'd like to see multiple use on Mack and Moross, and that's where I still stand. A lot of it's going to need further

cussion. If there were no (tax) income produced, it would be a terrible drain."

Schonenberg said she'd also take a "wait-and-see" attitude about plans for a recreation building at Pier Park.

"We need to see what's brought before us," Schonenberg said. "When you see Grosse Pointe Woods have a community center, when you see Grosse Pointe Park build that enormous edifice, and when you see the City of Grosse Pointe build a modest expansion, I don't see why there can't be cooperation and chipping in — even among two or three of the Grosse Pointes."

In addition to her council responsibilities, Schonenberg is a board member of the Detroit Area Agency on Aging; the past president of Services for Older Citizens, the League of Women Voters of Grosse Pointe and the Grosse Pointe branch of the American Association of University Women; the founder and past president of Grosse Pointe Citizens for Recycling; a former trustee of the Grosse Pointe Public Library Board; and host of "The SOC Show" on the Grosse Pointe War Memorial cable station Channel 5.

Schonenberg, 74, is widowed, and has lived in the Farms since 1957.

Eric Turin
Council

"It's not about me, it's about what's best for the people," said Eric Turin, who is entering his first race for a public office. "As much as I want to be a city council member, that's secondary to having a sound government with sound leadership and growth for the future."

See CANDIDATES, page 17A

OCTOBER 10, 11 and 12, 2003

Featuring...
GOLD from
GRANAROOK INSTITUTE of SCIENCE

CAVE BEAR
from the Pleistocene Ice Age

SCRIMSHAW
from the LIZZADRO

**GREATER DETROIT
GEM, MINERAL, FOSSIL
& JEWELRY SHOW**

Hosted by the MICHIGAN MINERALOGICAL SOCIETY
(a non-profit organization)

**FABULOUS MUSEUM EXHIBITS
CHOICE DEALERS
Demonstrations • Lectures**

Special Features...
Giant Mammoth Tusks Over 10 Ft. Long
Liz Kuhns/Turquoise Expert
Sandy Cline/Renowned Soapstone
Carver & Demonstrator

For Information:
(248) 887-3906
camwerner@bigd.net

SHOW HOURS
FRIDAY 9 a.m. - 7 p.m.
SATURDAY 10 a.m. - 7 p.m.
SUNDAY 11 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Donation:
Adults \$5 • Seniors, Children \$3
Scouts & Camp Fire Girls in Uniform \$2
3 Day Pass \$7
1.00 Off With Ad

South Macomb Community College • Expo Center • Building P
12 Mile & Hayes, Warren, MI

This is our 44th Anniversary. For this 44 hour period, save 44%**

44 • 44 • 44
YEARS HOURS PERCENT**

OCTOBER 9, 10, 11, 12 & 13

Thursday.....10:30 pm - 8:30 pm

Friday.....9:30 am - 8:30 pm

Saturday.....9:30 am - 5:30 pm

Sunday.....12 noon - 4:00 pm

Monday.....9:30 am - 8:30 pm

**ANY PURCHASE OF IN-STOCK OR SPECIAL ORDER
MERCHANDISE WILL BE REDUCED**

AT LEAST 44% OFF REGULAR PRICE.**

**SOFAS, CHAIRS, BEDROOMS,
DINING ROOMS, GRANDFATHER CLOCKS,
END TABLES, ENTERTAINMENT CENTERS,
LAMPS, PICTURES AND ACCESSORIES
ARE ALL INCLUDED.**

THOMASVILLESAVE 44%**
SLIGHSAVE 44%
PENNSYLVANIA HOUSESAVE 44%**
PETERS-REVENTON.....SAVE 44%
STANLEYSAVE 44%
CAROLINA CLASSICSSAVE 44%
BRADINGTON-YOUNGSAVE 44%
KINCAID.....SAVE 44%
DURHAMSAVE 44%
HOOVER.....SAVE 44%
THE CUSTOM SHOPPE.....SAVE 44%
CANAL DOVER.....SAVE 44%
LA-Z-BOYSAVE 44%**
DINAIRE.....SAVE 44%
CRAFTMASTER.....SAVE 44%

**90 Days
Same As
Cash***

Dopp Furniture

183 South Main, Mount Clemens

Phone (586) 469-4000

**1 1/2 miles north of Metropolitan Parkway (16 Mi. Rd.)
www.doppfurniture.com**

Construction takes over recreation again at Neff Park

By Bonnie Caprara
Staff Writer

The City of Grosse Pointe's Neff Park has a busy fall and winter ahead — not for residents, but for construction.

Work on the park's new marina begins Monday, Oct. 13.

The new design, approved by the council at its June 9 meeting, calls for 160 new wells, one less than currently exists. However, the new wells will all be usable and larger, with the average slip size increasing from 25 to 30 feet.

Other marina improvements include a steel-coated fence surrounding the marina, a dry pipe fire suppression system, new lighting,

enhanced power stations, and a floating kayak launch site.

City administrators have already met with Lakeland and Rathbone Place residents to inform them of the details of the project.

"The contractors will be bringing in cranes by barges, but supplies will be brought in, and dredging material will be taken out on Lakeland," Assistant City Manager Brian Vick said. "The construction will generate some extra traffic and noise over the next couple of months."

Usztan Construction Inc. will lead the construction project. It was selected by the city council at its Aug. 18 meeting as the lowest quali-

fied bidder out of seven for the marina project.

"They clearly have the expertise and equipment behind them," City Manager Michael Overton said.

Usztan's base bid, however, came in at \$1,712,231.52 — above a preliminary estimate of \$1,579,404 — plus engineering and construction contingencies of 15 and 10 percent respectively.

"Although there is no guarantee, Steve Pangori (of the City's engineering firm Anderson, Eckstein and Westrick Inc.) believes the project may still yet come in at \$2 million," Overton said. "Of course, this assumes the project will not consume the entire contingency, and AEW will not earn the

entire fee established per the engineering agreement. Regardless, the City has more than adequate reserve funds to cover the cost of the marina reconstruction project if the project exceeds the current year's budget of \$1.8 million for the remainder of this project."

Work continues on the Neff Park parking lot repaving project.

At that same meeting, R&B Paving was chosen to repave Neff Park's parking lot and erect a new entrance way.

The project includes a new brick and aluminum coated fence entrance way, a new aluminum fence and landscaping along the front of the park, an expanded park-

ing lot, a reconfiguration of the turnaround by the guard house, new concrete curbs and gutters, a new access road from the turnaround to the bathhouse, and a new sidewalk from Jefferson to the turnaround.

Construction is slated to begin Monday, Sept. 1, and should be completed by the beginning of November.

Planting will take place next spring.

R&B Paving is leading the project for a total cost of \$178,375.

"It's a great enhancement," Mayor Dale Scrase said. "It increases the number of spaces, gives us a more functional lot, and enhances the green space."

WC3D celebrates flight Oct. 11

If it has wings, the Wayne County Community College District will celebrate it.

The community college will hold a one-day "Festival of Flight" to commemorate the 100th anniversary of powered flight on Saturday, Oct. 11, at Lutheran High School East from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The family event promotes the role of aviation in today's society. It will include exhibits, demonstrations of stunt kites and power parachutes, a butter-

fly release and helicopter and hot air balloon rides. It will also include opportunities for participants to build plane and kite models and use interactive educational computer programs. Representatives from the armed services will talk about the things they do with aviation.

The event is free and open to the public. Some tickets will be sold for special activities.

For more information, call (313) 884-7958.

Candidates

From 16A

Turin, 43, is an 11-year resident of Grosse Pointe Farms and is a partner at Frontier 3, a Grosse Pointe Park advertising agency. He is the single parent of Gracie, 15, Alexander, 11, and Elise, 9.

Turin said he is running for office because, "As I look at my past, everywhere I've been, someone has given me something out of generosity. I believe in putting back into the system what I've received."

In the past, Turin spearheaded a softball tournament to benefit the Grosse Ile High School Boosters Association and has been a volunteer baseball coach for Hillsdale College. He is a graduate of both schools. He has also coached girls softball for the Neighborhood Club.

Turin considers his strengths as a leader to be his communication skills first and coalition building and strategic planning second.

"I can listen, but I'm not always right," Turin said. "Plus, I ran national sales efforts in my career overseeing \$14 million in revenues." Also, as a self-admitted "outsider," Turin said, "I look at things from a different perspective."

Turin does not have specific plans of what he would do with a recreation center at the Pier Park or the city-owned property at Mack and Moross but offered insight on how he would consider those issues if brought to him as a councilman.

"How do we have a complex down there that brings in all people of all ages and unifies us on a Friday night or a Wednesday night?" Turin said. "There have been some various experiments down there, and I think they're all good. It's a matter of capturing the right plan."

"Mack and Moross is a great opportunity. It's something I don't have a snappy answer for. There's been talk about housing, athletic

fields, a recreation center, and the public safety department. Those things take us to 270 degrees to what about the final outcome will be, but I can't answer the other 90 degrees of that pie. The thought behind the direction of the community is critical. It's not about what will 2008 be like for Grosse Pointe Farms, but what about 2020 or 2025?"

Personally, Turin said he liked the public safety department's current location, felt there was sufficient housing for all ages and walks of life in the Farms, and said he would like to see athletic fields at Mack and Moross.

Turin also advocated having council business discussed in open meetings as opposed to in closed sessions.

"If you're serving the public, you (the press) should be there," Turin said. "Where are the checks and balances?"

In all, Turin said, "I don't have the answers; I have a thirst."

Peter Waldmeir Council

After resigning from the Grosse Pointe Farms City Council for personal and professional reasons just over two years ago, Peter Waldmeir is in the running for council again.

Waldmeir served six years on the Farms council where he was chairman of the Farms' economic task force. He also served four years on the City of Grosse Pointe City Council and was the co-chairman of the Grosse Pointes and Harper Woods

Futuring Project during that time.

One of the main reasons Waldmeir said he was running for council was one of the main issues he dealt with when he served from 1995 to 2001: Mack and Moross.

"The Kroger lease expires in 2008, so a decision is going to have to be made this term," Waldmeir said. "I had pushed for some kind of resolution in the six years I was on council. I hoped we would have had some courage to at least call for an internal vote to make some proposal to the community. The community is owed some kind of explanation, even if that decision is we're not going to do anything."

"We set off on this course of acquiring private property in anticipation of activity at that corner. So far, the only activity I've seen is the so-called temporary soccer field."

Waldmeir is an advocate of a shared use facility that could be used by youths and seniors at Mack and Moross.

"If it were a true community service use — a learning facility center or a recreation center — our study showed no one community could carry the entire burden," Waldmeir said. "The cost would have to be shared by other communities to be viable and then would likely require user fees. We had discussed the operation of the center to be run by the Neighborhood Club or someone independent who knew how to run centers to come in and do that. We would provide space for them plus use for our residents."

"We need to start now to talk to the other communi-

ties to line everyone up to decide what to do."

Waldmeir is also concerned about tax revenue limitations that are a result of Proposal A and the Headlee Amendment.

"We're heading into an era with a static or declining property tax revenue base," Waldmeir said. "We need to find ways to deal with these limits. We need to find ways to cooperate more. We need to reconsider some of our land strategies from the past. We need to balance the community's values to provide city services."


Waldmeir gave some pause to renovation or a rebuild of the recreation center at Pier Park.

"I haven't studied it, but if we're going to pursue a proposed recreation center at Mack and Moross, I question the virtue of an expanded community center at Pier Park," Waldmeir said. "The Pier Park structure needs to be updated; we all know that. The question is how much are we going to spend to upgrade it and to what degree."

Regarding the council's privileges of closed sessions, Waldmeir said, "We ought to attempt to avoid closed sessions unless necessary. We ought to consider scheduling separate dates for closed sessions. And we need to give a heads up about the topic without going into details about discussions."

Waldmeir, 50, is a senior partner at Miller Canfield. He has lived in the in the Farms for most of the past 10 years. He is married to Deborah Benedict and is the father of Sarah Grace, 16, and Charlotte, 12, and a step-son, Jacob, 11.

Elect Lisa Pinkos Listening HOWLE to YOU!



to
Grosse Pointe
Woods
City Council

Preserving YOUR Investment in Grosse Pointe Woods by

- Revitalizing Mack Avenue for all residents
- Maintaining a safe and secure community
- Spending your tax dollars wisely with your concerns in mind

Educational Background

- BA - University of Michigan
- MA - Oakland University
- Juris Doctorate - University of Detroit Law

Paid for by the Committee to Elect Lisa Pinkos Howle, 1230 Sunningdale, Grosse Pointe Woods

RUBY FARMS CIDER MILL

Fresh Cider & Donuts

- Country Store • Antique Shop
- Carousel • Pony Rides
- Scenic Wagon Tours
- Pumpkins

Phone (810) 324-2662

Hours: 11:00 am - 5:00 pm Saturday & Sunday

RUBY FARMS IS LOCATED IN RUBY, MI. ABOUT 9 MILES WEST OF PORT HURON AND THE BLUE WATER BRIDGE TO CANADA. APPROX. ONE HOUR FROM DETROIT, VIA I-94 FREEWAY, I-94 EAST TO EXIT 271, FOLLOW TO I-69 WEST TO EXIT 196 WADNAMS RD. TURN RIGHT FOLLOW SIGNS.

City of Grosse Pointe Woods, Michigan

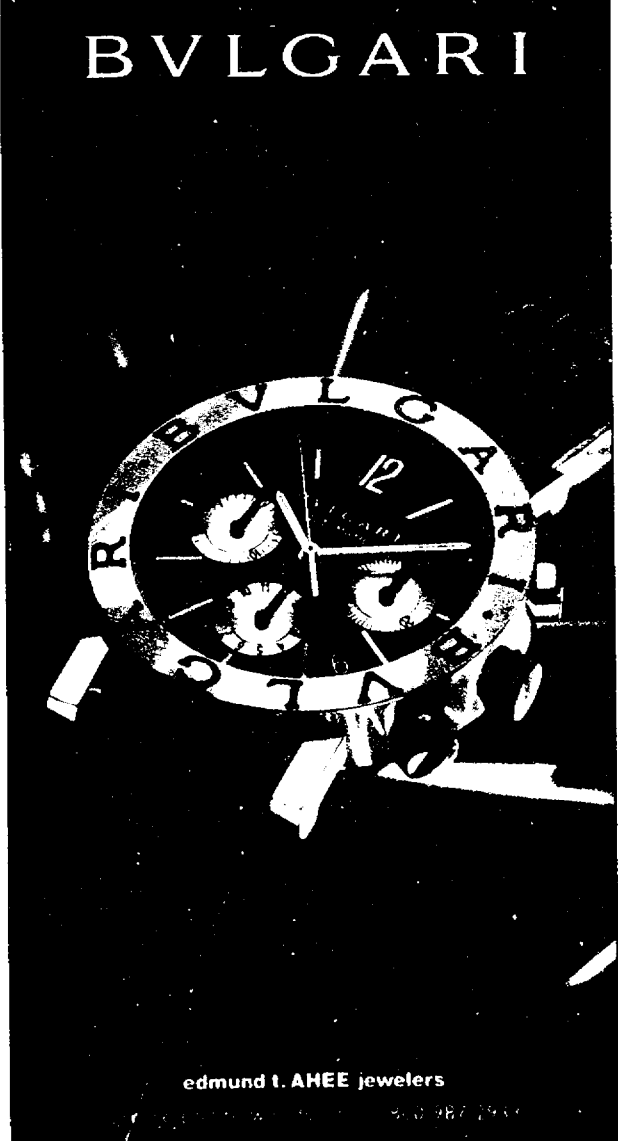
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

that the City Council, meeting as a Board of Appeals, will hold a public hearing on the provisions of Chapter 98, Zoning, Article XIV, Board of Appeals, Section 98-401 of the 1997 City Code will meet in the Council-Court Room of the Municipal Building, 20025 Mack Plaza, on Monday, October 20, 2003, at 7:30 p.m. to hear the appeal of the GROSSE POINTE PUBLIC LIBRARY, 10 Kercheval, Grosse Pointe Farms, MI. 48236 which is appealing the denial of the Building Inspector to issue a building permit for permission to construct a new public library and site improvements for the Grosse Pointe Woods Library branch located at the corner of Mack Avenue and Vernier Road, adjacent to Parcels Middle School (20600 Mack Avenue). The building permit was denied due to a deficiency in the site plan namely: 1997 City Code; Section 98.173 (a) height of building and (b) two separate setbacks on Mack and Vernier. Variances are therefore required. The public hearing materials are available for public scrutiny. All interested persons are invited to attend.

Louise Warnke,
City Clerk

G.P.N.: 10/09/2003

BVLGARI



edmund t. AHEE jewelers

Grosse Pointe News
(USPS 230-400)
Published every Thursday
By Anteebo Publishers
96 Kercheval Avenue
Grosse Pointe, MI 48236
PHONE: (313) 882-6900

Periodical Postage paid at Detroit, Michigan and additional mailing offices.

Subscription Rates: \$37 per year via mail in the Metro area, \$65 out of Metro area.

POSTMASTER: Send address changes to Grosse Pointe News, 96 Kercheval, Grosse Pointe Farms, MI 48236.

The deadline for news copy is Monday 3:00 p.m. to insure insertion.

Advertising copy for Sections "B" and "C" must be in the advertising department by 10:30 a.m. on Monday. The deadline for advertising copy for Section A is 5:00 p.m. Monday.

CORRECTIONS AND ADJUSTMENTS.
Responsibility for display and classified advertising error is limited to either cancellation of the change for or a re-run of the portion in error. Notification must be given in time for correction in the following issue. We assume no responsibility of the same after the first insertion.

The Grosse Pointe News reserves the right not to accept an advertiser's order. Grosse Pointe News advertising representatives have no authority to bind this newspaper and only publication of an advertisement shall constitute final acceptance of the advertiser's order.

Academy begins year-long study of ancient Greece

By Jennie Miller
Staff Writer

In an attempt to bring the school even closer together, The Grosse Pointe Academy has begun a year-long, interdisciplinary study of ancient Greece.

This endeavor will "enrich the academic lives of students," while at the same time serve as a fun and exciting experience for all involved, according to Wendy Demartini, first-grade teacher and the school's curriculum coordinator.

While planning is still underway, the idea is to allow teachers of all grade levels and subjects to create individual activities and projects which revolve around the same general theme.

Third-graders in Debby Wolney's class are studying Greek gods and goddesses and the Greek calendar. Another class is studying Aesop's Fables and the students will learn to write their own.

Seventh-graders in Karen Ream's science class are doing experiments using the theories of Archimedes, such as calculating pi and finding volume by water displacement.

"We visit Greece lots of different times in lots of dif-



Photo by Jennie Miller
Bennie Fowler of Detroit and Evan Ciesliga of Grosse Pointe Farms discover the volume of an object using water displacement, a theory of Archimedes, as part of the school's year-long study of all things Greek.

ferent ways," Demartini said. "We're trying to weave it into everything we do."

This month, students will study occupations and investigate different jobs that were available in ancient Greece. Art classes are recreating a miniature Parthenon, and an ancient Greece resource cart will be maintained in the library.

Possibilities of future activities are being tossed

around. Parents are interested in hosting a toga party. Demartini would like to find a school in Greece so Academy students can develop relationships with pen pals.

At the end of the school year, the Academy will hold Olympic Games in conjunction with the real-life event, which is coincidentally being held in Aspen. This event will serve as the cul-

mination of the year-long study of Greece.

Parents of Academy students are becoming more involved in projects as the planning process continues. Demartini is thrilled to see so many parents willing to help.

"We want parents to be a big part of this process," she said. "They have so many talents that will make this so much stronger. It's a real collaborative effort."

One of these talented parents is Jim Spica, the father of Academy fifth-grader Emily Spica and first-grader George Spica. A classical Greek instructor at Roeper, he will share with the Academy his knowledge of the Greek language as it relates to English. Another involved parent is Mary Kosmalski, the mother of third-grader Jeffrey Woolstrum. She designed an interactive bulletin board for the school to enjoy.

Demartini hopes this year-long study proves to be a success and will continue for years to come. Her mind is reeling with possibilities for future years, such as the Vikings, the Romans, or even one specific continent.

"Once we get through this year, we'll know what works and what doesn't," she said. "It'll just get even better."



Vocabulary parade

Grosse Pointe Academy students in first through eighth grades paraded their knowledge of the dictionary on Tuesday, Sept. 23.

Each student dressed as a word of his or her choice and participated in a vocabulary parade led by first-graders and their eighth grade buddies. The students paraded around The Academy to the delight of parents and early school children.

"It was a phantasmagoric display of creativity and imagination," said head of school Phil Demartini. "What a plethora of ideas from students of all ages."

Pictured above, third-graders Morgan Westwood and Libby Watson were anything but lackadaisical about putting together their costumes. Pictured below is Septuagenarian Blaine Bishop, a rather old fourth-grader.



IT'S NATIONAL KARASTAN MONTH.

Take advantage of the
lowest prices of the season.



There's never been a better time to add warmth, sophistication and elegance to your home with the world's most admired broadloom carpet and area rugs. Now you can appreciate the timeless beauty and exceptional style of Karastan at the lowest prices of the season. It's the kind of lasting value you'll appreciate for years to come. And Karastan rugs and carpet are available in a wide selection of distinctively beautiful styles and colors. From classic to contemporary. With savings like this, you can add that personal touch to every room of your home.

Celebrating Our 90th Year

emo

Ed Maliszewski Carpeting

21435 Mack Avenue, Between 8 and 9 Mile Roads
St. Clair Shores • (586) 776-5510
Hours: Mon., Thurs. 9:30-7:30
Tues., Wed., Fri. 9:30-6:00
Sat. 9:30-5:00

Obits

From Page 12A

A funeral service was held at A.H. Peters Funeral Home in Grosse Pointe Woods. Interment is in the Evergreen Cemetery in Detroit.

Memorial contributions may be made to Bethany Lutheran Church, 11475 E. Outer Drive, Detroit, MI 48224.



Helen Wujek

Helen Wujek

Helen Wujek, 87, of Sterling Heights, died on Saturday, Oct. 4, 2003, in Warren.

Born in Detroit in 1926, Mrs. Wujek was co-owner of the Wujek Funeral Home in Detroit.

She was very proud of her son and grandsons in their dedication and accomplishments at Wujek-Calcaterra & Sons in Sterling Heights and Shelby Twp.

She is survived by her son, Edward J. (Carolyn), a former Grosse Pointe Woods resident; her grandsons, Robert (Arabella) of Grosse Pointe Woods, John (Abigail) of Grosse Pointe Farms, Michael (Christine) of Grosse Pointe Woods and Edward A. II; and her great-grandchildren, E.J., Chip, Chase, Ted, Madeleine, Henry, Emma, Olivia, Harrison, Jackson and Miles.

A funeral Mass was held on Wednesday, Oct. 8, at St. Blaise Church in Sterling Heights. Interment is in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

Seniors show spirit; freshmen prevent sweep

By Jennie Miller
Staff Writer

Anyone who dared enter Grosse Pointe North High School last Friday morning could not block the sounds of school spirit resonating from the gym.

The entire school poured into the main gym for the school's annual homecoming pep assembly. Each class wore matching shirts and attempted to out-cheer the other grades. The seniors undeniably stole the show.

Throughout the assembly, the various fall sports teams were introduced to a roar of cheers from the crowd.

The varsity football team entertained the masses with a choreographed dance to a medley of pop tunes.

The cheerleading squad brought even more cheers from the stands with more than 1,000 students, staff members and parents who had come out to witness the annual event.

Homecoming court members were introduced, each one escorted by a member of the football team who presented roses to the nominees.

The court consisted of freshmen Alexandra Cheolas and Lauren Flanagan; sophomores Ashley Payton and Sara Shubnell; juniors Ashante Calhoun and Katie LaBara; and seniors Christina Coury, Kristén McPharlin, Stephanie Rinderknecht, Andrea Sheridan and Angela Theis.

Games and competitions were held throughout the pep assembly, including the hilariously messy pie-eating contest.

Class leaders then participated in the "Boot, Scoot and Twirl" relay, followed by the "Coming and Going Caterpillar Race," in which upperclassmen competed against underclassmen and faculty members.

The faculty "caterpillar" team consisted of Michelle Stackpoole, Kay Torigian, Rebecca Ruth, Liz Lulis, Kate Calabrese, Bridget Cooley, Sarah Booher, Julie Archer, Katie Clay and Jennifer Clay.

Also featured at the assembly was the annual Tug of War contest, which has always been a highly competitive event.

The freshman and senior Tug of War team competed against the sophomore and junior team. The winners then took on the faculty team of Beth Gulick, Ann Starinsky, Jessica Roman, Julie Diter, Terri Steimer, Amanda Jennings, Andrew Tucker, Joe Pantaleo, Darren Audia, Tony Bommarito, Bruce Bentley and Andrew Gorsuch.

Pat Gast, student activities coordinator, and her spirit committee were in charge of the pep assembly. Committee members were Alison Corbishdale, Molly Farr, Marie Agocs, Jessica Linne, Maria Salcicoli, Meghan Servais, Krystin Stahl, Michelle McCrockin, Christy Steindampf, Lauren Flanagan, Molly Sullivan, Becca Zachery and Brooke Bleedsoe. Pep rally emcees were Katie Passamani and Steve Schrage.

The rally was merely one small piece of North's homecoming festivities.

Long before members of the football team shook their tailfeathers, the celebration had already begun on Monday with spirit week.

The school's general theme, selected by the student association, was cities around the world.

The freshman class chose Cairo, decorating North's halls to resemble an outdoor market, complete with mummies and student-constructed camels.

The sophomore class selected Hollywood as its theme, placing celebrity figurines and movie posters all over the school.

The junior class chose Honolulu, situating giant volcanoes and a homemade waterfall amid the drawings

of island landscapes, surfers and tropical fun.

The week concluded with senior spirit day, which was a mixture of decorations of Hong Kong and the annual Toga Day.

The main hall was decorated with murals, Chinese writings, fans, lanterns, dragons, take-out boxes and chopsticks. The sounds of Chinese music and the occasional gong filled the school, while the class ran around in togas.

"The spirit halls have been absolutely fabulous, especially the senior hallway," said Pat Gast, students activities coordinator.

Also an annual tradition was the arrival of the Big Boy statue on Thursday, a fun-filled prank that has taken place at North for more than 20 years.

The homecoming parade took place on Saturday just before the Varsity football game. Christina Coury was

named homecoming queen during half-time, followed by the spirit awards.

The freshmen class eliminated the seniors' chance of sweeping by winning the Spirit Hall Award with the Cairo decoration.

The seniors won the award for best float and the Spirit Jug.

Sarah Kurtz, Kim Gawel, Kyle Serilla and Anne Kopf, student association officers, were in charge of organizing the parade, the half-time ceremony and the homecoming dance on Saturday night.

Rachel Bruno was in charge of the decorations and set up for the dance.



Photos by Jennie Miller
Pictured above, Grosse Pointe North High School's senior Class of 2004 goes wild during Friday's homecoming pep assembly. The class won best float and the Spirit Award.



At left, members of North's varsity football team shake their stuff for the crowd.

Ferry to hold fall festival

Ferry Elementary School will hold its fall festival on Friday, Oct. 24, from 6 to 9 p.m. National Coney Island will serve dinner and games will be available for the kids.

SPANISH FOR CHILDREN

At The Grosse Pointe Academy Viviana Bonafede, MA in Language Learning, with more than 20 years of experience in Second Language Acquisition, and a native speaker of Spanish, offers motivating classes to children K-8. Small groups divided by age and language levels of Spanish. Classes start soon! Any questions? Call (313) 882-1673.

North theater performance

Grosse Pointe North Theater students will present "What I Did Last Summer" on Thursday, Oct. 9, at 7 p.m., and Friday and Saturday, Oct. 10 and 11, at 8 p.m. For information, call (313) 882-1673.

South parents network meeting

Grosse Pointe South High School will hold its second parents network meeting on Monday, Oct. 13, at 7:30 p.m. in the school's library. Hosted by school social worker Doug Roby, the meeting will deal with Spring Break issues and feature a video set in Cancun, Mexico.

COLLEGE PLANNING SERVICES

High School Planning For College

FINDING THE RIGHT COLLEGE
COMPLETING THE ADMISSIONS PROCESS
SEEKING SCHOLARSHIPS
ACQUIRING FINANCIAL AID
PREPARING FOR THE PSAT/SAT/ACT

ROSALIE WATTRICK, M.Ed., Ed.S.

Consultant • 313.885.3918

wattrick@aol.com

IT'S NOT TOO SOON TO START INVESTING FOR COLLEGE.

Before you know it, college will be here. Start planning for it with the help of someone who's always been there for you. See me about the potential tax benefits of a Coverdell Education Savings Account.

WE LIVE WHERE YOU LIVE.



Mark Wilamowski
Registered Representative
313-881-8100



LIKE A GOOD NEIGHBOR, STATE FARM IS THERE.

State Farm Mutual Funds are not insurance products and are offered by prospectus through State Farm VP Management Corp. One State Farm Plaza, Bloomington, IL 61710-0001. 1-800-447-4600. Read the prospectus, which contains more complete information carefully before investing. Consult your tax, legal or investment advisor for specific advice. 1002



UNIVERSITY LIGGETT SCHOOL

Celebrating 125 Years: 1878 - 2003

Would you like to be a part
of our next 125 years?

Come experience ULS at one of our
upcoming Open House events.

Thursday, October 16, 2003 - 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Sunday, November 2, 2003 - 2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Primary, Lower and Upper Schools
1045 Cook Road

Middle School
850 Briarcliff Drive

Grosse Pointe Woods, MI 48236

Phone the Admissions Department at
(313) 884-4444, for more information.

University Liggett School admits students without regard to race,
color, religion, sex or national and ethnic origin.

NO ADMISSION CHARGE • NO ADMISSION CHARGE

The Festival of Flight

Go up 100 ft. in
a Hot Air BalloonFLY THE WRIGHT BROTHERS' PLANE
RELIVE HISTORY

Computer Flight Simulator

Experiments -
LEARN THE
DYNAMICS
OF FLIGHTWRIGHT BROTHERS
A. EARHART
LEONARDO DA VINCI

Climb into a Helicopter

Try your Hand at
a Model Plane Contest
WHO CAN FLY THE FARTHEST?

EXPLORE AN ULTRA-LIGHT PLANE

Watch Stunt Kites
See a Blimp Up CloseWHERE EDUCATION AND
FAMILY FUN MEET!!

LUTHERAN HIGH EAST 20150 KELLY, HARPER WOODS

OCTOBER 11, 2003 11 A.M. - 5 P.M.

RAIN DATE: OCTOBER 12, 2003

Sponsored By:

For more information call
Surtsey Productions @
313.884.7958Wayne
County
Community
College
District

SPECIAL PROGRAMS

- 11:00 a.m.
Festival of Flight begins
- 11:30 a.m.
Opening ceremony
- 12:00 p.m.
Birds of Prey
- 12:30 p.m.
Science Explosions
- 1:00 p.m.
Birds of Prey
- 1:30 p.m.
Science Explosions
- 2:00 p.m.
Birds of Prey
- 3:00 p.m.
Science Explosions
- 3:30 p.m.
Eagle Dancing
(Native American
Dancers)
- 4:00 p.m.
Stunt Kites
- A multimedia
presentation

ON GOING ACTIVITIES

- Hot Air Balloon
- Stunt Kites
- Computer Flight Simulator
- Blimp
- Historical Characters
- Ultra-lite Planes
- Helicopter
- Contests
- Music
- Flight Experiments
- Documentaries on Flight
(donated by WTVS,
Channel 56)

EXHIBITS AND BOOTHS

- Aviation timeline
- Civil Air Patrol
- Eagle Aviation
- Eastern Michigan
University
- US Coast Guard
- US Army
- Wayne County
Community College
District
- Kites and Fun Things
Store
- USBORNE Books at
Home Store
- State Representative
Ed Gaffney

NO ADMISSION CHARGE • NO ADMISSION CHARGE

Star of the Sea teacher makes history come alive

By Jennie Miller
Staff Writer

Walking into Paul Ignani's classroom at Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic School is like stepping out of a time machine.

His eighth-grade students are learning about history by seeing and experiencing the real thing.

Dubbed "lifeways classes," these special days allow the American history classes to perform hands-on activities which recreate the daily routines of those living hundreds of years ago.

Last week, the class made candles by dipping string into a pot of hot wax. The week before, students wrote letters to their parents using quill pens. Next week, carefully following all proper safety precautions, the students will learn how to start a fire using flint and steel.

In addition to the hands-

on activities and peer interaction, each week a historical figure joins the classroom to teach students the lessons.

Ignani, who once worked at the Henry Ford Museum (formerly known as Greenfield Village), has hundreds of historical costumes which fill up the closets in his Grosse Pointe Farms home.

From a Scottish Highlander to a French Marine and a Kanawhi Mohawk Indian to a colonial American, Ignani brings history to life with his elaborate costumes.

The students are excited each week to enter the classroom and see whom Ignani will portray next.

"He's fabulous," said eighth-grader Bridget Reno of Grosse Pointe Woods. "I like how he dresses up and brings history alive for us."

Eighth-grader Spencer Berg of Grosse Pointe Woods agrees and thinks that Ignani is a unique teacher.

"I love the way Mr. Ignani teaches," he said. "He loves what he does; so it makes learning easier for everyone. He is so smart and it's so interesting how he uses the costumes too."

Ignani, a graduate of Wayne State University, is thrilled to share his passion for history with the students.

"The costumes and activities give the students a fantastic perspective on the daily lives of people during each particular time period," he said. "They get a little glimpse into the daily lives of these people."

Ignani carefully selects each costume, checking at least three reference materials to make sure each one is historically accurate.

Each is colorful and elaborate, from the hat down to the shoes.

"The costumes give the students a great connection to the people and the time period we are studying," he said, implying that a valuable education for his classes is worth squeezing into a pair of tights.

Ignani's eighth-graders recognize and respect his passion for history.

"He's unlike any other teacher I've had," said Christina Toscano of St. Clair Shores. "He's really exciting and fun to listen to. It's cool that we get to learn

with hands-on activities and he makes it even more interesting by coming in to school with those outfits. The costumes and activities help us understand life back then — people didn't have the resources and technology that we have today."

Ignani uses his creative style of teaching in his seventh grade geography class as well. When the class studies European castles later in the school year, the students will be constructing their own models of castles out of Play-Dough and will then use a full-size catapult to destroy them.



Photos by Kath Usitis and Jennie Miller

Paul Ignani in one of his numerous historically accurate costumes, this one a Scottish Highlander. At left, Michelle Carolan makes her own candle.



Photo by Jennie Miller

From left, in the back row, are Paul Ignani, Taylor Schmidt, Christina Ran-dazzo, Robert Mackey and Eric Tappay. Kneeling, from left, are Ashley De and Eli Thomas.

NEW ARRIVALS OF 2003

Grosse Pointe News and The St. Clair Shores Connection newspapers are planning their 9th 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 2003 babies, please) for publication in this section.

This tabloid will be published January 29, 2004. Your child's picture, along with other 2003 babies, will be the main attraction! News and advertising about clothing, feeding, educating and caring for your child will also be included. It will be very informative as well as a commemorative edition for you!

Please send a cute, clear, color photo (home or studio produced, NOT DIGITAL, preferably smaller than a 5x7) to Grosse Pointe News & The St. Clair Shores Connection, 96 Kercheval, Grosse Pointe Farms, Michigan 48236. Attention: Kim Mackey, Display Advertising. Complete the information slip with your child's full name, date of birth and hospital and return it with your photo. Please print the baby's name on the back of the photo so you can pick it up at our office after printing or include a self-addressed stamped envelope.

Your picture must be received in our office no later than Wednesday, December 17th, earlier would assist our production schedule. (Late November and December birth photos may be submitted until January 7, 2004.)

We look forward to producing our annual "Baby Edition" and are sure you want your little one included. A limited number of extra copies will be available for purchase to give to family and friends.

Grosse Pointe News & The St. Clair Shores Connection require a \$17.00 fee to cover production costs. Please include a check, money order or credit card number with your photo.

Call or Drop by the
Grosse Pointe News
THE ST. CLAIR
& SHORES CONNECTION

96 Kercheval, Grosse Pointe Farms,
Michigan 48236
Attention: Kim Mackey,
Retail Advertising
(313) 343-5586 • FAX 882-1585

Send photo and \$17.00 to:
(Twins \$25.00 please send
one photo of each child)

Grosse Pointe News & The St. Clair Shores Connection
96 Kercheval,
Grosse Pointe Farms, Michigan 48236
Attention: Kim Mackey, Retail Advertising

Please Print

Child's Name (First & Last) _____

Date of Birth _____ Hospital _____

Parents' Name (First & Last) _____

Visa ☐ MC ☐ # _____ Exp. Date _____

Signature _____ Phone _____

The Babies of 2003

Thank you... and please return no later than December 17, 2004 • December birth photos accepted until January 7, 2004

SATURDAYS AT THE POINTE!

12:00 - 2:00pm

there's
MUSIC
in the air!

live-up: **

October 11
Earth Angel
'50s Rock & Roll, Teen Dance and more

October 18
VENTURA QUARTET
Members of the Detroit Symphony Orchestra

October 25
Harpbeat
Harp and Percussion for Children

FREE
Giveaways for the kids
every Saturday*

And you can win a night
with the orchestra -
**The Detroit
Symphony Orchestra**

A pair of tickets to the DSO will be awarded
every Saturday - *enter to win!*

Enter to win DSO Tickets!

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Drop boxes available at the concerts.

Located on the corner
of Mack and Moross.

POINTE PLAZA
So Close to Home.

*Limited quantity. While supplies last.
**Performers are subject to change.

Fourth quarter starts with an upside explosion

What a start! With everyone (well, almost) expecting the long-awaited correction, the stock markets exploded on the upside last week.

The Dow Industrials climbed 259 points, or 2.8 percent, to 9,572.

And the Nasdaq Composite advanced 88 points, a more impressive 4.9 percent, closing at 1,880.

Intel, which trades on Nasdaq, is one of the Dow's 30 stocks, and was up 8.6 percent, the biggest percentage gain of the Dow.

INTC's 2.34 point gain was equivalent to a 17.3 point gain in the Dow Index.

Don't fear October

Barron's (Sept. 29) quoted Steve Leuthold, founder of The Leuthold Group, who expects the market to stay the course in the sometimes nasty October period.

Jeff Hirsch, publisher of

The Stock Trader's Almanac, says, "Don't fear October; breadth has been strong; volume strong; there's new market leadership; very few new lows, and the economy is turning." Amen!

Indian summer

Indian summer, where are you? Last week, we got out the blankets — for the flowers! With low forecast of 36 degrees, sheets and lightweight blankets covered the flowers at our house.

The early fall this year, with temperatures 15 degrees below normal, brings us back to longer-term weather forecasts and their effects on energy costs.

Is this early cold weather a sign of another cold winter like 2002-03? LTS looked up the turn-on dates for our automatic thermostat. This year we started

Let's talk... STOCKS

By Joseph Mengden



heating on Sept. 25, vs. Oct. 29 last year.

On May 29 last spring, LTS first reported the Pacific Decadal Oscillation (PDO).

Fisheries scientist Steven Hare first named PDO in 1996 to describe an oscillation in northern Pacific sea surface temperatures he discovered while researching Alaskan salmon production cycles.

Some have likened the PDO to a long-lived El Niño/La Niña pattern of Pacific climate variability. Most of us know El Niño to be 6 to 18 months in length,

whereas PDOs operate on a 20- to 30-year cycle of warmth, followed by cold.

Another difference is that El Niño usually originates in equatorial regions, whereas PDOs originate in the northern Pacific.

Climatologists at the University of Washington, along with other independent studies, have discovered from historical data that two full PDO cycles occurred during the past century.

The "cool" cycles prevailed from 1890-1924; "warm" from 1925-1946; "cool" again from 1947-1976; and then "warm"

from 1977-1995.

We have been in the present "cool" cycle since 1996.

Thus, it would appear that we are in the middle of a "cool" PDO cycle, which causes — too complicated to describe here — a severe lack of rainfall in Nevada, Arizona, New Mexico and western Texas.

Continued lack of normal winter rainfall and snow in higher elevations could cause a repeat of the prolonged and severe drought of the 1950s, when hydroelectric generation was adversely affected.

Cooler winters require more residential heating, and natural gas prices are extremely price sensitive to additional demand.

Cooler summers (as we had this year) reduce both residential and commercial demand for air conditioning, a critical profit center for electric utilities located down South.

As PDO becomes a more recognized phenomenon of nature and climate, some analysts look for a gradual increase in natural gas prices, because present consumption exceeds domestic exploration successes.

Next week, LTS will review some recommended natural gas exploration, drilling and production stocks.

Stable-value funds

Have you heard about stable-value mutual funds for your 401(k) or other retirement funds but are not permitted for your personal investments?

Stable-value funds are guaranteed investment contracts (GIC).

The portfolio usually consists of bonds, mortgage-backed securities or interest-bearing contracts of banks or insurance companies.

The GICs come with a

Stock Market at a Glance

Friday Close, 10/3/03

Dow Jones Ind.	9,572
Nasdaq Comp.	1,880
S&P 500 Index	1,030
\$ in EUROS	1.1571
Crude Oil (Bbl.)	30.40
Gold (Oz.)	369.40
3-Mo. T-Bills	0.80%
30-Yr. T-Bonds	4.45%

guarantee, known as a "wrapper," that their principal amount and interest payments will remain steady, regardless of market conditions.

Last year, GICs averaged a 6 percent return; so sales have been booming.

But wait! Did you read all the fine print? Are there any early redemption penalty fees? Or are you "locked in" into final maturity?

Remember diversification? Not all your eggs in one basket!

Do you really want all your retirement assets in fixed income investments rather than a balanced portfolio of stocks and bonds?

How well do you know your guarantor? Stable-value funds are not FDIC-insured bank deposits!

Did you ask for a bond rating from Moody's, Standard & Poor's or Best & Co.?

Make sure your guaranteed parachute will stay open.

Joseph Mengden is a resident of the City of Grosse Pointe and former chairman of First of Michigan. "Let's Talk Stocks" is sponsored by the following Grosse Pointe investment-related firms: John M. Rickel CPA, P.C. and Rickel & Baun P.C.

Speed doesn't kill — on the Internet

I have taken the plunge! No longer limited by slow, dial-up Internet speeds, I now have high-speed Internet cable from Comcast.

So far, the result has been great. Internet pages that took 30 seconds or longer to load are popping up faster than you can say...umm...Comcast.

The only difficulty, and one I was well aware of, is I must now inform everyone in my e-mail address book of my new address.

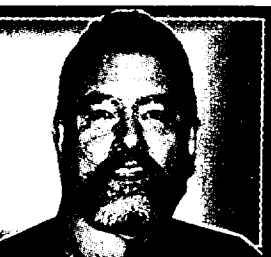
For the record, my new address is mtmaurer@comcast.net. You can send any kudos and interesting information to me there, too. Complete me to my addition.

Moving on: Remember the column I wrote about my experience driving a Detroit Edison electric car some 12 to 15 years ago? It was fun, but it used more than just "heavy" lead acid batteries. They weighed a ton. The car ran fine for about 50 miles before running out of juice. Pun intended.

Well, I'm happy to say alternative energy programs haven't died, and a

Pointers on Technology

By Mike Maurer



big one is right here in our backyard.

Wayne State University's college of engineering has announced the first course in a master's degree program in alternative energy technology is planned for winter semester.

The graduate level course, Fundamentals of Alternative Energy I, will be open to students with a bachelor's degree in engineering and perhaps other mathematics-based sciences, said interim engineering dean Ralph Kummeler.

The course is the first step toward a new engineering master's degree program in alternative energy, planned to be fully in place by fall 2005. An AET graduate certificate program and an undergrad-

uate concentration are also part of WSU's plans.

The program is supported by a \$300,000 grant from NextEnergy, the state of Michigan's economic development effort designed to make Michigan a major center in alternative energy technologies.

Wayne State isn't the only one offering programs. Lansing Community College, Lawrence Tech and Kettering University in Flint have also received NextEnergy grants to establish associate degree and certificate programs.

I'll keep an eye on the program and let you know what happens.

Let's blog on to another interesting subject.

Blogs, or online journals, long popular with teens and geekazoids, are now hitting the business mainstream. Blogs are cheap, easy to maintain, and are non-

intrusive. If done right, blogs are a great way to share information about your business.

The best business blogs, or b-blogs, share a few common characteristics. A good blog is lively, relevant, straightforward, informal, yet well written. (Check your spelling and punctuation.)

Blogs should display their owner's distinctive voice, interests and expertise. (Please, no mind-numbing narcissism or irrelevant minutiae.) Remember, a stale blog is a bad blog; so update frequently.

If you want more on business blogs, visit www.writerswrite.com/blogging.

One more subject before I leave.

Yippee! That's my way of saying I haven't had a telemarketer call in a week. Not at dinner. Not at lunch. Not at breakfast.

Let's hear it for the "Do not call" list. Life is good.

Have a tech question or subject you would like addressed in this column? Want to comment or add your two cents worth? My e-mail address is mtmaurer@comcast.net.

JOHN M. RICKEL, C.P.A., P.C.

CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

RICKEL & BAUN, P.C.

ATTORNEYS

P.O. Box 36200

GROSSE POINTE FARMS, MICHIGAN 48236-0200

TELEPHONE 313/881-8200

EMAIL rickelbaun@comcast.net

NOTICE OF INTENT TO SELL

64 ACRES

33701 Lipke Road

Clinton Township, Michigan

(former Grosse Pointes-Clinton Refuse Disposal Authority incinerator site) Clinton Township, MI.

The Board of Directors of the Grosse Pointes-Clinton Refuse Disposal Authority has announced that it will entertain proposals for the purchase of land at the former waste reduction facility located in Clinton Township. The site is located within a Brownfield Development Authority. The deadline for response is October 17, 2003 at 5:00 p.m.

Interested parties may visit the site on September 25, 2003 at 10:00 a.m. A recommended pre-bid meeting will take place on September 25, 2003, at 2:00 p.m. in Room 200 of the Clinton Township Civic Center.

To take part in the site visit or pre-bid meeting, please contact Carlo Santia, Director-Department of Planning and Community Development at 586-286-9325.

Requests for proposals may be obtained by contacting:

John J. Gillooly
Garan Lucow Miller, P.C.
1000 Woodbridge Street
Detroit, MI 48207
(313)446-5501

NOEL SELEWSKI AGENCY

(313) 886-6857

Serving the community for over 25 years

• Auto • Home • Life

• Commercial • Residential

• General Liability • Renter's Insurance

15206 Mack Ave

Grosse Pointe Park, MI

Located in the Lakepointe Building
(2 blocks South of Tom's Oyster Bar)



Real Estate

By Alex M. Lucido

INVESTING IN REAL ESTATE

One of the benefits of owning investment property is the ability to depreciate it and treat this depreciation as a paper loss. Unlike other types of investments, like computers or cars, the market value of real estate historically does not decrease with age. On the contrary, it increases. This has always been one of the big financial inducements to investing in real estate. What's so good about a "paper loss?" It means that you can deduct this amount annually from your income and reduce your income taxes. Some years ago, real estate could be

depreciated at an accelerated rate that produced bigger deductions during the early years of ownership.

This was one of the "loopholes" addressed by the Tax Reform Act. As it stands now, residential rental property can be depreciated over 27 1/2 years and non-residential commercial property over a 39 year period. Only straight line, not accelerated depreciation can be used.

For all your real estate investment needs give us a call, we know the market!

Lucido & Assoc. Realtors
(313) 882-1010
lucidorealestate.com

Business People



Cressy

C. Scott Cressy has been appointed to officer, community bank manager at Republic Bank. Cressy has more than 14 years experience in banking.

He manages Republic's office in Grosse Pointe Farms.

Cressy is studying toward his bachelor's degree in business administration from Baker College.

Mark Taras has joined Employees Only, Inc., in Troy, as business development manager.

Employees Only is a professional employer organization that provides human resource solutions to companies, from matters of payroll to employee relations.

Taras, a resident of Grosse Pointe, worked previously as an account executive with Borrego International in Detroit, a branch of Interior Dynamics.

He also was business development manager for The Barteck Group in Southfield and Business Control Systems in Troy.

Taras also held various consulting, business analysis and project management positions with Electronic Data Systems during a 15-year career with the company.

Marygrove College held its second annual Distinguished Alumni Awards program and honored Chief Justice Maura D. Corrigan for her outstanding career achievements.

Corrigan has served on the Michigan Supreme Court since 1998. She graduated magna cum laude from Marygrove College and then cum laude from the University of Detroit Law School.

Corrigan has worked as an assistant prosecuting attorney in Wayne County, chief of appeals in the United States Attorney's Office in Detroit, and chief assistant United States Attorney.

She also was a partner in the law firm of Plunkett & Cooney before being appointed by Gov. John Engler to the Michigan Court of Appeals.

Corrigan is vice-president of the Conference of Chief Justices, chair of the Conference of Chief Justices Problem Solving Courts committee, a faculty member of the American Inns of Court, and a member of the Pew Commission, investigating foster care issues.

Grosse Pointe Farms resident Jeffrey Rogg has been appointed to the State Bar of Michigan's Standing Committee on Standard Criminal Jury Instructions.

Rogg is an attorney with Miller Canfield Paddock and Stone's corporate compliance and criminal defense group, and the litigation and dispute resolution group.

Prior to joining Miller Canfield, he served five years as chief assistant prosecuting attorney for Alpena County. Rogg also served as counsel to the Alpena County Board of Commissioners and advised other county departments on civil claims and litigation. Rogg earned his law degree from Wayne State University.



Rogg

Sears opens Oct. 11; Lowes follows in November

By Carrie Cunningham
Staff Writer

Sears will be opening on Saturday, Oct. 11 at Eastland Center. A ribbon-cutting ceremony will take place Saturday morning at 9:10 a.m., and a slew of celebrities will bestow their presence at the complex over the weekend.

"The store looks wonderful," said Corey Lucas, event coordinator for the weekend. "I think having Sears will encourage people to come here."

The 143,000 square foot store will employ 175 people with 130 of them just recently hired.

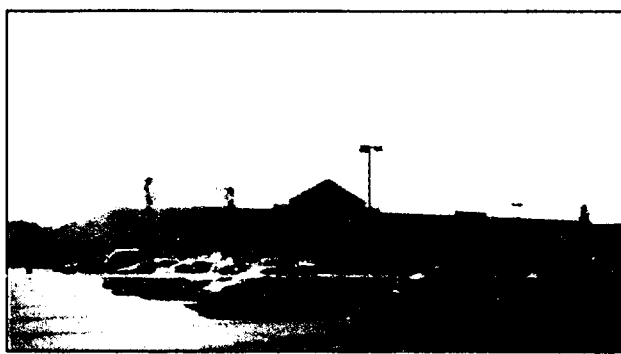
At the ribbon-cutting ceremony, guests will include Donald Housey, chairman of the board of the East Metro Chamber of Commerce, Mayor Ken Poynter and Pam Blanchard, general

manager of the new Sears at Eastland.

A trip to the Caribbean for two plus \$1,000 and \$5,000 shopping spree will be awarded.

Subsequent to the ceremony, celebrities like Miss Michigan, Madonna Emond, former Tiger Willie Horton, former Red Wing Joe Kocur and soap opera stars like Maximilian Alexander, Bruce Michael Hall and Michael Jordan will be present.

Sears will give shoppers a wide range of products and services. Sears Covington and Lands End apparel will be sold as well as copious bed and bath products. Craftsman tools and other well known brands will be available. Kenmore appliances and electronics like plasma televisions, stereos, camcorders and digital cam-



Sears, right, will officially open its doors on Saturday, Oct. 11. Lowe's, left, will open in November. Both stores will increase the shopping choices at Eastland Center.

eras will be offered.

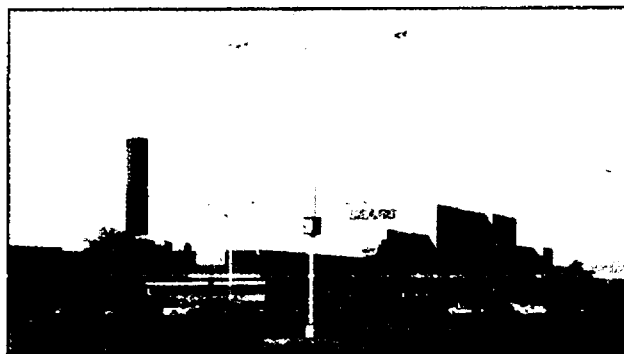
In addition to products, the store will house a Sears Portrait Studio, an Optical Shop, a Watch Repair, a tuxedo shop, KB Toys, Miracle Ear, H&R Block and Sears Auto Center.

Sears is a behemoth, with 870 stores nationwide and an annual 2002 revenue of

\$41 billion.

Following the opening of Sears, Lowe's Home improvement center is slated to open in November. It has 400,000 in-stock products and 400,000 special order items for the home.

Additionally, it offers plumbing, electrical and lumber goods for commer-



Photos by Carrie Cunningham

cial businesses.

Mayor Ken Poynter believes Eastland is a treasure of Harper Woods, and the new stores' openings can only bolster the mall's profile.

"I think Eastland Center has been extremely well maintained. One walk into the center, and it's hard to

believe it's 46 years old," he said. "Eastland Center to me is being totally revitalized and reborn with Sears and Lowe's coming in."

With shopping opportunities burgeoning at the center, Harper Woods residents will have many choices to peruse for the upcoming holiday season.

Mayor Poynter will serve fourth term in office in city he loves

By Carrie Cunningham
Staff Writer

Mayor Ken Poynter has blossomed along side the growth of Harper Woods as a city.

Uncontested for a fourth term as mayor, he loves Harper Woods and remembers the city in its infancy.

"I've been part of this community my entire life," he said. "We have this nice, friendly small town, can-I-help-you type atmosphere."

Poynter's parents moved to the city in 1940 when it was still Gratiot Township. His father worked for the old Hudson Car Company, and his mother was a homemaker. Poynter went to Eastwood School for kindergarten — now a church — and Harper Woods High School.

He remembers the dirt roads that covered most of the city. There were no sidewalks on Beaconsfield after Beacon school, just a gravel pathway. Kelly Road had only two lanes. He recalls

sitting on the porch of his house on Kingsville as a child and being able to see the cars traversing Moross.

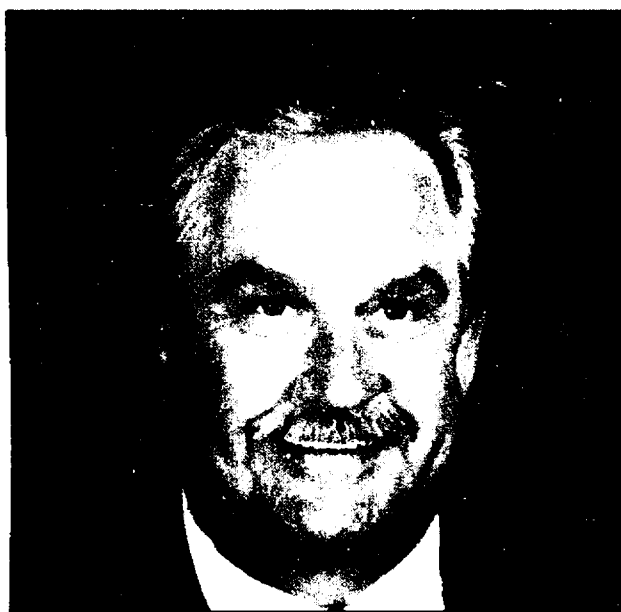
A farmhouse was situated on what is now the property of Eastland.

Poynter attended college at Valparaiso University in Indiana where he majored in secondary education. He taught after he graduated hoping to save enough money for law school, but since he liked teaching so much, he decided to stay in education. He has taught junior high students and coached football for the past 39 years.

"The kids are great," he said. "I love teenagers."

To buttress his teaching credentials, he earned a master's degree in instructional technology and education from Purdue University and a specialist degree in the same subject from Wayne State University.

He married and has a son, Alan, who is also a



Mayor Ken Poynter, above, will serve his fourth term as mayor of Harper Woods. He has been a public servant for Harper Woods for twenty years.

Before he was mayor, Poynter served on the Harper Woods school board for 14 years. His foray into

will mark 20 years of public service to the community of Harper Woods.

Poynter believes Harper Woods is undergoing a renaissance. He thinks he

and other members of the council have ushered in positive developments for the city.

"We just work well together. That's all there is to it," he said of his colleagues.

Some of the accomplishments he is proud of include the institution of advanced life support, the creation of a city open house, the Kelly Road, and rethinking of Beaconsfield and I-94 and the new stores, like Lowe's and Sears, coming into Eastland.

He thinks the city employees are outstanding.

"If you have a problem or even a complaint, all you have to do is pick up the phone and call the city manager or call somebody," he said. "We want to maintain the same high quality efficient services."

He, along with the council, have copious goals for the future.

He hopes to see a new

community center in the city.

"What we're going to have to do is visit some of these other community centers and just see what's what," he said.

A city Web site and a welcome packet for new residents are other projects he wants to become reality.

Poynter wants to keep the city a place that attracts young families.

"The challenge for council members is to keep Harper Woods a safe, pleasant place to live," he said. "I don't want to see this community deteriorate."

Having spent his life helping Harper Woods — a city that has grown from 800 people to nearly 15,000 today replete with thriving businesses and a committed school district — Poynter plans to remain in the city until his dying days.

"I have a very strong connection to the community. I just like it here. I plan to stay here forever," he said.

Lion's Club Dinner

The Harper Woods Lion's Club will host a pasta dinner from 4 to 8 p.m. on Wednesday, Oct. 15 at the Harper Woods Community Center. The cost is \$5.

CITY OF HARPER WOODS POLICE DEPARTMENT WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN

NOTICE

AUCTION OF IMPOUNDED/ABANDONED VEHICLES

Pursuant to PA 104, an auction will be held on October 18, 2003, at 9:00 a.m. at Woods Towing, located at 22500 E. 9 Mile Road, St. Clair Shores, MI. The following impounded/abandoned vehicles will be auctioned:

1989 Ford Thunderbird	2 DR	1FAPP6046KH198402
1992 Ford Aerostar	SW	1FMDA11U4NZB69314
1988 Pontiac Grand Prix	2 DR	1G2WK14W8JF263543
1988 Buick Riviera	2 DR	1G4EZ11C1J1U403257
1993 Dodge Caravan	SW	1B4GH54R7PX540912
1990 Dodge Shadow	2 DR	1B3XP44DXLN190123
1985 Dodge D100	PU	1B7FD14T3FS667819
1997 Chevy Malibu	4 DR	1G1ND52M3V6142010

The above vehicles can be viewed one hour prior to the auction, at Woods Towing. Payment by cash or certified check only.

POSTED: October 6, 2003
G.P.N.: 10/09/2003

Sgt. Ralph E. Selvaggi,
Traffic Safety Section

CITY OF HARPER WOODS WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN SYNOPSIS: REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING SEPTEMBER 15, 2003

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

- To receive, approve and file the minutes of the Regular City Council Meeting held on September 3, 2003.
- That the agenda of the regular City Council Meeting having been acted upon, the meeting is hereby adjourned at 8:12 p.m.

RESOLUTIONS PASSED

- To approve the following items in the Consent Agenda:
 - Approve the Accounts Payable listing for Check Numbers 68222 through 68338 in the amount of \$278,471.75 as submitted by the City Manager and Finance Director, and further, authorize the Mayor and City Clerk to sign the listing.
 - Approve payment to the City of Grosse Pointe Farms in the amount of \$6,647.88 for Harper Woods' proportionate share of the Inter municipal Radio System covering the period from January 1, through July 30, 2003.
 - Approve payment to Statewide Security Transport in the amount of \$12,952.77 for prisoner lodging and maintenance for the month of July, 2003.
- To approve the Vacation of Easement for project numbered MA03258.30, Private Claims "EF" and 393 in consideration of one dollar by Eastland 03R Partners, P.L.P. of North Wilkesboro, NC, and further, to authorize the City Manager and City Clerk to sign the Vacation of Easement.
- To approve the Vacation of Easement for project numbered MA03258.30, Private Claims "EF" and 393 in consideration of one dollar by Eastland 03R Partners, P.L.P. of New York, NY and further, to authorize the City Manager and City Clerk to sign the Vacation of Easement.
- To establish the following ambulance fee schedule, effective October 1, 2003:

Resident (current): Basic \$225, Advanced \$350, Non-resident Basic \$325, Advanced \$535	Resident (proposed): Basic \$300, Advanced \$425, Non-resident Basic \$400, Advanced \$585
Mileage (current): \$5.00 (proposed): \$6.00	Defibrillation (current): \$50 (proposed): \$50
Extinction (current): \$500 (proposed): \$500	
- To approve payment in the amount of \$585,940.87 to Wayne County for the Milk River Drain principal and interest payments, \$428,470.35 on the SRF Series Bond, \$58,173.58 on the 1992 SRF Series, and \$99,296.94 on the 1993 Series Bond.

Kenneth A. Poynter,
Mayor

Mickey D. Todd,
City Clerk

G.P.N.: 10/09/2003

CITY OF HARPER WOODS WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS 2004 BUDGET

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City Council for the City of Harper Woods, Michigan, will hold a PUBLIC HEARING on:

MONDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2003 AT 7:30 P.M.
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2003 AT 7:30 P.M.
TO BE HELD
IN THE CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS
OF CITY HALL
19617 HARPER AVENUE
HARPER WOODS, MI. 48225

The purpose of these public hearings will be to receive public input and comment on the proposed 2004 Budget for the City's General and various other operating funds. The proposed levy upon the 2003 Tax Rolls for each \$1,000 of Real and Personal Property State taxable valuation is as follows:

FUND	CURRENT	PROPOSED	INCREASE -DECREASE
General Operation	17.6778	17.4586	-0.2192
Debt Retirement	2.50	2.50	0.00
Refuse Collection	2.00	2.00	0.00
Library Operation	0.9517	0.9399	-0.0118
TOTALS	23.1295	22.8985	-0.2310

SUMMARIES OF THE PROPOSED REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE 2004 BUDGETED FUNDS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

FUND	AMOUNT
General Fund	\$10,558,500
Major Street Fund	522,200
Local Street Fund	473,500
Water & Sewer Fund	2,450,000
Vehicle & Equipment Fund	975,000
Storm Drainage Fund	1,510,000
Refuse Collection Fund	1,100,000
Library Fund	435,400
Debt Retirement Fund	946,000
Self-Insurance Fund	1,000
Separation Pay Fund	1,000
Municipal Improvement Fund	100,000
Drug Law Enforcement Fund	1,100

THE PROPERTY TAX MILLAGE RATE PROPOSED TO BE LEVIED TO SUPPORT THE PROPOSED BUDGET WILL BE A SUBJECT OF THIS HEARING.

A copy of the proposed 2004 Budget is available for public inspection between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. weekdays in the office of the City Clerk, 19617 Harper Avenue, Harper Woods, MI. 48225-2095 (telephone 313/343-2510). All interested persons are invited to attend either or both of these public hearings.

City of Harper Woods
Mickey D. Todd,
City Clerk

G.P.N.: 10/09/2003 & 10/23/2003

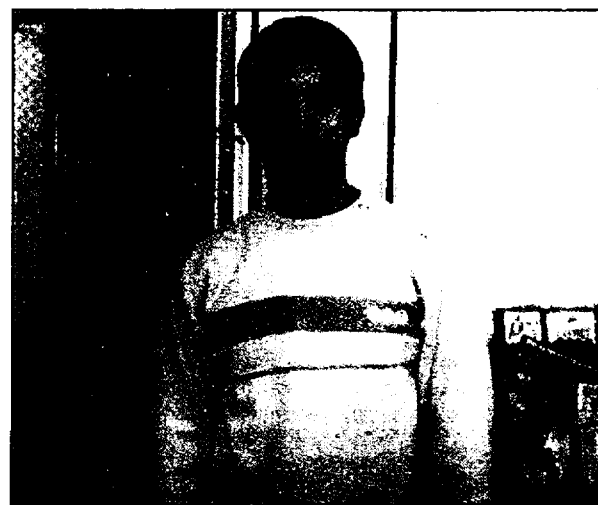


Photo by Carrie Cunningham

Hola Hispanics

Harper Woods Secondary school is celebrating Hispanic Awareness Month. The school boasts 16 Hispanic students whose families have roots from countries like Puerto Rico, Panama, Peru, Argentina and Mexico.

"We need to understand that the United States official language might be English, but our second language is Spanish," said secondary school Spanish teacher Lucienne Zanni. "The biggest minority is Hispanic."

The school has welcomed an exchange student named David Baeny, above, 16, from Riberalta, Bolivia. He is working on improving his English and loves algebra class. He has engaged in hobbies like football, soccer, working on a computer and sailing. He has been in Harper Woods for a month, living with Joe and Renee Meers.

"I like it. It's a very nice place," he said.

"I think it's great we have a Spanish speaking exchange student," said Zanni. "The kids who study Spanish can relate to him."

With a respect for the Hispanic culture and language, the district is embracing the changing landscape of its community and the country.

For Police Briefs,
See Page 11A

BREAK THROUGH

Early 2004 Models Have Arrived!

The All New Cadillac SRX is
NOW Available at Rinke Cadillac



STK# 101909

2004 CADILLAC CTS

GM EMPLOYEE
GMAC SMARTLEASE

\$319

NON-GM EMPLOYEE
GMAC SMARTLEASE

\$359



STK# 135913

2004 SEDAN DEVILLE

Marketing Edition

GM EMPLOYEE
GMAC SMARTLEASE

\$419

NON-GM EMPLOYEE
GMAC SMARTLEASE

\$479



STK# 114922

2004 CADILLAC SEVILLE SLS

Chrome Wheels; Premium Package; Woodgrain Package; Leather Package and more!

GM EMPLOYEE
GMAC SMARTLEASE

\$439

NON-GM EMPLOYEE
GMAC SMARTLEASE

\$499

American-built CTS attracts more than the European eye

Driving an American luxury car — or a standard car, for that matter — in Europe, through the narrow streets of major cities or on country roads about the width of a driveway in the United States, used to be a daunting task. Not now.

We drove a 2003 Cadillac CTS in and around Geneva in Switzerland and France and found the American luxury car was not only maneuverable enough and easy to handle, but it also attracted more than one interested European eye.

A replacement for the aging Cadillac Catera sedan, the all-new-for-2003 CTS shares few parts with its predecessor, developed by Opel, GM's German subsidiary.

Excellent handling, great comfortable seats, spacious cabin and styling calculated to start a debate on automotive aesthetics made the car fun to drive, even in Geneva's narrow and winding streets.

The first car to employ Cadillac's new "art and science" design philosophy, the CTS is a bold step forward for a division that is slowly trying to regain its status as a top-tier luxury car maker. The CTS will probably not be a big seller in Europe, but it might attract attention with its styling, which is interesting, even in France, arguably the home of the most interesting automotive styling and design.

The CTS employs the creased avant-garde design of Cadillac's concept cars. Many find it off-putting at first, but you may find it grows on you. Cadillac deserves credit for being daring and not playing it safe with a more conventional look.

Competition is fierce in the entry-level luxury sport sedan segment where Cadillac is up against such tough competitors as BMW's 3 Series, Audi's A4 and Mercedes' C-Class. Cadillac will have trouble fending off these rivals in the United States, let alone establish itself in the land of the Euro (well, not exactly — we used Euros in France, Swiss Francs in Switzerland; Sweden, Denmark and Great Britain have yet to subscribe to the Euro also).

The CTS comes equipped standard or with one of two option packages offered to add varying levels of luxury and sport. Standard equipment includes leather seating; front, side and head-curtain airbags; an eight-way power adjustable driver seat; dual-zone climate control; an AM/FM cassette stereo and CD player; the OnStar communications system; ABS; and traction control, and a base sticker price of \$30,835.

Upgrading to the luxury



David Wright

package adds a power passenger seat, an audible theft-deterrent system, two-driver seat-memory package, programmable garage door opener, electronic voice recorder and wood trim on the steering wheel, shift lever and door handles. Additional options include an upgraded Bose audio package, heated front seats, xenon headlamps, a power sunroof and machine-finished aluminum wheels. Sticker price for the Luxury CTS is \$36,070.

Our test car was upgraded with the top-of-the-line luxury/sport package. This includes all the features of the luxury package along with a sport-tuned suspension, 17-inch wheels and tires, speed-sensitive power steering, high-performance brake linings and the StabiliTrak stability control system. Sticker price for the works is \$40,785.

Only one engine is offered, a 3.2-liter V-6 rated at 220 horsepower. Power is directed to the rear wheels through either a five-speed manual or

five-speed automatic transmission. The fully independent multilink suspension was developed on Germany's famed Nurburgring test track, a rigorous circuit used for years by Porsche and BMW. The testing paid off for the CTS in brilliant handling, precise steering and highly capable brakes.

The CTS was generally enjoyable to drive when the road turned curvy. Body roll was minimal, and the car felt stable when pressed. In fact, for a relatively big car by European standards, its composure through the twisties was impressive.

Although the CTS competes in the entry-level sport sedan category, its physical dimensions more closely resemble that of larger mid-size luxury sedans like BMW's 5 Series and Audi's A6. The spacious cabin has ample room for five adults. The bucket seats in front are very comfortable.

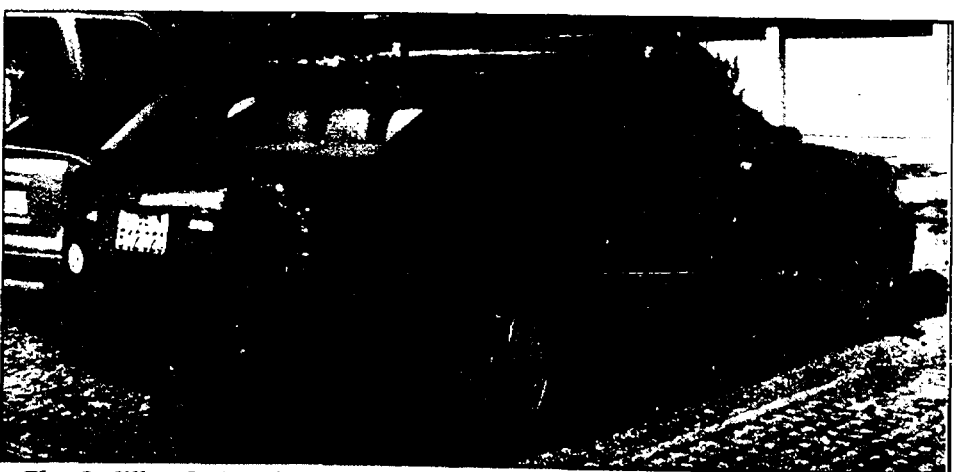
Cadillac's new edgy styling has its fans and critics, but it will never get lost in the crowd.



Even on such narrow canyon-like streets as this part of Rue St-Leger which winds up into Geneva's picturesque Old Town, where the cathedral in which John Calvin's church and college are located, the Cadillac moved surely and easily.



Our Cadillac CTS parked in the lot at the Spa at Evian (yes, where the water comes from) near Geneva across the border in France attracted the attention of many passersby. Reaction tended to be positive, I think, but my French is not very good.



The Cadillac CTS's sharply contoured styling is most evident from the rear. Here it is parked at our apartment in a Swiss suburb northeast of Geneva.

CADILLAC

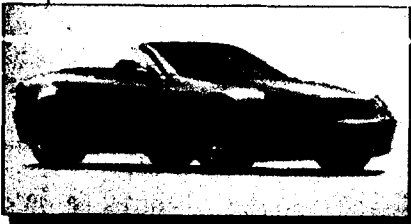
VAN DYKE (586)-758-1800



Lochmoor Luxury Imports

Grosse Pointe's Only Luxury Import Dealer
Featuring The Finest Pre-Owned Luxury Vehicles

Mercedes 2001 SL500



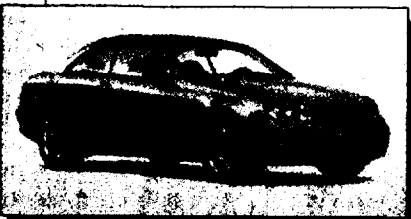
Firemist Red, 10,500 Miles
Factory Warranty \$56,700

Mercedes 2002 S430



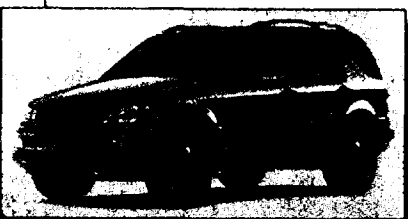
Brilliant Silver, 9,800 Miles
Factory Warranty \$59,800

Mercedes 2000 CLK430



Black Opal, 21,800 Miles
Factory Warranty \$35,600

Mercedes 2000 ML320



Silver, 26,500 Miles
Factory Warranty \$27,800

Mercedes 2003 E320



Silver w/Grey Leather
5,600 Miles
Factory Warranty \$48,700

Mercedes 2000 CLK320



Black w/Black Leather
31,000 Miles
Factory Warranty \$29,900

*All pre-owned vehicles safety inspected • Leasing available on most vehicles

Lochmoor Luxury Imports
18201 Mack Ave. • Grosse Pointe
313-886-3000
Lochmoorluxuryimports.com

Don Gooley
Cadillac

9 Mile Just East
of I-94

586-772-8200
313-343-5300
www.dongooleycadillac.com

Don Says...

Great Selection Of 2004's
In Stock Now!

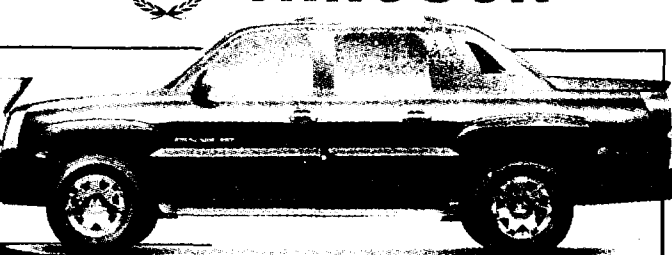


16
2004 Deville's
Similarly
Equipped

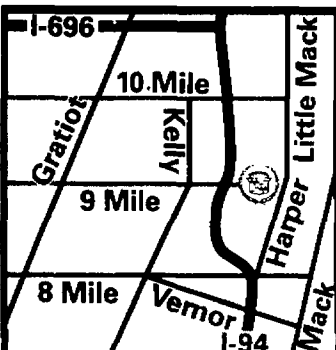
GENERAL PUBLIC LEASE GM EMPLOYEE LEASE
Stk #: 4-287
Front & Rear Heated Seats. XM Satellite Radio.
Express-Open Sunroof. Chrome Wheels Plus More!
MSRP - \$50,580
\$460*/mo **\$397*/mo**

BREAK THROUGH

14
2004
Escalade EXT's
In Stock
Now!



GENERAL PUBLIC LEASE GM EMPLOYEE LEASE
Escalade EXT Stk #: 4-264
Express-Open Sunroof, Chrome Wheels
MSRP - \$55,320
\$552*/mo **\$481*/mo**



Don Gooley
Cadillac

19900 East Nine Mile Rd.,
St. Clair Shores, MI 48080

Open: Mon. & Thurs. 8:30 a.m. Until 9 p.m.
Tues., Wed., Fri. 8:30 a.m. Until 6:00 p.m.

All Leases \$2700 Cash Down with \$0 Security Deposit, plus 1st Payment, Acquisition Fee, Tax, Title, License. 36 Mos. or 36,000 mile Lease. Must be available for Conditioned Loyalty. Must have Non-GM vehicle to be eligible for Escalade lease only. Expires October 31, 2003.

PRICE IS NOT AN ISSUE,
MAKE YOUR BEST DEAL!

Hyundai Advantage

AMERICA'S BEST WARRANTY

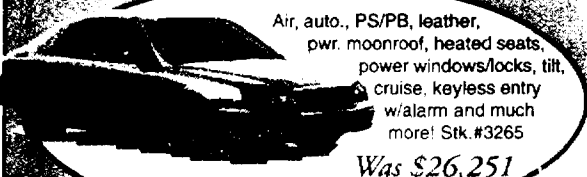
0% APR
60 MONTHS
UP TO \$3000 REBATES!

2003 ELANTRA GLS



0% OR
\$1500
REBATE

NEW 2003 XC250L



Air, auto., PS/PB, leather,
pwr. moonroof, heated seats,
power windows/locks, tilt,
cruise, keyless entry
w/alarm and much
more! Stk. #3265

Was \$26,251

Now \$20,989*

NEW 2003 ACCENT AL



0% OR
\$1500
REBATE

*Financing in lieu of rebates. *Plus tax, title, lic. & freight. Must qualify for 0% financing with approved credit. All Rebates to dealer. Must take delivery from dealer within 90 days for cash rebate. *Must qualify for Hyundai Loyalty Rebate and must qualify for Arnold Dealer Loyalty Rebates.

"NOBODY BEATS AN ARNOLD DEAL"

ARNOLD
HYUNDAI

(586) 445-6000 Gratiot @ 12 Mile Road

0% APR **END OF SUMMER** **UP TO \$2500**
on select models **CLEARANCE** **REBATES!**

STOP IN AND EXPERIENCE PURE
LUXURY WITH THE
NEW 2004 SUZUKI VERONA!

NEW 2003 VITARA 4x4

Air, auto., PS/PB, power windows/locks, tilt,
cruise, AM/FM/CD and more!
Stk. #11740

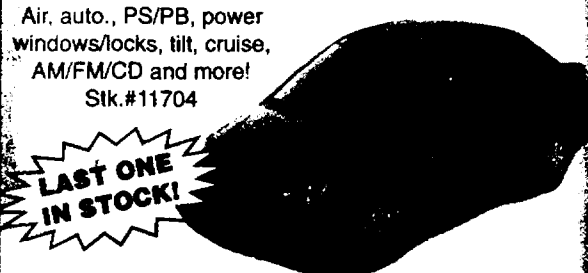


Was \$19,719 **Now \$15,377***

7yr./100,000 mile
POWERTRAIN WARRANTY

2003 AERIO SEDAN GS

Air, auto., PS/PB, power
windows/locks, tilt, cruise,
AM/FM/CD and more!
Stk. #11704



LAST ONE
IN STOCK!

Was \$16,294 **Now \$12,888***

*Approved credit. All rebates to dealer, plus destination, tax & title. Must take delivery from dealer stock. 0% financing in lieu of rebates.

"NOBODY BEATS AN ARNOLD DEAL"

ARNOLD SUZUKI
Engineered to fit your life

Gratiot @ 12 Mile Road
(586) 445-6000

Email us at arnolda@comcast.net

MITSUBISHI'S
NO EXCUSES EVENT
WHAT'S YOUR EXCUSE?
GREAT CARS • GREAT WARRANTY • GREAT DEALS

2003 MONTERO LIMITED

Loaded! Must see
to believe!
Stk. #1698



Was \$38,412

Now \$30,998*

SAVE
OVER
\$7,400

2003 DIAMANTE LS

Leather, heated seats,
moonroof and more!
Stk. #1692



0% FOR 60 MONTHS

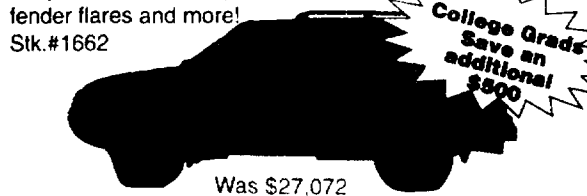
Was \$29,752

Now \$22,998*

SAVE
\$6,700

2003 MONTERO SPORT 4WD

Alloy wheels, side steps,
fender flares and more!
Stk. #1662



Was \$27,072

Now \$20,998*

College Grads
Save an
additional
\$800

*Plus tax, title, plates and destination. In Lieu of financing. All rebates to dealer. **With approved credit on select models.

"NOBODY BEATS AN ARNOLD DEAL"

ARNOLD



Gratiot @ 12 Mile Road
(586) 445-6040

Email us at arnolda@comcast.net

visit our website www.arnoldautomotive.com



Connie's
children's shop

SIDEWALK SALE

Monday through Saturday
October 14th through October 19th

- Selected Boys Pants \$5⁰⁰
- Boys Dress Shirts \$5 - \$10⁰⁰
- Hair Accessories/Tights/Socks 50¢ - \$1⁰⁰
- Selected Shoes 50% - 75% OFF
- Selected School Sweaters 50% OFF

Mon - Fri 9:30 - 6:00 p.m. • Saturday 9:30 - 5:00 p.m. • Closed Sunday

23200 Greater Mack • St. Clair Shores

586-777-8020


HARPER SPORT SHOP

HUGE SIDEWALK SALE

October 13th - 18th

SPORT SHIRTS

Select Sport Shirts

- Nike 
- ADIDAS 
- Reebok 

\$10⁰⁰

WINTER PARKAS

Select Jackets

Your Choice **\$25⁰⁰**



BOWLING

Discontinued
Bowling Shoes

\$10⁰⁰

SAVE ON

Men's
&
Women's

WORKOUT
GEAR



HOCKEY EQUIPMENT & SKATES HOCKEY TIME!!!

- SELECT HOCKEY JERSEYS **\$20⁰⁰**
-CCM NHL Replicas Regular \$54.95

- FINAL SALE **\$10-\$30**
-Select Hockey Shoulder Pads & Shinguards

- NIKE QUEST **\$49⁹⁵**
-Hockey Helmets Regular \$90.00

- MISSION CARBSTER **\$49⁹⁵**
-Hockey Helmets Regular \$100.00

- MISSION ICE HOCKEY **30% OFF**
-Skates (youth & adult)



MONDAY 10-7 p.m. TUESDAY 10-6 p.m. WEDNESDAY 10-6 p.m. THURSDAY 10-7 p.m. FRIDAY 10-6 p.m. SATURDAY 9-5 p.m.

HARPER SPORT SHOP

23208 Greater Mack
1 block South of 9 Mile Rd. • St. Clair Shores

(586) 779-9090



October 9, 2003

MOPS breathes life and religion into mothers' world

By Carrie Cunningham
Staff Writer

Mothering matters. The love between a mother and her children is profound, real and sustaining, and it provides a foundation for growth in the world.

One organization called Mothers of Preschoolers (MOPS) is focused on celebrating young mothers and their connections to their children. The group's mission is to nurture every mother of preschoolers by meeting her distinct needs through the glory of Jesus Christ.

"No one has ever loved me the way that my children have loved me, and I've never loved anyone the way that I have loved my children. To see that kind of love is as close to God as I think I'm going to get," said MOPS member Amy Graham. "My goal as a Christian is to continue to spread the word of Jesus Christ. I'm going to be his mouth, his eyes, his ears."

MOPS offers mothers of young children a support network to air their concerns and discussion groups to guide them spiritually. While mothers are meeting among themselves, children are instructed in the lessons of the Old and New Testaments.

Two MOPS groups exist in Grosse Pointe — one at St. James Lutheran Church, which started in January 2001 and has 32 mothers and 48 children, and the second at Christ Episcopal Church, which began in February 2003 and has 47 moms and 62 children.

MOPS mothers discuss worries such as loneliness, feeling overwhelmed, how to discipline children, spousal abuse and dealing with the death of a parent. They swap

concerns over food and coffee, creating bonds among members.

"My husband works a lot, and with success comes putting in a lot of hours," said Graham. "MOPS has given me a place where I can talk about things where I normally would only have talked about them with my husband. I don't feel so alone."

For Debbie Miller, publicity director for the Christ Church group, MOPS has given her fellowship.

"I'm relatively new to the community, so this is giving

They are currently reading "The Purpose Driven Life" which poses the question of why are we here and what is our purpose.

They engage in creative exercises. For instance, they recently created family tree necklaces with the idea of getting rooted for life, a concept originating in the Old Testament Book of Jeremiah.

"The whole thought is a tree cannot produce fruit unless its root system is well developed," said Graham. "The idea of MOPS is to develop the mom's roots so

YWCA Interim House of Detroit, which helps women suffering from domestic violence. In the month of November, they plan to collect toys, candy and school supplies for poor children as part of Operation Christmas Child. During Christmastime they will help Wolverine Human Services, which cares for abused or neglected children.

"I want to give my children strong role models, and I want them to see me giving of my time for something," said Miller.

Graham is the director of the Moppets program, which directs children in religious education for two and a half hour time periods. Recently children were instructed on the story of Moses and the burning bush with God telling Moses to lead the Israelites out of Egypt. They made a burning bush out of crepe paper. The lesson imparted to the children was that God helps us when he gives us a daunting task to accomplish.

Miller dropped off her 3-year-old Scott for the Moses lesson, and when she picked him up she was touched by what he learned.

"He had a stamp on his hand of the Moses basket and he said, 'Mommy, Moses was in the basket, and God takes care of him just as God takes care of me,'" she said.

MOPS offers mothers a respite and solace for the hard work and emotional effort they put into raising children.

"I don't know what position I'd be in today if I didn't have that couple of hours Monday morning," said Christ Church MOPS member Julie Schuetz. "I feel rejuvenated."



Amy Graham, director of Moppets, sits with her children Mary Claire and Davis.

I have a positive outlook."

All the MOPS mothers are grateful for the life-giving essence of the group, an essence that mirrors their roles as mothers.

"I think it's just amazing," said Graham.

For more information about MOPS, call (313) 885-4841 ext. 126 or visit their Web site at www.gospelcom.net/mops.



Anna (left) and Grace Moody snuggle as they listen to a Bible lesson.

Photos by Carrie Cunningham

me a chance to make friends and develop a support network," she said.

MOPS mothers often listen to religious and motivational speakers like Elise Arndt and Debbie Pierson. They are additionally guided by what are called mentor moms in studying different topics.

she can produce more love and better care for her children."

MOPS mothers want to maintain leadership qualities among its members. As an extension of this concept, they engage in many community service projects. They aid women and children of



Julie Schuetz stands with her son Charlie.



Twist it. Wrap it. Tie it on. No matter how you wear your **2003 breast cancer awareness scarf** - created exclusively for Ford by fashion designer **Lilly Pulitzer** - you'll be making a powerful statement in the fight against breast cancer.

Purchase your limited-edition \$30 silk scarf (12" x 56")



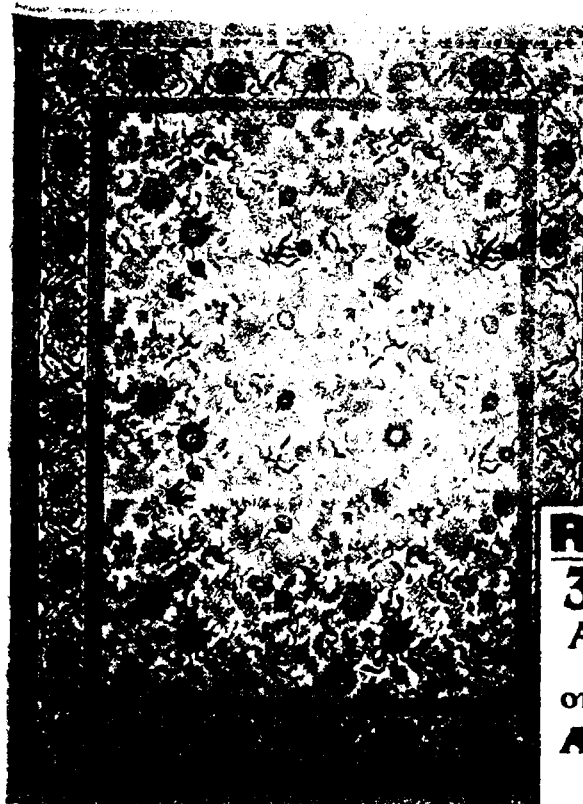
Hickey's-Walton Pierce will donate all net proceeds from scarf sales to the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation. For more information about the Komen Foundation or breast health, visit www.komen.org.

**HICKEY'S
WALTON PIERCE**

Clothiers
SINCE 1900

(313) 882-8970 • 17140 KERCHEVAL • GROSSE POINTE • IN THE VILLAGE
HOURS: MON. THRU FRI. 10 - 6, THURS. TILL 8, SAT. 10 - 5:30, SUNDAY 12 - 4

OCTOBER CARPET & RUG SALE



CHOOSE
FROM OUR
WIDE
SELECTION
OF THE BEST
CARPETS
• Wool • Nylon
• Borders • Patterns
• Textures • Berbers

INSTALLATION BY
PROFESSIONAL CRAFTSMEN

RUG SALE

30-50% OFF
AREA RUGS
IN STOCK
OTHER SIZES AVAILABLE
AT 25% OFF
• ORIENTAL
• NEEDLEPOINTE
• TIBETAN
• MICROHOOK

**CROWTHER
&
CARPET & RUGS**

313-884-2991

17670 Mack Avenue at University • Grosse Pointe City

Get through the winter by planting bulbs now

Recently on the "Today" program, Willard Scott explained how to plant bulbs. "Dig a hole, throw a bunch of them in there and say a prayer. They'll come up in the spring."

I've done that in the past and they didn't come up. As a really young gardener, I often wondered if they were planted upside down. Perhaps they bloomed in China the following May.

Planting hardy spring-blooming bulbs in this community is like mom and apple pie. It just signals the signs of autumn. These hard workers can be planted in shaded gardens where the sun hits them during winter as the leaves have fallen from the trees around them. They can also be planted in the sunny areas.

Try them as naturalizers in your lawn or under trees, roses or shrubs. What a wonderful surprise you'll have. Planting hardy bulbs this fall will give you something to watch for come spring. And, with our bizarre weather the past few years, who knows when spring will be sprung?

Americans will plant more than 1.6 billion bulbs, including tulips, hyacinths, narcissus, crocus, and other types of bulbs this fall. Springtime bulbs are very easy to grow and are almost maintenance-free.

Choosing the bulbs and the design

A secret to good growth is selecting the proper bulb. Pick those that are large, firm, and blemish-free. Generally, you get what you pay for, so spending a little more for quality may pay off next spring. It will strut its stuff next spring with almost instant color in the landscape once the snow has gone. My yellow winter aconites are the first bit of



color in my garden as they poke their heads through the last of the snow.

In planning your design, consider planting about 16 to 25 bulbs at one time to give you the massive color look. Start with the tallest bulb at the back — tulips, for example. In front of the tulips, plant narcissus, hyacinths, smaller tulips, and the crocuses in front.

These all bloom at about the same time. One tip is to plant them at different times to have a longer blooming season or read the packages to see if you have an early- or late-blooming variety.

Another idea is in your tulip bed. Try creating a double-decker in spring by planting some pansies this fall. Icicle Pansies from local nurseries are a good choice. Take the pansies out of their containers, break the roots up so the roots will actively grow and spread out.

Then, after about the first of December, you can cover the pansies with straw. Next spring the flowers will regrow and come up through the straw. The result is a tulip and pansy combo. To add instant fall color to this bed, use some flowering cabbage or kale. They will complement the pansies and are pretty tough growers to boot. Be creative!

Planting your bulbs

Choose a location that is well drained. Most spring-blooming bulbs can be planted any time until the ground freezes.

After your annuals are frosted, remove them. Prepare the bed by adding some compost, turning the soil, and planting the bulbs.

Tulips can be planted about 6 inches deep. Bury daffodils and narcissus about 8 inches deep. Most packages give good planting instructions for the depth and width. Or check with the bulb merchant on specific directions.

First, dig a hole. Put about a tablespoon per bulb of bone meal or bulb fertilizer in the hole. Incorporate it with the soil to avoid burning the bulb. Place the bulbs with pointed ends up for tulips and narcissus. Cover the hole with soil.

Think of planting the bulb about three times its diameter and about 6 inches deep. Water the area, especially if the ground is dry.

In my shade garden, I've planted a divided hosta on top to give the bulb's foliage somewhere to hide early next summer. For the bulbs to grow another season, be sure to let the leaves continue until turning yellow. Then you can pull the foliage away.

Be sure to plant spring-flowering bulbs where you will see them as they bloom. Your enjoyment is most of the fun. Hyacinths mark the way along our driveway and are planted among the pachysandra providing a real treat after the long winter. Their fragrance is a treasure.

With our uneven winters the past few seasons, some tulip leaves have poked

their heads through the soil as early as January. Should that occur this season, there's not much you can do. Covering them might do more damage than good. The tulip flowers seem to find their way up through the ground at the right time. It's amazing how smart they are!

Brian Capon, author of "Botany for Gardeners," explains that tulip bulbs contain the beginnings of a flower bud when just in bulb form. However, if the flower is to complete developing by spring, the bulb must undergo a drop in temperature to at least 50 degrees for 13 to 14 weeks. So for us to have the wonderful tulip flowers we enjoy so much, winter must set in and be with us for a while. The warmer temperatures force leaf and stem development and encourage the flower to open.

What about squirrels?

Crocus and tulip bulbs are dessert for squirrels and other rodents. When

you've done some planting, they know the ground has been disturbed and may go looking for something good beneath.

Here are some ideas for keeping your spring-flowering bulbs in the ground and not in some chunky squirrel's tummy.

Think of things their paws don't want to touch. Some folks have used chicken wire right on top of the bulbs or have planted their bulbs in wire cages. The wire is left in the ground until dug up at a later date. Others have used pieces of wire screen just below the soil's surface and pulled it up once the bulb has gotten established. Another idea is to put some jagged gravel in the area.

A veteran gardener once told me to spread a little blood meal over the area, as animals will want to stay away from another creature's blood. Using gloves, I sprinkle a little over the site and have had good luck with this method. It does need to be reapplied if rain

washes it away within a day or two. Remember the ground has still been disrupted and that's the signal our furry fiends . . . uh, friends, look for.

Get out there, be creative and give yourself something to look forward to next spring.

Kathleen Peabody is a Master Gardener who lives (and gardens) in Grosse Pointe Woods. E-mail her at kmaslankapeabody@sbcbglobal.net.

Tour Grosse Pointe's oldest house

Experience Grosse Pointe's past with a free, guided tour of the Grosse Pointe Historical Society's Provencal-Weir House, 376 Kercheval, in Grosse Pointe Farms, on Saturday, Oct. 11, from 1 to 4 p.m.

Recognized as the oldest home in Grosse Pointe, the Greek Revival structure was built for Detroit Indian agent and blacksmith Pierre Provencal. Along with their own daughter, the Provencals were said to have raised more than 20 children orphaned during several cholera epidemics in Detroit.

Originally located near the current intersection of Lakeshore and Provencal in

Grosse Pointe Farms, the house was an integral part of the community. University of Michigan co-founder, Father Gabriel Richard, was known to periodically celebrate Mass for neighboring farmers and traders in the home's parlor.

The house, later owned by the Provencals' daughter Catherine and her husband Judge James D. Weir, was moved to its present site in 1914.

In 1988 the Grosse Pointe Historical Society purchased the property, taking possession in 1993. An extensive renovation of the structure was completed in 1996.

Guests may learn about

19th century life in Grosse Pointe, see an exhibit of historic photographs and visit the newly renovated log cabin, built around 1840, which is located on the property. In addition, they can purchase videos featuring Grosse Pointe history and other publications and products focusing on the Pointes, one of the Midwest's oldest communities.

The Provencal-Weir House can also be reserved for private tours and functions. For additional information, call the Grosse Pointe Historical Society Resource Center at (313) 884-7010.

Upcoming Saturday tour dates: Nov. 8 and Dec. 13.

KENNEDY & CO.

Interiors

GROSSE POINTE'S PREMIER RESOURCE FOR UNIQUE FURNISHINGS, ACCESSORIES AND FINE GIFTS.

NOW OPEN SATURDAYS through December 20th Saturday Hours 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

MONDAY thru FRIDAY 9 am - 5 pm and SATURDAY 10 am - 5 pm

130 Kercheval, Grosse Pointe Farms

313-885-2701

Two local women named Heroes of Breast Cancer

The Karmanos Cancer Institute has named this year's Heroes of Breast Cancer. The ninth annual Heroes of Breast Cancer awards will be presented at a benefit luncheon on Tuesday, Oct. 14, at Congregation Shaarey Zedek in Southfield.

The awards are for community service and philanthropy. Proceeds from the luncheon will support the purchase of a computer-aided breast cancer detection system that enhances the image of mammography film.

Sheryl Hogan of Harper Woods and **Dr. Gloria Heppner** of the City of Grosse Pointe were two of the eight award-winners.

Hogan is a breast cancer survivor who has used her personal experience and skills to help others dealing with the disease.

She is a founding member of WATCH, a breast cancer support group for women diagnosed with breast cancer before menopause.

She established an interactive Web site to enhance the WATCH network.

She is also a longstanding member of the Komen Detroit Race for the Cure planning committee and a former member of the Karmanos Cancer Institute East Region board of trustees and Billionaires' Bash committee.

Heppner is known internationally for her research and teaching. She is associate vice president of research for Wayne State University.

Her scientific contributions to the field of breast cancer include the concept

of tumor heterogeneity. She also led the team that developed a way to allow researchers to study the earliest steps in the change from normal breast cells to malignant cells and identify ways to prevent their development.

Twelve years ago, Heppner instituted the Komen Detroit Race for the Cure. The race helps fund national breast cancer research and local screening, education and special treatment centers targeting those in greatest need.

Strides: The American Cancer Society's annual Making Strides Against Breast Cancer fundraising and awareness-raising non-competitive walk will take place Saturday, Oct. 11, on Belle Isle. Registration begins at 8:30 a.m. and the walk starts at 9:30 a.m.

October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month. A team of walkers from the Van Elslander Cancer Center at St. John Hospital and Medical Center in Grosse Pointe Woods will participate. They welcome additional walkers and pledges from the community.

The Van Elslander Cancer Center will also have a tent at the event, offering information on preventing and detecting the disease that will strike more than 200,000 times this year and claim 40,000 lives.

The five-year survival rate for breast cancer is 96 percent, however, provided the disease is found in its earliest stages.

Funds raised through

Making Strides are helping to unravel the mystery of how breast cancer begins, and helping researchers seek better ways to prevent, detect, and treat the disease.

Last year, similar events across the country saw 325,000 walkers collect more than \$26 million.

The American Cancer Society uses funds raised from the Making Strides walk to help fund research; provide educational community programs; and support patients and advocacy programs to defeat the disease.

There is no preregistration or registration fee and no minimum fundraising amount required. Donations are outright amounts. They are not calculated per mile walked.

"Nothing can describe the camaraderie of walking through your community with those who share your passion for curing breast cancer," said **Mary Ruhana** of St. Clair Shores, a breast cancer survivor and nurse navigator in the Liggett Breast Center at the Van Elslander Cancer Center.

"Since the risk of being diagnosed with breast cancer is one in eight during a woman's lifetime, you or someone you know may be touched by breast cancer. This walk is a chance to help make the disease a thing of the past," she added.

To join the walking team, make a donation or get more information, call (313) 647-3301.

— Margie Reins Smith

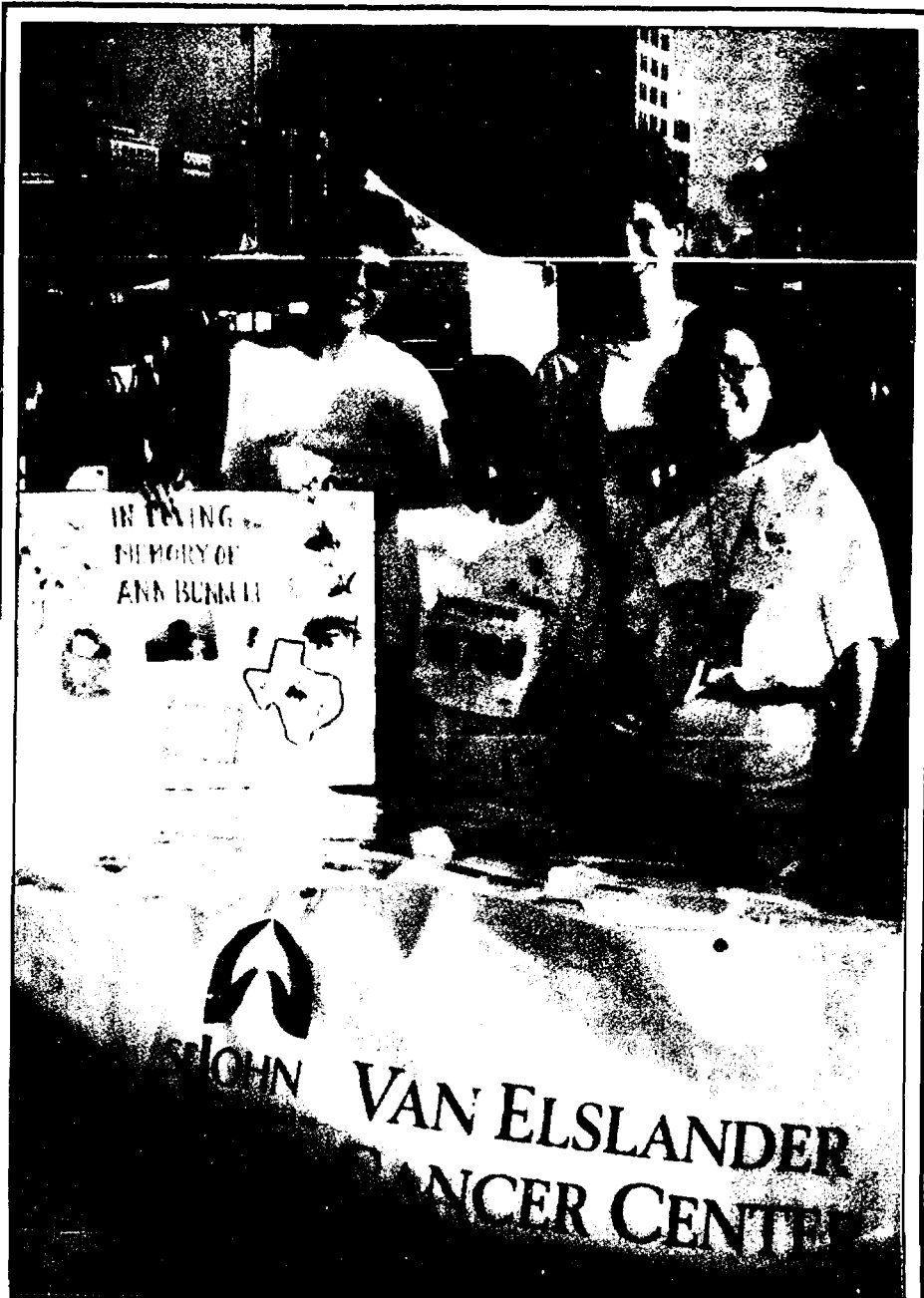


Photo by Karlert Ford

Race for the Cure

Some 21,000 women, men and children ran in the annual Race for the Cure to support breast health education, breast cancer screening and treatment for the medically underserved and research. They raised more than \$500,000.

Participants celebrated cancer survivors and remembered loved ones who passed away from breast cancer.

From left are Bunnell, Jay Bunnell, Lorrie Lipa of Grosse Pointe Farms and Mary Ruhana of St. Clair Shores.

Engagements

Prues-Hecker

Louis and Barbara Prues of Grosse Pointe Park have announced the engagement of their daughter, Sarah Prues, to Todd Hecker, son of Michael and Ruth Hecker of Williamsburg, Va.

An April wedding is planned.

Prues earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in social science from Michigan State University. She is vice president of operations at an event planning and fundraising firm.

Hecker earned a Bachelor of Science degree in mathematics from Michigan State



Todd Hecker and Sarah Prues

University and a Master of Arts degree in mathematics from Wayne State University. He is a physics teacher at North Farmington High School.



Lindsay M. Matz and Troy C. Otto

Matz-Otto

Gary A. and Bernadette S. Matz of Jackson have announced the engagement of their daughter, Lindsay M. Matz, to Troy C. Otto, son of Dale R. and J. Christine Otto of Grosse Pointe Park. An April wedding is planned.

Matz graduated from Michigan State University. She is a teacher in Madison Heights.


Otto graduated from Michigan State University with a business degree and is currently a student at Wayne State University Law School. He is a law clerk with Cox, Hodgeman and Giarmarco in Troy.

Blood Drive

The Grosse Pointe Community Blood Council will hold a blood drive from 1:30 to 7:15 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 16, at Calvin East Cadieux, near Harper.

There will also be an opportunity to register for the National Bone Marrow Donor Program. Bone marrow registrants must be between 18 and 61 years old and not diagnosed with osteoporosis or another bone disease.

For more information or to make an appointment, call (313) 884-5542.




Doug Roby

Farms Council

Vote For Douglas Roby Tues. Nov. 4th

MISSING!

Have you seen these hairdressers?



Pictured from left: Rita Kilroy, Elizabeth Palazzolo, and Katy Claravino.

FOUND!

at

FRIENDS HAIR & NAILS

19877 Mack Ave., Grosse Pointe Woods

Friends is a Full Service Salon Offering Hair, Nail and Skin Care Services.

For your next appointment, please call:

313-886-2503



Sweetest Day is Saturday, October 18th!
Surprise your sweetie with one of these rejuvenating specials!

SWEETEST DAY SPECIALS:

COUPLES MASSAGE: Two people, same time, same room for one hour massage \$115.
MINI FACIAL & 1/2 HOUR MASSAGE: Regular price \$80 • Special price \$75.
OFFER VOID 10/25/03

SPECIALIZING IN MASSAGE

Therapeutic • Swedish • Belavi Face Lift • Cranial Sacral Therapy • Pregnancy Massage • Hot Rocks Thermotherapy • Couples Massage • Reflexology

Gift certificates & packages offered.

FACIALS	BODY WRAPS	SCRUBS
• Luxury • Mini-Facial • Japanese Stone	• Parafango • Mud • Seaweed	• Body Polish • Sea Salt • Lemon Twist • Hand & Foot

22121 Greater Mack Avenue (between 8 & 9 Mile Road) St. Clair Shores, MI

We Carry Holistic Products: Skin Care, Oils and Gift Baskets to \$25 Visit us on-line at www.termesdayspa.com

586.776.6555

Victorian Tea Parlor & Gift Shop

CELEBRATES OUR 1ST YEAR ANNIVERSARY
OPEN HOUSE OCTOBER 17 & 18
Friday & Saturday 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

20% OFF SALE Month of October | **Free Scone** Buy 2 Get One Free



Victorian parlor Tea & Gift Shop is a secret hideaway in Grosse Pointe Park where you can step back in time. A reprieve from the busy world, your cares will melt away and you can relax over a pot of tea and something sweet.

The tea parlor is decorated as an old fashion victorian parlor with antique furniture, real china and linens and delicious tea. Bring a book and relax for an hour. Or, bring a friend and enjoy



scones with devonshire cream, tarts and homemade cakes.

Victorian parlor also has beautiful gifts for any occasion. From bridesmaid gifts, stocking stuffers, to gift baskets.

We specialize in wonderful tea parties, birthday parties (adults and children), showers, book clubs, holiday teas and more. Call today to reserve your next party.

15212 Charlevoix • Grosse Pointe Park **313-821-8060**

The Pastor's Corner

Fall numbers

By the Rev. Gustav Kopka Jr.
St. James Lutheran Church

"Celebrating 25 Years" read a page one headline recently in a Detroit newspaper. It was about the famous Polish bishop's service in Rome and throughout the entire inhabited world, sometimes called the oikoumene or ecumene. I got very close to John Paul II when he visited Detroit in 1987, though not sitting exactly next to him at a special lunch for various church leaders.

Another Polish bishop was "the ordinary" of the Diocese of Lansing then. Kenneth Povish was one of the founders of the Michigan Ecumenical Forum and its statewide executive director. Ken got me a seat at the table. On behalf of the forum, I wrote a letter afterward to the bishop at Rome, pleading for specific and practical steps in this matter of ecumenism. My good friend Ken thought that would be all right.

A year later, Ken and other Michigan and Ohio bishops went to Rome for a required routine private audience with the pope. At lunchtime there was table talk. Ken wrote in his weekly "Grace and Peace" column of The Catholic Weekly: "By reason of my seniority in Michigan, my place was on the pope's left. . . . The pope eats heartily at pranzo. . . . Whereas I passed on the cheese platter, he helped himself to a small chunk of each of the five cheeses on it."

At one point John Paul opined: "We are closest to the Orthodox, but. . . the real ecumenism today is with the Western churches of the Reformation."

The lunch ended with a rousing chorus of "He's a Jolly Good Fellow."

Bishop Ken was a very special friend of our family. He enjoyed the meal fellowship in our home in East Lansing, attended the Lutheran Ordination service of my oldest son, made me an honorary presbyter of his diocese, shared his clerical shirts with me when they no longer fit him, and rejoiced in my weekly day of prayer and meditation at the Franciscan Retreat Center in DeWitt.

Some years ago, when cancer forced him to retire, he moved to DeWitt where he had been instrumental in establishing living quarters for retired priests and church workers. Since then we have continued to receive warm Christmas greetings.

Earlier this fall Ken died at age 79. Well done, good and faithful fellow servant of the servants of God.

October, the eighth month in the ancient Roman calendar, brings cooler weather. It is now still dark at 6:30 for slightly chilly morning walks. But my heart is strangely warmed, and my mind unhurriedly ruminates and remembers, numbering years and precious souls who have gone before me.

October has some very fond dates on its calendar. . . among them: Francis of Assisi (4), Yom Kippur (6), Henry Melchior Muehlenberg (7), Theresa of Avila (15) and Luke, the healer (18).

Some of these were celebrated in shared thoughts of prose and poetry around coffee, tea and special tidbits on Sunday, Oct. 5, at John Jutte's Coffee Grinder on The Hill. It's all free, just for the heaven of it. You don't have to be an angel or some other sort of celestial. Some came to listen, to share, to refresh heartwarming memories, to be numbered among fall's leaves of being!



Photo by Carrie Cunningham

Love your pets

Christ Church Grosse Pointe held a St. Francis celebration and blessing of animals day at the 11:15 a.m. service on Sunday, Oct. 5. Above, members of the church and parishioners stand with their favorite pets on the grounds of the Grosse Pointe Hunt Club. From left, are the Rev. Brad Whitaker; Barbara Perez with her dog, Harry; the Rev. David Dieter; Martha Stott with pets Dolce and Morgan; Kiera Corbin with horse Lambda; and Ben Daume with his dog, Taffy.

Four priests were stationed on the lawn to bless animals. Hunt Club horses were present as were Leader Dogs for the Blind. Some people brought photographs of their pets.

Dieter has served as part of the largest church pet blessing days at the Cathedral of St. John the Divine in New York City, where thousands bring their pets to church and a virtual menagerie walks in procession.

Dieter thinks pets should be valued and loved.

"It certainly is consistent with what St. Francis thought considering animals to be siblings," he said.



The committee for Assumption's Wine Tasting and Silent Auction are, from left, Joan DeRonne of Grosse Pointe Woods, Lydia Villeneuve of Grosse Pointe Woods, Dean Champagne of Grosse Pointe Farms, Louis Therios of Grosse Pointe Farms and Roula Tsapralis of St. Clair Shores

Assumption holds fall wine-tasting party

"An International Wine Tasting Festival & Silent Auction" will begin at 6 p.m. Friday, Oct. 17, at Assumption Cultural Center, 21800 Marter in St. Clair Shores.

Wines will come from many countries: Australia, Canada, Germany, France, Italy, even a special holiday wine from Transylvania, Romania, called "Vampire." A number of California wines will also be included.

Proceeds from the event will benefit the Assumption Greek Orthodox Church of

St. Clair Shores fire restoration fund, which was established after the devastating church fire in December.

Food stations with hearty hors d'oeuvres will complement the wide variety of wines.

The silent auction will include wines from private collections as well as sports memorabilia, gift certificates for restaurants and more.

Advance, \$30 at the door. For more information or tickets, call (586) 779-6111.

Please recycle this newspaper

Christ the King Lutheran Church

Mack at Lochmoor
884-5090

8:15 & 10:45 a.m. - Worship Service
9:30 a.m. - Sunday School & Bible Classes

Supervised Nursery Provided
www.christtheking.org

Randy S. Boelter, Pastor
Timothy A. Holzerland, Asst. Pastor

St. James Lutheran Church

170 McMillan Rd., near Kercheval
Grosse Pointe Farms • 884-0511

Sunday Schedule

9:00 a.m. Education Time
9:45 a.m. Refreshments and Fellowship
10:15 a.m. Worship and Holy Communion

Nursery Provided

Wednesdays
Noon: Service of Word and Sacrament

The Reverend Gustav Kopka Jr., Ph.D., Pastor

First English Ev. Lutheran Church

Vernier Rd. at Wedgewood Dr.
Grosse Pointe Woods
884-5040

8:15 a.m. Traditional Service
9:30 a.m. Contemporary Service
11:00 a.m. Traditional Service

9:30 a.m. Sunday School

Dr. Walter A. Schmidt, Pastor
Rev. Barton L. Beebe, Associate Pastor
Robert Foster, Music Coordinator

GRACE UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

1175 Lakepointe at Kercheval
Grosse Pointe Park 822-3823

Sunday - Worship 10:30 a.m.
Tuesday - Thrift Shop 10:30 - 3:30

Wednesday - Amazing Grace Seniors
every second Wednesday at
The Tompkins Center at
Windmill Pointe Park 11:00 - 3:00

COME JOIN US

Pastor: Rev. Henry L. Reinwald

Historic Mariners' Church

A HOUSE OF PRAYER FOR ALL PEOPLE

Traditional Anglican Worship
Independent Since 1842

SUNDAY

8:30 a.m. - Holy Communion
10:15 a.m. - Adult Bible Study
11:00 a.m. - Holy Communion with
the Church's Professional Choir

Nursery
Sept.-June: Church Sunday School

THURSDAY
12:10 p.m. - Holy Communion

On Hart Plaza at the Tunnel • Free Secured Parking in Ford Garage
with entrance in the median strip of Jefferson at Woodward

The Rev. Richard W. Ingalls, Rector
The Rev. Richard W. Ingalls, Jr., Assistant Rector
Kenneth J. Sweetman, Organist and Choirmaster
(313)-259-2206 marinerschurchofdetroit.org

Jefferson Avenue Presbyterian Church

Seeking to serve Christ in the midst of the City

Sunday, October 12, 2003

9:00 a.m. Adult Bible Study

10:30 a.m. Worship Service

Louis J. Prues, preaching

Church School: Crib - 8th Grade

11:45 a.m. Sunday Forum

Mary Ellen White, Director of Heartline
A shelter with specialized programs for women

8625 E. Jefferson at Burns, Detroit
Visit our website: www.japc.org. 313-822-3456

WORSHIP SERVICES

Grosse Pointe Unitarian Church

"The Sacraments I: Ordination"

10:30 a.m. Worship

17150 MAUMEE 881-0420

Rev. John Corrado, Minister

Saint Ambrose Parish

Saturday Vigil Mass
at 4:00 p.m.
Sunday Masses
at 8:30 & 11:15 a.m.

St. Ambrose Roman Catholic Church
15020 Hampton, Grosse Pointe Park
One block north of Jefferson, at Maryland

ST. MICHAEL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

20475 Sunningdale Park
near Lochmoor Club
Grosse Pointe Woods

Sunday

8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist
10:15 a.m. Church School
10:30 a.m. Choral Eucharist
(Nursery Available)

884-4820

St. Paul Ev. Lutheran Church

375 Lothrop at Chalfonte
881-6670

9:00 & 11:15 a.m. Worship

10:10 a.m. Education for All
Nursery Available

Rev. Frederick Harms, Pastor
Rev. Morsel Collier, Assoc. Pastor

Grosse Pointe Baptist Church

Christ Centered and Caring - Committed to Youth and Community

Sunday Worship - 11:00 AM
Sunday School - 9:45 AM for Age 2 - Adult

Middle School Youth meet Wednesday at 6:30 p.m.
Senior High Youth meet Thursdays at 7:00 p.m.

21336 Mack Avenue Grosse Pointe Woods

Phone: (313) 881-3343 Web Page: www.gpbc.org

THE GROSSE POINTE MEMORIAL CHURCH

Established 1865 The Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)

We Welcome You In Worship, Service, Fellowship
REV. WILLIAM C. YEAGER, preaching
"Surprise! Surprise! Surprise!"

9:00 & 11:00 a.m. Worship Services

10:10 a.m. - Christian Education for Children, Youth & Adults

8:45 a.m. - 12:15 a.m. - Crib/Toddler Care

7:30 a.m. Ecumenical Men's Friday Breakfast

A STEPHEN MINISTRY and LOGOS Congregation
16 Lakeshore Drive, Grosse Pointe Farms • 882-5330
www.gpmchurch.com

GROSSE POINTE UNITED CHURCH

AFFILIATED WITH THE UCC AND ABC
240 CHALFONTE AT LOTHROP
884-3075

"Who Can Be Saved?"

10:00 A.M. FAMILY WORSHIP

(CRIB ROOM AVAILABLE)

10:00 A.M. CHURCH SCHOOL

Rev. E.A. Bray, Pastor
Rev. Scott Davis, Assoc. Pastor
www.gpunited.org

884-4820

Grosse Pointe Woods PRESBYTERIAN Church

19950 Mack (between Moross & Vernier)

8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. Sunday Worship

Nursery 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

E-mail: gpwchurch@aol.com • Web site: www.gpwpc.org

FIRST CHURCH

1444 Maryland Grosse Pointe Park

Rooted in Christ

Growing Faith

Sharing Love

A ministry of the Christian Reformed Church in North America

Sunday School 9:15 a.m.

Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.

Sunday Prayer and Praise 6 p.m.

"Gems" girls' club and "Cadets" boys' club

grades 2-8 7-8:30 p.m.

first and third Mondays of each month

824-3511

"We Live Our Faith"

886-4301

'Growing Wiser' workshops are for seniors

St. Peter the Apostle Church on Vernier in Harper Woods, is presenting "Growing Wiser" sessions for senior citizens. The senior program is a study in mental wellness for the older person.

It includes four different areas of mental fitness: awareness, communication, curiosity, and willingness to accept mental challenges.

Starting Tuesday, Oct. 21, the workshops, with facilitator Marcia Relyea, are scheduled from 10:45 a.m. to noon, for four consecutive weeks in the Parish House.

Studies show that adults who are 55 years of age or over are now in better physical health and are living longer. Many have also made sound financial choices for their retirement. But how many have thought about how to spend their leisure time, which can be

some 40 to 60 hours each week?

How enjoyably and productively can that time be spent? A couple of ways to remove the monotony of everyday living and to ensure that the world doesn't overlook your capabilities is to stay mentally active and maintain alertness.

You've heard the expression: "Use it or lose it."

This applies not only to physical exercise, but it is also an epithet for mental workouts as adults approach their golden years. Flexing the think tank is just as important as fitness classes or regular visits to the gym, and retaining mental stimulation through continuing education is the hallmark of an active, healthy life.

Reading books, attempting word games, solving puzzles, communicating with peers, socializing with family and friends, develop-

ing a hobby, learning computer basics, volunteering and keeping a daily log of activities and accomplishments are just a few ways to tweak the brain cells and stimulate a desire to continue to live a full and active life while enjoying a well-deserved retirement.

The "Growing Wiser" workshops, offered by St. Peter Church, are designed to aid seniors in the art of energizing the brain and avoiding memory loss associated with the aging process. Everyone loses some brain cells as years progress, but many functions of intelligence lose effectiveness if not activated. A healthy mind is best maintained through a balance of physical and mental nurturing.

Numerous studies point to the same conclusion: an enriched environment contributes to a longer, health-

ier life. One is never too old to learn; and learning should never cease. It is a well-known fact that a mind not challenged, for whatever reasons, starts to malfunction, experiences memory loss, and often shows signs of dementia.

The lessons learned in the "Grow Wiser" workshops challenge mental compe-

tence and are significantly rewarding, not only for therapeutic satisfaction, but also as guidelines for continuing social and intellectual communication.

Relyea has been conducting mental stimulation programs for seniors for more than three years. She holds a bachelor's degree in gerontology and a master's degree

from Wayne State University. She has been a teacher for 35 years. Her fields of expertise as an adult educator include stress, anger management and self-improvement.

For more information about the "Grow Wiser" workshops, call Marion McCarthy at (313) 343-0771.

Elderly drivers may be blindsided by eye disease

As the first wave of the Baby Boom generation washes up against the reality of being senior citizens, the debate continues about limiting the driving privileges of older Americans, although elderly drivers tend to be more cautious and observant of rules of the road.

Age — specifically aging eyes — can play a factor in driving ability, said Dr. Reza Haque, spokesman for Novartis Ophthalmics North America.

"Senior citizens are affected by some eye diseases that steal sight so gradually that people literally do not realize they have 'black holes' in their field of vision."

Studies have shown that after a certain age, a person's driving abilities can become diminished.

"We are already seeing the demographic effects of aging Baby Boomers, who could also be called the 'car generation,'" Haque said. "According to the National

Highway Traffic Safety Administration, the number of drivers over age 70 increased 39 percent from 1990 to 2000."

Although some states require elderly drivers to take eye exams before renewing their licenses, not all do.

"However," says Haque, "comprehensive eye exams are the only way to detect the initial stages of serious eye diseases like glaucoma and age-related macular degeneration."

"AMD and glaucoma do not necessarily manifest themselves by any signs or symptoms," Haque said. "They gradually steal our vision until it is too late to salvage it. These diseases affect older people who might not be aware they are at risk. These people literally do not realize they are going blind, but both of these diseases, if caught early, can be treated and managed."

AMD, the number one

cause of blindness in people over the age of 50, is a disease of the retina. Because it usually starts in one eye, the other eye compensates for the loss of vision. "A driver can have central vision loss and not realize it," Haque said. "Central vision is the vision responsible for our everyday needs like driving a car, recognizing faces, reading and watching television."

There are two forms of AMD, the wet form and the dry form. The wet form is the most devastating because loss of vision can occur very rapidly, even within months.

Glaucoma is caused by increased pressure in the eye, which eventually can cause blindness if it is not treated. Unlike AMD, glaucoma affects the peripheral vision or side vision in its beginning stages. According to the Glaucoma Research Foundation, glaucoma is six to eight times more common in African-Americans than in Caucasians.

"Both AMD and glaucoma must be managed in order to preserve as much vision as possible," Haque said. "That is why it is imperative for seniors to have regular eye exams. A doctor going to be operating a vehicle."

Can we iron out wrinkles?

By Tresa Erickson

Reducing the appearance of wrinkles is not easy. Still thousands of women across the country spend hundreds of dollars every year attempting to do just that.

Wrinkles are a natural part of the aging process. As the body matures, the three layers of skin begin to break down. The inner subcutaneous layer begins to lose fat, while the middle dermis layer loses elastin and collagen, the tissues that allow the skin to retain moisture and stretch. As these two layers break down, the outer epidermis layer becomes thin and dry and starts to sag. Little wrinkles begin to form around the eyes and mouth and eventually spread across the face and throughout the body.

Some women develop wrinkles in their 20s, while others don't begin to see them until their 60s. Contributing factors include sun exposure and smoking. The more sun a woman gets, the more wrinkles she is likely to have as sunlight helps break down elastin and collagen. Women who smoke are even more susceptible to wrinkles as smoking contributes to the breakdown of elastin and collagen and robs the skin of its natural moisture.

There are many products on the market to help women soften their wrinkles. Some of these work better than others. According to the American Academy of Dermatology, many over-the-counter wrinkle creams and lotions soothe dry skin but do little

to reduce the appearance of wrinkles.

One cream that may work, however, is tretinoin. Available by prescription only, tretinoin has proven to reduce the appearance of fine wrinkles and mottled dark spots and smooth out rough patches. Retinol, another prescription cream, may also provide some of the same benefits.

Laser resurfacing is another option to reduce the appearance of wrinkles. During this procedure, a laser is used to gently remove the outer layer of skin on a patient's face. As the new skin below is revealed, fine lines are smoothed out, wrinkles softened and small scars eliminated. The patient's face is softer, smoother and more youthful looking.

Chemical peels are sometimes used to reduce wrinkles. Like laser resurfacing, chemical peels remove the outer layer of skin on the face, revealing a less wrinkled layer below. Instead of lasers, however, exfoliates, ranging from gentle compounds to caustic chemicals, are used to peel away the outer layer.

Alpha hydroxy acids may also be used to soften wrinkles. During this process, the acids are used to remove dead skin cells and increase collagen production, making cells look fuller and smoothing out lines and wrinkles. Although the process works, there is some concern about its adverse effects. Many people who undergo the procedure experience a greater sensitivity to sun.

Botox injection and collagen injection are other options for reducing the appearance of wrinkles. Injected into the wrinkled areas around the forehead and eyes, botox temporarily paralyzes the underlying muscles and smooths out the wrinkles. The procedure usually takes about 30 minutes and must be repeated every four to six months. Taken from calf skin, collagen may also be injected into the skin to fill out wrinkles. As with botox, the results are not permanent and may need to be repeated periodically. Some people are allergic to collagen; so patients must take an allergy test prior to the injections.

Women who are overly concerned with wrinkles Facelifts are common, and combined with laser resurfacing, often leave patients looking and feeling years younger. Recovery, however, may take up to two weeks and can be painful.

None of these procedures will eliminate wrinkles altogether, and many are quite expensive. One of the best and most inexpensive ways to keep wrinkles to a minimum is to take good care of your skin. Stay out of the sun and away from the tanning salon. The ultraviolet rays from a tanning bed are as damaging to the skin as the sun. If you smoke, quit — or you may see wrinkles a lot sooner than you would like. Finally, treat your skin with respect. Wash it gently; moisturize it frequently, and drink lots of water to keep it hydrated.

SOC plans tea at the Townsend

Services for Older Citizens offers trips on and returns to the Thursdays for senior citizens. On Thursday, Oct. 16, take seniors for tea at the Townsend Hotel in Birmingham.

The bus departs at 1 p.m. and returns to the Neighborhood Club at 4:45 p.m. The cost is \$35 for residents; \$35 for nonresidents. Call (313) 882-9600.

Newcomers Club

The Grosse Pointe Newcomers Club will hold its annual feather bowling tournament from 5:45 to 11 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 18, at the Cadieux Cafe. Mark and Ryan Bowers are chairmen of the event.

Membership in the club is open to any couple in the Grosse Pointe area.

The club's mission is to organize a range of social activities to offer members a chance to make new friendships. For more information, call Stacy and Keith Spondike, membership chairmen, at (313) 640-1794.

Grand Marais Questers

The Grand Marais chapter of Grosse Pointe Questers will meet on Friday, Oct. 10. The topic will be the history and structure of the Scottish clan system. Hostess will be Rachel Kurtz.

Grand Marais Questers will also hold a Heritage

Fund book sale to raise money for projects supporting Detroit's historical and community enrichment projects.

Members should respond to membership chairman Jean Doelle.

Dante Alighieri Society

The Dante Alighieri Society and the Scarab Club will present a program on the Renaissance at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 15, at the Scarab Club, 217 Farnsworth in Detroit.

Michael Farrell, curator for the Detroit Historical Society, director of Art House in Detroit, and University of Windsor professor, will give a lecture, "Florence: The City as a Work of Art."

A reception will follow the lecture. The cost is \$15. For directions, call (313) 831-1250; for reservations, call (313) 884-2125.

AAUW

The Grosse Pointe branch of the American Association

of University Women will meet from 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 14, at the Grosse Pointe Woods Community Center for an evening of "Celebrating Women's Health: A Discussion of Natural Hormone Treatment."

The speaker will be Dr. Pamela Flemming, author and member of the Grosse Pointe branch.

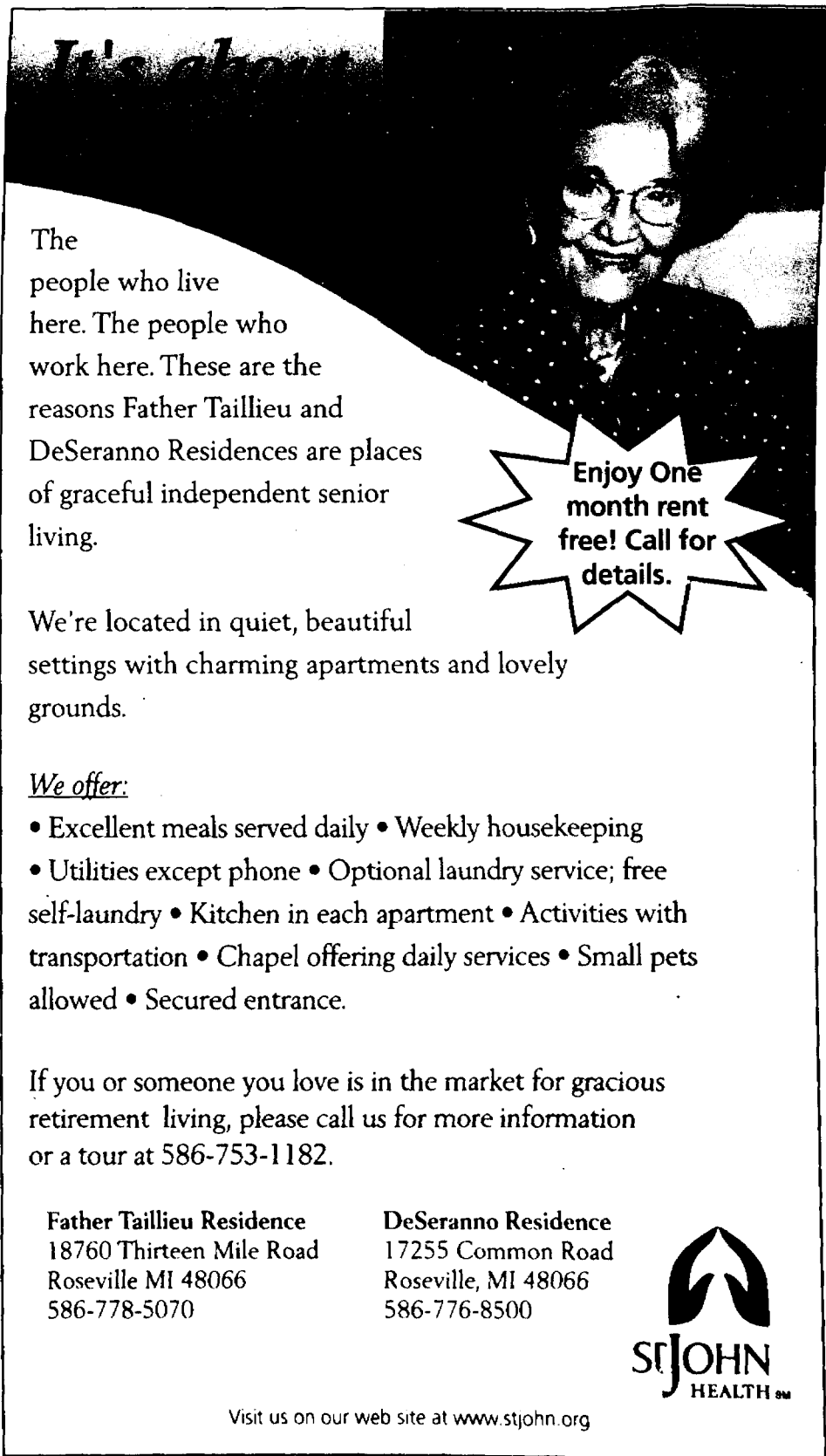
The Community Center is located at 20025 Mack, next to the Grosse Pointe Woods City Hall.

The lecture is free, but reservations are required because of limited space. Call Melissa Ryan at (586) 778-2297.

Grosse Pointe Questers

Grosse Pointe Questers No. 147 will meet at 10 a.m. Friday, Oct. 10, at the home of Carol Stephenson.

Carol Schrashun will present a program on flow blue china. Co-hostesses are Violet Champagne and Lois Martin.



It's about

The people who live here. The people who work here. These are the reasons Father Taillieu and DeSeranno Residences are places of graceful independent senior living.

Enjoy One month rent free! Call for details.

We're located in quiet, beautiful settings with charming apartments and lovely grounds.

We offer:

- Excellent meals served daily • Weekly housekeeping
- Utilities except phone • Optional laundry service; free self-laundry • Kitchen in each apartment • Activities with transportation • Chapel offering daily services • Small pets allowed • Secured entrance.

If you or someone you love is in the market for gracious retirement living, please call us for more information or a tour at 586-753-1182.

Father Taillieu Residence 18760 Thirteen Mile Road Roseville MI 48066 586-778-5070	DeSeranno Residence 17255 Common Road Roseville, MI 48066 586-776-8500
--	--

Visit us on our web site at www.stjohn.org

STJOHN HEALTH

Drinking may fuel loneliness in older adults

According to folk wisdom, addiction is a folly of youth. If you reach retirement age clean and sober, you'll stay that way. Yet mounting evidence supports another view — that abuse and addiction are lifelong threats to health.

A research review from the National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (NIAAA) notes that up to 11 percent of older adults admitted to hospitals show symptoms of alcoholism. So do 14 percent of older people in emergency rooms and 20 percent of elderly adults in psychiatric wards. Some studies define 49 percent of people in nursing homes as problem drinkers.

Carol Collieran, director of Older Adult Services for Hanley-Hazelden Center in West Palm Beach, Fla., does not find such figures surprising. Collieran, with co-author Debra Jay of Grosse Pointe Farms, wrote "Aging & Addiction: Helping Older Adults Overcome Alcohol or Medication Dependence." (Hazelden, 2002, \$15).

"In retirement communities, the social life can center on drinking," Collieran says. "It may start with a happy hour, followed by an evening of drinking at home and a nightcap before bed." In conditions like these, people can develop life-threatening habits.

Aging affects sensitivity to alcohol. Changes in metabolism mean that two or three beers for a 65-year-old adult can have the same effect as 10 beers for a 20-year-old.

Also, nearly four in five people over age 65 take at least one prescription drug. Drinking can increase the effects of drugs, leading to dangerous — even fatal — alcohol-drug interactions. The mood-altering effects of certain prescription drugs and addiction among people over 65.

Diagnosing alcohol and

other drug abuse in older adults is tricky. Even doctors can find it hard to face a person who looks like a cherished grandparent and say: "You've got a drinking problem." But you can build your case by documenting your loved one's behavior. Notice how often an older adult:

- Prefers attending events where drinking is accepted, such as parties.
- Prefers to drink alone.
- Makes a ritual of having drinks with dinner and becomes annoyed when this ritual is disturbed.
- Loses interest in activities and hobbies that used to bring pleasure.
- Drinks in spite of warning labels on prescription drugs.
- Has bottles of tranquilizers on hand and takes them at the slightest sign of disturbance.
- Is often intoxicated or slightly tipsy along with slurred speech.
- Disposes of large volumes of empty beer and liquor bottles and seems secretive about it.
- Often uses mouthwash to disguise the odor of liquor.
- Neglects personal appearance and gains or loses weight.
- Complains of constant sleeplessness, loss of appetite, or chronic health problems that seem to have no physical cause.
- Seems more depressed or hostile than usual.

Even if you spot plenty of warning signs, you may be tempted to say, "Drinking is the only pleasure mom has left. Why deprive her?"

That's an understandable reaction. "Today's older adults often describe their lives as being all about loss," Collieran said. "This means loss of a sense of purpose, loss of feeling needed, loss of friends, and loss of social functioning." Drinking and drug use can seem like a way to soften the blows.

However, misuse of alcohol and prescription drugs may worsen conditions associated with aging — heart and liver disease, arthritis, diabetes, glaucoma, cataracts, hearing loss, and Alzheimer's disease. In addition, drinking and drugging can trigger shame and secrecy and can exacerbate loneliness and depression. This is a portrait of misery rather than harmless pleasure.

By responding to an older person's abuse or addiction, you can help turn a loved one's later years into the best of a lifetime.

To request a free copy of a

pamphlet called "How to Talk to an Older Person Who Has a Problem with Alcohol or Medications," send an e-mail to info@hazelden.org or call (800) 257-7800. Also visit Hazelden on the Web at www.hazelden.org.

This health column offers information needed to help prevent substance abuse problems and address such problems. It is provided by Hazelden, a nonprofit agency based in Center City, Minn.

For more resources, call Hazelden at (800) 257-7800 or check www.hazelden.org.

Anniversaries

Farquhars

James and Doreen Farquhar will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on Oct. 10.

James G. Farquhar and Doreen Schroeder, both graduates of Grosse Pointe High School, met on a blind date at a backyard barbecue in Grosse Pointe. They were married at Grosse Pointe Memorial Church on Oct. 10, 1953.

James and his father owned and operated Grosse Pointe Florists Inc., which was established by his father in 1940. James G. is retired and the florist shop is now run by his son, James C.

The Farquhars have three children, Linda Kahn and her husband, Mike, who live in New Fairfield, Conn.; James C. Farquhar and his wife, Elaine, who live in Grosse Pointe Farms; and

Gordon, who lives with his wife, Leslie, in Asheville, N.C. The Farquhars also have six grandchildren.

They will celebrate their anniversary at a dinner party at the Grosse Pointe Yacht Club with family and close friends.



James and Doreen Farquhar

Wellness workshop offered

The Van Elslander Cancer Center support staff and Healing Arts Center invite cancer patients and their families to experience the

special services available at the VECC. A free Wellness Workshop, including lunch, will be held from 8:30 a.m. to noon, Thursday, Oct. 23.

The VECC is in Grosse Pointe Woods behind St. John Hospital at 19229 Mack and Moross, east of I-94. Seating is limited and preregistration is required. Call (313) 647-3000 or toll free (866) 246-4673.

It works when you work it

By Jeff and Debra Jay
Special Writers

Dear Jeff and Debra:

I have a friend who went through treatment for alcohol and cocaine problems. He was in treatment for seven days and was drinking again two weeks after he got out. My question is this: Does treatment work, and should we be wasting money on it if it doesn't?

— Just Wondering

Dear Wondering:

People often ask us what the success rate of treatment centers is and what percentage of the patients stay sober. We reply that statistics don't give you the answer to this question because success in recovery is about following the directions. The people who do what they are supposed to do have a high rate of success, and those who don't almost always start drinking or drugging again. In other words, it works when you work it.

Addiction isn't the only disease for which patients don't follow directions. All areas of medical care struggle with noncompliant patients. Less than 50 percent of insulin dependent diabetics comply with their medication regimen resulting in 30 to 50 percent needing retreatment within 12 months.

Those taking medications for hypertension comply only 30 percent of the time, leading to 50-60 percent needing treatment again within 12 months. Adults with asthma show less than 30 percent compliance, leading to 60-80 percent needing treatment again within 12 months. With alcoholics who have gone through treatment, only 40 percent comply with the directions, and 10-30 percent are treated again within 12 months.

So, you can see that among chronic, progressive diseases, successful treatment of alcoholism is not out of line with the norm. Let's look at a few other facts:

- Public cost of untreated addiction to alcohol and other drugs is \$274.8 billion a year,
- Lost earnings equal \$196.9 billion annually
- Unnecessary health care totals \$34.4 billion a year,
- Costs related to new prisons and accidents come to \$45.2 billion annually
- For every \$1 spent on treatment, \$7 is saved in medical and social costs.

Another problem your question presents is the length of time insurance companies pay for alcohol and other drug treatment. Your friend's stay was only seven days. Our guess is that his insurance company wouldn't pay beyond a week's stay, and the family couldn't or wouldn't pay for additional days. To be successful, many people need more time in treatment or more than one treatment. Recovery from addiction isn't easy, and too little treatment can be a set-up for failure.

If money is a block to accessing sufficient time in treatment, go to our Web site for information on low cost treatment options: www.lovefirst.net.

Jeff Jay and Debra Jay are the authors of "Love First: A New Approach to Intervention for Alcoholism and Drug Addiction." Debra Jay is the co-author of "Aging and Addiction." Both books are published by Hazelden and are available at Borders and Barnes & Noble. See Jeff and Debra's Web site on intervention at www.lovefirst.net. They may be contacted at (313) 882-6921 or jeffjay@lovefirst.net.

Assisted Living Respite Care

is available to benefit you and your loved one

- Licensed nursing care
- Certified nursing assistants - 24 hour care
- Spiritual care and activities available
- Private rooms with DirecTV

ST. JOHN SENIOR COMMUNITY

313-343-8265

Depression Screening

A free movie about depression, a talk by a psychiatrist and a question-and-answer period are offered at 5 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 9, at St. John Hospital's Education building, 22101 Moross at Mack.

Participants will also be given self-guided questionnaires to answer privately. Mental health staff members will review the questionnaires. Opportunities to talk with them or receive referrals will continue until 7 p.m.

Depression symptoms may include feeling sad, empty, fatigued, having trouble concentrating or feeling restless or irritable, as well as sleeping too much or not being able to sleep, or thinking about death or suicide.

No registration is necessary. For more information call (888) 757-5463.

Have You Heard?

Ginette Lezotte, Au.D., CCC-A
Doctor of Audiology

GROSSE POINTE AUDIOLOGY

Reader's Question: Why are hearing aids so expensive?

The cost of a basic hearing aid has not changed in more than 7 years. The increased cost of hearing aids is based on new digital processing technology. The first digital processing hearing aid to be developed cost over 34 million dollars and took over 7 years to create. Because there are less than 1.2 million hearing aids sold in the U.S. to 20% of people with hearing loss, the high cost of research and development cannot be amortized over millions of units, making the cost per unit higher.

Hearing aids are a medical product and strictly regulated by the FDA. Hearing aids are not one-size-fits-all products, but must be custom made and custom fit by professional audiologists. In our office, there is

a 60 day trial period before purchasing hearing aids and most digital products have up to a 3 year warranty. I know of no other medical product or consumer product that offers this protection.

Manufacturers continue to develop new technology to improve the listening experience for the client, to decrease size to appeal to aesthetic aspect and to improve quality so the product withstands heat, moisture and abuse from the user.

If you have further questions, please contact Dr. Ginette Lezotte and custom fit by professional audiologists. In our office, there is

Dr. Lezotte

Know Your Skin

by Lisa A. Manz-Dulac, MD



Confluent and Reticulated Papillomatosis (CRP) is an uncommon skin condition which appears on the chest and neck, most frequently in blacks and females. Similar to other skin diseases at its early stages, CRP can be difficult to diagnose.

Left untreated, CRP progresses from a rash on the chest, expanding onto the neck and possibly the whole torso, with bumps enlarging until they appear in a net-like, or reticulated pattern.

At onset, CRP can be confused with

rashes or with fungal diseases such as tinea versicolor which are best treated with steroids or anti-fungal medications. In fact, CRP is best treated with the antibiotic minocycline, an interesting choice of treatments seeing as CRP is not a bacterial infection.

To learn more about CRP, contact your dermatologist or call us at Eastside Dermatology, Dr. Lisa A. Manz-Dulac and Associates with offices in Grosse Pointe and New Baltimore. You can reach them at (313) 884-3380.

ADVERTISEMENT

Lupus: What is it? Who gets it? What can be done?

By Ronda Addy

Lupus is an autoimmune disease, a disease that occurs when the immune system becomes overactive and attacks healthy body tissue.

Approximately 85 percent of those diagnosed with lupus are women. One in every 600 white women, 450 Hispanic women and 200 African-American women are affected. The disease shows up between the ages of 15 and 44 and becomes active after exposure to sunlight, infections or certain kinds of medication.

There is no cure, but if caught early enough, most people can live healthy, active lives.

There are several kinds of lupus:

- Systemic lupus erythematosus can harm the

joints, lungs, kidneys, skin, brain and heart. It is the most serious kind of lupus.

- Discoid lupus mainly affects the skin.

• Drug-induced lupus is a rare reaction to certain prescription medications. The symptoms usually go away when the medication is stopped.

• Neonatal lupus is very rare but can affect newborn babies of women with SLE or certain other immune system disorders.

Because the symptoms of lupus resemble those of other diseases, it is difficult to diagnose. Here are some common signs and symptoms:

- Extreme fatigue
- Painful or swollen joints
- Unexplained fevers
- A butterfly rash across the nose and cheeks

- Skin rashes on other parts of the body

- Chest pain or pleurisy
- Unusual loss of hair
- Pale or purple fingers

- Sensitivity to the sun

- Low red blood cell count
- Seizures
- Mouth or nose ulcers

Most of the time, these symptoms appear together. Other symptoms include headaches, depression or dizziness. New and different symptoms may occur at any time.

The cause of lupus is unknown. Many contribute it to a combination of factors: the environment, genetics and possibly hormones. The cause can vary from person to person and may just be the result of several inherited genes that make someone more likely

to get lupus than another.

With improved research and awareness, lupus can now be diagnosed faster than before. Although there is not a single test for lupus, the most common one is an antinuclear antibody test (ANA). Most people with lupus test positive for ANA; however, there are other causes for a positive ANA.

Other possible tests for lupus look for individual antibodies, but these are not conclusive, as not everyone with lupus tests positive, and not everyone with these antibodies has lupus.

Once the disease has been diagnosed, there are tests that can monitor its progress. A complete blood count, a urinalysis, blood chemistries and an erythrocyte sedimentation rate (ESR) test are the most com-

mon ones. Another common test measures the blood level of a group of substances called complement. During certain stages of the disease, people with lupus have increased ESRs and low complement levels.

After you have been diagnosed with lupus, your doctor will devise a treatment plan based on your age, health, symptoms and lifestyle.

Because there is no cure for lupus, the plan will prevent flare-ups, treat the flare-ups when they do occur and reduce any complications that might arise. Possible treatments may include:

- Creams to treat rashes
- Aspirin or another painkiller to treat fevers and swollen, painful joints

• Stronger medicine for any more serious problems that might arise

• Prompt treatment of any infections

• Physical and emotional rest

• Protection from direct sun

• A healthful diet and exercise

• Elimination of known allergens and anything else that can aggravate the condition

Knowing the symptoms to look for and consulting a doctor for treatment right away are excellent ways to start dealing with lupus. Staying healthy, exercising, setting priorities, learning to reduce stress and having a good support system can also help you deal with the fact that you have a chronic disorder.

Family for sale?

By Debbie Farmer
Special Writer

By now you've probably heard about the man who put his family up for sale on eBay for \$5 million. If you're like me, I bet this brought up all sorts of disturbing questions, questions that are still haunting me almost a year later.

Like, for instance, "What kind of horrible, unfeeling father would do this?"

And, "Is this what our money-hungry capitalistic society has driven us to?"

And, most importantly, "Hey, why didn't I think of that?"

Now, to be fair here, the man wasn't going to just ship his family off to the highest bidder. No-sirree. Instead, he offered the winner "a lifetime of platonic companionship with invitations to family outings and holiday gatherings." More of a patronage thing, really.

Call me crazy, but something about this just seems wrong. Perhaps it's the obvious disturbing social implications. Or maybe it's that I've always thought of eBay as more of a place to buy, say, used china and inexpensive designer shoes. But I think the real reason it seems wrong is that I can't imagine anyone paying that much to be part of a family.

Take, for example, our last outing to the local Waterslide Park for some fun and (ha! ha!) relaxation. After we stood in line for 20 minutes and paid the \$25 a person entrance fee, our day went something like this:

My 11-year-old daughter:

ter: Oh. My. Gad. I'm not getting in that water.

Son: I'm bored.

Daughter: There are other PEOPLE in there.

Son: I'm really bored.

Daughter: Plus, it's cold.

I'll FREEZE to death.

Son: I'm really, really bored.

Daughter: I'll die in there. I'll. Just. Die.

Etc.

However, the idea of selling off your family does open up all sorts of intriguing fantasies. Like, for instance, could you sell part of the family? Or could you toss in a surly relative along with your old pair of snow skis? Or, perhaps, a pesky neighbor?

The list of potentials goes on and on. It may seem a bit silly, but, as the old saying goes, you can sell just about anything with the right angle. Take a look at the ad description:

For Sale: Start Off The Brand New Year With A Brand New Family

One attractive and stylish family of four (mother, father, daughter, son). Father is a slightly balding, but youthful award-winning television writer, inspirational author, children's novelist and film director. Mother is a gorgeous, multi-lingual homemaker with a penchant for crafting and cookery. The 7- and 9-year-old children

are lovely and precocious, engaged in gifted school programs.

A steal with a \$5 million opening bid.

Who can resist that? It's a far cry from ours, which would go something like:

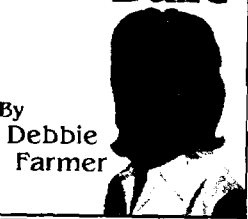
For sale: The Farmer Family. One athletic 8-year-old boy who's a good soccer player, but won't eat anything green or wear shoes with laces. One versatile preteen girl with a flair for drama and an expert at the exasperated sigh and eye roll. Father is a handy computer programmer who's able to set the VCR in less than 3 minutes. Mother is a petite something writer with a penchant for shoe shopping and drinking lots of coffee. Will throw in five cats, 12 sea monkeys and a Malibu Barbie.

Not that I would try this, mind you.

And what about the family for sale? Well, after all of the publicity, eBay declared the whole thing illegal and made them retract their offer.

There's a message in here, somewhere. Maybe it's that not all things in this world are for sale. Or maybe it's that you can't put a price on love. Or maybe, just maybe, it's

Family Daze



By Debbie Farmer

that parents shouldn't go around trying to sell their family on eBay.

Whatever the lesson, I can't worry about it now. I've got to upload a picture of my mother-in-law before my husband comes home. Don't get me wrong, she's very nice, can bake cakes from scratch, and can work a sewing machine. Bidding starts at \$2 million.

Debbie Farmer is a humorist and a mom in California. You can find her at www.familydaze.com, or by writing Oasis Newsfeatures, P.O. Box 2144, Middletown, OH 45042.

American Laser

HAIR REMOVAL & SKIN REJUVENATION

Remove unwanted hair!

Prices starting at...

Upper Lip.....\$99.95

Bikini Line.....\$159.95

Underarms.....\$179.95

Lower Legs.....\$259.95

Back.....\$349.95

131 Kercheval-on-the Hill • Suite 150
Grosse Pointe Farms
Toll-Free (888) 704-9494
(313) 885-4505

Guaranteed Results in Writing
Free Consultation

- FDA Approved • All Skin Types
- All Hair Colors • Board Certified Physicians
- Interest Free Financing

B. GILMORE, M.D. & L. LACIVITA, M.D.

Try it for facial - Diminish fine lines, wrinkles, acne scars, stretch marks and brown spots

Elect Lisa Pinkos Listening HOWLE to YOU!



to
Grosse Pointe
Woods
City Council

- Lifetime GPW resident
- Married 18 years & mother of 2 Parcells students
- Industrial business owner
- Lawyer and teacher

Preserving YOUR Investment
in Grosse Pointe Woods by

- Revitalizing Mack Avenue for all residents
- Maintaining a safe and secure community
- Spending your tax dollars wisely with your concerns in mind

Educational Background

- BA - University of Michigan
- MA - Oakland University
- Juris Doctorate - University of Detroit Law

Paid for by the Committee to Elect Lisa Pinkos Howle, 1230 Sunningdale, Grosse Pointe Woods

Folk historian to perform on Oct. 15

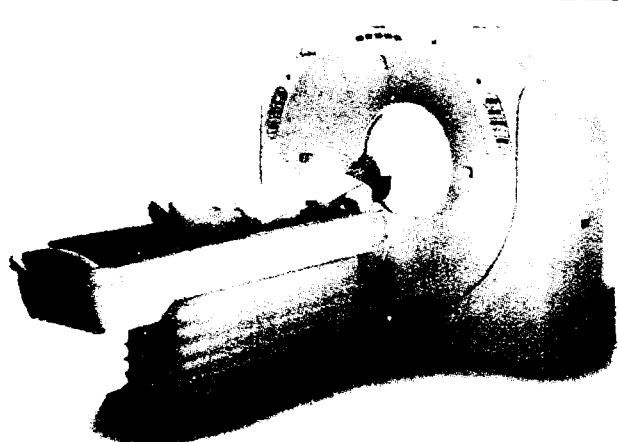
The Grosse Pointe Historical Society will present a program by Neil Woodward, also known as Michigan's troubadour.

The singer and folk historian will play the guitar (also the harmonica, mandolin, fiddle, banjo, auto-harp, dulcimer, pennywhistle, ukulele and more) and sing about lumber camps, Great Lakes schooners, railroads, early farms and more beginning at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 15, at University Liggett School's Cook Road campus.

The program is part of the Historical Society's Dr. Frank Bicknell Educational Series.

The program is free and reservations may be made at the historical society's resource center, 381 Kercheval on Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and 1:30 to 4 p.m. Or call (313) 884-7010.

Deadline for Features
is 3 p.m. Fridays



A FULL-BODY SCAN is a painless procedure that takes about 10 minutes to complete. Exams listed below are included in your full body scan:

- **Coronary Artery Calcium Score**
- Looks for coronary artery disease, a precursor to heart attack.
- **Lung Screening**
- Shows small nodules, potentially the earliest sign of lung cancer.
- **Spine and Bone Density Screening**
- Reveals spine/disc degeneration and osteoporosis (bone loss).
- **Neck Evaluation**
- Includes the thyroid gland, salivary glands, airway and carotid arteries for evaluation of stroke-risk factors.
- **Abdomen/Pelvis Exam**
- Finds abnormalities with your liver, gallbladder, pancreas and kidneys.

- FULL BODY SCAN \$595.....regularly \$695
- VIRTUAL COLONOSCOPY \$595.....regularly \$695



HealthCheck
IMAGING SERVICES

Colonoscopy Saves Lives

Screening for colon cancer saves lives. Fewer than 50% of people, who should be getting screened, are getting these tests.

It is thought that 90% of all colorectal cancer cases and deaths could be prevented if people would get screened. But for many people, conventional colonoscopy is simply too uncomfortable to tolerate.

Virtual Colonoscopy is a safe and accurate alternative to conventional colonoscopy.

VIRTUAL COLONOSCOPY, also known as Colon Scan, is a noninvasive examination of your colon for polyps, cancer or other abnormalities without the discomfort of a scope. After the CT scan is performed, images of your colon are reconstructed by a powerful computer, which allows them to be viewed three-dimensionally. Moreover, this allows the radiologist to "fly" through the colon, creating a "VIRTUAL COLONOSCOPY".



~ A Call To Action ~

The American Cancer Society reports that survival rates could be increased to more than 95% for nine types of cancer if all Americans participated in timely and appropriate screenings.

For More Information or to Schedule an Appointment Call

586-778-7350 or Fax - 586-778-8807

20905 Twelve Mile Road, Ste 200, Roseville • www.healthcheckimaging.com

2003 HOLIDAY MART

Grosse Pointe War Memorial • 32 Lake Shore Dr. • Grosse Pointe Farms

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 17th, 9:30 am - 5:00 pm

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18th, 9:30 am - 5:00 pm

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 19th, NOON - 5:00 pm

SPECIALTY SHOPPING AT ITS FINEST
25 PREMIER MERCHANTS FROM ACROSS THE COUNTRY

HOME DECORATIVE

Bavarian Workshop
The Monogram Place
Country Tinworks
Fabulous Pewterware
Green Apple Blue Stem Gallery
L'esprit

MENS

Lee Allison Co.
Just Cuff Links!
Trooping the Colour

JEWELRY

Elsa's Embellishments
Leah Nestel
Primavera

LADIES

Brushstrokes
Doodle Bags
Regalia
Shannanigans

CHILDREN'S

charlie b
Kidstuf, Ltd.
The Magic Wardrobe
Sweetie Pies

FOOD

Cherry Republic

GIFTS

Canio
Enterprising Kitchen
Mary Frances B. Phillippi
Windy City Weather Co.

JOIN US FOR THE PREVIEW PARTY

Thursday, October 16 • 5:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

HORS D'OEUVRES AND COCKTAILS SERVED BY:

- The Hill Seafood and Chophouse • Meaghan's
 - Just Delicious • Sierra Station • Tom's Oyster Bar
- \$60.00 per person in advance or \$70.00 at the door
• For tickets call (313) 884-7624 • FREE Valet Parking

COMPLIMENTARY GIFT WRAPPING ALL DAY SUNDAY!

Admission is \$5.00 Per Person
FREE PARKING **STROLLERS WELCOME**

For more information please call (586) 294-0637

www.holidaymart.org

ALL PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT PLANNED PARENTHOOD OF SOUTHEAST MICHIGAN'S
COMMUNITY EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS, WHICH INCLUDE WORKSHOPS ON AIDS, CHILD
DEVELOPMENT, PARENTING AND PREVENTION OF CHILD SEXUAL ABUSE.

Järvi, friends tell all in maestro's new biography

The timing could not be better. With the long-awaited grand opening of the Max M. Fisher Music Center at Orchestra Hall now taking place and two more seasons to enjoy with Neeme Järvi as music director of the Detroit Symphony Orchestra, the publication of his biography is a culminating touch to this great period in DSO history.

The book is out this week and it brings insights and revelations that can greatly enhance our appreciation of the unique leadership that Järvi has provided since 1990.

The book's title is "Encore! Neeme Järvi." And what a fascinating and revealing biography it is. Estonian journalist Urmass Ott has brought together an all-encompassing spectrum of the maestro's life, career and leadership of the DSO that brings the scope of his achievements into a richly revealing perspective.

It is probably reflective of Ott's experience as a TV journalist that he chose to do the book in interview format. The result is highly effective.

Ott himself conducted a long, wide-ranging discussion with his subject that provides the backbone of the story. But he does not rely on his own questions alone. Inserted at intervals in the text are short but very revealing interviews with key people on Järvi's involvement with our community and the DSO. They provide commentary on Järvi, especially in terms of his impact on the DSO, its quality and audience response.

The revelations begin with a foreword by Peter Cummings, chairman of the DSO Board. In a lively and personal account he describes the unusual personality he quickly got to know, beginning with the discovery of their shared passion for music. He also reveals how his late-in-life conversion to classical music occurred and provided a basis for his rapport with the maestro. He whets the appetite for reading further.

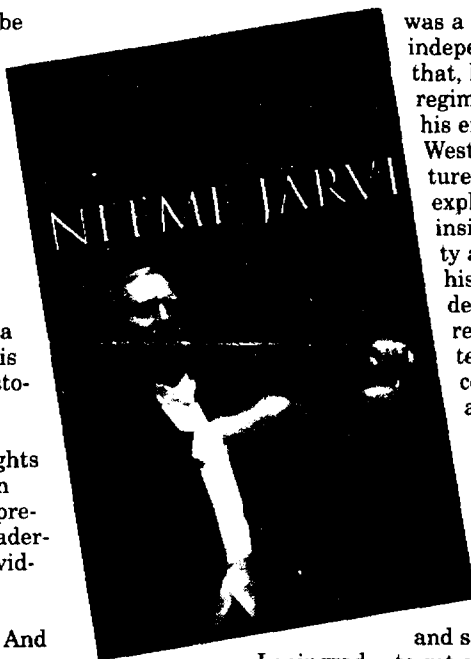
There is a lot more to discover. Other interviews are with Charles Greenwell, DSO conducting assistant; Concertmaster Emmanuelle Boisvert; DSO President and Executive Director Emil Kang; bassoonist and Orchestra Hall savior Paul Ganson; son Paavo Järvi; DSO librarian Elkhonen Yoffe; board member Dr. Clyde Wu; Chicago Symphony president Henry Fogel, and yours truly, the author of this column, who has reported on most of Järvi's concerts. Holding it all together is Ott's wide-ranging exploration.

As a life story, the interview begins in the middle with Järvi's studies at the Leningrad Conservatory. He had applied there as a student of conducting against considerable odds under the Soviet system. It favored native Russians and students from other communist countries. Järvi, from Estonia, a small Soviet republic, was low priority. To his surprise and relief, he was admitted and his reflections on how and why it happened are poignant.

Actually, he had little choice. The conducting program in Tallinn, Estonia, had been discontinued. The conservatory in Moscow was inaccessible for many reasons, and of course, he would never have been permitted to travel outside the Soviet Union.

But Järvi feels he has been lucky in life and makes the point repeatedly in his storytelling. He certainly has had a knack for making the most of his opportunities.

As he sees it, he found exactly the training and influences he needed in



Leningrad.

They are revealing in terms of the diverse experiences and the commitment needed to become a conductor.

It was in Leningrad, too, that he met Liilia, his wife-to-be. She is now the mother of their two sons who are pursuing outstanding careers as conductors themselves, and a daughter who is an excellent flutist. It is quickly clear that Liilia's role has become integral and indispensable to Neeme Järvi's life and career.

The story unfolds as a romantic adventure. Even as a minority student in a highly politicized system, circumstances seemed to work in his favor. A thaw in the Cold War allowed great conductors and orchestras to come from such cities as New York, Philadelphia and Boston, so that the young Järvi could hear them and meet their conductors. His Russian teachers responded to his talent and enthusiasm and gave him some amazing opportunities to practice conducting.

Flashing back to his youth in Tallinn, the interview reveals how music dominated his earliest years, that his first instrument was the xylophone, and how much he learned from his older brother who was already a successful conductor in Estonia.

It looks even further back to his earliest memories in 1937 to 1940, when Estonia

was a small but free and independent nation. After that, life under the Soviet regime and the process of his emigration to the West is another adventure. It all helps explain his lifelong insistence on his identity as an Estonian and his efforts to win well-deserved international recognition for contemporary Estonian composers like Tubin and Part.

His recollections of survival under the Soviet regime reveal amazing resilience, while providing a very moving impression of the hardships and serious risks of trying to get ahead in that hostile political environment. It was a time, he recalls, when Shostakovich and Prokofiev were persecuted.

Through it all shines a commitment to making great music that drove him to snatch a brief opportunity to manifest itself in his success with orchestras he was chosen to lead — The Scottish National Orchestra in Great Britain, The Gothenburg Symphony Orchestra in Sweden and finally, the Detroit Symphony Orchestra.

Ott quotes recognition that these orchestras received under Järvi's leadership which gave them unprecedented prominence on the world music scene; not to mention the record-setting flow of CDs which makes him one of the world's most recorded conductors.

Järvi's reactions to the styles and accomplishments of other great conductors reveal his readiness, always, to learn something new. He explains how he learns from their skill and also from their mistakes.

He also has his favorites, but Järvi is careful in his appraisals, except perhaps for one: "When I finally saw Bernstein, I saw how brilliantly music can be made."

What comes through most persistently in Järvi's discourse as well as in the interviews with his Detroit associates and friends is his

unrestrained devotion to making good music and his capacity to communicate his ideas and his enthusiasm both to the orchestra and to the audience.

One incident reported by Ganson startled even Järvi himself. Underlying this passion for music is an admirable self-confidence in his abilities and standards tempered by a realistic humility. It becomes obvious that what matters most to him is to make music that is a source of joy to everyone, performers and listeners alike.

"... every cell in his body is musical — he can do anything," Ganson said.

"We only have to follow his body motions, for they are very clear. He never performs two concerts the same way — If things don't go as well as they should, he doesn't blame the orchestra. He will ask himself if he can do something differently — to become more clear the next day," Boisvert said.

"He knows how to make music with such impulsive energy — all the others don't even come close," said his son, Paavo Järvi.

"He changed the orchestra's life completely. In effect, the orchestra (DSO) was born anew when he became music director," said Elkhonen Yoffe.

As I reread my own comments, I am impressed with how accurately Ott set them down. There is just one word that he misunderstood. It is in the middle of page 170, referring to Järvi's formative experience singing in and conducting choruses in Tallinn as a youth. The word "courses," implying studies, appears in place of "choruses," an easy slip of the ear.

A wealth of photographs lends important visual evidence to this remarkable life. Two groups are particularly revealing of the vitality and energy of Järvi's conducting style. One set of candid shots shows him in an open-necked shirt with shirttails out, conducting a rehearsal. The expressions of his hands, face and body speak volumes.

A second set of photos shows him in formal perfor-

State of the Arts



By Alex Suczek

mance, wearing white tie and tails and looking very elegant. But the expressions and gestures are much the same, perhaps only slightly more dignified.

That's not all. There is a compilation of key events in Järvi's life, from infancy to the present, and including important world events that put his experiences and achievements in context. This diary-like treatment by Estonian musicologist Priit Kuusk, provides a vivid perspective.

Appendices follow and make up another important part of the book. One documents all the concerts and programs of Järvi's career; another his remarkable expansive discography. Also, there are quotes and illustrations from significant reports and praises in the press from such important events as his first appearance in the United States

when he conducted "Eugen Onegin" at the Metropolitan Opera and from a Sibelius program with the New York Philharmonic.

The impact of the book is both highly entertaining and overwhelming. There is a healthy sense of humor in many of the maestro's comments on the music world. Meanwhile, the interviews, the photos, the press reports and the diary-like compilation of formative events in his life, drive home the realization that when Järvi came here, he was already one of the world's great conductors.

We can be grateful that circumstances at the time made it opportune for him to become DSO music director. No need to take my word for it. Read the book. Take the opportunity to hear his concerts in his last two seasons as music director. There is no telling when you will be able to hear such great music making again.

"Encore! Neeme Järvi" will be available at the gift shop in Orchestra Hall and at local bookstores.

We have moved
but look forward to continuing to assist you with all your International Travel Needs



debaryvoyages@aol.com
Tel: 313-881-2744
Fax: 313-640-4167

Mireille de Bary Wilkinson the European expert
Instead of knowing a little bit about a lot of things, I know better about fewer things. The de Bary difference is that recommendations are made on a personal experience.

"A Night at the Moulin Rouge" GALA AUCTION

6:30 p.m., Saturday, November 15
Barrister Gardens
24225 Harper Ave.
St. Clair Shores
Cocktails, hors d'oeuvres and dinner included

Featured Items
• Great Lakes freighter cruise
• 5' baby grand piano
• Red Wings memorabilia
And much more!

Sponsored by Christ the King Preschool
20338 Mack Ave.
Grosse Pointe Woods
Call (313)884-5090 for tickets and information

NOW PLAYING
A Grand Entertainment For All Ages!

ASK ABOUT OUR ALL-INCLUSIVE RESTAURANT PACKAGES

TRIPLE ESPRESSO
a highly caffeinated comedy

THE GEM CENTURY THEATRES AND CENTURY GRILLE

333 MADISON AVE. DETROIT • WWW.GEMTHEATRE.COM
Tickets on sale: (313) 963-9800 **ticketmaster**

Fall Cruise Booking Blitz!

If you've been thinking about a Princess cruise, there's no better time to book than right now! AAA Travel is offering unprecedented savings and benefits during our Fall Cruise Booking Blitz!

Be sure to ask us about our new "No Lose" Cruise Price Guarantee!

Let your AAA Travel Agent help you find the cruise destination that's perfect for you...and help you save money!

PRINCESS
where i belong™

With a seemingly endless array of options and features, passengers on a Princess ship will enjoy a vacation surrounded by luxury appointments, spacious staterooms, and Princess' trademark private balconies.

For details or reservations, contact our office today!

AAA Travel

2004 AAA Member Recognition Cruise European Explorer 12 nts. to \$1,940*

AAA Travel/Grosse Pointe
19299 Mack Ave.
313-343-6000

Open Weekdays
8:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

* Certain restrictions apply

Grosse Pointe War Memorial's

WMTV5

24hr Television for the Whole Community

Daytime Programming for the Week of October 13* through October 19*

8:30 am The S.O.C. Show
Guests: **Essie Mahaffy & Warren C. Evans, Wayne County Sheriff**
Host Fran Schonenberg and her guests discuss topics and events of particular interest to senior citizens
Repeated: 11:30 pm

9:00 am Vitality Plus
A half-hour aerobic exercise class.
Repeated: Midnight

9:30 am Points of Horticulture
Horticulturist Co-hosts Mil Anthony & Jim Farquhar share tips, give advice and interview local authorities on gardening.
Repeated: 9:30 PM, 12:30 AM

10:00 am Who's in the Kitchen?
Guest: **Joe Dietz**
Cook while laughing with host Chuck Kaess. Watch as delectable dishes are made from scratch by noted chefs, local celebrities and guess who?
Repeated: 6:30 PM, 1 AM

10:30 am Things to do at the War Memorial
Guests: **Mary Ellen Cooper - Celebrating 50 years at the War Memorial & Jim Simek - Four Seasons of Michigan Birds**
LouAnne Wattrick and Emmett Hynous Co-host an informative look at what's happening at the War Memorial.
Repeated: 7:30 PM, 1:30 AM

11:00 am Musical Story Time Jamboree
Miss Paula, the Merry Music Maker and Miss ReadAbook, offer a half-hour of stories and music for children.
Repeated: 6:30 AM

11:30 am Out of the Ordinary
Guest: **Shelly Perelman, Author - A Nail in the Road**
Robert Taylor presents a show to help enhance Body, Mind and Spirit!
Repeated: 11 PM, 2:30 AM

12:00 pm Economic Club of Detroit
Guest: **Ron Gettelfinger, President, International Union**
Features nationally known guest speakers discussing current topics in the business community.
Repeated: 3 AM

1:00 pm Watercolor Workshop

Black Eyed Susans
Renowned local artist, Carol LaChiusa, demonstrates watercolor techniques simple enough for beginners, yet challenging to the experienced artist.
Repeated: 5:30 PM, 4 AM

1:30 pm Inside Art
Guest: **Timothy Clark, Amber Williams, Don Entwistle - Windsor Light Opera**
Explore the artist's creative process and medium with host Robert Maniscalco.
Repeated: 10:30 PM, 4:30 AM

2:00 pm The Legal Insider
Guests: **Corbett Edge O'Mera & Catherine O'Mear - Divorce**
Host attorneys, David Draper and Douglas Dempsey, take an inside look at current legal issues.
Repeated: 6 PM, 5 AM

2:30 pm The John Prost Show
Guest: **Olga Tecos - Festival of Chairs**
Timely topics are discussed with Detroit and Grosse Pointe guests by long time host John Prost.
Repeated: 10 PM, 5:30 AM

3:00 pm Things to do at the War Memorial
Guests: **Mary Ellen Cooper - Celebrating 50 years at the War Memorial & Jim Simek - Four Seasons of Michigan Birds**
LouAnne Wattrick and Emmett Hynous Co-host an informative look at what's happening at the War Memorial.
Repeated: 7:30 PM, 1:30 AM

3:30 pm Musical Story Time Jamboree
Miss Paula, the Merry Music Maker and Miss ReadAbook, offer a half-hour of stories and music for children.
Repeated: 6:30 AM

4:00 pm Vitality Plus
A half-hour of step or kick boxing exercise.
Repeated: 9 PM, 7 AM

4:30 pm Young View Pointes
Upbeat youth show featuring middle school students reporting on a variety of educational topics.
Repeated: 8:30 PM, 7:30 AM

5:00 pm Positively Positive
An uplifting half-hour of positive attitudes and ideas, hosted by Jeanie McNeil and Liz Aiken
Repeated: 8PM, 8 AM

* Schedule subject to change without notice. For further information call: 313.881.7511.

When you think nachos, think 'outside the stadium'

By Annie Rouleau-Scheriff
Special Writer

Sports stadiums are all different. It has been my experience that stadiums share a common denominator: Nachos. More specifically: stadium nachos.

Stadium nachos are thick and gooey, almost like cheese from a can; it's heated and ladled over low-quality, too-salty corn chips and served up with a bland salsa that's also from a can. Yuk.

If you're lucky, some stadiums offer to top your nightmare with some canned jalapenos.

This week I'm stepping out of the stadium and preparing a tailgate recipe for nachos from the grill, passed with a simple fresh salsa that's prepared a day in advance.

Tailgate Nachos with Fresh Salsa
2 tablespoons finely chopped white onion
1 lb. Romano tomatoes, diced (about 8)
2 tablespoons chopped fresh cilantro
1/2 to 1 fresh jalapeno, finely chopped, seeds optional
1 teaspoon salt

1 teaspoon sugar
1 tablespoon freshly squeezed lime juice
1 large disposable pan, preferably 3 inches deep
1 large bag good quality tortilla chips
2 cups shredded cheddar cheese
2 cups shredded Monterey Jack cheese
Sliced fresh jalapeno (optional)

Salsa
To prepare the salsa, place the chopped onion in a small strainer and run under hot water for a minute or so. Drain the

onion and place it in a medium bowl. Add the tomatoes, cilantro, jalapeno, salt, sugar and lime juice. Stir well and allow to sit in the refrigerator for at least 30 minutes before serving so the flavors can infuse.

Nachos

To build the nachos, coat the pan with non-stick spray. Arrange a layer of corn chips in the pan and top with 1/3 of each of the cheeses. Repeat the layers 2 more times, finishing with the cheeses. I then scattered some sauteed jalapeno slices over the top. Cover

the pan with foil for transportation to the tailgate party.

Cook the pan of chips and cheese over a medium-high grill, covered. Check often to keep it from burning. Serve the nachos hot with the fresh salsa on the side. This recipe serves about eight people.

Salsa is an autumn must-do. Tomatoes are both cheap and at their peak. Canning salsa can be time consuming. Small batches of fresh salsa are quick and easy. Add the jalapeno sparingly or you'll end up with

salsa that's too hot to enjoy. This delicious recipe comes from "The Great Salsa Book" by Mark Miller.

As far as the actual nachos are concerned, the sky is the limit. Fancy up your chips and cheese with meat or chopped fresh veggies. Top your nachos with shredded lettuce, sour cream or sliced olives if you choose. I kept mine basic.

Make the salsa the day before the game. Assemble the chips and cheese on game day. Arrive at your tailgate party armed with tasty nachos ready for the grill.

pointe counter points

by kathleen stevenson



The kids are finally back in school. You can now sit back, relax and make time for yourself. Visit us at Edwin Paul Spa, Grosse Pointe's only luxury spa and let us help you revitalize yourself and recover from those busy summer days.

Come and indulge yourself with a nurturing Healing Touch Facial or a long relaxation massage followed by Aroma Therapy Steam. We have a long list of exceptional services to choose from. Call now for more details and make an appointment. It will be our pleasure to serve you. As always you deserve the best! (313)885-9002

EDWIN • PAUL

21023 Mack Avenue, Grosse Pointe Woods
www.edwinpaul.com

MACK 7 CAFE

Breakfast & Lunch Specials. Across from Pointe Plaza. Open Tues. - Sun., Closed Mon. 19218 Mack Ave., Grosse Pointe Farms (313)882-4475.



Serving the finest Fresh Seafood, Angus Steaks, Sandwiches, Liquors and Wines.

FREE SHUTTLE TO THE "JOE" EVERY RED WINGS HOME GAME

FREE SHUTTLE TO FORD FIELD EVERY LIONS HOME GAME
(Brunch starts early for home games - 10:30 a.m.)

*** FALL EVENING SPECIALS ***
• **MONDAY & TUESDAY** •
Certified Angus Roast Prime Rib
• **WEDNESDAY** •
Fresh Lake Superior White Fish
• **THURSDAY** •
Certified Angus Short Ribs of Beef

Plus, be sure to enjoy our **SUNDAY BRUNCH** from 11:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

SINDBAD'S "SOHAR" ROOM
Is our upstairs river front panoramic room with an open deck. Perfect for your private parties and special occasions. Call (313)822-7817 for more information at 100 St. Clair on-the-River.

www.sindbads.com



Yoga and Aerobics classes now available for non-members ...Call for details (313)886-2944

KISKA JEWELERS

Nice selection of NEW diamond engagement rings and wedding bands have arrived at Kiska Jewelers, for both men and women. Choose from a large variety of white gold, yellow gold and platinum in styles to make every budget happy ...at 63 Kercheval on-the-Hill (313)885-5755



Ann
Arbor
Antiques
Market

ANTIQUE LOVERS

Join us at the famous ANN ARBOR ANTIQUES MARKET. The happening is Sunday, October 19, 2003. One of the nations largest and longest running regularly scheduled antiques shows with over 300 dealers all under cover. Dealers in quality antiques and select collectibles with every item guaranteed as represented. Highly diversified show with emphasis on furniture, accessories and most specialties. This is Ann Arbor Antiques Market 35th season. On site delivery service, several snack bars with custom made foods. Locator service for finding special items and dealers. Admission \$6.00 per person. The time is 7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. ...at 5055 Ann Arbor - Saline Road (Exit #175 off I-94, then south 3 miles). Washtenaw Farm Council Grounds. FREE parking.

IRISH COFFEE BAR & GRILL

The best old fashioned bar burger in town made from fresh ground round. Rated ★★★★★ by Jane Rayburn, The Detroit News.... is now only \$1.96 Monday - Friday 11-5, (dine in only) Grill open till 1:00 a.m. - Carry outs available ...at 18666 Mack Avenue, Grosse Pointe Farms, (313)881-5675



Salon Daniele would like to thank Pat Scott Jewelers, Woods Wine, Mongolian Grill, Talbots and Made In Detroit for their participation in the 2004 Grace Press Release. You all made it a success ...18546 Mack Ave., Grosse Pointe Farms, 313-882-4246



Time is running out for \$0 down and \$39/month. Largest privately owned facility on the east side. Right in your neighborhood! 313-417-9666. 19556 Harper, Harper Woods.

CROWTHER CARPET & RUGS

October Carpet & Rug SALE... 30-50% OFF in-stock rugs. Plus, great SALE on our large selection of the best names in carpet ...at 17670 Mack Avenue at University, Grosse Pointe City (313)884-2991

Tired of putting on makeup everyday???

Grosse Pointe Intradermal Associates invites you to explore the advantages of PERMANENT MAKEUP! Eyebrow replacement and enhancement, eyeliner, eyelash enhancement, full lip color. Also post-mastectomy pigment restoration. Call now for a FREE CONSULTATION, 313-881-6309



Joyce's Salon and Spa

FALL SPECIAL...
Book now for a FABULOUS ALL NATURAL Pumpkin Peel Facial. Feel and see the difference. Sensitive skin to acne conditions will do better with our "Pumpkin Peel" with the NEWEST all natural ingredients. ...at 17912 Mack, Grosse Pointe. (313)886-4130.

DON'T FORGET BECAUSE SHE WON'T!...

JOSEF'S FRENCH PASTRIES

Remember Sweetest Day next Saturday, October 18th. Treat her to a delicious heart shape cake topped with fresh strawberries or a heart shaped cake topped with chocolate mousse. ...at 21150 Mack, Grosse Pointe Woods, (313)881-5710



The NOTRE DAME PHARMACY welcomes the opportunity to serve you in your everyday needs. We've been serving the community for over 75 years. Our large selection of wines includes Kendal Jackson, Woodbridge, Clos Du Bois, Jacob's Creek, just to name a few - all at excellent prices - The best in town ...at 16926 Kercheval in-the-Village, (313)885-2154.

LAMIA & LAMIA SALON AND DAY SPA

HALF OFF FALL SPECIAL....
Call for an appointment and receive 1/2 OFF with Christina or Patrino for hair, Diane for nails, and 1/2 OFF a massage with Janet Esselink. Present offer to receive 1/2 OFF your service. Now thru Friday, October 24, 2003 (excludes Saturdays) ...at 19653 Mack, Grosse Pointe Woods, (313)884-1739



ARA TRUNK SHOW

Friday October 10th, noon-4pm. Free Ara Tote Bag with purchase. Free gift for trying on a pair of ara shoes. ...at 16980 Kercheval at Notre Dame 885-9299. Saturday October 11, 116 N. Old Woodward, Birmingham, Mich. 248-646-8431

To advertise in this column call (313) 882-3500

October 9, 2003



University Liggett School's Barré Mackie runs away from Harper Woods's Drew Manor during the Pioneers' Metro Conference victory.

Photo by Lori Wilson

Pioneers spoil ULS homecoming with Metro Conference victory

By Bob St. John
Sports Writer

Beating a rival is sweet, and shutting them out on their home field on homecoming is even better.

Harper Woods accomplished its goal last weekend, with a 40-0 victory over University Liggett School to spoil the Knights' homecoming.

"We really wanted this game badly after they beat us 7-6 last year, keeping us out of the state playoffs," head coach Heath Filber said. "Our guys were totally focused on playing sound football for four quarters, which we didn't do last year."

It all started from the first possession of the game when junior Justin Popov intercepted a pass at the Pioneers' 11-yard line, stopping ULS' drive.

On the next play, Marcus Renwick ran 89 yards for a touchdown that was nullified by a penalty.

That didn't stop the Pioneers, who used 11 plays to drive the 89 yards for the score when Adam DiGiovanni ran in from the two.

Jake Bertges kicked the first of his two extra points. He also ran for a two-point conversion.

"We wanted to play smash-mouth football against Liggett, and it worked to perfection," Filber said. "They couldn't stop our run, and our defense came up with another solid effort."

That was just what ULS coach Tracy Sewell had feared.

"We just don't have the size up front to handle teams that run right at us," said Sewell, whose team had a two-game winning streak snapped.

"They have a couple of excellent running backs, too." Popov, James Slago, and Corey Avery intercepted ULS passes with Avery returning his 50 yards for a touchdown midway through the fourth quarter.

DiGiovanni also had two quarterback sacks, while J.P. O'Grady and Gilbert Walker each had one.

The Pioneers' offense ran for 324 yards and passed for 43 yards, but did turn the ball over three times, including on the second half kickoff which gave the Knights possession at their own 29-yard line.

DiGiovanni scored two touchdowns and ran in a two-point conversion, while Renwick had three scores.

ULS took the opening kickoff and marched from its own 15-yard line to the Harper Woods 37 before the interception stalled the drive. Key plays for the Knights were a 16-yard pass from Antonio Evangelista to Joey Cobb and a 22-yard completion from Evangelista to Barré Mackie.

"If we could have scored there, it would have been a nice boost for us," Sewell said.

"This is a big win for us, but we can't celebrate too long because we have a tough game ahead of us," Filber said.

The Harper Woods football team improved to 4-1 in the Metro Conference and 4-2 overall. ULS is 2-4 overall and 2-3 in the Metro.

Coming up for the Pioneers is a home game on Saturday, Oct. 11, against Bloomfield Hills Cranbrook Kingswood.

"They have the conference's top quarterback; so our defense will have to be prepared to slow him down," Filber said. "It's a challenge, but I know our guys will be ready for it."

ULS plays at Hamtramck on Friday night.

"I think Hamtramck will be a better matchup for us," Sewell said.

Blue Devils cap a big week with MAC Red tourney win

By Chuck Klonke
Sports Editor

It was a remarkable seven-day stretch for Grosse Pointe South's girls tennis team.

The Blue Devils won dual meets against Troy and Ann Arbor Huron, which were both ranked in the top six in the state in Division I; took first place in the Holly Invitational, and completed a sweep in the Macomb Area Conference Red Division by winning the division tournament.

"This was homecoming week, too," said coach Mark Sobieralski. "That's a week that I usually dread, but the girls stayed focused."

That's part of how Sobieralski prepares his teams from a mental standpoint.

"I don't put a lot of pressure on them to beat certain opponents," he said. "At the start of the year, I tell them who the best players in their flights will probably be, and I let them take it from there."

"They know who they have to beat in order to get a good seed for the regional and the state tournament."

In last week's MAC Red tournament, South finished with 35 points to 31 for Port Huron Northern. St. Clair was third with 22 points, followed by Grosse Pointe North with 20 and Romeo with 12.

"That's the first time we've won both the dual meet and the tournament championships," said Sobieralski, who guided the Blue Devils to a 4-0 record in dual competition in the MAC Red.

Last year, South lost its dual meet to PHN but tied the Huskies for first place in the division tournament.

South won five of the flights. Freshman Jessica Leonard won at No. 3 singles, while Stephanie Royer was an easy winner at fourth singles.

One of the biggest victories for the Blue Devils came at No. 1 doubles where the team of McCall Monte and Dana Schweitzer beat PHN 6-4, 6-4.

"They split their two matches earlier in the year,"

Sobieralski said.

The No. 2 doubles team of Carolyn Rohde and Emery Brink lost only one game in winning the flight, while the No. 3 doubles team of Stephanie Manos and Patti Harrell also won a division title.

South's fourth doubles team of Alexis Pavle and Alexandra Dickson lost a three-set match to PHN in the finals.

Vicky Seiter finished third at No. 1 singles and Brette Carroll was also third at second singles.

The Holly Invitational also attracted several state-ranked teams, but South finished on top of the field with 20 points to 17 for runner-up Traverse City Central.

Port Huron Northern and Midland Dow tied for third place with 16 points and Farmington Hills Mercy was fifth with 13.

The highlights for the Blue Devils were victories in the No. 1 and No. 3 doubles flights.

"Those were breakthrough matches for both of those teams," Sobieralski said. "And they beat Traverse City in the finals in both flights, so those were like two-point matches."

"Traverse City is very strong in doubles. This is the only time we face them until the state finals, so those wins were important for the state seeding."

Monte and Schweitzer beat Holly and Mercy in straight sets in their first two matches, then posted a 6-1, 1-6, 7-6 (7-1) victory over Traverse City Central in the final.

Manos and Harrell won their first two matches in straight sets at No. 3 doubles to earn a spot against Traverse City in the final.

South's team won the first set 6-2, but lost 3-6 in the second. They were trailing 5-0 in the third set, but came back to win 7-5.

"(Assistant coach) Mike Case was at their match and he said he'd never seen a

comeback like that," Sobieralski said.

Rohde and Brink won a three-set opener with Mercy, then lost to Traverse City before coming back to beat PHN for third place.

Pavle and Dickson lost a three-set match to Traverse City in the final.

"Alexandra was really sick," Sobieralski said. "She did a great job to get that far."

There was a fifth doubles flight and South's team of Jennifer Paone and Supraja Sharma finished third.

Royer took first place at No. 4 singles with straight set victories over Dow, Traverse City and Holly.

"Stephanie is so mentally tough," Sobieralski said.

Seiter won her first two matches at No. 1 singles, but lost 6-2, 3-6, 6-2 to Dow's Amy Staloch in the finals.

"Vicky played awesome," Sobieralski said.

Carroll had a tough draw at No. 2 singles, but beat PHN's Amy Schindler 7-6, 7-6 in her first match. She dropped her second match but came back to finish third in the flight.

Leonard was unable to play in No. 3 singles because of a soccer tournament, but Laura Hyde came up from the junior varsity team and won a match for the Blue Devils.

"Laura was really nervous in her first match and lost to Traverse City, but she came back and beat a girl from Holly and then lost 6-4, 7-6 to Port Huron Northern," Sobieralski said. "If Laura had had 20 matches of experience at No. 3 singles like the (PHN) girl did, she'd have won."

Highlights of South's 5-3 win over Troy was a 4-6, 7-5, 6-4 win by Pavle and Dickson at No. 4 doubles; a 6-2, 6-3 win at No. 2 doubles by Rohde and Brink and Carroll's 6-4, 7-6 victory at No. 2 singles.

The 6-2 win over Huron was highlighted by Seiter's three-set victory at No. 1 singles.

North boys stay unbeaten in MAC

Grosse Pointe North's boys cross country team cleared another major hurdle in its quest for a Macomb Area Conference Red Division championship, but the biggest hurdle remained.

That's perennial league power Sterling Heights. The Stallions finished ahead of North in an invitational meet earlier this year, but so had Dakota, which the Norsemen beat 22-39 last week.

"We're better than we were when we ran against Sterling Heights, but I'm sure they are, too," said North coach Pat Wilson.

"I have a lot of respect for Harold (Stallions coach

Harold Arft) and his program, and I know they'll be ready to run us."

The two remaining unbeaten teams in the MAC Red ran earlier this week on Sterling Heights' home course, but the results weren't available at press time.

Wilson conceded first place overall to Dakota, but he didn't want the Cougars to slip any other runners inside North's top five.

"We told the kids to stay tight and don't worry about Dakota's No. 1," Wilson said. "Our five were right together for the first two miles and at the end there was only 17 seconds separating our first runner and our fifth."

In fact, there was only a two-second gap at the finish between Robbie Fisher, Stefan Cross and Eric Burton — North's top three runners.

Freshman Alex Davenport was fifth and posted a personal record. Dave Secord rounded out the Norsemen's top five. Mike Pokladek and Barclay Smyly were North's sixth and seventh runners.

North runners had several other PRs. Freshman Paul Smith broke 20 seconds for the first time and Andy Van Egmond had a PR for the fifth straight meet. Other PRs were posted by Jeff Kurtz, Arnov Moudgil, Zach Hoffman, P.J. Beltri and DeAndre Henderson.

Top seed wins Art Van Tennis Challenge

Top-seeded Michael Joyce won the 2003 Art Van Pro Tennis Challenge title in impressive style with a 6-1, 6-2 victory over No. 3 seed Tres Davis.

The championship match was played in front of a packed Lochmoor Club — the largest crowd in the seven-year history of the tournament.

Joyce is a 12-year veteran of the ATP tour, and has earned more than \$1 million during his career. He was ranked in the world's top 100 from 1995 through 1998

with a high of 61st.

Joyce moved into the finals with a 6-1, 7-5 victory over Jeremy Wurtzman, who plays for Ohio State. Davis advanced to the championship match with a 7-6 (4), 6-3 win over Adam Baranowski.

In the quarterfinal round, the blistering ground strokes of the unseeded Baranowski overpowered second seed Doug Flach 6-2, 6-2. Davis had a 6-4, 6-2 quarterfinal win over

See TENNIS, page 2C

United, ULS play to a tie in field hockey

Cold and blustery weather conditions didn't keep crosstown rivals Grosse Pointe United and University Liggett School from playing a hard-fought 1-1 tie in field hockey.

Although each team had several fine scoring chances, the first half ended in a scoreless tie, primarily due to the outstanding goalkeeping of the Knights' Krista Murray and United's Elle D'Angelo.

United broke the tie midway through the second half on a rising slap shot from Ali Morawski after a beautiful assist on a penalty corner from Laura Danforth.

The Knights tied the game when Megan Getz knocked a drive past D'Angelo with just over seven minutes remaining.

The equalizer was set up by a series of short, crisp passes by the Knights' attacking forwards.

Grosse Pointe had several scoring chances in the waning minutes, but was unable to convert.

"We had a number of opportunities," said United coach Monica Dennis. "Our downfall is that we need to learn how to finish."

Dennis, however, was pleased with her team's overall performance.

"We played well together as a team," she said. "Our tackling is much improved,

and we know how to spread the field."

She was impressed by ULS.

"They played well."

Dennis said. "They took advantage of their big guns and did a good job at using the center of the field."

Earlier, Grosse Pointe



Photo by Christopher Mengel

Kelly Hughes of Grosse Pointe United, left, battles for the ball with University Liggett School's Megan Getz during their field hockey game.



Photo by Lori Wilson

University Liggett School's Chris MacGriff controls the ball against a Southfield Christian defender.

Knights look for scoring punch

It's almost a cause for celebration when University Liggett School's soccer team scores a goal this year.

"We have to find a goal scorer," said Knights coach David Backhurst after his team suffered two straight shutout losses at home last week.

"We've played 300 minutes at home without scoring a goal. We've been shut out five times and we've had three one-goal games."

That's eight games with a total of three goals, which makes the Knights' 6-7-1 overall record a remarkable one.

"We're getting chances but we're shooting wide, or just shooting over the net, or shooting the ball into the goalie," Backhurst said.

"We've been fortunate that we've played so well on defense. Adam Heaney has been very good at sweeper and Joe Kish has been outstanding in goal."

ULS started the week with a 3-1 Metro Conference victory at Livonia Clarenceville.

The Trojans opened the scoring with a free kick 12 minutes into the game. The Knights tied the game midway through the first half on a goal by Jeff Heaney, who was set up by Chris MacGriff.

"It was a beautiful shot to the far corner of the net," Backhurst said. "But anytime it goes into the net this year it's a beautiful shot."

Eight minutes into the second half, Owen Darr broke the tie with a header from Heaney. Darr capped the scoring after taking a pass from MacGriff with 10 minutes remaining.

"We outshot them 25-11, so we had our chances," Backhurst said. "It's frustrating when you have chances and don't score."

Backhurst said that ULS played its best game of the

season against Metro Conference rival Cranbrook Kingswood, but still lost 2-0 to the Cranes, who are unbeaten in the league.

"We had a lot of jump," Backhurst said. "Both teams had good chances. We carried the play in the second half and we kept their goalie working hard."

A rare defensive breakdown resulted in a goal for Cranbrook 25 minutes into the first half.

"It was a breakdown that Kish, who made a couple of great saves, couldn't compensate for," Backhurst said.

Cranbrook held a 26-25 edge in shots for the game.

It was more of the same in a 2-0 non-league loss to Southfield Christian.

ULS held a 19-18 edge in shots, but the Eagles scored 15 minutes into the game and added an insurance goal at the two-minute mark of the second half.

effort," he said. "We got six goals from five different players and we got a shutout. That's good balance."

South's offense had more than 20 shots on goal and scored three more times in the crossover game with Sterling Heights. Kossak scored twice and Sevi Jensen once, but a goal midway through the second half allowed the Stallions to come from behind and earn the tie in a game Mellon believed the Blue Devils should have won.

"We dominated the game," he said. "I'm glad we scored three goals, but it was disappointing because we didn't capitalize on all of the scoring opportunities that were there."

The game was tied going into the fourth quarter after South outscored the Shamrocks in the second and third periods. Dalby scored 13 points, and had five rebounds, three assists and three steals. Kostiuk had seven points and four rebounds, Buckley had five points and nine rebounds in her first game back, and Allison Ambrozy added six points and three steals.

Norsemen win

Rob Barlow scored Grosse Pointe North's only goal and Anthony DiLoreto posted his seventh shutout as the Norsemen beat Romeo 1-0 in a Macomb Area Conference White Division soccer game.

North is 3-1-2 in the division and 9-2-2 overall.

South boys finish first at Saginaw Heritage Invitational

There's no substitute for experience.

Grosse Pointe South's boys cross country team showed what a year of running experience can do as it won the Saginaw Heritage Invitational last weekend.

The Blue Devils finished with 89 points, five fewer than runner-up Mount Pleasant. Gaylord was third with 103 points, followed by Davison with 119.

A problem with uniforms meant that South had to go with only six runners, instead of the normal seven, but that didn't faze the Blue Devils.

"South averaged a minute faster per man over the same course from last year," said coach Tom Wise.

Jake Wernet led the way

for South, followed closely by teammate Eric Backman. Bryan Mackenzie, Joe Palowski and Adam Dziuba completed the scoring.

Sean O'Donnell-Daudlin helped push the opposition back by finishing ahead of several of their runners. Justin Linne also received a team medal.

South also made a strong showing in the junior varsity race. Linne led the way, followed by Andrew

Davenport, Christian Bielski, William Chu, Joe Haiso, Saman Mirkazemi, Russel Koppin, John Konen and Charles Scholfeld.

All but two Blue Devils had personal best times in the meet.

Earlier, South split its double-dual meet in the

Macomb Area Conference Red Division. The Blue Devils lost 27-31 to Sterling Heights and beat Stevenson 19-44.

Backman and Wernet were South's leaders.

South is 2-2 in the MAC Red.

"We generally have three or four teams from this division make it to the state finals," Wise said. "The league meet and the regional should be a tell-tale for the postseason."

"We think (Grosse Pointe) North is the favorite for both. They have a lot of depth that takes over at this time of the season. We hope to compete for both, but (Sterling) Heights can be very tough on a given day for the league meet."

Blue Devils girls take title, too

After a week off from competition, Grosse Pointe South's girls cross country team had a superb week of racing.

The Blue Devils defeated Stevenson and Sterling Heights in Macomb Area Conference Red Division dual meets, and they won their third invitational of the season at Saginaw Heritage.

The undefeated Blue Devils had a perfect 15-50 victory over Stevenson and a 17-46 win over Sterling Heights.

South took the first eight positions. Liz Petit led the way, and following within a minute were Natalie Humphry, Liz Baxter, Jill McLaughlin, Maggie Collison, Emily McLaughlin, Megan Zaranek and Sam Mackenzie.

South defended its Saginaw Heritage championship in dominating fashion.

The Blue Devils' seven varsity runners took sixth through 12th place in the 110-runner field. South finished with 35 points, while 10th-ranked Davison was second with 49.

Gaylord, Sterling Heights and Mount Pleasant rounded out the top five in the 17-team meet.

South had three runners break 20 minutes for the first time this season and all seven were within 36 seconds of each other.

"Our pack style of running keeps looking better and better," said coach Steve Zaranek. "To have all seven varsity runners this close to each other and running quality times gives us great confidence for a great finish to the season."

Collison was the first Blue Devil to the line at 19:40, followed by Jill McLaughlin (19:53), Humphry (19:57), Petit (20:06), Emily McLaughlin (20:10), Zaranek (20:12) and Baxter (20:10). Each of them earned top 15 medals.

South dominated the junior varsity race as it took the first 15 places and 27 of the first 30.

Mackenzie, a freshman, won the race in 20:24.

"Sam's time was so good, she would have placed in the top 15 in the varsity race," Steve Zaranek said.

Kat Carmody was the only

other girl in the JV race to break 21 minutes as she finished in 20:46.

Closely following were Iris Alao (21:18), Sarah Petit (21:20), Erica Menchl (21:41), Katie Gerow (21:44), Lauren McLaughlin (21:46) and Brittany Gilpin (22:05).

More than 50 South girls had season-best times at Saginaw, and 38 ran to season-best performances in the Stevenson-Sterling Heights meet.

Included in that group were Laura Lovasco, Melissa Konen, Becca Scholtes, Sara Swenson, Libby Singelyn, Emily Franchett, Suzanne Wrobel, Olga Filippova, Carlin Hauck, Heather Lockhart, Beth Ansaldi, Genna Hall, Christina Jacovides, Kathleen Sholty, Beth Allison, Allison Kennedy, Kate Swenson, Eileen Fitzgerald, Kristin Motehall, Alex Stenesh, Christine Smith, Lindsay Krall, Ana Progovac, Lauren Wolcott, Maria Simcina, Jill Arthur, Amy Carion, Ellen Chamberlin, Sarah Mulhern and Jane Singelyn.

South explodes on offense

Grosse Pointe South's soccer team had its biggest offensive output of the season last week in a 6-0 win over Utica.

And after a 3-3 tie with Sterling Heights two days later, coach John Mellon was hoping his team's effort would result in better results during the second half of the season.

"I told the kids we have to play spoilers," Mellon said about the Blue Devils, who finished the week 4-7-2 overall and 2-4 in the Macomb Area Conference White Division.

"I think we're improving. Hopefully, we'll put it together both offensively and defensively the rest of the way."

After last week's 3-1 loss

to Grosse Pointe North, South ad scored only two goals in five games. The Blue Devils' only goal against their crosstown rivals came on a long shot by Doug Biske in the game's final minute.

However, South took out its frustrations in a league game against Utica, getting goals from five different players to back the shutout goalkeeping of senior Kirk Willmarth.

Tom Porter scored twice for South, while Eric Berschback, Paul Kossak, Bob Clarren and Dave Dindoffer each added one goal to the Blue Devils' total.

Mellon called the victory one of the team's best games of the season.

"That was a total team

Defense helps South get first win

Grosse Pointe South's girls basketball team used a strong defensive effort to offset some cold shooting last week as the Blue Devils won their first game in the Macomb Area Conference White Division.

"We stepped it up in the second half," said South coach Peggy Van Eckoute after her team's 52-40 victory over Romeo.

"We were stealing the ball along the baseline and scoring some easy baskets. We still shot 29 percent from the field, but Romeo shot only 30 percent."

The Bulldogs led by two points at halftime after South's Rachel Sullivan hit a bucket at the buzzer.

The momentum that basket provided stayed with the Blue Devils throughout the second half. South went into a delay game with about 5 1/2 minutes remaining and worked the ball around for some layups.

The Blue Devils had a bal-

anced offensive attack. Annie Dalby led the way with 11 points, but Stephanie Kostiuk, Colleen Buckley and Emily Koituniak added nine apiece.

Buckley, who returned to action earlier in the week after missing 3 1/2 games with an injury, also had 10 rebounds, five steals and two blocked shots.

"Megan Switalski scored five points, all of them in the fourth quarter, and had three rebounds, but she really played tough defense," Van Eckoute said. "She contributed more than her stats show."

"It was a game where everybody who played made a contribution."

Earlier, South lost its MAC White opener 48-42 to East Detroit.

"Once again, it was our shooting that hurt us," Van Eckoute said. "We shot 23 percent, but we did a lot of good things."

North comeback falls short

By Chuck Klonek
Sports Editor

Grosse Pointe North's girls basketball team lost to Stevenson, 47-43, last week, but after the game Norsemen's coach Gary Bennett was nearly as happy as if his team had won.

"No matter what happens for the rest of the year, this game will be one of my most memorable moments," he said.

"I'm very proud of the way we competed in the second half. We didn't compete very well in the first half, but we kept working and made things a little uncomfortable for them at the end."

The first half of the Macomb Area Conference Red Division game was unlike what opponents have come to expect from North.

The Norsemen trailed 16-

2 at the end of the first quarter and Stevenson, which got a three-point basket from Danielle Goonis with three seconds left in the half, held a 21-8 advantage at the break.

It looked like the Titans were going to breeze to the victory when another three-pointer by Goonis made it 31-12 with 2:44 remaining in the third quarter.

North, however, had other ideas.

Liz Andary made three straight baskets in the last two minutes of the third quarter to cut Stevenson's lead to 31-18.

North's defense held the Titans to only one basket in the fourth quarter, but Stevenson made 12 free throws to stave off the Norsemen's rally.

Caitlin Bennett, who led North with 14 points,

popped in three three-point baskets in the fourth quarter to keep the Norsemen within range. Jenny DeFauw and Andary each had a key putback for a basket in the final minute and a half.

"We're not talented enough to think that we can just step onto the floor and not compete," Gary Bennett said. "But when we do compete like we did in the second half, teams aren't going to want to play us."

"We're still learning. When we get it, we'll be all right."

North, which was out-rebounded 11-1 in the first quarter, did a better job on the boards in the second half, although Stevenson's Katie Treece and Liana Boer combined for 21 rebounds in the game.

The Norsemen did a good job defensively on the Titans' Molly Dwyer, holding her to six points. Goonis, however, finished with 16 points, Boer had 13 and Treece added 10.

See NORTH, page 3C

Tennis

From page 1C

Michael Kosta.

Joyce beat Michael Rubin 6-4, 6-2 in his quarterfinal match, while Wurtzman upset defending champion Will Farah in a thrilling three-set match, 6-4, 2-6, 6-3.

In a first-round match, Lochmoor assistant tennis pro Mike Rose took Wurtzman, a senior at Ohio State, to a first-set tiebreaker, but Wurtzman's blistering forehand propelled him to a 7-6, 6-1 victory.

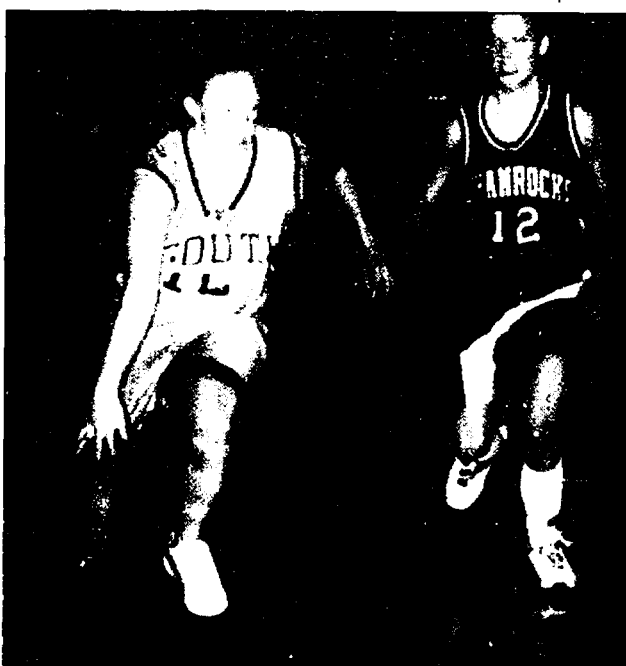


Photo by Dr. J. Richard Dunlap

Annie Dalby brings the ball up the floor for Grosse Pointe South in its game with East Detroit.



Freshmen Betsy Graney, left, and Cara Miserendino have been key performers for Grosse Pointe North's girls cross country team.

North girls beat tough league rival

Grosse Pointe North's girls cross country team had a light week, but it was an important one.

The Norsemen posted a pair of victories in the Macomb Area Conference Red Division, beating Eisenhower 22-36 and Dakota 15-48.

"We knew going in that (Eisenhower) was going to be our toughest and closest race after (Grosse Pointe) South," said North coach Scott Cooper.

"They have been running almost identical times to us and had finished just a few points behind us at an earlier invitational. We worked hard at getting pumped up for them."

And the Norsemen were ready.

"We finally had all our top runners running in the same race and they looked great running as a team," Cooper said. "I had asked them to let the race develop and just stay in contact the first mile."

"We did not want to be winning the race at the mile and then fade and lose. At the mile mark, the race was probably a draw with each team evenly mixed in with each other. The North girls pulled away from that point and took control of the race."

Betsy Graney led the way for North, followed by Kelly Szymborski, Cara Miserendino, Patricia Winterfield, Katie Horne, Hannah Clor and Jenny Bannan.

North

From page 2C

North's defense forced Stevenson to commit 30 turnovers, with most of those coming in the second half.

Andary had 13 points and five steals for North. Katie Kaufmann had eight rebounds to go with her six points. Kelly Rusko collected four steals and three assists, and Betsy Schrage finished with three steals and two assists.

Earlier in the week, North turned in its best game of the season as it opened the MAC Red portion of the schedule with a 52-28 win over Utica.

ULS ready for regional

In most seasons, the Division IV state regional is just a tuneup for the state finals for University Liggett School's girls tennis team.

That's not the case this year. The regional, hosted by Detroit Country Day, is like a mini state tournament.

"Most of the top teams in the division are in our regional," said ULS coach Chuck Wright. The Knights got ready for the regional with a 5-3 loss to Birmingham Seaholm and a scrimmage with Division I power Ann Arbor Pioneer.

"Graney has continued to pick up the pace and improve on her time," Cooper said. "She looks extremely strong as she runs, and gets tougher to beat every race as she gains confidence in herself."

"Szymborski continues to be a tough, gutsy runner pushing the pace early and making the other runners come after her. Miserendino and Clor continue to show great promise. It is great seeing these freshmen be so talented and competitive this early in their careers."

Cooper also praised a couple of his veteran runners. "Winterfield ran one of her best races," he said. "As a senior, she is finally starting to understand how to race and it is great to see her finally have the confidence in herself that I have had in her for four years."

"Horne was a great surprise in this race. She had hit a plateau the last few races and was struggling with her times. She knew she had to get over this and this race was the one that brought her back. She ran most of the race with the front runners and looked like she was actually having fun for the first time. You could tell she was doing well by the concentration on her face."

North runners had 23 season-best times and Leia Kapordelis, Jenny Makowski and Ashiey Payton beat their best efforts from last year.

"We did everything well on both ends of the floor," Gary Bennett said. "We played with confidence on offense and our defense was really focused."

"We ran the floor well and that helped us shoot our highest percentage of the season. We got a lot of layups off the fast break."

Caitlin Bennett had 12 points and six assists for North, while Mary Embree scored 10 points and had four steals. DeFauw collected eight points, four assists and four steals, and Andary finished with seven points, six rebounds, three assists and three steals.

Holly Huth gave ULS a win at No. 1 singles when she beat Seaholm's Jessica Young 6-2, 6-2.

Wright was also impressed with Rachel Costello's 4-6, 6-3, 6-3 win at No. 2 singles.

ULS's other win came from freshman Sam Trojanovich at No. 3 singles.

The Knights' first two doubles teams — Gabby Milosic and Carly Croskey and Calle Schumaker and Chrissie Keersmaekers — each lost close matches.

Strong second half carries South to key victory in MAC Blue football race

By Chuck Klonke
Sports Editor

Grosse Pointe South got down to some serious business in the second half of its Macomb Area Conference Blue Division football game with Warren-Mott last week.

"I think (Warren-Mott) had the ball only five minutes in the second half," said Blue Devils coach Mike McLeod after his team improved to 3-1 in the division and 4-2 overall with the 7-3 victory over the Marauders.

McLeod said that Mott came out with some different looks that it had used in previous games and it took South some time to make

the adjustments, but by the second half, the Blue Devils were in control.

The Marauders had only 128 yards in total offense and most of that came in the first half when Mott took a 3-0 lead on a field goal.

"We got tough around the goal line," McLeod said.

The Blue Devils also had a couple of touchdown-saving tackles by defensive backs Ben Jenzen and Zach Hacias.

South dominated the second half. The Blue Devils took the opening kickoff and drove 80 yards for a touchdown. Tom Sawicki, who rushed for 199 yards in 30 carries, scored on a 34-yard run.

South had a pair of apparent touchdowns nullified by penalties in the second half.

"Our offensive line just dominated," McLeod said. "(Ryan) Wagner, in particular, had a great game. (Ryan) Lutz played his best game of the season and Ben Schrode continued to play some great football. Those three have been consistently strong all year."

After an injury to tailback Vinnie Panizzi in the first half, South went with seniors Sawicki and P.J. Janutol in the second half and both played very well.

"We basically ran two plays, but we executed them

perfectly," McLeod said. "Sawicki ran hard and Janutol did a nice job of blocking."

South finished with 306 yards in total offense, and 253 of those yards came on the ground.

Jenzen did a fine job of punting for South, helped by the long snapping of A.J. Staniszewski.

"The ball was wet, but A.J. got the ball back perfectly every time," McLeod said.

Mott's final drive ended with an interception by the Blue Devils' Chase Mitchelson.

South will try to keep its MAC Blue title hopes alive when it visits East Detroit on Saturday at 1 p.m.

Norsemen start looking ahead to next year

By Chuck Klonke
Sports Editor

The league championship hopes are gone and the chances of making the state playoffs are slim at best for Grosse Pointe North's football team, but the Norsemen still have a lot to play for in the final three games of the season.

"We're not playing a lot of seniors," coach Frank Sumner said after North fell to 2-4 with a 42-14 homecoming loss to Anchor Bay in a Macomb Area Conference White Division game.

"Because we're young, I can't get totally frustrated with them. But I expected to play better than we have been defensively. We've given up 82 points in our last two games."

That's not typical of the way the Norsemen play defense. In 1970, North allowed only 42 points in the entire season.

Since many of the starters on offense and defense will be back next season, Sumner is going to use the last three weeks to correct the mistakes the Norsemen

are making.

"We haven't been tackling well," he said. "That's something we're going to have to work on."

Anchor Bay scored all four times it had the football in the first half as the Tars built a 28-6 halftime lead.

Anchor Bay scored twice in the last 3:25 of the first half. Jomar Jackson made it 21-6 with a 17-yard touchdown run and Jon Bowman built the lead to three touchdowns when he scored from the two with 11.9 seconds remaining in the half.

The final touchdown was set up by a 42-yard pass from Keith Marcola to Joe Shields. It was the Tars' only completion of the game.

"We were four deep and they still completed the pass. (Chris) Court just hit (Marcola's) shoulder, but not quite enough. That was a big touchdown just before the half," Sumner said.

"We came out and played a real good third quarter. We scored, and then we held them at the one. I'm proud of the way the kids never gave up. One thing we have is a lot of heart."

Red Barons have thrilling comeback win

Although his team trailed St. Clair Shores 20-8 with 6:15 left in the third quarter, Grosse Pointe Red Barons varsity coach Brett Kurily wasn't worried.

"I knew if we made some defensive adjustments and made some stops we would be OK," Kurily said.

The Barons were more than OK the rest of the game. They dominated the final 18 minutes, scoring 22 unanswered points and winning, 30-20, against St. Clair Shores.

After a St. Clair Shores touchdown made it 20-8, the Barons struck quickly. One play after Jimmy Saros's fine kickoff return to the St. Clair Shores 44-yard line, James Costa broke through the line and ran for the touchdown.

Costa, who played well on both sides of the ball, tied the game with 11:51 remaining on a 22-yard run. Kicker Tim Tibaud then gave the Barons the lead for good when he booted a two-point conversion.

The Barons clinched the victory with 5:40 left when Saros took a pass from Mark Riashi and raced down the left sideline for a 38-yard touchdown. Tibaud once again converted the two-point kick.

Saros, playing his first game since suffered a pre-season leg injury, scored the Barons' only touchdown in the first half, scoring on a 14-yard reverse in the second quarter.

Kurily was especially happy with his running attack. Costa, Peter Miller, David Casselman and Jack Monark ran hard and effectively throughout the game.

Riashi, who completed five of seven passes, also had one of his best games of the season at quarterback.

Among the defensive players with strong games were Mack Topper, Frank

Ferretti, Kevin Ginnebaugh, Colin Bayer, Ben Maters, Paul Brucker and Reid Fragel.

Junior varsity

Doug Luttenberger, the Barons' junior varsity coach, knows that practice makes perfect. And after a nearly perfect week of practice, his team was ready for St. Clair Shores.

"We really showed up today," Luttenberger said after his team's 34-7 victory. Running back John-Michael Guest and quarterback Patrick Kennedy must have had an especially good week of practice.

Kennedy threw three touchdown passes, and Guest caught one of them and ran for another score.

Guest opened the scoring with a 27-yard run, and then made it 14-0 when he grabbed a Kennedy pass and ran 39 yards for the score.

Kennedy's 10-yard touchdown pass to Joey Dempsey made it 21-0 at halftime. In the second half, Jeff Simon, who along with fellow running back Drew Tech, had another strong game, scored on a one-yard run. Kennedy also threw a 12-yard TD pass to Chris Shirar.

Kennedy's favorite target was Dempsey, who caught four passes, including two that set up touchdowns.

So is the team's offensive line. Anthony Riashi, Max Reitzloff, Mitch Makos, Will Angell and Joe Youngblood were among the linemen opening big holes.

The defense did well, too. Hard-hitting Charles Getz, Alex Koski, Spencer Ray and Tyler Shaum were among those who stood out.

Freshmen

There was a lot of praise to go around after the Barons' freshmen defeated St. Clair Shores 47-6.

Head coach Tony Cimmarrusti started with the offensive line.

"Players like Geoff Welsher, Clark Ditzhazy and Wes Cimmarrusti did excellent jobs," he said.

"Plus our centers — Evan Wagensomer, Jacob Merritt and Peter Cozad — did terrific jobs. And our ends — Marty Moesta, John Laciura and Max Kaiser — did excellent jobs."

It was a dominant performance offensively and defensively for the Barons. Alex Bedan scored the first two touchdowns on a five-yard run and a 32-yard reception from Brian Cleary.

The Barons' other touch-

downs came on runs by John Blanz, Robby Kish, Jimmy Guest and Cleary. Guest scored twice.

The defense completely shut down St. Clair Shores. Jon Parker had three interceptions, and Alex Avouris had one. Connor Martinuzzi recovered a fumble and Ben Shaum had four sacks.

"The defense was strong," Tony Cimmarrusti said. "Connor Ray had a good game at free safety, as did defensive back Ben Fry. Linemen Dylan Balicki, Alex O'Neill and Scott Posada played particularly well."

Doug Roby
Farms Council

Vote For Douglas Roby Tues. Nov. 4th

Paid for by the Committee to Elect Douglas Roby for Council • 222 Lottrop • Grosse Pointe Farms

OPEN HOUSE

Food, Tours and Fun!
Saturday, Oct. 11 - Sunday, Oct. 12
10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Markley Marine
The Clinton River's Finest Marina
(586) 469-6000

- Manned and Gated Access 24 hours a day
- Heated restrooms and showers
- On-Site Winterization & Repair facility

Outside Storage Just \$2.60/sq. ft. Cold and Heated Indoor Storage

31300 N. River Road Harrison Township

313-882-6900 ext 3

DEADLINES

HOMES FOR SALE

Photos, Art, Logos - FRIDAYS 12 P.M.

Word Ads - MONDAYS 4 P.M.

Open Sunday grid - MONDAYS 4 P.M.

(Call for holiday close dates)

RENTALS & LAND FOR SALE

TUESDAY 12 NOON

CLASSIFIEDS (ALL OTHER CLASSIFICATIONS)

TUESDAY 12 NOON

(Call for holiday close dates)

PAYMENTS

Prepayment is required.

We accept Visa, MasterCard, Cash, Check.

Please note - \$2 fee for declined credit cards.

AD STYLES & PRICES

Word Ads: \$29.40 per column inch

Additional words, 65¢ each.

Abbreviations not accepted.

Measured Ads: \$32.85 per column inch

Photo Ads: \$5.00 each (includes web sent)

Email: JPEGS photos only.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING
RENTALS & LAND FOR SALE INDEX

FAX: 313-343-5569

http://grossepointenews.com

FREQUENCY DISCOUNTS: given for

multi-week scheduled advertising, with

prepayment or credit approval. Call for rates or

for more information.

Phone lines can be busy on Monday & Tuesday

Deadlines... please call early.

CLASSIFYING & CENSORSHIP: We

reserve the right to classify each ad under its

appropriate heading. The publisher reserves the

right to edit or reject any copy submitted for

publication.

CORRECTIONS & ADJUSTMENTS:

Responsibility for classified advertising error is

limited to either a cancellation of the charge or a

re-run of the portion in error. Notification must

be given in time for correction in the following

issue. We assume no responsibility for the same

after the first insertion.

REAL ESTATE FOR RENT

700 Apts./Flats/Duplex—

Grosse Pointe/Harper Woods

701 Apts./Flats/Duplex—

Detroit/Balance Wayne County

702 Apts./Flats/Duplex—

St. Clair Shores/Macomb County

703 Apts./Flats/Duplex—

Wanted to Rent

704 Houses—St. Clair County

/Os

Houses—Grosse Pointe/Harper Woods

706 Detroit/Balance Wayne County

707 Houses—St. Clair Shores/Macomb County

708 Houses Wanted to Rent

709 Townhouses/Condos For Rent

710 Townhouses/Condos Wanted

711 Garages/Mini Storage For Rent

712 Garages/Mini Storage Wanted

713 Industrial/Warehouse Rental

714 Living Quarters to Share

715 Motor Homes For Rent

716 Offices/Commercial For Rent

717 Offices/Commercial Wanted

718 Property Management

719 Rent with Option to Buy

720 Rooms for Rent

721 Vacation Rental—Florida

722 Vacation Rental—Out of State

723 Vacation Rental—Northern Michigan

724 Vacation Rental—Resort

725 Rentals/Leasing

North Michigan

726 Waterfront Rental

HOMES FOR SALE

*See our Magazine Section "Your Home"

for all Classified Real Estate Ads

LAND FOR SALE

802 Commercial Property

806 Florida Property

807 Investment Property

809 Waterfront Lots

811 Lots For Sale

814 Northern Michigan Lots
815 Out of State Property
816 Real Estate Exchange
817 Real Estate Wanted
818 Sale or Lease
819 Cemetery Lots
820 Businesses for Sale
822 Vacation PropertiesOVER 60,000
GROSSE POINTE NEWS
ST. CLAIR SHORES
CONNECTION & POINTE
OF PURCHASE PLUS THE
"WORLD" ON THE
INTERNETWHAT'S BLACK & WHITE
AND READ ALL OVER???

(Our Newspapers)

Grosse Pointe News
& SHORES CONNECTION

Pointe of Purchase

The Grosse Pointe News,
The St. Clair Shores Connection,
Pointe of Purchase Classifieds!!!

NOW... CLASSIFIEDS IN COLOR!

Your AD can Jump Out at our Loyal Readers
Call 313-882-6900 ext. 3 for details700 APTS./FLATS/DUPLEX
POINTES/HARPER WOODS

1 bedroom condo apartment, Harper Woods. Carport, refrigerator, stove, basement storage. \$600. (248)683-0018

1039 Beaconsfield- 2 bedroom lower, non-smoking, no pets. \$700. (313)823-4071

1041 Beaconsfield, \$550/ month, no pets. (313)823-4071

1131 Maryland- bright attractive newly decorated 2 bedroom upper, 900 sq. ft., stove, refrigerator, laundry, basement, garage, front & rear sun porches. Quiet building. No pets. \$725. (313)885-9468

1312 Maryland- 3 bedroom upper flat with parking for two cars in garage. Private 1/2 basement with laundry. \$750/ month. (586)592-0007

1336 Maryland, 2 bedroom lower, no smoking, no pets. \$650. (313)823-4071

1353 Wayburn, spacious, remodeled, 1 bedroom upper, all appliances, \$450 plus deposit. (313)886-8051

700 APTS./FLATS/DUPLEX
POINTES/HARPER WOODS

1419 Somerset, 2 bedroom upper, 1200 sq. ft., central air, appliances, carpeted, laundry, garage. \$785. (313)885-3944

1454 Wayburn, 2 bedroom lower, clean, laundry, appliances, separate basement, garage, off street parking. \$700. (313)343-2915

1461 Beaconsfield- 2 bedroom, private basement, laundry, new appliances, garage. \$750. (313)640-8215

15003 E. Jefferson, 2 bedroom includes heat & water, \$595. (313)824-9174

2 bedroom flat, fresh & clean, private basement, fenced yard, garage, large rooms, appliances. \$680. (313)647-0120

2 bedroom unit in Grosse Pointe City. All hardwood floors. Water/ heat/ washer/ dryer included. \$875. (313)886-3515

539 St. Clair 2 bedroom, 1,000 sq. ft. 2 car garage. \$1100/ month. Year lease. (313)882-9972

700 APTS./FLATS/DUPLEX
POINTES/HARPER WOODS

2 bedroom, 2 full bath carriage house. Stunning living room, vaulted ceiling. 3 houses from the lake. Next to city park. \$1,900/ month. Fax resume to: Susan, 313-885-7114

3 bedroom. Living room, fireplace. \$675. (313)824-4624

834 Trombley, luxury upper. 9 rooms. No pets. \$1,400/ month. (313)821-8722

847 Beaconsfield, 2 bedroom lower. Appliances, laundry, parking. No smoking. \$575. (313)822-3390

848 Beaconsfield, 2 bedroom lower in a non-smoking building, sorry no pets, kitchen appliances included. \$675/ month. (313)822-1235

878 Neff- duplex. \$850/ month. Newly decorated, new kitchen, central air, alarm, new carpet. Non-smoking. 313-407-9306

CHARMING 7 room carriage house on Lakeshore, 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, appliances included, garage. Park Privileges. \$1,500/ month. (313)884-2814

700 APTS./FLATS/DUPLEX
POINTES/HARPER WOODS

894 Neff- 2 bedroom lower. \$925. Newer appliances, laundry, central air, fireplace, sunroom, garage. Fresh paint, new carpeting. (313)886-8510 or univ611@aol.com

969 Beaconsfield, Grosse Pointe Park, south of Jefferson. 2 bedroom lower. Living room with fireplace, dining room, updated kitchen with appliances. Washer, dryer provided, off street parking available. \$750. (313)884-4887

AFFORDABLE townhouse rental in Grosse Pointe Woods. 2 bedroom, 1 bath, clean, well maintained, central air, cable ready. No pets. \$750/ month. (248)848-1150

ATTRACTIVE 2 bedroom upper. Excellent Village location. Freshly redecorated. (313)343-8462. Evenings, (313)882-4988.

BEACONSFIELD, 1 bedroom upper. Hardwood floors, washer/ dryer. \$500/ month, security deposit required. No pets. (313)885-5508, after 6pm.

BEACONSFIELD, 1077. Brand new kitchens and baths. Upper and lower available. 2 bedrooms with den, central air. Garage, all appliances. \$850. 586-703-0666

BEACONSFIELD, 1084, 2 bedroom upper, newer carpeting/ hardwood/ windows, off street parking, redecorated. No pets/ smoking. Includes heat. \$675/ month. (313)882-8448

BEACONSFIELD, hardwood floors, 1 and 2 bedroom, laundry. No pets. \$535. (586)772-0041

BEACONSFIELD/ Jefferson, 2 bedrooms includes appliances, parking, \$600. Available now. (313)885-0031

BEACONSFIELD/ Jefferson. Great location! Recently remodeled. 2 bedroom. Reasonable rent! (248)882-5700. (248)344-9904

BEAUTIFULLY furnished 2 bedroom. Fully accessorized, fireplace, garage, long-term term. (313)886-1924

CARRIAGE house for rent, 2 bedroom, private Farms street. \$1,100/ month. (313)882-5271

CARRIAGE house, beautifully renovated 2 bedroom. All appliances, 1 car, generous storage, premiere location & size. Immediate occupancy. \$1275. (313)402-7125

CHARLEVOIX- spacious remodeled 2 bedroom, hardwood floors, porch & balcony. All appliances including dishwasher, washer, dryer. No pets. Water & heat included. In the heart of Grosse Pointe Park. (313)882-3333

ELEGANT 1,600 sq. ft. flat, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage, hardwood floors, new carpet, tile in white kitchen. \$1,500/ month. Available November. (313)882-8383

700 APTS./FLATS/DUPLEX
POINTES/HARPER WOODS

EXCELLENT location, 2 bedroom upper. New kitchen/ bath, off street parking, all appliances included. \$650. (313)727-7062

FIRST month free! 1170 Lakepointe, 2 bedrooms, hardwood floors, new kitchen/ windows. Very clean. \$750. (313)886-2244

GROSSE Pointe Park apartment, 2 bedroom, 1 bath, huge storage. Includes heat/ water/ laundry facilities. \$675/ month. By appointment, (248)543-4566

GROSSE Pointe Park, 990 Nottingham, lower 2 bedroom apartment, kitchen appliances, off-street parking. \$625/ per month plus utilities, 1 1/2 months security deposit. (313)571-1866

GROSSE Pointe Park, Wayburn. 2 bedroom lower, appliances, new carpeting, no pets. Credit check, lease. \$650/ month, security \$750. (313)864-4666

GROSSE Pointe Park- Beaconsfield south of Jefferson. Remodeled lower available. Hardwood floors, heat/ water included. On sight parking. \$595/ month. (313)884-3733

GROSSE Pointe Park. Remodeled 3 bedroom lower, appliances, basement, parking. \$850/ month. (313)331-7578

GROSSE Pointe, 2 bedroom furnished carriage house. Air, washer/ dryer. No pets. Security deposit. \$1,200, plus utilities. (313)882-3965

HARCOURT 2 bedroom upper, central air, enclosed porch, separate utilities, water included. Available. \$950/ month. (313)331-0330, Monday-Friday.

HARCOURT lower, 2 bedroom, den. Air. Non-smoking. No pets. \$950. (586)949-4095

HARCOURT, large 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath duplex. Living room with fireplace, new kitchen. \$1,500. 313-884-0501

HARCOURT- 2 bedroom upper, sunroom, fireplace, basement, garage, central air. No pets, non-smoking. \$1,050. (313)874-2427

HARCOURT- 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath. New carpet. Washer/ dryer. Must see. Option to buy. (313)882-7271. (313)882-7994

HARPER Woods apartment above store. Private. (313)881-4377

HARPER Woods- spotless 1 bedroom condo. Appliances, central air, hardwood floors. No smoking, pets. \$550. (313)882-4903

KERCHEVAL/ Beaconsfield- Small one bedroom. \$450/ month, includes heat. Recently remodeled. Open House, Saturday, 11am-1pm. (248)426-6500

700 APTS./FLATS/DUPLEX
POINTES/HARPER WOODS

Lakepointe clean 5 room lower, 1 bedroom, appliances, quiet building, no pets. \$625. (313)882-0340

LAKEPOINTE near Jefferson. Immaculate, spacious 2 bedroom upper. Washer/ dryer. No smoking/ pets. \$800/ month. (313)886-1821

LOCATION, location, location! Walk to Hill, shops & restaurants. Spacious, immaculate 2 full baths duplex. \$900. (313)510-0579

LOWER, spacious 2 bedroom. Grosse Pointe Park, 870 Nottingham. Refinished hardwood floors. Appliances, storage available. \$625/ month. (313)567-4144

MARYLAND 2 bedroom completely remodeled unit, brand new kitchen & bath, smokefree. \$850/ month includes water. (313)882-7558

NEFF Lane Apartment, 2 bedroom, 1 bath, central air, close to Village, carport, basement, lease, no pets. \$725/ month. (313)882-9972

NOTTINGHAM (south/ Jefferson) 3 bedroom upper. Appliances, fireplace. Non smoking adults. (313)822-1847

NOTTINGHAM, 2 bedroom apartment, appliances including washer/ dryer, storage. \$600. (313)882-2688

NOTTINGHAM, charming lower south of Jefferson. 3 bedrooms, new kitchen/ bath, fireplace, air. No smoking/ pets. References required. (313)881-0814, evenings.

NOTTINGHAM, completely remodeled 3 bedroom, dining & living rooms, new kitchen & appliances, new bath, new carpeting, new windows, air. No pets. \$1,000. 2 months security. (313)822-6970. Must see.

NOTTINGHAM- beautiful lower, hardwood floors, artificial fireplace, dining room, all appliances. Waiting for that special person. No pets/ smoking. References required. (313)885-1944

NOTTINGHAM- great 3 bedroom upper with two floors of living. 2,000 sq. ft., skylights, completely renovated, all appliances. One month free rent. (313)884-2526

NOTTINGHAM- spacious upper, newer kitchen, carpet, fireplace. Utilities, laundry. \$950/ month. (313)331-8211

SOMERSET beautiful flat, 2 bedrooms, hardwood floors, appliances, fireplace, laundry, garage. \$785 plus. Call (313)882-5554, after 5pm.

SOMERSET, 3 bedroom upper. Newly decorated, appliances, parking. No pets/ smoking. \$700. (313)882-9785

SOMERSET, 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath upper, freshly painted, newly finished hardwood floors, natural fireplace, garage. No pets. \$800 plus security. (313)881-3039

700 APTS./FLATS/DUPLEX
POINTES/HARPER WOODS

SOMERSET- 3 bedroom lower, recently redecorated, carpeted, front/ rear porch, garage, separate basement. No pets. \$725 plus security. (313)881-3027

SOMERSET- spacious 3 bedroom lower, appliances, no pets. \$750. (313)885-2206

ST. Clair, 347 (lower): large 2 bedroom excellent condition, with dining room and sunporch. No pets. \$1,200. (313)530-5050

ST. Clair, 606 upper. \$600. 1 bedroom, dining room, big yard, hardwood floors. Heart of the Village. (313)530-5050

TROMBLEY, 3 bedroom/ den, 1 1/2 baths, sun porch, separate basement, 2 car garage, fireplace, central air, all appliances. \$1,050. (313)881-1811

UPPER 1 bedroom, Jefferson/ Lakepointe. \$650 plus utilities. (313)331-8382

UPPER 3 bedroom, all appliances, new carpeting, freshly painted. \$750. (313)885-7138

UPPER duplex. \$800/ month. 2 bedroom. 1405 Somerset. Central air, washer and dryer in half basement and garage space. (313)640-8099

701 APTS./FLATS/DUPLEX
DETROIT/WAYNE COUNTY

2 bedroom apartment \$250/ month. Close to Grosse Pointe. (313)885-3410

2 bedroom upper, heat included, new carpet, 6202 Grayton. \$695. plus security, (313)642-1410

2 bedroom upper. Carpet, appliances. \$570/ month. (586)755-4301

2 bedroom, 2 car garage upper. 5212 Devonshire. Water included. \$600 plus deposit. (734)524-9553

4417 Devonshire, 2 bedroom upper. No pets. \$600/ month includes heat. 1 1/2 month security. Call Craig, (313)886-6564

4658 Balfour, 2 bedroom upper, \$525 and lower. \$600 (313)885-4205

5035 Chalmers at East Warren. Studios, \$400- \$450. 2 bedroom, \$680. Security required. All utilities included. Drive by first, then call (313)655-9728.

6121 Yorkshire, upper, newly decorated, 2 bedrooms & Florida room, 1,400 square feet. \$750 plus security deposit. (248)737-8415

896 Alter. 1 master bedroom apartment, laundry, parking, fireplace. Heat \$575. (313)823-9051

APARTMENT(S), 1 bedroom, Cadieux/ Mack/ Morang. Includes appliances/ heat/ water. \$395- \$495. (313)882-4132

BRIGHT spacious- 2 bedroom lower. Appliances, garage. Buckingham/ Mack. \$575. Security \$862.50. (313)886-1924

701 APTS./FLATS/DUPLEX
DETROIT/WAYNE COUNTY

CADIEUX/ Mack area. Nice 2 bedroom upper Available now. \$595. (313)640-1844

DESIRABLE East English Village- 2 bedroom updated flat. \$725/ month plus utilities, and security deposit. (313)884-3715, before 8pm.

DUPLEX, Moross/ Kelly, \$700 plus deposit. (313)882-6277

EAST English Village- 5041 Bishop. Clean & quiet upper flat, 2 bedroom, appliances, window air conditioners, use of laundry. \$650. (313)510-4470

HISTORIC Indian Village carriage house. 2 Bedroom, formal living and dining room, laundry. Garage space for 1 car. No pets/ smoking. \$1,000/ month, plus utilities. (313)331-3607

I-94/ Moross area. Clean 2 bedroom duplex. \$650 plus security. (313)884-3312

KENSINGTON-2 bedroom upper/ lower, laundry, appliances. \$750, \$800/ month. You can buy for only \$800 a month. (313)886-3164

MUST see 1 to 3 bedroom flats in Alter/ Jefferson area. Hardwood floors, off street parking. Starting at \$500/ month. 313-331-6180

SPACIOUS 1 bedroom upper & lower apartments with living room, dining room, kitchen with appliances, walk out sun deck, large walk in closets. Includes shared use of basement/ garage. \$475/ month includes heat and water. No pets. Excellent area. (586)775-7164

STUDIO, \$390/ all utilities included. Close to Grosse Pointe. (313)885-3410

SUNNY 2nd floor apartment, 2 bedrooms, living room, dining room, sunroom. East English Village, just blocks from Mack. Well maintained two flat. \$675/ month includes heat. Call (313)886-2517 or (773)465-7775

702 APTS./FLATS/DUPLEX
S.C.S./MACOMB COUNTY

1 month free! Eastpointe large 1 bedroom with basement, laundry hook-ups, air. Section 8 okay! \$575. (313)350-3147

11 Mile/ Harper, excellent location. 1 bedroom, utilities included. (248)344-9904 (248)882-5700

2217 Marter- 2 bedroom duplex, appliances, \$750/ month. Call Steve, 313-886-2214

900 sq. ft. apartment. New: carpet/ paint. Utilities included. \$600/ month. 1 bedroom, 1 bath. (313)282-5776

LAKE St. Clair- updated 1 bedroom cottage includes heat. No pets. No smoking. \$620. (586)468-0733

LAKESHORE Village- 2 bedroom, end unit. hardwood floors, washer/ dryer. Year lease. \$800/ month (313)882-9972

ROSEVILLE, 10/ Gratiot, cozy 1 bedroom upper flat. \$495/ month. (586)778-7087, (586)443-5988

**702 APTS/FLATS/DUPLEX
S.C.S./MACOMB COUNTY**

ROSEVILLE, 1 bedroom apartment, stove, refrigerator, washer, dryer. \$550/month. No pets. (248)543-3940

ROSEVILLE, 10/ Gratiot. Large 2 bedroom, lower flat. \$650/month. (586)778-7087, 586-443-5988

ST. Clair Shores - Jefferson/ 10 1/2, 1 bedroom, heat & water included. \$570. (586)757-6309

**703 APTS/FLATS/DUPLEX
WANTED TO RENT**

WANTED - cozy unfurnished/ furnished room with bath. Possibly on third floor or over garage. Long time Grosse Pointe resident, nonsmoker. Amy, (313)886-8569

**705 HOUSES FOR RENT
POINTES/HARPER WOODS**

1- home; 3 bedroom, garage, family room, finished basement with bath in Grosse Pointe Woods, near Mack. \$1,275. Lease. (313)882-9700, 313-882-2902

2 bedroom, Grosse Pointe executive townhouse, \$975 plus, (313)884-6288

3 bedroom bungalow, set back from street. Complete with new kitchen & appliances. 3 season porch, fenced in yard, off-street parking. House is located close to local shops, pets negotiable. \$750. 1242 Maryland (313)822-2746

3 bedroom house, all appliances, basement, living room, dining room. Fireplace, garage, off-street parking, \$880/month. 1451 Lakepointe. (313)822-2673

COZY 3 bedroom bungalow, 1 1/2 car garage, utilities included. \$900 plus security. (313)640-7939

FARMS colonial near Kerby & Brownell Schools. 1,946 sq. ft. 2.5 bath, 3 bedrooms plus Master sitting room/ office, 2 car attached garage. 350 Belanger. Available immediately. \$1,900/month. (313)884-6582

GROSSE Pointe Park, Wayburn. Lovely 1 bedroom rear cottage. Stove, refrigerator, washer, dryer, carpet, air. No pets. Credit check. Lease. \$575/month, security \$675. (313)864-4666

GROSSE Pointe Woods, 1740 Anita. 2 bedroom, air, all appliances. \$900. (313)790-1330

**705 HOUSES FOR RENT
POINTES/HARPER WOODS**

GROSSE Pointe Park. Beautiful 2 bedroom ranch within walking distance to Village. A lot of charm. Elements include: large rooms & windows, new carpeting throughout, French doors and built-in shelves in living room area, large finished basement with fireplace, additional full bath and plenty of storage, appliances, air conditioning, window treatments. References required. Available November 1st. \$1,150. Please call for additional details, (313)530-8430.

GROSSE Pointe Woods Cape cod, 4 bedroom, 2 bath, freshly painted, refinished hardwood floors. \$1,300/month. Renter pays utilities & water. No pets. Call Ruth Mayhall at Adlloch, 313-882-5200.

Grosse Pointe Woods 20911 HOLLYWOOD 2 bedroom, utility room, updated kitchen & bath, \$725/month. **REDUCED**

ANDARY 313-886-5670

GROSSE Pointe Woods, 2101 Lennon. It's larger than it looks. 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, 2 fireplaces, central air, fenced yard. Garage with opener. Appliances including washer/ dryer. Big finished basement. \$1,190/month. (313)492-6217

GROSSE Pointe Woods, Hollywood, 2 bedroom brick bungalow, central air, newly decorated, garage, \$1,100. Lease, security. References. No pets. (313)884-1340, (313)886-1068

GROSSE Pointe Woods, Roslyn. 2 bedroom, very nice house, carpeted, appliances, garage, laundry room, fenced yard, \$895/month. Call after 5pm. (313)881-2830

GROSSE Pointe Woods- 2 bedroom, finished basement. \$750. Rental Pros/ fee. 586-773-Rent

HARPER Woods, 2 bedrooms with hardwood floors, kitchen with appliances, finished basement with bath, garage with electric. \$850. (586)719-4022

HARPER Woods, clean, cozy 2 bedroom ranch. Garage. Section 8 ok. \$800. (586)778-7087

UNIQUE boat house, on water. 1 bedroom. Klenk Island. \$600. (313)824-4624

**705 HOUSES FOR RENT
POINTES/HARPER WOODS**

LANCASTER - 4 bedroom bungalow. \$950. Evenings, (734)992-2118. Days, 586-776-2060

MANSION on Lakeshore. Yearly triple net lease. \$3,500/month. (313)884-3366

**706 HOUSES FOR RENT
DETROIT/WAYNE COUNTY**

20300 Kingsville, 3 bedroom brick bungalow. Garage, basement, central air. 586-776-4882

4 bedroom brick, 17601 Rowe, new floors, garage, \$890. Option to buy, (313)882-4132

7 Mile area- 4 bedroom, 3 bath. Rental Pros/ fee, 313-882-Rent

CADIEUX Beaconsfield, Lansdowne, 2-3 bedrooms, new floors, garage, \$595- \$695. (313)882-4132

CADIEUX Mack, 3970 Bluehill, 3 bedroom, \$500/month. \$1,500 to move in. Open Saturday 11th, 10-12.

ESI Property Management has 2-3 bedroom homes, ready to be occupied. We have over 100 rental properties available. 313-533-1466; fee \$7.00

MOROSS & Harper area, 2 bedroom, 1 bath, no pets. \$700/month plus utilities, 1 1/2 months security. (248)626-6516

SPACIOUS 4 bedroom brick, basement, garage. \$850- \$950/month. Section 8 okay. (586)709-4331

**707 HOUSES FOR RENT/
S.C.S./MACOMB COUNTY**

10 Mile/ Jefferson area, on canal. 2 bedroom ranch, central air, remodeled bathroom, Jacuzzi tub, fireplace and refrigerator provided. Laundry in building. Available immediately. \$600. 1 month security required. Call 313-884-3558

2 bedroom ranch, 10 Mile/ Harper, new kitchen, tile bath, utility room, fenced yard, no pets. \$715. (313)881-3740

2 bedroom, 1 bath bungalow with hardwood floors, park like setting. A must see! All appliances included. 2 car garage. Security and references. \$800/month. 586-350-6099

CHARMING, immaculate 6 room house on 10 Mile Road. All new: kitchen, carpet, paint, windows. Includes all appliances, basement, garage. Park-like large yard. \$950/monthly. No pets. References. 586-268-0484

**707 HOUSES FOR RENT/
S.C.S./MACOMB COUNTY**

NEAR Nautical Mile, 3 bedroom ranch, fireplace, stove, refrigerator, approximately 1100 sq. ft. \$800. (586)552-1952

ROSEVILLE - 11 1/2 & Gratiot, 3 bedrooms, basement, family room, fenced yard, no garage. Immediate. \$895. (313)885-0197

ST. Clair Shores 3 bedroom, garage, appliances, central air, hardwood floors. \$895. (313)885-0197

ST. Clair Shores home, 3 bedroom, all appliances, good location, \$1,100. (586)776-1553

ST. Clair Shores, 2 bedroom, appliances, garage, spacious yard. \$650/month. (586)777-2635

ST. Clair Shores, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, full basement, fully renovated, appliances, \$1,100/month. (586)322-0201

ST. Clair Shores - 3 bedroom, air, garage. \$750. Rental Pros/ fee, 586-773-Rent

St. Clair Shores - Garage, appliances, central air. Newly remodeled. **Warren** - garage, fenced yard.

Warren - basement, central, newly remodeled. **All 3 bedrooms.** 586-776-4882

WARREN 2 bedroom, new kitchen, refinished floors, tiled bath. Fenced, no pets. \$640. (313)881-3740

**709 TOWNHOUSES/
CONDOS FOR RENT**

1 bedroom with living room, dining room and kitchen. 2nd floor. New windows, carpeting and paint. Stove and refrigerator provided. Laundry in building. Available immediately. \$600. 1 month security required. Call 313-884-3558

2 bedroom Lakeshore Village condo, 1,100 square feet. California closets, several updates, new landscaping. \$1000/mo. A available 1st November. (586)530-5128

**709 TOWNHOUSES/
CONDOS FOR RENT**

TOWNHOUSES FOR RENT
\$400 MOVES YOU IN... WITH APPROVED CREDIT
DOGS & CATS WELCOME
2 BEDROOM TOWNHOUSES
WASHER, DRYER & HEAT INCLUDED
15 & BEACONSFIELD
(586)790-0474
GEORGETOWN COMMONS
www.georgetowncommons.com

**709 TOWNHOUSES/
CONDOS FOR RENT**

CLEAN second floor condo at 17950 Mack in Grosse Pointe. One bedroom, one bath. Rent includes heat. No pets. Call Tappan & Associates at 313-884-6200 for details.

JEFFERSON - Lake-shore- beautiful 1st floor, 2 bedroom. Basement. Includes heat and air. \$750. Kathy Lenz, Johnston & Johnstone, 313-813-5802

LAKE St. Clair edge of Grosse Pointe Shores, spacious townhouse to share, separate quarters within gated community, all amenities of comfort & privacy. \$800 includes utilities. 586-775-3736

LAKESHORE Village townhouse, immaculate 2 bedroom, 1 bath, basement, central air, end unit. Lovely courtyard setting. \$850/month. First, last & security deposit. 1-727-669-8372

RIVARD - upper townhouse, 2 bedroom. Offers new carpeting, new decor, new windows, garage, basement. \$950/month. Cathy Champion, Bolton- Johnston, (313)884-6400, (313)549-0036

RIVERIA - beautiful 1st floor, 2 bedroom. New decor. Includes heat and air. \$790. Kathy Lenz, Johnston & Johnstone, 313-813-5802

ST. Clair Shores, 1 bedroom upper, \$525. Call (313)884-9132

TOWNHOUSE for rent approximately 1200 sq. ft. 2 bedrooms, 1 1/2 bath. \$650. (248)505-3974

**711 GARAGES/MINI
STORAGE FOR RENT**

CLASSIC car storage. Heated, well light. Grosse Pointe Park, month or season. (313)824-4624

HEATED secure private garage. Available for classic car. Protect your investment. (313)886-2499, 248-797-6332

**711 GARAGES/MINI
STORAGE FOR RENT**

IMMACULATE 2 1/2 car garage, cars only, residence St. Clair Shores. (586)296-9451

INDOOR garage stalls for rent. \$100/monthly. Convenient and safe. Fax request to Susan, 313-885-7114

STORAGE units for rent. Contractor perfect! 850 sq. ft. Grosse Pointe Park area. \$300. 313-824-4624

**714 LIVING QUARTERS
TO SHARE**

GROSSE Pointe Woods home to share. \$400 includes utilities. 313-886-9461

MATURE woman seeks housemate for Indian Village area. \$495/month. (616)260-1978 (313)331-2249

**716 OFFICE/COMMERCIAL
FOR RENT**

15005 E. Jefferson, \$175/month includes all utilities & parking. (313)824-9174

15224 Kercheval- Grosse Pointe Park. 4,000 sq. ft. Zoned B-2. 313-410-4339, 313-824-7900

16X 14 office on Mack & Severn. \$395/month. Call John or Bill (313)882-5200

COLONIAL NORTH Harper/St. Gertrude 400 sq. ft. Including all utilities. 5 day janitor. Near expressway. Reasonable. (586)778-0120

GROSSE Pointe Park Executive & medical suites & individual spaces for lease. Good parking, 15050 E. Jefferson, (313)885-3681

Grosse Pointe Woods Office space for lease. Whole suite and individual offices. Starting at \$375/month, includes utilities. **Lucido & Associates** (313)882-1010

**716 OFFICE/COMMERCIAL
FOR RENT**

**716 OFFICE/COMMERCIAL
FOR RENT**

**716 OFFICE/COMMERCIAL
FOR RENT**

**716 OFFICE/COMMERCIAL
FOR RENT**

GROSSE Pointe, 16610 Mack near Cadieux, nicely furnished. Attractive building. (313)882-7784

HARPER Woods: Harper/ Vernier, near I-94. Two 2 suites of offices. (One Nicely Furnished) 1,600 sq. ft. each. Very large nice offices; private entrance; kitchenette area. Priced right. Mr. Stevens. (313)886-1763

INDIVIDUAL office suites available in professional office building located in St. Clair Shores. (586)445-3700

SMALL private office or studio. (313)881-4377

SPACE available for doctor, lawyer or business. 9 Mile/ Kelly-Eastpointe. 586-775-0520

SYNERGY for rent 20490 Harper near 8 mile. Easy off/ on I-94. Need CPA, attorney, realtor, title company to join insurance & management company. Various sizes. (313)881-4929

**719 RENT WITH OPTION
TO BUY**

GROSSE Pointe Woods Large 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 baths, 2 car. Overlooking Lochmoor Golf Club. Fireplace, patio. \$1,650. (586)286-2330 (586)854-3339

**721 VACATION RENTALS
FLORIDA**

FORT Lauderdale- 2 bedroom, 2 bath, ocean condo. Ocean and Intercoastal views. \$4,000/month. Tom, 586-757-3413

MARCO Island, Florida, 2 bed, 2 bath deluxe beachfront condo. Call for weekly/monthly rates. (586)360-8901

NAPLES condo- Private beach, 2 bedroom, 2 bath. Newly furnished. Immediate availability. (248)650-0884

**716 OFFICE/COMMERCIAL
FOR RENT**

**716 OFFICE/COMMERCIAL
FOR RENT**

**716 OFFICE/COMMERCIAL
FOR RENT**

**721 VACATION RENTALS
FLORIDA**

MARCO Island- beach front condo. Beautiful 2 bedroom, 2 bath. Wrap around lanai. Fabulous views from every room. Fully furnished. Monthly rentals available. Call 313-439-2246

NAPLES, 2 bedroom, 2 bath, walk to beach, 24 hour security. 3 month minimum. (313)884-7944

SOUTH Fort Myers, 2 bedroom, 2 bath condo. www.mysoutherncove.com (586)228-2863, Ray

**723 VACATION RENTALS
MICHIGAN**

BOYNE Highlands townhouse. Professionally decorated. 3 bedrooms, 2.5 baths. Sleeps 8. (313)886-8445

FALL colors at Harrisville on Lake Huron. 1-3 bedroom, \$100-\$300. Need bring only linens. (313)882-8145 www.pretty-lake.com

GLEN Lake, Sleeping Bear Dunes. Fall vacation specials. Cathy Kegler, Broker. (313)881-5693. escape.to.theglen

LAKE Charlevoix, 3 bedroom condo. Pool, tennis, trails. Beeper. (586)916-0015

WATERFRONT - Port Sanilac, 6 bedrooms, 3 baths, sandy beach. \$1,500/ week. (313)882-5070

**726 WATERFRONT
RENTAL**

HARBOR Island- one of the best homes. 2 bedroom, plus loft. Large greatroom, 2 fireplaces. Beautiful unique home. (313)824-4624

Cash In
ON THE CLASSIFIEDS
Grosse Pointe News & Shores Connection
(313)882-6900 ext. 3

LAKE FRONT LEASE
Boat wells, indoor parking, elevator, exquisite woodwork, lake view offices, near I-94, Harrison Township
Offered at \$11.50 SF gross.
ANTON, ZORN & ASSOCIATES
(586)469-8888

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING INDEX
313-882-6900 ext 3 web: http://grossepointenews.com FAX: 313-343-5569

<p>DEADLINES HOMES FOR SALE Photos, Art, Logos - FRIDAYS 12 PM. Word Ads - MONDAYS 4 PM. Open Sunday and MONDAYS 4 PM. (Call for Holiday close dates) RENTS & LAND FOR SALE TUESDAY 12 NOON GENERAL CLASSIFIEDS TUESDAY 12 NOON (Call for Holiday close dates) PAYMENTS Prepayment is required. We accept Visa, MasterCard, Cash, Check. Please note - \$2 fee for declined credit cards.</p>	<p>AD STYLES: Word Ads: 12 words - \$17.75; additional words, .65¢ each. Abbreviations not accepted. Measured Ads: \$29.40 per column inch. Border Ads: \$32.85 per column inch. SPECIAL RATES FOR HELP WANTED SECTIONS: Given for multi-week scheduled advertising, with prepayment or credit approval. Call for rates or for more information. Phone lines can be busy on Monday & Tuesday Deadlines - please call early.</p>	<p>CLASSIFYING & CENSORSHIP: We reserve the right to classify each ad under its appropriate heading. The publisher reserves the right to edit or reject ad copy submitted for publication. CORRECTIONS & ADJUSTMENTS: Responsibility for classified advertising error is limited to either a cancellation of the charge or a re-run of the portion in error. Notification must be given in time for correction in the following issue. We assume no responsibility for the same after the first insertion.</p>	<p>ANNOUNCEMENTS 098 - 104 SPECIAL SERVICES 105 - 128 HELP WANTED 200 - 209 SITUATION WANTED 300 - 310 MERCHANDISE 400 - 421 ANIMALS 500 - 510</p>	<p>AUTOMOTIVE 600 - 615 RECREATIONAL 650 - 661 RENTALS & LOTS FOR SALE (See This Section) HOMES FOR SALE *See our Magazine Section "Your Home" for all Classified Homes for Sale ads. GUIDE TO SERVICES 900 - 983</p>
--	---	--	--	--

FAX, MAIL OR E-MAIL FORM
Grosse Pointe News & Shores Connection **Pointe of Purchase**
CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING
96 Kercheval • Grosse Pointe Farms, MI 48236
(313) 882-6900 ext. 3 • Fax (313) 343-5569
web: http://grossepointenews.com

NAME _____ CLASSIFICATION # _____
ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ ZIP _____
PHONE _____ #WORDS _____ TOTAL COST PER WEEK _____
J 1 WK J 2 Wks J 3 Wks J 4 Wks J 5 Wks
AMOUNT ENCLOSED _____
SIGNATURE _____ EXP DATE _____

\$17.75 for 12 words. Additional words, .65¢ each. PRE-PAYMENT REQUIRED

13	\$18.40	14	\$19.05	15	\$19.70	16	\$20.35
17	\$21.00	18	\$21.65	19	\$22.30	20	\$22.95

ANNOUNCEMENTS

100 ANNOUNCEMENTS

U.M. Homecoming football tickets, October 18th (6 seats together). (313)343-0380

**Classifieds
Work For You!**

100 ANNOUNCEMENTS

100 ANNOUNCEMENTS

Art for Christmas
Pen & Ink Drawing of
Your Home or Business
Done on Site.
Brochure Available at
Posterity Gallery or Call
ALOHA
586-764-6351

100 ANNOUNCEMENTS

100 ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONFIDENTIAL counseling. Professional problem resolution therapy. Monica Quinn, MA, CSW, 313-331-6600

100 ANNOUNCEMENTS

FREE health seminar- Wallach "Dead doctors don't lie". Thursday, October 16. Comfort Inn, Little Mack at Masonic, Roseville. Information: 888-277-2751

100 ANNOUNCEMENTS

100 ANNOUNCEMENTS

PERSONAL Chef to prepare healthy delicious weekly meals and/or for special dinner parties. References available. Please call Michelle, (248)259-5556

Check It Out
In The CLASSIFIEDS
Grosse Pointe News & Shores Connection
(313)882-6900 ext. 3

101 PRAYERS

101 PRAYERS

NOVENA to St. Jude May the Sacred Heart of Jesus be adored, glorified, loved and preserved throughout the world, now and forever. Oh Sacred Heart of Jesus, pray for us. Worker of miracles, pray for us. St. Jude, helper of the hopeless, pray for us. Say this prayer 9 times a day. By the 8th day, your prayer will be answered. It has never been known to fail, never. Publication must be promised. Thanks, St. Jude for prayers answered. Special thanks to our Mother Of Perpetual Help. J.M.

101 PRAYERS



108 COMPUTER SERVICE

COMPUTER expert. Web design, digital imaging, photo restorations. All problems solved. House calls for extensive repairs. Dave Main (313)580-0510 DM@comcast.net

TEEN computer whiz available to assist you on your computer. \$25/ hour. Steve, (313)884-1914

114 MUSIC EDUCATION

PIANO lessons for the young child. Experienced Grosse Pointe mother. Lessons in your home or mine. Ages 4 & up. Now accepting students for fall (313)881-1134

117 SECRETARIAL SERVICES

SECRETARIAL services for business/ professional people. Your work content handled confidentially. (586)777-9805

120 TUTORING EDUCATION

GERMAN tutor- available after school or evenings. BA in German, MSU. 313-570-9096

NEED math help? Patient & supportive math teacher can tutor privately in your home. Lisa, (313)574-5028

GROSSE POINTE

LEARNING CENTER

Since 1977

Our 25- On The Hill

131 Kercheval G.P.F.

313-343-0836

123 HOME DECORATING

HOME decor sewing, draperies, valances, shades, pillows, duvets, slipcovers, cushions. 313-886-7095

WALLPAPERING and removal by Joan. 15 years experience. Interior paint jobs. (313)331-3512

200 HELP WANTED GENERAL

!ACT NOW!

THE GLASS GALLERY

SHOLIDAY SEASONS

\$8 TO \$10 Per Hour

Plus Bonus & Emp.

Disc. National retailer

needs 6 personable,

honest, self-starting

sales associates for

glass gift store in:

EASTLAND MALL

MACOMB MALL

LAKESIDE MALL

Nov. 4th. thru Dec. 31st.

TWO YRS. of retail

or clerical experience &

background check

required. Part-time,

10-30 hrs./week. Day,

eve. & wknd. shifts avail.

Call 10AM-10PM:

1-800-466-4527 or visit

www.glassgallery.net

ACCOUNTANT-

full or part time in small

Grosse Pointe account-

ing office. Experience

required thru financial

statements. No overtime.

No health insurance. Fax

resume and salary require-

ments to 313-886-4319.

DISHWASHER

wanted. Apply in person, after

4pm. 15134 Mack,

Grosse Pointe Park

200 HELP WANTED GENERAL

200 HELP WANTED GENERAL

200 HELP WANTED GENERAL

ADMINISTRATIVE

and personal assistant to manage large home office two days/week. College degree, basic accounting, MicroSoft Office, Quicken, good social skills preferred. Send resume to: GrossePointeAsst@aol.com with subject "GPAsst".

APPLICATIONS

accepted for full/part time cashiers/stock, deli. Reliable, cheerful. Must be 18. York-shire Food Market, 16711 Mack.

AREA dry cleaning shop

seeks afternoon counter clerk, part time. Friendly & reliable faces please reply. \$7/ start. (313)886-2965

BOOTH available. Rent

or commission. Joseph of Grosse Pointe Beauty Salon, (313)882-2239

COSMETIC industry at

it's height for holiday season. Call for opportunity, (313)402-5920

CUSTODIAN, people

person, full time. Grosse Pointe United Methodist Church. Apply in person: 211 Moross.

Customer Service

Reps (Harper Woods office) needed.

5:30pm-9:30pm Monday-Thursday/9am-3pm Saturday. Good

phone skills & sales background helpful.

Will train. **Work at home is option.** 32

year old family business also needs

manager/supervisor. Excellent pay

plan. Karen 313-886-1763.

MANAGER/

maintenance position needed for 22 apartments in Grosse Pointe, part-time. Send resume or letter of interest to P.O. Box 190059 Burton, MI 48519

MATURE experienced

waitress & cook/kitchen help, part time. See manager 3pm-5pm, Monday-Friday only for application: Grumpy's, 15016 Mack, Grosse Pointe Park.

MATURE people for

laundromat attendants. Flexible schedule. Work references required. (313)414-0766

PAINTERS, carpenters,

laborers needed for remodeling company. Leave thorough message, don't go to operator. (313)884-3883

PICTURE framer, experience

needed, full or part time. 313-881-6305, ask for Carolyn.

FALL EXPANSION

\$11.25 base

Guaranteed Pay

•Flex Sched/We Train

•Intern/Schol Avail

•Days/Evenings

•Weekends Avail

•Simple/Fun Work

Positions Filling Quickly

Call Monday-Friday

10am - 6pm

(586)498-8977

workforstudents.com

SALES/

counter for beauty distributor, license preferred, benefits. See Ann at: 24305 Harper, St. Clair Shores, Monday-Friday, 9am-3pm.

200 HELP WANTED GENERAL

POWERONE Media is

seeking client service representatives to process, select and match employee candidate profiles to employment advertisements provided by our newspaper clients. Selected candidates should possess strong analytical skills coupled with the ability to think outside of the box. Excellent communication skills, attention to detail, and working knowledge of computers and the internet are required. Position is located in Harper Woods, MI. Please apply at www.cfai.com. No phone calls please.

PUBLIC safety

Dispatcher/ clerk: Permanent part-time day shift (7am-3pm.) Police/ fire/ EMS dispatcher/ clerk; wages \$15.11- \$16.38 per hour; schedule rotates workdays and days off, will work some Holidays and weekends; union position; keyboard 40 wmp; knowledge of Micro-soft Word, Access, Excel; qualified applicants will be tested on software, typing; candidate will be required to pass interview, a thorough background investigation, physical, drug screen, and psychological evaluation. Ability to multi-task and work independently without direct supervision; self starter; must have verbal and written skill. Interested individuals may request an application by writing, or in person at City Hall, or at the Department of Public Safety, 20025 Mack Plaza, 48236. City of Grosse Pointe Woods is an EOE, FMLA and ADA compliance employer. No phone calls please.

201 HELP WANTED

BABYSITTER

ENERGETIC, loving

caregiver needed 4 days/ week in our smoke-free Grosse Pointe home, must drive, native Spanish speaking a plus. Please fax resume & references to: 313-417-9080

FULL time, prefer live-

in. Private quarters. Grosse Pointe Park. References required. (810)987-3218

FULL time, prefer live-

in. Private quarters. Grosse Pointe Park. References required. (810)987-3218

NANNY full time needed

for 3 young children in Grosse Pointe home. Must have experience, transportation, references. No smokers. (313)433-0789

PART time child care

needed in my home. 3 girls ages 4, 2 and 4 months. Must be reliable and have excellent references. Call Jennifer, (313)640-0272

202 HELP WANTED CLERICAL

GROSSE

Pointe location bookkeeper/ secretary. flexible hours to suite your needs. One girl office. Informal, experienced, organized, accurate, computer literate. Send resume to P.C. Box 0543, St. Clair Shores, MI 48080

203 HELP WANTED

DENTAL/MEDICAL

DENTAL assistant quality

practice seeks exceptional, motivated, experienced team oriented assistant. Full time, benefits. Great hours. (586)775-4260

FULL time receptionist/

administrative assistant, RN field staff for Eastern, Wayne & northern Macomb. Benefits available. Fax resume to: (313)882-1547

Don't Forget-

Call your ads in Early!

Classified Advertising

313-882-6900 x 3

Grosse Pointe News & South Shore

Don't Forget-

Call your ads in Early!

Classified Advertising

313-882-6900 x 3

Grosse Pointe News & South Shore

203 HELP WANTED

DENTAL/MEDICAL

DENTAL assistant quality

practice seeks exceptional, motivated, experienced team oriented assistant. Full time, benefits. Great hours. (586)775-4260

FULL time receptionist/

administrative assistant, RN field staff for Eastern, Wayne & northern Macomb. Benefits available. Fax resume to: (313)882-1547

Don't Forget-

Call your ads in Early!

Classified Advertising

313-882-6900 x 3

Grosse Pointe News & South Shore

203 HELP WANTED

DENTAL/MEDICAL

DENTAL assistant quality

practice seeks exceptional, motivated, experienced team oriented assistant. Full time, benefits. Great hours. (586)775-4260

FULL time receptionist/

administrative assistant, RN field staff for Eastern, Wayne & northern Macomb. Benefits available. Fax resume to: (313)882-1547

Don't Forget-

Call your ads in Early!

Classified Advertising

313-882-6900 x 3

Grosse Pointe News & South Shore

203 HELP WANTED

DENTAL/MEDICAL

PART TIME

DENTAL HYGIENIST

For relaxed high quality St. Clair Shores dental office. Must be dependable and take an active role in diagnosis and treatment. Must understand all phases of non surgical perio therapy and have good people skills. Excellent pay. Monday and Thursday evenings & Saturdays. (586)771-1771

205 HELP WANTED LEGAL

PART time legal secretary-

fast paced general practice law office. St. Clair Shores. 4 years legal experience and proficiency in WordPerfect. Salary commensurate with experience. Mail resume to: Office Administrator, P. O. Box 420, St. Clair Shores, MI 48080

206 HELP WANTED

PART TIME

ACCOUNTS receivable.

Part time accounts receivable to collect past due invoices and other functions. Must be highly organized and computer proficient. Prior experience preferred. Please fax resume with salary requirement to: Mandy, 586-772-4874

207 HELP WANTED SALES

Are You Serious About

A Career In

Real Estate?

We are serious about your success!

*Free Pre-licensing classes

*Exclusive Success

*Systems Training

*Variety Of Commission Plans

Join The No. 1

Coldwell Banker affiliate

in the Midwest!

Call George Smale at

313-886-4200

Coldwell Banker

Schwitzer Real Estate

BE your own boss; A

\$200K+ per year potential. 24 hour message. Call 800-263-2563 ext. 1416.

GROSSE

Pointe design firm has immediate opening for in store sales (not interior design position). Design knowledge helpful but not necessary. Must work Saturdays. (313)886-1880

LOOKING FOR A NEW

CAREER?

Call and see if you qualify to earn \$50,000. We have the systems and the schooling to make your dreams come true.

(Call Richard Landry) at 313-885-2000

Coldwell Banker

Schwitzer

G.P. Farms

SITUATION WANTED

300 SITUATIONS WANTED

BABYSITTERS

ATTENTION:

by MICHIGAN LAW

DAY CARE FACILITIES

(in-home & centers) must show their current license to your

advertising representative when placing your ads.

THANK YOU

EXPERIENCED Grosse

Pointe college graduate seeks extra baby sitting jobs in your home. Available week nights. occasional weekdays and weekends. Non-smoker. Own transportation. Excellent references. \$10/ hour. (313)300-7089

302 SITUATIONS WANTED

CONVALESCENT CARE

ACTIVE, energetic

housewife- cares for seniors. 15 years nursing home experience. (586)779-6881

A+ Live-ins Ltd.

Companion Caregivers provide

Personal Care, Cleaning, Cooking

& Laundry. Hours & Daily Rates

Insured & Bonded

Dee Allen, Grosse Pointe Resident

881-8073

302 SITUATIONS WANTED

CONVALESCENT CARE

ACTIVE, energetic

housewife- cares for seniors. 15 years nursing home experience. (586)779-6881

A+ Live-ins Ltd.

Companion Caregivers provide

Personal Care, Cleaning, Cooking

& Laundry. Hours & Daily Rates

Insured & Bonded

Dee Allen, Grosse Pointe Resident

881-8073

302 SITUATIONS WANTED

CONVALESCENT CARE

COMPETENT

HOME CARE

Established 20 years Home health aides. Cooking, laundry, housekeeping, errands. Part time-24 hours. Excellent References. Licensed/Bonded (586)772-0035

KELLY HOME CARE

SERVICES

*24 YEARS EXPERIENCE IN

HOME HEALTH CARE

Nurses.

Home Health Aides

Live-in 24 hour coverage. 7 days per week

866-835-3385 toll free

Bonded / Insured

PERSONAL care, meal

preparation, house-

keeping tailored to meet your needs.

(313)881-4565

CARE FOR YOU

"The Ultimate In Home Care"

24 hour service

Bonded & Insured

Since 1978

Mik Background Check

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

1822 Newcastle- household, winter clothing, many items, patio set. Thursday-Saturday, 10a.m.

21809 Pleasant (north of 9, east of Harper), Friday, Saturday, Sunday, 10-2. Household baby stuff, men's & women's clothing.

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

EASTPOINTE, St. Peter's Lutheran rummage sale, Thursday October 9th, 9am-7pm, Friday October 10th 9am-1pm. 23000 Gratiot Ave. North of 9 mile.

EVERYTHING goes, antiques, ornate mirrors, fossils, furniture, T.V.'s Friday, Saturday 9-5. 1098 S. Brys. Grosse Pointe Woods.

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

GROSSE Pointe Park, 1317 Kensington, October 10th, 11th, 9-2. Two Family sale. Household, toys, clothing, books. Lots of good stuff!!

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

GROSSE Pointe Woods, 789 Canterbury, Thursday-Saturday, 11am-5pm. Refrigerator, electrical, bedroom sets, bikes.

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

LOTS of designer clothing, lamps, rugs, knick knacks, misc. items. 10 Dodge Place, Friday & Saturday 9-3.

MOVING sale- 1084 Bedford. Old wicker, albums, old school desk, 2 chests, bedroom set, collectibles & stuff. Friday, Saturday, 9-2.

412 MISCELLANEOUS
ARTICLES

MOVING- traditional dining/ living/ bedroom furniture, Lowrey theater organ, pecan china cabinet, miscellaneous items. (586)778-9178

OLD trunk, mahogany desk, Formica table/chairs. Mattan couch/ chair. Much more. (586)771-4188

602 AUTOMOTIVE
FORD

1991 Ford Taurus, runs, good body, needs mechanical work. \$250. (586)415-9306

1999 Grand Marquis, silver, mint condition, 20,000 miles, \$9,950. (313)881-5152

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

23218 Detour, St. Clair Shores. Friday, Saturday! 9am-3pm. Something for everyone!

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

GIANT- 2 family household items, collectibles, glassware, clothing, LP records, toys, books, tools, furniture. 5550/ 5543 Buckingham (Outer Drive). Saturday, Sunday; 8am-7pm.

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

GROSSE Pointe Woods, 5 Hampton, moving, large collection household goods. Saturday October 11th, 10-5.

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

HARPER Woods, 20419 Roscommon. Wicker desk, small kids cupboard, baskets, miscellaneous furniture, quilts, fancy cups & saucers, teapots, blue glass, Christmas Spode, vintage stuff, lots of little do-dads. Friday, Saturday, 9-3.

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

NO junk at this garage sale. Fine collectibles, furniture, miscellaneous. 466 Rivard, Saturday, 10-3.

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

OVER the range microwave, 1 year old, \$100. (313)882-5152

QUEEN size 7 piece bed room set, 2 brand new bikes, dishes, (313)881-9527

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

ADOPT a retired racing greyhound. Make a fast friend! 1-800-398-4dog. Michigan Greyhound Connection

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

4360 Bishop, Cadieux/ Mack area, October 11, 12, 9a.m.-4p.m. Furniture, lawn equipment, dog "stuff", treadmill, books, fabric patterns, household items.

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

GROSSE Pointe Farms, 293 Merriweather. Friday, 10th. Saturday 11th. 9am-4pm. Antiques, furniture, collectibles, old toys, household goods.

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

GROSSE Pointe Woods, 1174 Anita. Saturday, 8am-4pm. Huge garage sale! Wide variety of items available.

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

HUGE garage sale- Friday, Saturday; 9am-3pm; Sunday, 10am-2pm. 21227 Severn, Harper Woods (between Moross & Alard, Mack & Tyrone). Collectibles/ vintage from '40s-present. Pottery, glass, kitchenware, prints, lamps, linens, books, and much more. Large selection of CDs, movies, and magazines. Designer fragrances, handbags, ladies accessories and household goods. Adding new items each day. No early birds.

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

RUMMAGE sale Saturday October 11. Bethany Christian Church 5901 Cadieux. 9:30am-1pm. Special half price sale 11am-1pm.

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

ST. Clair Shores, 22941 13 Mile, 1/2 block east of Jefferson. Saturday, 9am-2pm. Cleaning house- too much stuff to list!

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

FOUND- male neutered cat. Small, approximately 3 years old. Call Cheryl (313)885-6712

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

BLOCK sale! Seven houses! Devonshire between Kercheval & St. Paul. Saturday, 9:30am-2pm. Tools, Little Tikes, antiques, oak table, pottery, lamps. New dishwasher & boom box. Microwave, kitchen cabinets, clothing, fishing boat. Great finds!

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

GROSSE Pointe City, Large multi-family. 5 Rathbone Place, Friday 9-3. Saturday 9-1.

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

GROSSE Pointe Woods, 1949 Littlestone. Friday-Saturday. 9am-2pm. Graco packnplay, 3 in 1 Century stroller, Evenflo car seat & more. Girl's 6-10, boy's 8-14, bikes ages 7-9, toys & games, 17" monitor, full set Wyndham Pfaltzgraf, 6x9 area rug, picnic table, exercise bike & more.

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

LARGE garage sale! October 10 & 11. 10am-5pm. 19941 Huntington, Harper Woods, between Beaconsfield & Harper. Nice dining room table & 4 chairs, rocking chair, German short wave radio, ladies bike, wrought iron pieces, large ladies slacks (18-26), baskets galore and much more.

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

ST. Clair Shores, 30100 Champine, (north of 12, west of Harper), Thursday-Saturday, 9-5. Compulsive shopper must sell. Something for everyone. Priced to go. New items daily.

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

WANTED- swing set in good condition for Grosse Pointe home. (810)987-3218

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

LOST cat black & white. Stephens & Beaupre area. 313-882-6276

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

EASTPOINTE, 19071 Veronica, between Kelly/ Beaconsfield, Saturday October 11th, 9am-4pm. Computers, printers, software, typewriters, Nintendo, games, books, T.V.'s, VCR, tapes, electronics, tools, household, more.

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

GROSSE Pointe Farms, 74 Stanton Lane/ Grosse Pointe Boulevard. Friday, Saturday; 10am-4pm. Tables, chairs, dishes, clothes, tools, toys, general household.

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

GROSSE Pointe Woods, 21819-21849 River Rd. Three families. Thursday, Friday, Saturday. 9am-4pm. Upscale household & clothing.

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

FREE pool table, all accessories included, you pick up. Excellent condition. (313)886-5721

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

JENN-AIR side by side refrigerator. Kenmore automatic washer. IBM computer. Toro snowblower & lawn mower. Singer sewing machine. All reasonable. (313)885-7437

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

LIONEL train, pre-WWII, train, \$75, power pack, \$35, both for \$100. (313)885-7031

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

MATCHING (2) Lane aqua recliners, like new. Pottery Barn large rugs: Christmas scenes, polar bear. Flower pattern sofa, (Flexsteel). Electric scooter (City Bug Sharper Image). Ladies bike. (313)885-6515

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

HUGE church rummage sale, October 10th, 9-4. 1444 Maryland, Grosse Pointe Park.

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

GROSSE Pointe Park, 1019 Bishop, Saturday, 10-3. Tables, chairs, crib, air conditioner, household items, games, books, more. Some oriental items.

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

GROSSE Pointe Woods, 19849 Holiday (South of 8 Mile, East of Mack). Saturday, Sunday; 8am-2pm. Furniture, clothing, collectibles, small appliances.

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

GROSSE Pointe Woods, 21819-21849 River Rd. Three families. Thursday, Friday, Saturday. 9am-4pm. Upscale household & clothing.

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

FREE pool table, all accessories included, you pick up. Excellent condition. (313)886-5721

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

JENN-AIR side by side refrigerator. Kenmore automatic washer. IBM computer. Toro snowblower & lawn mower. Singer sewing machine. All reasonable. (313)885-7437

409 GARAGE/YARD/
BASEMENT SALE

LIONEL train, pre-WWII, train, \$75, power pack, \$35, both for \$100. (313)885-7031

406 ESTATE SALES

Stefek Estate Sales, LLC
• We Buy Estates • Appraisals
313-417-5039
Lori Stefek
stefekestatesales.com

406 ESTATE SALES

Wanted Vintage Clothes And Accessories
Paying Top Dollar For The Following:
Clothes From The 1900's Through 1970's.
•Costume •Fine Jewelry/Watches
•Cufflinks •Furs •Hats •Handbags •Shoes
Lingerie •Linen •Textiles
•Vanity •Boudoir Items
References, Complete Confidentiality
"Paris" 248-866-4389

406 ESTATE SALES

GROSSE POINTS SALES, INC.
RENEE A. NIXON
Estate Sales • Appraisals
(313)822-1445
Member American Society Of Appraisers

406 ESTATE SALES

EASTPOINTE, 21761 FAIRLANE COURT
(off Mt. between Kelly and Beaconsfield)
Friday, Saturday, 9am-4pm

MOVING SALE- everything must go! Bedroom set for a young lady. Antique wicker furniture set and other assorted furniture. Evinrude outboard motor, gas tanks and ice shanties. Lots of glassware sets, holiday decorations, artwork. Ralph Lauren women's clothing. 200 watt stereo system with cabinet. Many more items, too numerous to mention!

406 ESTATE SALES

Rainbow Estate Sales
450 Lexington
Grosse Pointe Farms
Sat., Oct., 11th (9:00-3:00)

Featuring: Large country cupboard; 2 neeppoint chairs; 8 ladder-back chairs; lots of old sterling flatware; ladies' Queen Anne desk; new cherry Mission-style computer table; brass, kitchen goodies; many decorative items; old advertising: ice cream polar stools; metal & brass 3/4 bed; Eastlake parlor table; Eastlake chest; old nightstands; newer G.E. washer & dryer; primitives; mahogany chests of drawers; 2 old oak dining tables; many framed posters; 1967 Beates poster; Redhot & Blue movie poster; mirrors; paintings and more.
VERY interesting sale!

NUMBERS @ 7:30A.M. SATURDAY
TWO STREETS SOUTH OF COOK RD. OFF MACK
BETWEEN MACK & CHALFONTE
Look for the Rainbow!! www.rainbowestatesales.com

406 ESTATE SALES

Rainbow Estate Sales
www.rainbowestatesales.com
Complete Service
Glen and Sharon Burkett
313-885-0622

406 ESTATE SALES

GROSSE POINTS SALES, INC.
RENEE A. NIXON
Estate Sales • Appraisals
(313)822-1445
Member American Society Of Appraisers

406 ESTATE SALES

EASTPOINTE, 21761 FAIRLANE COURT
(off Mt. between Kelly and Beaconsfield)
Friday, Saturday, 9am-4pm

MOVING SALE- everything must go! Bedroom set for a young lady. Antique wicker furniture set and other assorted furniture. Evinrude outboard motor, gas tanks and ice shanties. Lots of glassware sets, holiday decorations, artwork. Ralph Lauren women's clothing. 200 watt stereo system with cabinet. Many more items, too numerous to mention!

406 ESTATE SALES

Rainbow Estate Sales
450 Lexington
Grosse Pointe Farms
Sat., Oct., 11th (9:00-3:00)

Featuring: Large country cupboard; 2 neeppoint chairs; 8 ladder-back chairs; lots of old sterling flatware; ladies' Queen Anne desk; new cherry Mission-style computer table; brass, kitchen goodies; many decorative items; old advertising: ice cream polar stools; metal & brass 3/4 bed; Eastlake parlor table; Eastlake chest; old nightstands; newer G.E. washer & dryer; primitives; mahogany chests of drawers; 2 old oak dining tables; many framed posters; 1967 Beates poster; Redhot & Blue movie poster; mirrors; paintings and more.
VERY interesting sale!

NUMBERS @ 7:30A.M. SATURDAY
TWO STREETS SOUTH OF COOK RD. OFF MACK
BETWEEN MACK & CHALFONTE
Look for the Rainbow!! www.rainbowestatesales.com

406 ESTATE SALES

Rainbow Estate Sales
www.rainbowestatesales.com
Complete Service
Glen and Sharon Burkett
313-885-0622

406 ESTATE SALES

GROSSE POINTS SALES, INC.
RENEE A. NIXON
Estate Sales • Appraisals
(313)822-1445
Member American Society Of Appraisers

406 ESTATE SALES

EASTPOINTE, 21761 FAIRLANE COURT
(off Mt. between Kelly and Beaconsfield)
Friday, Saturday, 9am-4pm

MOVING SALE- everything must go! Bedroom set for a young lady. Antique wicker furniture set and other assorted furniture. Evinrude outboard motor, gas tanks and ice shanties. Lots of glassware sets, holiday decorations, artwork. Ralph Lauren women's clothing. 200 watt stereo system with cabinet. Many more items, too numerous to mention!

406 ESTATE SALES

HARTZ HOUSEHOLD SALES, INC.
313-886-8982

ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD SALE
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
OCTOBER 10TH AND 11TH 2003
10AM-4:00PM
117 MORAN
GROSSE POINTE FARMS, MI
BETWEEN KERCHEVAL AND GROSSE POINTE BOULEVARD

Elegant traditional furnishings include **FLAME MAHOGANY KITCHEN DUNCAN PHYFE DINING SET** including table with inlaid edge, 6 Queen Anne chairs with shell motif & large lighted china cabinet. Large mahogany entertainment armoire. Chinese Chippendale coffee table. pair of small oval end tables. gorgeous large cream upholstered new sofa. beige floral handmade carpet. three Sarouk style man made rugs. walnut hall tree with seat c. 1900. girls' white bedroom set with sleigh bed and vanity, and more.

Elegant table top items include 8 place settings Wedgwood Wild Strawberry china, dozens of pieces of **GLORIOUS ANTIQUE STERLING SILVER**, including repousse, tea set, openwork bowls, and baskets, sets of flatware, etc. Cut glass items, antique bowl & pitcher set. Tiffany candlesticks, large Victorian style oil painting of flower arrangement. Czech dessert set. pretty picture frames & more.

Childrens items include 2 Little Tikes playscapes, a charming Step 3 play house, play kitchen, good children clothing, ladies and gents clothes, books, bed linens, a Dunny rug. Graco portable crib, and more. You will be pleased at the top quality and excellent condition of all these sale items.

CHECK OUR WEBSITE PICTURES AT:
www.hartz.householdsales.com

CALL THE HOTLINE 313-885-1410 FOR SALE DETAILS
STREET NUMBERS HONORED AT 9AM FRIDAY ONLY
OUR NUMBERS AVAILABLE 9-10AM FRIDAY ONLY

406 ESTATE SALES

HARTZ HOUSEHOLD SALES, INC.
313-886-8982

ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD SALE
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
OCTOBER 10TH AND 11TH 2003
10AM-4:00PM
117 MORAN
GROSSE POINTE FARMS, MI
BETWEEN KERCHEVAL AND GROSSE POINTE BOULEVARD

Elegant traditional furnishings include **FLAME MAHOGANY KITCHEN DUNCAN PHYFE DINING SET** including table with inlaid edge, 6 Queen Anne chairs with shell motif & large lighted china cabinet. Large mahogany entertainment armoire. Chinese Chippendale coffee table. pair of small oval end tables. gorgeous large cream upholstered new sofa. beige floral handmade carpet. three Sarouk style man made rugs. walnut hall tree with seat c. 1900. girls' white bedroom set with sleigh bed and vanity, and more.

Elegant table top items include 8 place settings Wedgwood Wild Strawberry china, dozens of pieces of **GLORIOUS ANTIQUE STERLING SILVER**, including repousse, tea set, openwork bowls, and baskets, sets of flatware, etc. Cut glass items, antique bowl & pitcher set. Tiffany candlesticks, large Victorian style oil painting of flower arrangement. Czech dessert set. pretty picture frames & more.

Childrens items include 2 Little Tikes playscapes, a charming Step 3 play house, play kitchen, good children clothing, ladies and gents clothes, books, bed linens, a Dunny rug. Graco portable crib, and more. You will be pleased at the top quality and excellent condition of all these sale items.

CHECK OUR WEBSITE PICTURES AT:
www.hartz.householdsales.com

CALL THE HOTLINE 313-885-1410 FOR SALE DETAILS
STREET NUMBERS HONORED AT 9AM FRIDAY ONLY
OUR NUMBERS AVAILABLE 9-10AM FRIDAY ONLY

406 ESTATE SALES

HARTZ HOUSEHOLD SALES, INC.
313-886-8982

ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD SALE
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
OCTOBER 10TH AND 11TH 2003
10AM-4:00PM
117 MORAN
GROSSE POINTE FARMS, MI
BETWEEN KERCHEVAL AND GROSSE POINTE BOULEVARD

Elegant traditional furnishings include **FLAME MAHOGANY KITCHEN DUNCAN PHYFE DINING SET** including table with inlaid edge, 6 Queen Anne chairs with shell motif & large lighted china cabinet. Large mahogany entertainment armoire. Chinese Chippendale coffee table. pair of small oval end tables. gorgeous large cream upholstered new sofa. beige floral handmade carpet. three Sarouk style man made rugs. walnut hall tree with seat c. 1900. girls' white bedroom set with sleigh bed and vanity, and more.

Elegant table top items include 8 place settings Wedgwood Wild Strawberry china, dozens of pieces of **GLORIOUS ANTIQUE STERLING SILVER**, including repousse, tea set, openwork bowls, and baskets, sets of flatware, etc. Cut glass items, antique bowl & pitcher set. Tiffany candlesticks, large Victorian style oil painting of flower arrangement. Czech dessert set. pretty picture frames & more.

Childrens items include 2 Little Tikes playscapes, a charming Step 3 play house, play kitchen, good children clothing, ladies and gents clothes, books, bed linens, a Dunny rug. Graco portable crib, and more. You will be pleased at the top quality and excellent condition of all these sale items.

CHECK OUR WEBSITE PICTURES AT:
www.hartz.householdsales.com

CALL THE HOTLINE 313-885-1410 FOR SALE DETAILS
STREET NUMBERS HONORED AT 9AM FRIDAY ONLY
OUR NUMBERS AVAILABLE 9-10AM FRIDAY ONLY

406 ESTATE SALES

HARTZ HOUSEHOLD SALES, INC.
313-886-8982

ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD SALE
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
OCTOBER 10TH AND 11TH 2003
10AM-4:00PM
117 MORAN
GROSSE POINTE FARMS, MI
BETWEEN KERCHEVAL AND GROSSE POINTE BOULEVARD

Elegant traditional furnishings include **FLAME MAHOGANY KITCHEN DUNCAN PHYFE DINING SET** including table with inlaid edge, 6 Queen Anne chairs with shell motif & large lighted china cabinet. Large mahogany entertainment armoire. Chinese Chippendale coffee table. pair of small oval end tables. gorgeous large cream upholstered new sofa. beige floral handmade carpet. three Sarouk style man made rugs. walnut hall tree with seat c. 1900. girls' white bedroom set with sleigh bed and vanity, and more.

Elegant table top items include 8 place settings Wedgwood Wild Strawberry china, dozens of pieces of **GLORIOUS ANTIQUE STERLING SILVER**, including repousse, tea set, openwork bowls, and baskets, sets of flatware, etc. Cut glass items, antique bowl & pitcher set. Tiffany candlesticks, large Victorian style oil painting of flower arrangement. Czech dessert set. pretty picture frames & more.

Childrens items include 2 Little Tikes playscapes, a charming Step 3 play house, play kitchen, good children clothing, ladies and gents clothes, books, bed linens, a Dunny rug. Graco portable crib, and more. You will be pleased at the top quality and excellent condition of all these sale items.

CHECK OUR WEBSITE PICTURES AT:
www.hartz.householdsales.com

CALL THE HOTLINE 313-885-1410 FOR SALE DETAILS
STREET NUMBERS HONORED AT 9AM FRIDAY ONLY
OUR NUMBERS AVAILABLE 9-10AM FRIDAY ONLY

406 ESTATE SALES

HARTZ HOUSEHOLD SALES, INC.
313-886-8982

ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD SALE
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
OCTOBER 10TH AND 11TH 2003
10AM-4:00PM
117 MORAN
GROSSE POINTE FARMS, MI
BETWEEN KERCHEVAL AND GROSSE POINTE BOULEVARD

Elegant traditional furnishings include **FLAME MAHOGANY KITCHEN DUNCAN PHYFE DINING SET** including table with inlaid edge, 6 Queen Anne chairs with shell motif & large lighted china cabinet. Large mahogany entertainment armoire. Chinese Chippendale coffee table. pair of small oval end tables. gorgeous large cream upholstered new sofa. beige floral handmade carpet. three Sarouk style man made rugs. walnut hall tree with seat c. 1900. girls' white bedroom set with sleigh bed and vanity, and more.

Elegant table top items include 8 place settings Wedgwood Wild Strawberry china, dozens of pieces of **GLORIOUS ANTIQUE STERLING SILVER**, including repousse, tea set, openwork bowls, and baskets, sets of flatware, etc. Cut glass items, antique bowl & pitcher set. Tiffany candlesticks, large Victorian style oil painting of flower arrangement. Czech dessert set. pretty picture frames & more.

Childrens items include 2 Little Tikes playscapes, a charming Step 3 play house, play kitchen, good children clothing, ladies and gents clothes, books, bed linens, a Dunny rug. Graco portable crib, and more. You will be pleased at the top quality and excellent condition of all these sale items.

CHECK OUR WEBSITE PICTURES AT:
www.hartz.householdsales.com

CALL THE HOTLINE 313-885-1410 FOR SALE DETAILS
STREET NUMBERS HONORED AT 9AM FRIDAY ONLY
OUR NUMBERS AVAILABLE 9-10AM FRIDAY ONLY

406 ESTATE SALES

HARTZ HOUSEHOLD SALES, INC.
313-886-8982

ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD SALE
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
OCTOBER 10TH AND 11TH 2003
10AM-4:00PM
117 MORAN
GROSSE POINTE FARMS, MI
BETWEEN KERCHEVAL AND GROSSE POINTE BOULEVARD

Elegant traditional furnishings include **FLAME MAHOGANY KITCHEN DUNCAN PHYFE DINING SET** including table with inlaid edge, 6 Queen Anne chairs with shell motif & large lighted china cabinet. Large mahogany entertainment armoire. Chinese Chippendale coffee table. pair of small oval end tables. gorgeous large cream upholstered new sofa. beige floral handmade carpet. three Sarouk style man made rugs. walnut hall tree with seat c. 1900. girls' white bedroom set with sleigh bed and vanity, and more.

Elegant table top items include 8 place settings Wedgwood Wild Strawberry china, dozens of pieces of **GLORIOUS ANTIQUE STERLING SILVER**, including repousse, tea set, openwork bowls, and baskets, sets of flatware, etc. Cut glass items, antique bowl & pitcher set. Tiffany candlesticks, large Victorian style oil painting of flower arrangement. Czech dessert set. pretty picture frames & more.

Childrens items include 2 Little Tikes playscapes, a charming Step 3 play house, play kitchen, good children clothing, ladies and gents clothes, books, bed linens, a Dunny rug. Graco portable crib, and more. You will be pleased at the top quality and excellent condition of all these sale items.

CHECK OUR WEBSITE PICTURES AT:
www.hartz.householdsales.com

CALL THE HOTLINE 313-885-1410 FOR SALE DETAILS
STREET NUMBERS HONORED AT 9AM FRIDAY ONLY
OUR NUMBERS AVAILABLE 9-10AM FRIDAY ONLY

406 ESTATE SALES

HARTZ HOUSEHOLD SALES, INC.
313-886-8982

ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD SALE
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
OCTOBER 10TH AND 11TH 2003
10AM-4:00PM
117 MORAN
GROSSE POINTE FARMS, MI
BETWEEN KERCHEVAL AND GROSSE POINTE BOULEVARD

Elegant traditional furnishings include **FLAME MAHOGANY KITCHEN DUNCAN PHYFE DINING SET** including table with inlaid edge, 6 Queen Anne chairs with shell motif & large lighted china cabinet. Large mahogany entertainment armoire. Chinese Chippendale coffee table. pair of small oval end tables. gorgeous large cream upholstered new sofa. beige floral handmade carpet. three Sarouk style man made rugs. walnut hall tree with seat c. 1900. girls' white bedroom set with sleigh bed and vanity, and more.

Elegant table top items include 8 place settings Wedgwood Wild Strawberry china, dozens of pieces of **GLORIOUS ANTIQUE STERLING SILVER**, including repousse, tea set, openwork bowls, and baskets, sets of flatware, etc. Cut glass items, antique bowl & pitcher set. Tiffany candlesticks, large Victorian style oil painting of flower arrangement. Czech dessert set. pretty picture frames & more.

Childrens items include 2 Little Tikes playscapes, a charming Step 3 play house, play kitchen, good children clothing, ladies and gents clothes, books, bed linens, a Dunny rug. Graco portable crib, and more. You will be pleased at the top quality and excellent condition of all these sale items.

CHECK OUR WEBSITE PICTURES AT:
www.hartz.householdsales.com

CALL THE HOTLINE 313-885-1410 FOR SALE DETAILS
STREET NUMBERS HONORED AT 9AM FRIDAY ONLY
OUR NUMBERS AVAILABLE 9-10AM FRIDAY ONLY

406 ESTATE SALES

HARTZ HOUSEHOLD SALES, INC.
313-886-898

603 AUTOMOTIVE
GENERAL MOTORS

DEVILLE '03 Sedan, leather 28,000 miles. Northstar engine. Cadillac certified warranty to 100,000 miles! Only \$23,950 or lease for \$352/ month with \$2,999 total at delivery. Rinke Cadillac, (586)758-1800

DEVILLE '00 Sedan. Leather, very clean! Warranty included! \$18,980 or lease for \$289/ month with \$2,677 total at delivery. Rinke Cadillac, (586)758-1800

AURORA '01 chrome wheels, leather, warranty. 4.0 Liter V8. Low miles! \$15,980 or lease for \$276 month with \$1,799 total at delivery. Rinke Cadillac, (586)758-1800

PARK Avenue '00 Silver, leather, 44,000 miles. Clean! Warranty included. \$13,980. Rinke Cadillac, (586)758-1800

603 AUTOMOTIVE
GENERAL MOTORS

CHEVROLET Cavalier Sport coupe- mint condition. 1.6L. Auto, 8K miles. \$9,895. (586)986-0941

ESCALADE ES '03- black, chrome. Tan leather, 8900 miles! Moonroof, Bose. Save! Only \$47,880 or lease \$557/ month with \$2,977 total at delivery. Rinke Cadillac, (586)758-1800

SEVILLE STS- '97 Northstar leather, very clean! Call now. \$8,950. Rinke Cadillac, (586)758-1800

605 AUTOMOTIVE
FOREIGN

2001 Audi A6, 2.7 Turbo Quattro, AWD sedan, excellent condition, dark blue exterior, beige leather interior, all options- \$31,900/ best offer. Call (313)642-0693

Classifieds: 313-882-6900 x 3
Grosse Pointe News & Shore Connection

605 AUTOMOTIVE
FOREIGN

2001 Honda Civic EX, 4 door, power windows/ doors/ locks, moonroof, CD, 16,000 miles, excellent condition. \$13,500. (313)885-4539

2001 Lexus LS430 sport. Limited edition. Black/ black. 50,000 miles. \$39,500. (313)884-7023

1998 Lexus LS400, 4 door, black/ beige interior, ultra clean. 41,000 miles, sunroof, CD, new tires and brakes. \$22,500. (313)343-0130, (313)882-1510 days.

1995 Mazda MX6, black, 2 door, loaded, power everything. \$3,800/ or best offer. (313)642-0362

1999 Mercedes Benz, Kompressor, sunroof, new brakes, new tires, 78,000 miles. \$14,995. (248)496-7375

605 AUTOMOTIVE
FOREIGN

2003 Mini Cooper S, 6,500 miles, exactly like one in "Italian Job" movie. \$24,500. (313)881-1862

1997 Nissan Sentra- one owner. 150,000 miles. Good transportation. Body dent. \$1,000/ best. (313)417-8428

1991 Toyota MR2, turbo, black, 68,000 miles, leather, moonroof. \$5,800. (313)881-2919

1989 Volkswagen Cabriolet, best seller, convertible, 2 door, white. First \$1500 takes. Grosse Pointe Shores, (313)884-3366

2001 Volvo V70, XC, AWD, 44,000 miles, loaded, navigation, warranty. \$27,000. (586)296-8616

Classified Advertising an IDEA that sells!
Grosse Pointe News & Shore Connection

605 AUTOMOTIVE
FOREIGN

1994 Volvo 850 turbo sedan, 65,000 miles, excellent condition. \$7500. Grosse Pointe Shores, (313)884-3366

LEXUS '03 GS430- 4 door sedan Navigation. Chrome wheels, black/ black, premium audio. Perfect! 4,000 miles. \$43,980 or lease \$499/ month with \$2999 total delivery Rinke Cadillac, 586-758-1800

606 AUTOMOTIVE
SPORT UTILITY

2002 Explorer XLS, 4 door, 4 wheel drive. 18,000 miles. Green, CD & tape. Excellent. \$17,000/ best. (313)220-9122

1990 Suburban, 4X4, new motor, 148,000 miles, needs transmission work. \$1650. (313)526-8428

608 AUTOMOTIVE
PARTS TIRES ALARMS

BMW wheels with snow tires, perfect condition! \$495/ offer. (313)820-1954

NEW Goodyear 275/45X20" take offs. 1996 Z-28 aluminum wheels, make offers. (313)886-3620

611 AUTOMOTIVE
TRUCKS

1995 Chevy full size pick up. V-8, 5 speed, short box, 2 wheel drive, air, white Flowmasters. Must see, like new, 104,000 miles. \$3,700. (586)344-8896

1993 Ford F-150, new brakes/ exhaust, very dependable. \$1200. (313)882-0562, (313)640-9836

1996 GMC Sonoma SLS. 4, automatic, Eaton posi, cover, bedliner. One owner. \$3,995/ best. (586)790-3576

612 AUTOMOTIVE
VANS

1992 Dodge conversion van, all power, VCR, CD, loaded, 114,000 miles. \$12,900. (313)882-6561

1996 Ford Custom Conversion van low mileage, 7 passenger, high top, 4 captain's chairs, bench seat converts to bed, T.V. VCR, cassette, CD, wood trim package, Florida car. \$8,000. Call after 6pm

1997 Grand Voyager. Excellent condition/ maintenance. 73,000 miles. \$7,000/ best. (586)771-5108

1997 Mercury Villager- Great condition. \$4,900. 313-304-1596

CHEVY '02 Express G3500, 15 passenger van. Warranty included. V8, rear air, very clean! Only \$15,880. Rinke Cadillac, (586)758-1800

RECREATIONAL

651 BOATS AND MOTORS

14' duck hunting boat with trailer. \$695. (313)820-1954

DONATE your boat/ clean Lake St. Clair! We Are Here Foundation... (586)778-2143, 100% tax deductible/ non-profit.

653 BOATS PARTS AND
MAINTENANCE

MARINE WOODWORK Custom Designed & Built Cabinetry. Repairs, dry-rot. 23 Years experience. Have Portfolio & References (248)435-6048

654 BOAT
STORAGE/DOCKING

WINTER storage, boats up to 25'. Haul- outs, bottom washing & shoring available or on your trailer. (313)882-9268

DIRECTORY OF SERVICES

WHAT'S BLACK & WHITE
AND READ ALL OVER???

(Our Newspapers)

Grosse Pointe News
& SHORE CONNECTION
Point O'Pine

The Grosse Pointe News,
The St. Clair Shores Connection,
Point of Purchase Classifieds!!!

NOW... CLASSIFIEDS IN COLOR!

Your AD can Jump Out at our Loyal Readers
Call 313-882-6900 ext. 3 for details

903 APPLIANCE REPAIRS

GOOD and reliable appliance repairs by "Promise Appliance, Inc." No extra charge for weekend or evening service. (800)895-2111 (586)465-8016

904 ASPHALT PAVING
REPAIR

AFFORDABLE Asphalt for a quality job you can afford. Fall special. Residential/ commercial. Free estimates. (734)777-4933

C & J Asphalt. Improve your driveway! Expert seal coating. (586)773-0887, 586-756-7935

907 BASEMENT
WATERPROOFING

CHAS. F. JEFFREY Basement Waterproofing • 40 Yrs. Experience • Outside Inside Method • Walls Straightened & Braced • Foundations Underpinned • Licensed & Insured 313-882-1800

EVERDRIY
BASEMENT
WATERPROOFING

• Free Inspections • Free Estimates • Licensed • Bonded • Insured • Financing • 75,000 Satisfied Customers • Lifetime Transferable Warranty 313-527-9090

907 BASEMENT
WATERPROOFING

907 BASEMENT WATERPROOFING

907 BASEMENT
WATERPROOFING

R.L. STREMERSCHE BASEMENT WATERPROOFING WALLS REPAIRED STRAIGHTENED REPLACED ALL WORK GUARANTEED LICENSED 313-884-7139 SERVING COMMUNITY 33 YEARS

Some Classifications are required by law to be licensed. Check with proper State Agency to verify license.

THOMAS KLEINER
BASEMENT
WATERPROOFING

• Digging Method • All New Drain Tile • Light Weight 10Aslag stone backfill • Spotless Cleanup • Walls Straightened & Braced or Replaced • Foundations Underpinned • Brick & Concrete Work • 20 Years Experience • 10 Year Transferable Guarantee • Drainage Systems Installed Licensed & Insured A-1 Quality Workmanship (586)296-3882 St. Clair Shores, MI

907 BASEMENT
WATERPROOFING

907 BASEMENT WATERPROOFING

907 BASEMENT
WATERPROOFING

CAPIZZO CONST. BASEMENT WATERPROOFING • WALLS STRAIGHTENED AND REPLACED • 10 YEAR GUARANTEE Family Business LICENSED INSURED TONY 885-0612

911 BRICK/BLOCK WORK

AFFORDABLE light masonry. Save on tuckpointing, brick replacements, mortar color matching. Estimates. Strong references. Mike, (313)884-0985.

ALL masonry work- Tuckpoint, chimney, bricks, block, stones. Lay patio slate. Cement steps. Reinforce house foundations. References. 586-779-7619

JAMES KLEINER Brick/block/flagstone/ limestone/ tuckpointing. Patios, porches, walks, chimneys, walls, borders (313)885-2097 (586)552-8441

SEAVER'S HOME MAINTENANCE Brick repairs- porches, chimneys, steps. Mortar color matched. 24 years. Insured. (313)882-0000

SEMI retired brick layer, over 50 years in masonry trade. Reasonable. (586)772-3223

SMALL repairs. Tuckpointing, concrete, porches, chimney repairs. Steve Kleiner. 586-215-4661, 810-765-8602

911 BRICK/BLOCK WORK

BRICK DOCTOR "Grosse Pointe's Restoration Specialists" The Art of Making Repair Work Disappear Specializing In: • Joint Restoration • Chimneys • Porches • Lime Stone (restoration & repairs) • Water Sand Blasting Licensed Work Guaranteed Call for Free Detailed Written Estimate 313-882-3804 Richard L. Price B.D.

• Brick Paving • Retaining Walls • Walkways • Driveways • Patios 586-294-3065

912 BUILDING/REMODELING

CEYCO Construction- A timely company. New construction, home improvements, renovations, kitchens, baths, roofs. Licensed/ insured. (313)415-5800

FIVE Lakes Construction. Additions, kitchen & bathroom remodeling. Finished basements, garages. New home construction, interior/ exterior painting. All finish work. Siding, windows & more. Excellent results. References. Licensed builder, fully insured. All major credit cards accepted. (586)773-7522.

NED IMPASTATO Master Builder Complete Home Renovations Specializing in Additions Kitchens & Bathrooms Marble, Ceramic & Granite Installations (313)640-1700

918 CEMENT WORK

918 CEMENT WORK

912 BUILDING/REMODELING

WIECHERT'S professional home maintenance. All code violations and new construction. Serving the Pointes for 20 years. (313)821-1520

EXCALIBUR
BUILDERS, CO.

Complete Remodeling New Construction • Additions • Kitchens • Basements • Baths • Licensed Builder • Custom Decks • Patios • Front Porches • Garages Free Estimates (586)242-0533

914 CARPENTRY

EXCELLENT carpentry. Trim work, moldings, remodeling, porches, decks, dry wall repair. Grosse Pointe references. Gary, (313)268-7024

EXPERIENCED carpenter since '67. Alterations. Windows, doors, decks, porches, garage straightening, seamless gutters, vinyl siding. References. (586)779-7619

916 CARPET INSTALLATION

GARY'S Carpet Service. Installation, re-stretching. Repairs. Carpet & pad available. 586-228-8934

918 CEMENT WORK

ANTONIO'S Cement. 23 years experience in all types of cement work & waterproofing. (586)350-4646

TO PLACE AN AD CALL 313-882-6900 ext 3

Grosse Pointe News & Shore Connection

918 CEMENT WORK

JAMES KLEINER Driveways, patios, walks, garage floors. (313)885-2097, (586)552-8441 All masonry & basement waterproofing.

VITO'S Cement. Drive-
ways, porches, patios,
garage floors, chim-
ney repairs. Licensed,
insured, bonded.
(313)527-8935WINTER
CONSTRUCTION

• Driveways • Patios • Walks • Additions • Garages • Licensed/Insured Free Estimates 586-790-1923

919 CHIMNEY CLEANING

SAFE FLUE CHIMNEY SERVICE

• Chimney Cleaning • Caps and Screens Installed • Mortar and Damper Repair • Animal Removal Certified Master Sweep TOM TREFFER (313)882-5169

COACHLIGHT
CHIMNEY SWEEP CO.

State Licensed 5154 Chimneys Cleaned Caps-Screens Installed Animal Removal Certified & Insured 885-3733

920 CHIMNEY REPAIR

INDEPENDENT Exterior Restoration. Chimneys, porches, gutters, fences, roof repairs. Guaranteed work. (313)331-8204

J & J
CHIMNEY
SYSTEMS, INC.

MICH. LIC. # 71-05125 Chimneys repaired, rebuilt, re-lined. Gas flues re-lined. Cleaning. Glass Block. Certified. Insured (586)795-1711

923 CONSTRUCTION REPAIR

923 CONSTRUCTION REPAIR

920 CHIMNEY REPAIR

JAMES Kleiner Basement Waterproofing, masonry, concrete. 25 years. Licensed. Insured. (313)885-2097, (586)552-8441

926 DOORS

TYRESE & Savioon Security Door Installation Services. 313-320-3292. <http://home.town.aol.com/willcolli3/myhomepage/business.html>

929 DRYWALL/PLASTERING

ANDY Squires. Plastering & Drywall. Stucco repair. Spray textured ceilings. 2054 (586)755-

COMPLETE ceilings
from \$500. Reliable,
reasonable, referen-
ces. J&F Home Im-
provement, Jay
(313)213-2886LOU Blackwell Plaster-
ing. All types: wet
plaster, cornice, cove,
ornamental. 25 years.
(586)776-8687
(313)658-8687PLASTER & dry wall re-
pair. All types water
damage. 18 years ex-
perience. Licensed,
insured. Joe,
(313)510-0950

PLASTER & drywall re-
pair and painting.
Grosse Pointe referen-
ces. Call Charles
"Chip" Gibson.
313-884-5764

PLASTER repairs,
painting. Cheap! No
job too small! Call
anytime. Insured.
(586)774-2827

SEAVER'S plaster, dry-
wall, textures, paint-
ing. Electrical repairs.
24 years- Grosse
Pointe. 313-882-0000.

SMOOTH plaster and
drywall repairs without
sanding. Other main-
tenance services
available. Licensed
builder. (313)824-
0869

SUPERIOR Plastering/
Painting. Stucco re-
pair, tuckpointing, dry-
wall taping. Insured.
Tom McCabe,
(313)885-6991

930 ELECTRICAL SERVICES

(586)415-0153. Univer-
sal Electric. Older
home specialists. Cir-
cuit breaker boxes,
outdoor plugs, re-
cessed lights, addi-
tions, all types of elec-
trical work. Licensed,
insured, owner operat-
ed.

CUSWORTH Electric-
Service upgrades, re-
pairs, heating and
cooling. Since 1965.
(313)319-0888,
(810)794-7232

930 ELECTRICAL SERVICES

FIRST ELECTRICAL CO. Licensed Master Electrical Contractor (586)776-1007 Free Estimates Commercial/Residential Code Violations Service Upgrade Renovations Reasonable Rates

S & J ELECTRIC
Residential
Commercial
No Job Too Small
313-885-2930

TOMA ELECTRIC. BOB TOMA Licensed Master Electrical Contractor. 313-885-9595

Reasonable Rates Free Estimates Commercial Residential New, Repairs, Renovations, Code Violations Service Upgrade

934 FENCES

"We Do Fencing Right" **KIMBERLY FENCE** Since 1974

10% OFF with this ad For New Estimates Expires 10/30/03 Ornamental Steel Picket, Aluminum, PVC Vinyl & Wood Privacy Fencing 313 366-7475

936 FLOOR SANDING/ REFINISHING

"Innovative Hardwood" Hardwood Floors-1985! Sanding-Refinishing-Repairs-New Installation Licensed & Insured Tim Tarpey (586)772-6489

A-1 Hardwood Floors, 27 years experience. Lay sand & finish. 313-640-9349

FLOOR sanding and fin-
ishing. Free esti-
mates. Terry Yerke,
586-823-7753

G & G FLOOR CO.

Wood floors only 313-885-0257 Floors of distinction since 1964. Bob Grabowski Founder / President Licensed, insured member of The Better Business Bureau Free Estimates We supply, install, sand, stain and finish wood floors, new & old. Specializing in Glitsa finish. (586)778-2050

Visa, Discover & MasterCard accepted

WOOD floor sanding-
refinishing. Michigan
Floor Services, 25214
Griat. Call 1-800-
606-1515

James Kleiner BASEMENT WATERPROOFING

A Business Built On Honesty,
Integrity & Dependability
Serving The Pointes For 25 Years

Specifications:

- Plywood around entire area to protect landscape
- All trees, shrubs, bushes, etc. will be protected
- Excavate (hand dig) area of basement wall to be waterproofed
- Haul away all dirt, sand, debris
- Remove existing drain tile and replace with new drain tile
- Scrape and wire brush wall removing all dirt, insuring a good bond
- Repair all major cracks with hydraulic cement
- Trowel grade tar and 5-mill viquesure applied to wall
- Run hose in bleeder(s) to insure sufficient drainage, electric snags bleeders(s) if necessary
- Lay stone or 10A slag stone within 12" of grade
- Four inch membrane tape applied to top of seam of viquesure
- Top soil to grade with proper pitch
- Interior cracks filled if necessary
- Thorough workmanship and clean-up
- Styrofoam insulation applied to wall if requested

313-885-2097 • 586-552-8441

10 Year Transferable Guarantee STATE LICENSED
"A GUARANTEE IS ONLY AS GOOD AS THE GUARANTOR"

RESIDENTIAL CONCRETE

Driveways • Patios

Footings, Garage Raising, Porches

Basement Waterproofing

Licensed & Insured

GARY DIPAOLO

586-228-2212

MARTIN REIF

586-775-4268

GRAZIO CONSTRUCTION, INC.

SINCE 1963

**938 FURNITURE
REFINISHING/UPHOLSTERING**

RECONSTRUCTION
renovation & painting
of antique or old furni-
ture. Sanding & paint-
ing of wood floors. Mi-
nor electrical work.
(313)617-2622

**943 LANDSCAPERS/
GARDENERS**

A-1 Ron's Tree & Shrub
Trimming. Immediate
service. 248-867-9302

AFFORDABLE Land-
scape design/ installa-
tion, patios, sprinkler,
gardening, fall clean
up, Christmas lighting,
snow removal. Free
estimates. Call Spark-
man Landscaping.
(313)885-0993

ALLEMON'S Gardening
& Landscaping. Fall
clean ups, gutter
cleaning & flushing.
Snow removal. Quali-
ty services. (586)775-
2525

ARBORIST- ISA certi-
fied. Five Seasons
Tree and Landscape.
Tree trimming, remov-
ing, cabling, shrub-
bery sculpting. Free
estimates. 24th year.
George Sperry.
(586)255-6229
(586)778-4331

BRY'S Lawn & Snow-
weekly cutting, fall
clean-up, snow serv-
ice done with snow
blowers. (586)779-
5110

CLEAN up your yard,
get rid of those
weeds! Jungle Jeff,
(313)478-5808

DAVE'S Tree & Shrub.
Trimming, topping,
pruning, removals.
Free estimates. Expe-
rienced. (586)216-
0904

DAVID'S delight special
rates on landscape
design, fall cleanup
and tulip bulb plant-
ing; including trimming
and removal. Free es-
timate (248)543-6818.
(248)808-0091

DERK Brown Lawn
Sprinklers- service &
installation. Winteriza-
tion \$40 most sys-
tems. (586)774-1777

DOMINIC'S
**REASONABLE STUMP
REMOVAL**
SHRUB REMOVAL
34 Years Experience
Call Dominic/Insured
(586)445-0225

GARDENER, serving
the finest Grosse
Pointe homes since
1979. Fall clean-up,
shrub planting, trim-
ming, weeding, bed
edging, cultivating,
pruning, windows,
painting, moving and
more. (313)903-1198

GARDENER- weeding,
planting, trimming, fall
clean-ups. Jason,
(313)550-0230

954 PAINTING/DECORATING

**943 LANDSCAPERS/
GARDENERS**

**K & K LAWN & SHRUB
SERVICES, INC.**
Shrub Trimming
Fall Clean Ups
Gutter Cleaning
Snow Removal,
VISA/ MC/ DISCOVER
FREE ESTIMATES
Licensed & Insured
(313)417-0797

**MAC'S TREE AND
SHRUB TRIMMING**
COMPLETE WORK
Reasonable Rates
Quality Service
Call Tom
(586)776-4429

MYERS Maintenance.
Lawn cutting, fall
cleanup, window
washing, gutters
cleaned, powerwash-
ing. (586)226-2757

STUMP & shrub remov-
al, inaccessible
stumps, hedge & or-
namental tree trim-
ming, yard grading.
Call Rodger.
(313)884-5887

STUMP Raze. Stump
grinding/ shrub re-
moval. Small trees re-
moved. Yard clean-
up. (586)778-0419

Tee's Lawn Sprinklers
Owner does the work
WINTERIZING
Prompt, efficient
service since 1988.
(586)783-5861

TREE and shrub trim-
ming, removal and
planting. Snow remov-
al. Free estimates.
Serving the Grosse
Pointes for 13 years.
Call Timberline.
(313)886-3299

WINTER tree service-
removal, trimming,
stumps. Call Matt,
(586)790-1923

20% OFF
SPRINKLER
WINTERIZING
**A.M. IRRIGATION &
LANDSCAPE**
LIGHTNING
NEW CUSTOMERS ONLY
MUST HAVE COUPON
UPON SERVICE
GOOD 10-1 THRU 10-31-03
800-576-6200

944 GUTTERS

ALLEMON'S Gardening
& Landscaping. Gutter
cleaning & flushing.
Quality services.
(586)775-2525

COMPLETE gutter/
downspout clean outs.
Low cost. Quality
work. Call Tom
(586)292-6777

FAMOUS Maintenance.
Window & gutter
cleaning. Licensed,
bonded, insured since
1943. 313-884-4300

GUTTER maintenance,
small repairs, clean-
ing, install guards.
Power washing. Free
estimates. (810)217-
7335

954 PAINTING/DECORATING

944 GUTTERS

SEAYER'S Home Main-
tenance- Gutters re-
paired, replaced,
cleaned. Roofing. 24
years. Insured.
(313)882-0000

HADLEY
HOME IMPROVEMENT
INCORPORATED
(313)886-0520
LICENSED & INSURED
Complete Building
& Remodeling Services
Residential &
Commercial
Kitchens • Baths
Rec-Rooms • Additions
Siding • Gutters
Trim • Windows
Doors • Cement Work
• Roofing

945 HANDYMAN

ABLE, dependable,
honest. Carpentry,
painting, plumbing,
electrical. If you have
a problem, need re-
pairs, any installing,
call Ron. (586)573-
6204

ALL around handyman
services including
light home remodeling
and outdoor mainte-
nance. (586)322-
2032, evenings
(586)746-1775

OLDER home specialist.
Custom carpentry,
plaster, painting, ce-
ramic, plumbing, elec-
trical. (810)908-1158

SUPER handyman.
Professional painting,
electrical, plumbing,
carpentry, remodeling.
Senior discount. Rob
(586)777-8633

PAT THE GOPHER
HOME MAINTENANCE SERVICE
• Small Home Repairs
• Gutter Cleaning & Repairs
• Small Roof Repairs
• Plumbing Repairs
• TV Antenna Removal
• Siding & Deck Installation
Insured
for more information
586-774-0781

946 HAULING & MOVING

AAA Hauling. Rubbish
removal, appliances,
concrete, dirt. Any-
thing houses, yards,
basements, estates.
We rent 10 yard
dumpsters. Senior
discounts. Insured.
(586)778-4417

MOVING-HAULING
Appliance removal, Gar-
age, yard, basement,
cleanouts. Construction
debris. Free estimates.
MR. B'S 313-882-3096
586-759-0457

Classified Advertising
an IDEA that sells!

954 PAINTING/DECORATING

954 PAINTING/DECORATING

Nick Karoutsos
PAINTING
Established 1965
(586) 778-9619
INTERIOR & EXTERIOR
RESTORATION &
CUSTOM PAINTING
FREE ESTIMATES
FULLY LICENSED
& INSURED

**D. BROWN and SONS
HOME IMPROVEMENTS**

Painting:
Exterior: Wood Brick Siding
Interior: Custom Painting & Faux Finish
Plaster Repairs:
Walls, Ceiling
All Types Of Cornice Molding
Repaired Or Reproduced
Carpentry:
Rough & Finished
Architectural Moldings, Cabinetry, Etc
Custom Millwork, Reproduction Work
REFERENCES CALL 313-885-4867
FOR FREE ESTIMATE & DESIGN
AWARD WINNING QUALITY WORK
34 YEARS EXPERIENCE • ESTABLISHED 1966

**Charles 'Chip' Gibson
CUSTOM PAINTING**

INTERIOR & EXTERIOR PAINTING
• Water Damage &
Insurance Work
• Wallpaper Removal
& Hanging
• Plaster Repair
• Staining & Refinishing
FAUX FINISHES
• Ragging
• Glazing
• Sponging, etc.
DEAL DIRECTLY WITH THE OWNER
• Licensed & Insured
• Commercial & Residential
• All Work Warranted
• References in your area
313-884-5764
Celebrating 20 years in Business

946 HAULING & MOVING

**GROSSE
POINTE
MOVING &
STORAGE**

Local &
Long Distance
Agent for
Global Van Lines



822-4400
• Large and Small Jobs
• Pianos (our specialty)
• Appliances
• Saturday, Sunday
Service
• Senior Discounts
Owned & Operated
By John Steininger
11850 E. Jefferson
MPSC-L 19675
Licensed - Insured
FREE ESTIMATES

948 INSULATION

INSULATION
Fiberglass
Installed
Yorkshire Building
(313)881-3386

954 PAINTING/DECORATING

BRIAN'S PAINTING
Professional painting,
interior/ exterior.
Specializing: Expert
Gold/Silver trim.
All types, painting,
caulking, window
glazing, plaster repair.
All work guaranteed.
Fully Insured!
Free Estimates and
Reasonable Rates, call:
586-778-2749
or **586-822-2078**

CORNERSTONE Con-
tracting. Specializing
in custom painting.
Residential/ commercial.
References. Free
estimates. (586)323-
9112

FIREFIGHTER/ Paint-
ers. Interior/ exterior.
Residential. Power
washing, wall wash-
ing. Free estimates.
(586)381-3105

FREDETTE Painting-
High quality at low
cost. All interior and
exterior. Free esti-
mates. Rick, 313-210-
0019

HORIZON Painting.
Residential, commer-
cial. Quality job at
a reasonable price. In-
terior, exterior, power
washing & wallpaper
removal. (586)776-
3796, (586)506-2233
call Dennis.

**WALLPAPER
REMOVAL
BY TIM**
Experienced quality
work dependable.
lowest price
586-771-4007

954 PAINTING/DECORATING

954 PAINTING/DECORATING

954 PAINTING/DECORATING

J.L. PAINTING
INTERIOR/EXTERIOR
Plaster repair
Drywall cracks/
peeling paint
Window putty/caulking,
faux finishes.
Power washing/
repainting
Aluminum siding
Grosse Pointe
References
Fully Insured
Free Estimates
313-885-0146

JOHN'S PAINTING
Interior- Exterior. Spe-
cializing in repairing
damaged plaster, dry-
wall & cracks, peeling
paint, faux finishes, win-
dow puttying and caul-
king. Also, paint old alu-
minum siding. All work
and material guaran-
teed. Reasonable.
Grosse Pointe referen-
ces. Licensed/insured.
Free estimates.
313-882-5038

PAINTER- interior/ exte-
rior. Great rates. Li-
censed/ insured.
Grosse Pointe resi-
dent. (313)670-4399

PAINTER- interior/ exte-
rior. Great rates.
Grosse Pointe resi-
dent. (313)882-3286

QUALITY PAINTING
Exterior / Interior
Plaster Repairs
24 years.
Insured - Neat
Quality Preparation
Seaver's Home
Maintenance
(313)882-0000

STEVE'S Painting. Inter-
ior/ exterior. Special-
izing in plastering re-
pairs, cracks, peeling,
paint. Window glaz-
ing, caulking. Also
paint old aluminum
siding. (586)469-4565

TWINS Painting- Interior
& exterior. Plaster &
drywall repairs. Caulk-
ing, windows, doors.
Paint faded aluminum
siding. All top quality
material and work-
manship. Free esti-
mate. 586-822-7418,
(800)819-9841

**957 PLUMBING &
INSTALLATION**

CLEANAWAY. Running
toilets, dripping fau-
cets, leaking traps &
sinks, clogged drains.
Senior Citizen dis-
count. Free estimates,
(586)776-0252

**DAN ROEMER
PLUMBING**
Repairs, remodeling,
fixtures installed.
Copper repipes.
Sewers and drains.
Licensed and insured.
(586)772-2614

954 PAINTING/DECORATING

954 PAINTING/DECORATING

**957 PLUMBING &
INSTALLATION**

**COMPLETE
PLUMBING
SERVICE**
MARTIN VERTREGT
Licensed Master
Plumber
Grosse Pointe Woods
313-886-2521
New work repairs,
renovations, water
heaters, sewer cleaning,
code violations.
All work guaranteed.

**DIRECT
PLUMBING
&
DRAIN**

886-8557
*Free Estimates
*Full Product Warranty
*Senior Discount
*References
*All Work Guaranteed

MICHAEL HAGGERTY
Lic. Master Plumber

**EMIL THE
PLUMBER**
Father & Sons
Since 1949

BILL TONY
MASTER PLUMBERS
313-882-0029

L.S. Walker Company.
Plumbing, repairs &
drains. Reasonable!
Insured. (586)786-
3900, (313)705-7568
pager.

960 ROOFING SERVICE

ADVANCED Mainte-
nance Inc. Roof leak
specialists. Tear offs,
re-roofs, shingles,
wood shakes, flat
roofs, copper bays,
decks, slate and tile
repair. Fully licensed
and insured.
(313)884-9512

ALL PRO ROOFING
•Professional roofs,
•Gutters •Siding,
•New •Repaired.
Reasonable/ Reliable.
27 years in business.
LICENSED/ INSURED
John Williams
586-776-5167

ALL roof repairs, gut-
ters, carpentry, flat
roofs, tear-offs. 20
years experience. Li-
censed. (586)759-
5977

CODDENS Construction
Since 1924. New or
repairs. Reshingle,
tear-off. Licensed, in-
sured. (313)886-5565.

FLAT roof specialist. 30
years experience.
Guaranteed. Li-
censed. Visa/ Master-
card accepted. 313-
372-7784

SEAYER'S Home Main-
tenance. Roof repairs,
ice shields, gutter,
chimney mainte-
nance. Insured.
(313)882-0000

960 ROOFING SERVICE

KARL Feistamm Roof-
ing & Sheet Metal.
Constructural & artis-
tic. Standing seam
roof & restoration.
Slate & tile. (248)628-
3159

ROOFING REPAIRS

Tear Offs / Re-roofs
Siding / Trim / Gutters
(all types)
Windows / Doors
Sun Rooms
Grosse Pointe Roofing
(313)884-0117

Some Classifications
are required by law to
be licensed. Check
with proper State
Agency
to verify license.

**DAVID EDWARD
ROOFING**

Residential Specialist
RE-ROOFS • TEAR OFFS



25 Years Exp.
Licensed & Insured
FREE ESTIMATES
(586)775-4434

Quality Work at a
Competitive Price



**COMPLETE
ROOFING
SERVICE**
RESIDENTIAL
COMMERCIAL
TEAR-OFF
RESHINGLE
CERTIFIED
APPLICATIONS OF:
MODIFIED SINGLE
PLY
FLAT ROOFING
SYSTEMS
VENTS
GUTTERS
REPAIRS

LICENSED - INSURED
886-0520

966 SNOW REMOVAL

ALLEMON'S Gardening
& Landscaping. By
season or push. By
blower or blade. Quali-
ty services. Residen-
tial and commercial.
(586)775-2525

**K & K LAWN & SHRUB
SERVICES, INC.**
Snow Plowing
Salting Services
Residential-Commercial
Licensed & Insured
FREE ESTIMATES
(313)417-0797

960 ROOFING SERVICE

960 ROOFING SERVICE

J & J ROOFING

(586) 445-6455 or 1 800-459-6455
SEE HOW AFFORDABLE QUALITY CAN BE!
10 year workmanship warranty.
25 year or longer material warranty.
Specializing in TEAR-OFFS
Licensed
CALL US TODAY FOR A FREE ESTIMATE!

966 SNOW REMOVAL

SNOW removal, \$20-
\$25. includes salt.
Call Kevin, (313)882-
6220

973 TILE WORK

ALL ceramic tile repairs
& installation. 35
years experience.
(586)771-4343. Free
estimates.

ALL tile, complete new
baths, kitchens & tile
design. 18 years ex-
perience. Licensed,
insured. Joe,
(313)510-0950

CERAMIC tile installa-
tion & repair. 17 years
experience. Free esti-
mates. Carlos,
(313)530-1295.

SAN Marino Tile & Mar-
ble. Trained in Italy.
37 years experience.
(586)725-4094

TILE BY SHERI
Tile Specialists,
& Designers - 20 Years
Repairs, Small Jobs
Free Estimates
(313)570-4092

TRAPANI Tile & Marble
Installations. Com-
plete bathroom resto-
ration. Licensed, in-
sured. Mike,
(586)822-2386

YIANNIS Tile and Mar-
ble. For professional
tile and marble instal-
lation. Over 30 years
experience. Call for
an appointment now.
(586)779-4390

977 WALL WASHING

MADAR Maintenance.
Hand wall washing.
Windows too! Free
estimates & referen-
ces. 313-821-2984

981 WINDOW WASHING

CALL Mr. Squeegee to-
day. Get clean win-
dows without breaking
the bank or your back.
I will do your windows,
gutters, and power
washing. Fully insur-
ed. References avail-
able. (313)995-0339

FAMOUS Maintenance.
Licensed & insured
since 1943. Wall
washing/ carpet
cleaning. 313-884-
4300.

MADAR Maintenance.
Hand wash windows
and walls. Free esti-
mates & references.
313-821-2984.

MYERS Maintenance.
Window washing, gut-
ters cleaned, power-
washing. (586)226-
2757

WE ACCEPT



**FOR YOUR
CONVENIENCE**

Grosse Pointe News
& SHORES CONNECTION

**REFERENCES
SINCE 1975**

"QUALITY IS OUR SUCCESS"
Meticulous Preparation
• WALLPAPERING • DRYWALL PLASTER REPAIR
• STAINING • CAULKING
• WALL WASHING • ACACUSTICAL SPRAYING
• VARNISHING • BRUSHING - ROLL & SPRAY PAINTING
• TEXTURING • WOOD REFINISHING

• WE WORK AROUND YOUR HOURS •

FREE-ESTIMATES
(313) 881-3970
18837 HARPER • DETROIT • FAX 313-881-3951

**Let The Classifieds
Do The
FOOTWORK**

Grosse Pointe News
& SHORES CONNECTION **Point O Purchase**
(313)882-6900 ext. 3

GREAT WESTERN PAINTING

Specializing in Interior/Exterior Painting. We offer
the best in preparation before painting and use only the
finest materials for the longest lasting results.
Great Western people are quality minded and courteous.
REASONABLE RATES
FREE ESTIMATES • FULLY INSURED/ LICENSED
313-886-7602

**One More Reason For
Home Delivery**

Subscribe today!
**Call our
Circulation Dept.**
(313)343-5577

Grosse Pointe News
THE ST. CLAIR
& SHORES CONNECTION

REAL ESTATE & LIFESTYLES

GROSSE POINTE FARMS



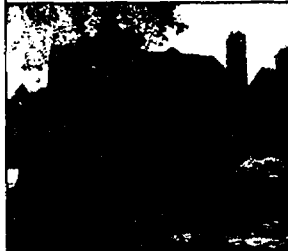
A very unique home in the heart of Grosse Pointe Farms. Home has recent updates in painting, carpet, driveway, roof, gutters, landscaping and window treatments. Natural fireplace, patio with hot tub, fenced yard. Move in condition. \$339,900 GP72MTV 313-886-5040

GROSSE POINTE PARK



OPEN SUNDAY 2p.m. - 4p.m.
True "Lakefront" home set on the tip of a secluded point with panoramic views. Freighters glide through the nearby channel. Gorgeous home in spectacular setting. \$2,680,000 GP34LAK 313-886-5040

GROSSE POINTE WOODS



This great Woods full brick bungalow offers two full baths, newer kitchen with maple cabinets and ceramic tile floor. Three bedrooms, beautiful fireplace in living room. Formal dining room, carpeted basement. Warranty. \$208,900 GP73ALL 313-886-5040

GROSSE POINTE PARK



Restored bungalow, lovely oak kitchen, open floor plan. New roof 2003, hardwood floors, new carpeting in bedrooms. Lovely master bath with Jacuzzi and separate shower. Family room, finished basement with bath. \$189,900 GP81BEA 313-886-5040

GROSSE POINTE FARMS



Large, beautifully maintained seven bedroom, five bath, brick, two family home. Newer air conditioning and updated boilers and tear-off roof. Lot to the north of property is available and lot to the south is included. \$549,000 GP88TRO 313-886-5040

GROSSE POINTE WOODS



Nicely updated three bedroom center entrance on deeper parking yard, featuring updated kitchen. Family room with skylights, two fireplaces, most appliances, partial finished basement, oversized garage, newer carpeting. \$229,900 GP21ROS 313-886-5040

GROSSE POINTE PARK



Lovely three bedroom, two bath brick bungalow. Great eat-in kitchen, appliances stay. Gas forced air heat, air conditioning, two car garage and a deck in fenced yard. Seller is finishing basement. Home warranty. \$205,000 GP73BEA 313-886-5040

GROSSE POINTE FARMS



Grosse Pointe Farms spacious three bedroom brick ranch with updated furnace, central air, windows and hot water heater. Living room with gas fireplace and kitchen with oak cabinets. Finished basement. \$214,900 GP48ELI 313-886-5040

GROSSE POINTE PARK



Newly decorated. Natural woodwork, red oak hardwood floors. Two full baths, this is a must see home! Den could be used as a 6th bedroom. Basement has lav. and plumbing for shower. Close to schools and parks. \$184,500 SC99BEA 586-778-8100

GROSSE POINTE WOODS



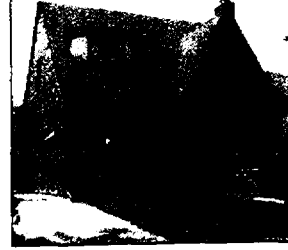
All dressed up and ready to go! Beautiful five bedroom home with fabulous space and amenities has all the right updates and rooms! Aggressively priced, this home offers immediate occupancy. \$530,000 GP99BRI 313-886-5040

GROSSE POINTE PARK



Three bedrooms and one and one-half baths. This home has a large living room that overlooks a nice patio and garden area, a cute kitchen, a first floor laundry, and newer windows. Grosse Pointe schools and parks! \$125,000 GP14LAK 313-886-5040

GROSSE POINTE FARMS



Space and cleanliness welcome you in this charming Tudor. Three large bedrooms, one and one-half baths. Master bedroom offers his and her closets plus a sitting/dressing room. Lovely covered patio, newer windows. \$248,700 GP25CAL 313-886-5040

GROSSE POINTE WOODS



Truly beautiful and spotless inside and out. Remodeled three bedroom bungalow features hardwood floors, marble fireplace and updated kitchen and bath. Finished basement has half-bath and a second fireplace. \$199,900 GP6HAM 313-886-5040

ST. CLAIR RIVER



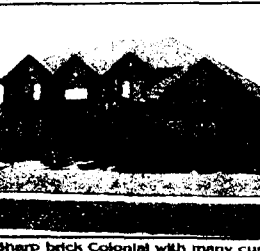
Wonderful home on St. Clair River. Two levels of gracious living with in-ground pool. Enclosed summer house with kitchen and fireplace. Three bedrooms, two and one-half baths, deck, two boat houses, steel sea wall. \$549,500 GP11NRI 313-886-5040

LAKEFRONT SETTING



Fabulous five bedroom, five bath ranch on approximately 1.3 acres. Newer kitchen, two master bedroom suites, professional decor and a four car garage. You will not be disappointed. \$2,999,900 BH26COV 248-642-8100

SHELBY - ROYAL FOREST



Sharp brick Colonial with many custom amenities throughout. Open floor plan, oak kitchen, master bedroom with walk-in closet and master bath. Deep basement with garden windows. Huge garage, large patio loaded with extras! \$450,000 CT26HIG 586-286-6000

Century 21

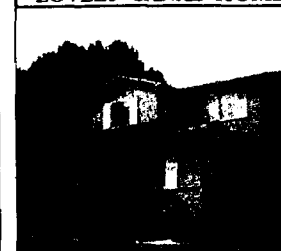
Town & Country

Michigans #1 CENTURY 21 Firm,
CENTURY 21 Town & Country.

19251 MACK AVE., #140
GROSSE POINTE WOODS
(313)886-5040

www.century21town-country.com

LOVELY CANAL HOME



Wonderful waterfront, totally redone. Addition in 2000 has a master suite, doorwall, balcony overlooking water, skylights, gorgeous master bath Jacuzzi, standup shower, cathedral ceiling, ceramic tile. Finished basement. \$295,000 GP35MAP 313-886-5040

ATTENTION TRADESMAN



Perfect home for tradesman needing storage. Approximately four acres with woods in back. Pole barn has heat, gas, electricity, hoist and reinforced floor. There are two garages, workshop. House has four bedrooms, more. \$430,000 CT51KUN 586-286-6000

LAKEFRONT



Spectacular three bedroom, three bath. Great Room with wood burning stove. Updated kitchen, all appliances, six person Jacuzzi tub. Finished basement with natural fireplace, full bath, bedroom, rec room and much more. \$699,000 SC26STA 586-778-8100

LAKEFRONT HOME



Five bedroom, five and one-half bath home on Pine Lake. Brazilian hardwood floors, two fireplaces and a first floor master bedroom. Southern exposure, stunning views, swimming pool and three car garage. \$1,999,000 BH32INT 248-642-8100

HARRISON CANAL HOME



Three bedroom, two bath on canal with eighty foot steel seawall including two boat wells. Insulated mechanics garage with furnace. Family room with natural fireplace, first floor bath with whirlpool. Andersen windows. \$339,000 SC76HUR 586-778-8100

ARCHITECTURAL DETAIL



Custom with over 8,000 finished feet. Four bedrooms, four full baths, one powder room and four fireplaces. Entry master bedroom wing with pillared bath, six closets, fireplace and private staircase to loft. Coffered. \$940,000 RO85ELK 248-652-8000

SHARP COLONIAL



Just a few blocks from downtown Birmingham. Updated roof, kitchen, stainless steel appliances, hot water heater, windows and hardwood floors. Finished basement, two car attached garage with immediate possession. \$525,000 BH14WAS 248-642-8100

GREAT CONTEMPORARY



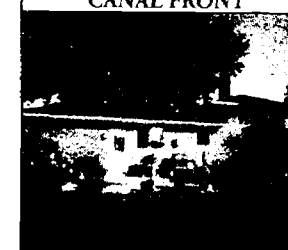
Approximately two-thirds acre lot, backing to Fairway Park and Rouge River. Remodeled throughout, white kitchen, private master suite and walls of windows overlooking park-like yard. Great for entertaining. \$775,000 BH13LIN 248-642-8100

CUSTOM CONTEMPORARY



A beauty with all the trimmings! Red maple kitchen with island and granite, all upgraded appliances. Great lake views and large lot. Four bedrooms, three and one-half baths, three car garage. \$499,900 CL91ZEE 248-620-7200

CANAL FRONT



Beautiful canal front brick tri-level, just a few homes from Lake St. Clair. Lots of updates, gorgeous brick paver patio, electric boat hoist and separate jet ski hoist. Nicely landscaped. Must see this home! \$259,000 CH56ROS 586-949-5590

ROOM TO GROW



This newer "Raised Ranch" has a daylight basement, neutral ceramic tile, light maple cabinets, moveable island in kitchen, appliances, two level deck, three car garage, sprinklers in yard and a nice view! \$266,500 CT21WOO 586-286-6000

CONTEMPORARY HOME



Spacious two-story with soaring foyer and Great Room. 1993 built, three bedrooms and four baths. Great heated three car garage. Zoned heating and cooling. Partly finished walk-out. Landscaped half-acre lot. Commerce. \$525,000 CL00WEL 248-620-7200

RESORT LIKE LIVING



Secluded pond-like setting presents this three bedroom two and one-half bath Cape Cod with two car attached garage, basement, hickory kitchen, Great Room with gas fireplace, custom deck overlooking pond. \$319,900 PLB3HOG 734-455-5600

UNIQUE DESIGN



Four bedrooms, four and one-half bath contemporary Colonial with unmatched quality in materials. Built in 1997, extensive use of maple, granite and glass throughout. Private setting and multiple exterior decks. \$1,895,000 BH46LAH 248-642-8100

COUNTRY LIVING



Mint condition four bedroom, two and one-half baths. Three car attached garage, full basement, Great Room with fireplace, first floor laundry, gourmet kitchen with eating area, all sitting on over an acre. \$299,900 PL51FAI 734-455-5600

HUGE BRICK RANCH



Approximately 2,200 square feet with many extras and custom features. This Great Room ranch has three full baths, one-half bath, two fireplaces and a second kitchen with oak cabinets in the finished basement. \$299,900 CT15KIR 586-286-6000

LIVE ON THE CANAL



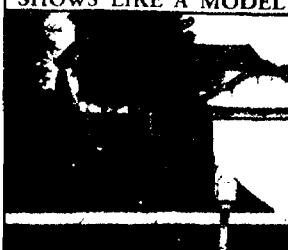
Only minutes from lake. Four bedrooms, three full baths. Master bedroom with balcony to enjoy the view of the lake. Large living room, heated attached garage, two tiered deck. Newer furnace, central air, dimensional roof. \$289,900 CT10HIG 586-286-6000

AWESOME SPLIT-LEVEL



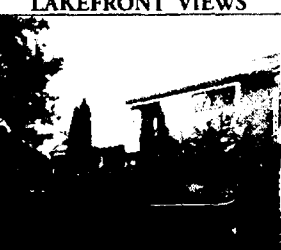
Five bedroom, three and one-half bath home! Kitchen with Corian counters. Master suite has jacuzzi tub. Finished basement with oak kitchen, and family room with fireplace. Wrap around deck! \$569,900 CH21HAR 586-949-5590

SHOWS LIKE A MODEL



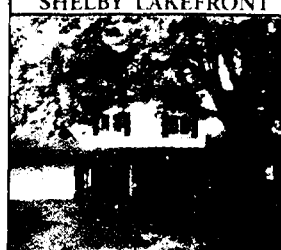
Beautiful four bedroom, hardwood floors, newer carpet, custom oak kitchen, built-in desk and hutch. Two fireplaces, family room, finished basement. Beautifully landscaped. Freshly painted. Patio. Lots of storage. \$284,900 CT51BOR 586-286-6000

LAKEFRONT VIEWS



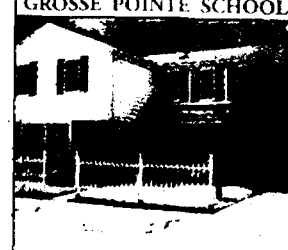
Absolutely spectacular two story contemporary with first and second floor master bedrooms, marble foyer and kitchen with island. Three car side entry garage and views of lake from many rooms. \$1,549,900 BH37SHI 248-642-8100

SHELBY LAKEFRONT



Like being on vacation everyday! Four bedrooms, three full baths, family room with fireplace, finished basement, central air, remodeled kitchen, newer siding and windows. Deck off master suite. Beautiful lake with beach. \$279,900 CT01QUE 586-286-6000

GROSSE POINTE SCHOOLS



A large New England style home just waiting for a family. Many updates, walk to private park. Family room and living room, first floor laundry. Home warranty included! \$254,900 SH88DAN 586-731-8180

Website: www.century21town-country.com

• Complete Home Marketing Plan • Home Warranty Program • Local and Regional Multiple Listing Services
• Full-Service Relocation Services 1 (800) 448-5817 • Financial Services (586) 264-5400

Grosse Pointe Woods
(313) 886-5040

Clinton Township
(586) 286-6000

Sterling Heights
(586) 939-2800

Rochester
(248) 652-8000

Shelby
(586) 731-8180

Troy
(248) 524-1600

Birmingham
(248) 642-8100



West Bloomfield
(248) 626-8800

Commerce
(248) 363-1200

Administrative Office
Rochester

(248) 608-5000

Northville
(248) 349-5600

St. Clair Shores
(586) 778-8100

Clarkston
(248) 620-7200

Royal Oak
(248) 280-4777

Plymouth
(734) 455-5600

Fraser
(586) 294-3655



IMAGEMAX, INC.

1-800-YOU-FILM

JOB # 07424069	
ROLL NO. 2	
MICROFILMED FOR	James A. Smith, 11/11/03
MATERIAL MICROFILMED	100 pages
ROLL STARTS WITH	October 9, 2003
ROLL ENDS WITH	December 25, 2003
DATE MICROFILMED	
FILMER RL	BOXES
CAMERA	COUNT