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DIA on the line

By Brad Lindberg
Staff Writer

THE GROSSE POINTES — The Aug. 7 ballot appeal for direct, tri-county tax funding will stabilize the Detroit Institute of Arts financial footing, according to its director, Graham Beal.

"If it doesn't pass, we will very soon cease to be the DIA as we know it today; become just a shadow," Beal said.

The ballot question asks property owners in Wayne, Macomb and Oakland counties for up to .2 mills per year for the next 10 years.

The rate equals 20 cents per \$1,000 of taxable value. Receipts are slated for "art institute services," according to Beal.

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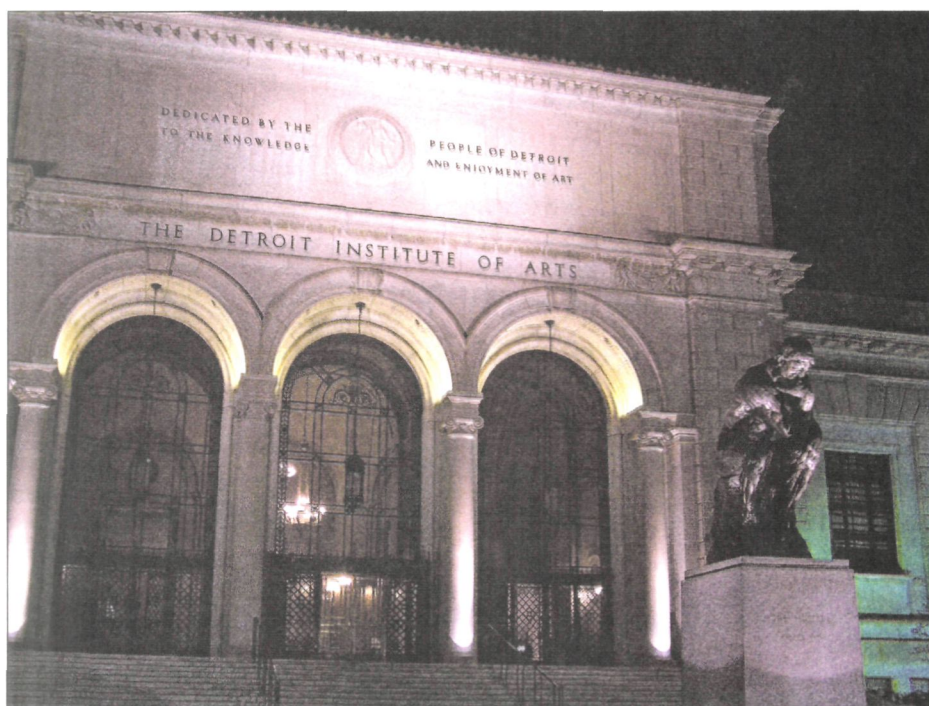


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Most of the lights will dim at the Detroit Institute of Arts unless property tax funding is approved by voters in Wayne, Macomb and Oakland counties, according to museum director, Graham Beal.



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At the lake

The Detroit Symphony Orchestra returned to the Edsel & Eleanor Ford House grounds in July to perform two sold-out concerts. Music lovers gathered on the lawn and others anchored their boats near the shore to listen to the music under the director of Conductor Carolyn Kuan. Music included Mussorgsky's "Night on Bald Mountain," excerpts from Bizet's "Carmen Suite," Rimsky-Korsakov's "Scheherazade," "The Girl from Ipanema" and "Adios Nonino."



DTE gets an earful

By Kathy Ryan
Staff Writer

GROSSE POINTE WOODS — Representatives of DTE Energy heard complaints from Grosse Pointe Woods residents and provided few answers as to why many houses were without power for several days at the beginning of July.

The officials attended the Woods city council meeting Monday, July 16.

DTE's lack of response, both at the time of the outage and at the council meeting, prompted city officials to order a public hearing, at a date to be determined some time in August, where DTE officials will have to give residents an official reason why the outage occurred and a definitive plan to prevent these outages in the future.

"I was among those without power," council member Art Bryant told the DTE representatives, "and that wasn't the first time. We were without power for four days a few weeks before that, and I know houses on Roslyn were without power another time. We're without power a lot. You generate \$10,000,000 in revenue from this area, and I want to know when you're going to put money back into this area to improve our service and guarantee an end to these outages."

At issue is an outage that occurred in an area bounded by Mack, Vernier, Lakeshore and Blairmoor Court, referred to by many simply as "the quadrant." Most residents lost power about 5 p.m. Friday, July 6, and power was not restored until

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County candidate arrested, faces charges

By Brad Lindberg
Staff Writer

A candidate to shake things up in county government is being prosecuted for disorderly conduct.

Shirley Nagel, 64, of Grosse Pointe Farms, running for Wayne County commissioner in next month's Republican primary, was arrested in Grosse Pointe Shores the night of fireworks shows, July 4, on the lakefront.

She also is accused of giving false information to a police officer, said a detective. The charges are misdemeanors.

Nagel, showing signs of intoxication, spent time in lockup before appearing to sober up and post \$600 bond, according to police.

Shores Municipal Judge Matthew Rumora granted her request to waive a Wednesday, July 11 arraignment, according to the court clerk. Rumora scheduled a pre-trial hearing for Thursday, July 19. The date is after this week's Grosse Pointe News deadline.

Nagel denied substance abuse.

"Let's just say, I'm 64 years old," she said last week from her home. "Sometimes, you get tired. Sometimes you get

relaxed and tired. You're in your own community and not real worried about anything. And you're just relaxed. That's all I can say."

Fireworks displays were staged that night in the Shores by the Grosse Pointe Yacht Club and by the Farms downstream.

An off-duty Shores officer, attending the club show with his family, noticed a woman, seemingly unconscious, on the ground in front of a house in the 700 block of Lakeshore.

He called PSO Tony Spina, on bicycle patrol. Spina arrived at 11:27 p.m.

He'd been alerted to "a severely intoxicated female who had been sleeping on the lawn of a residence," Spina said.

"(I) was told she was disoriented and walking southbound (on) Lakeshore," he reported. "(I) did indeed witness (her) walking and staggering across the street at Colonial."

Spina offered to arrange a ride home in a squad car.

"The subject, having bloodshot eyes, slurred speech and unsteadiness on her feet, not only refused a ride, but also even refused to provide any in-

formation," Spina said. "Being concerned for her safety, (I) requested a marked police car to the location to assist her home."

PSO Ron Coste responded in a cruiser.

"(I) detected an odor of intoxicants emanating from (her)," Coste said. "(She) was verbally resisting officers' direction. (She) stated she was old, tired and could fall asleep anywhere and that's why she did what she did."

"(She) was continually

uncooperative with PSO Coste and eventually was arrested," Spina said.

At headquarters, Nagel reportedly said her sister, from St. Clair Shores, was en route to drive her home.

"Upon arrival of the sister, (Nagel) attempted to walk away from officers and verbally advised officers that she is leaving," Coste said. "She continued to ask why we are 'harassing' her. (She) continued to refuse to identify herself and was placed

under arrest for disorderly conduct and refusing to provide identification to a police officer."

Nagel appears in municipal and election files with different middle names.

She's listed in Shores police, Farms assessing and water billing records as Shirley Margaret Nagel.

She appears on the Aug. 7 primary ballot as Shirley Hanna Nagel.

"I believe Hanna is her maiden name," said a rep-

resentative of the Wayne County Elections Division.

Nagel said her campaign is "going very well. People are looking for new energy on the county level. I offer that new energy. I'm looking to make some big sweeps. Changes."

She was reported internationally during the 2008 presidential campaign for not giving Halloween candy to children of parents supporting Democrat candidate Barack Obama.

Gentz ruled competent

By Kathy Ryan
Staff Writer

Joseph Gentz has been ruled competent to stand trial in the January murder of Grosse Pointe Park resident Jane Bashara.

Gentz stood mute in 36th District Court on Wednesday, July 11, as his court-appointed attorney, Susan Reed, read the results of a privately administered competency examination which declared Gentz had a "rational understanding of the charges."

Gentz, who has limited intellectual abilities, was previously ruled competent to stand trial following an examination by a court psychologist.

At a hearing on that ruling in June, the court agreed to Reed's request to have a private evaluation done on Gentz. The results of that evaluation, done by Charles Clark, Ph.D. of Ann Arbor, agreed with the court examination. A preliminary examination on the

charges was set for 1:30 p.m. Monday, Aug. 13.

Those charges, first-degree murder and conspiracy to commit murder, mean Gentz faces mandatory life in prison without parole if convicted.

Gentz has admitted to police that he killed Jane Bashara the night of Jan. 24, but he did so at the request of her husband, Bob. He told police Bob Bashara was going to give him \$2,000 and a used Cadillac for killing Jane. Gentz turned himself into police shortly after the murder.

The results of the competency hearing were welcomed by Reed, who said that negotiations can now begin with the Wayne County Prosecutors Office regarding the charges Gentz faces.

"Mr. Gentz is able to function and listen to advice," she told reporters after the hearing. "And that's what he is doing."

Negotiations, Reed acknowledged, will be im-

pacted by the arrest on Monday, June 25 of Bob Bashara on charges that he attempted to hire someone to kill Gentz.

"Joe has been saying all along that Bashara wanted to kill him," she said. "This murder plot proves that Joe was credible."

Bashara's attorneys maintain the charge against their client is the result of a "miscommunication." When asked about that, Reed noted, "I don't think the prosecutor would file charges for a miscommunication." The official charge against Bashara, solicitation to murder a witness, carries a penalty of up to life in prison. Bashara is currently being held in the Wayne County jail in Detroit on a \$15 million cash bond.

Gentz is being held in isolation for his own protection in the Dickerson Correctional Facility in Hamtramck. For his safety, Reed said, she and another attorney have been his only visitors.

Reed said she did not have a timeline for negotiations on the charges facing Gentz, saying it was up to the Prosecutors Office, but said she expected talks to begin sometime before Gentz's preliminary examination, perhaps even as early as next week.

Last week's hearing was scheduled for 1:30 Wednesday afternoon, but was delayed for nearly an hour when court staff noticed that Gentz had not been brought over from Dickerson for the hearing.

According to Reed, the Dickerson staff had not been notified of the hearing, and it took several phone calls to the Dickerson facility, including one from an undercover police officer telling someone at the jail to "put a suit on him and get him over here," before the hearing could move forward.

Bashara's preliminary examination is set for Tuesday, July 23.



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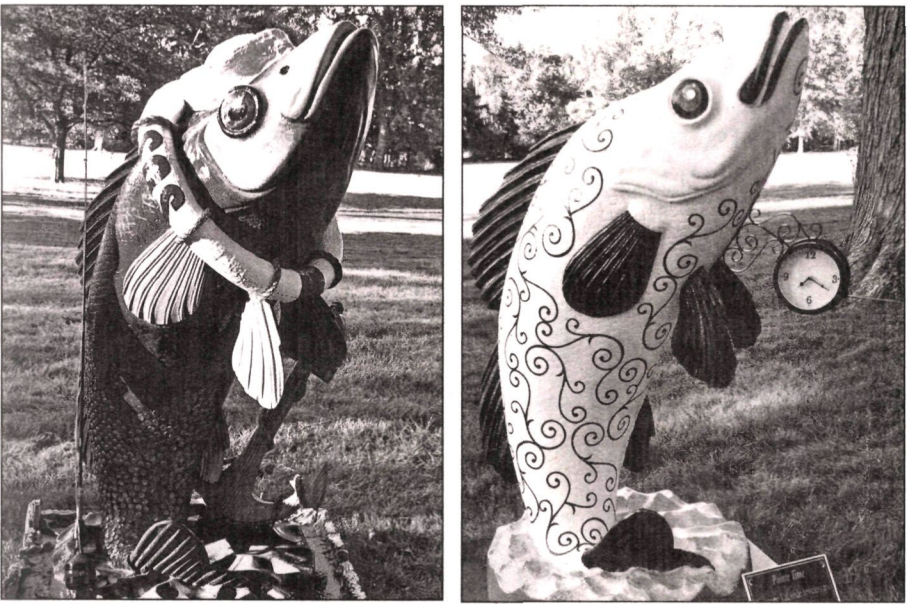
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Fundraiser hatched



Some 51 decorated Gp fish were unveiled last week at the Edsel & Eleanor Ford House. A fundraiser for the Grosse Pointe Chamber of Commerce Foundation and Services for Older Citizens, the fish are on view throughout the Grosse Pointes and will be sold at a fall auction. At left, Grosse Pointe Woods councilmen Art Bryant and Todd McConaghy and city administrator Skip Fincham flank the Fish de Fleurs, the city sponsored. Artist John Fonti's colorful floral fish can be seen at city hall. Artist Susan Capizzo created "Nauty" fish that was designed by Stephanie Thomas of Regina High School. Sponsored by Grosse Pointe City Foundation, it can be seen at 17147 Maumee. LaLonde Jewelers and Lynn Carpenter sponsored "Pointe Time." Andrea Baetens added a clock to the fish that she painted black and white. It is on view at 91 Kercheval, on the Hill.

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Art's allure

By Brad Lindberg
Staff Writer

Business leaders tout the region's cultural treasures when recruiting talent. "Companies considering locating in Southeast Michigan want to know what cultural amenities are available to their executives, staff, employees and families," said Eugene Gargaro, chairman of the Detroit Institute of Arts board of directors, retired senior executive of Masco Corporation and a resident of Grosse Pointe Shores. "I've talked to people we've recruited," said Linda Forte, senior vice president of business affairs at Comerica Bank. "They've said that without everything Detroit has to offer, they wouldn't be

here." The region's cultural draw runs from the DIA, The Henry Ford and Detroit Symphony to jazz clubs and more. "Fresh recruits with no exposure to this region are surprised to learn of the quality and longevity of the institutions we have and how seriously this community takes institutions that provide that," Forte said. "It is a drawing point." Gargaro and Forte support tri-county tax funding of the DIA. "It would be a significant problem in the governor and mayor's efforts to revitalize the state and Detroit if we can't support our cultural icons," Gargaro said. "You've got to have culture and arts as a viable complement of business."

"Institutions like this are critical to the fabric of our lives," Forte said during last week's unveiling of the DIA's "Picasso and Matisse, The DIA's Prints and Drawings," which Comerica sponsors. "For Detroit to have a strong fabric of integrity, you want to have art, historical institutions and musical venues to contribute to a high quality of living." Gargaro stressed cultural institutions' role in retaining talented employees. "Given what has happened in Michigan over the past half-dozen years, it's critical we keep what we have," he said. Opponents of tax funding, to be decided in the Aug. 7 election, say taxes are high enough, particularly during hard economic times when there's little

disposable income for niceties. "The educational benefits to our children and grandchildren are immeasurable," Gargaro countered, citing DIA outreach programs. "Art isn't taught in schools anymore." "The museum sends people into school districts to bring art to the students. They bus students to the DIA and we pay for that busing." Artistic inspiration can be contagious. "Picasso and Matisse were motivated by what they could create," Forte said. "The lesson for us is we can try, too. Think about children who get exposed to this and adults who can get renewed and refreshed in their spirit. It speaks to our creativity and what we do in this region."

DIA: One visit would recoup a year's worth of tax paid

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ing to ballot wording. In return, admission to the DIA will be free for residents of counties supporting the millage. "The average cost in our area will be \$15 or \$20 annually," said Eugene Gargaro of Grosse Pointe Shores, starting his 10th year as chairman of the DIA board of directors. "You get your \$20 back in one visit. The economics are not debatable." **Accountability** Direct taxation increases the museum's public accountability, according to Tim Killeen (D-Detroit), representing the Grosse Pointes' on the Wayne County Board of Commissioners. Killeen sponsored the resolution creating the Wayne County Art Institute Authority. "All three county commissions passed this and have authorities," he said. The nine-member authority, comprised of appointed board members from each jurisdiction, including Killeen, would collect the arts tax and oversee its forwarding to the museum. "I like the notion that the art institute has to go to the people of southeast Michigan and ask if they want to support it directly with tax dollars," Killeen said. "It's a closer relationship to the voters."

If measures pass in each county, it's estimated they'll raise about \$22 million combined — \$8 million in Wayne, \$5 million in Macomb and \$9 million in Oakland. Taxpayer support of the city-owned art institute currently filters through Detroit and state tax collections. "In the ordinance creating the art authority, there are going to be two audits annually — an operational and fiscal audit of this money and the art institute," Killeen said. "All that is going to be public." Killeen, whose district also includes Harper Woods and part of east-side Detroit, nominated two Pointe residents to the Wayne board. "In Wayne County, the Grosse Pointes far and away support the art institute more than any other community in Wayne County," Killeen said. The appointments are: ♦ Amy DeBrunner, director of the Grosse Pointe Art Center and resident of Grosse Pointe Park and ♦ Bettye Misuraca, a Farms resident, retired county employee, 25-year member of the council arts council and member of the county retirement board. The positions are voluntary. "You even have to pay to park when to go to a meeting at the Guardian Building," Misuraca said.

Cutbacks

State and city funding of the art institute diminished during the last 10 years. "Last year, public support through the city and state dried up," Killeen said. Despite museum endowments, private patronage, memberships and ticket sales, Beal has met reductions in tax revenue while overseeing museum expansion and reinstallation of world-renowned holdings. "We've cut people," he said. "We've cut our budget from \$34 million to \$25 million and managed to maintain not just a semblance, but the new DIA." Facing even less millions, Beal sees no way for the museum to survive except at subsistence level. "We have to look at the museum being open two or three days per week for a few hours with only half the galleries open," Beal said. "That's the model we have to use to reduce even further." No more partnerships with the Louvre or Metropolitan Museum of Art on special shows of Van Gogh, Rembrandt, Rockwell, "Whistler's Mother," Dali, the current free exhibition "Five Spanish Masterpieces" through Aug. 19 or forthcoming Vermeer, on loan from the National Gallery of Art, opening Aug. 8.

No internal exhibitions culled from the DIA's collection, as with "Picasso and Matisse: The DIA's Prints and Drawings," which opened last week and runs free through Jan. 6. "Even an exhibition from our collection costs quite a bit — all the framing that has to be done," Beal said. Property owners in Monroe and Washtenaw counties aren't being solicited for payment. "We modeled this on the Detroit Zoo's successful ballot initiative from 2008," Beal said. The zoo receives property tax revenue from the tri-county. "We talked to people in Washtenaw," Beal said. "While there was enthusiasm for it, there wasn't a politically coherent group headed by a county executive, which we have in the other three counties. We decided to focus on those three counties, even though we polled better in Washtenaw than any other county." "Washtenaw has a number of other millages already being considered," Gargaro said. "In respect of their wish, we decided not proceed in Washtenaw because of their preference that we not load the ballot with what they consider an important, but not timely enough, millage proposal."

Assistant manager leaving

By Brad Lindberg
Staff Writer

GROSSE POINTE FARMS — The assistant city manager of Grosse Pointe Farms is seeking greener pastures. Matthew Tepper, hired by the Farms eight years ago from an administrative job with Wayne County, is leaving the public sector. He bought a retail business in another state. His last day with the Farms is Tuesday, July 31. Tepper doubles as city clerk. He said he "loved" working for the Farms. "I don't have anything that sticks out as being most proud of," he said. Yet, he mentioned his good relations with the staff. "They'll come to me with boss issues, but they also come to me as a coworker," Tepper said. Shane Reeside hired Tepper shortly after becoming city manager. "He came with a lot of knowledge in a lot of areas, not only as city clerk, but human resources and special projects," Reeside said. "He's been a go-to person for a lot of departments. He's been a great asset and was involved in every project we've undertaken over the last

eight years." Major projects include construction of the community building at Pier Park, field house at Kerby Field and municipal harbor renovation. A full-time replacement is planned. "The position may be defined a little differently, but we will need to fill that void," Reeside said. At the Monday, July 23, city council meeting, Reeside will ask to be reappointed city clerk. He held the job before being promoted to city manager. Reeside faces the August primary and November general elections. "Julie Arthurs, clerk in the City of Grosse Pointe, will assist training our election workers," Reeside said. "She will be available to answer questions and assist on election days." "I'm going to be a consultant," Arthurs said. "They helped me in the past. Now, it's time to help them." Reeside wishes Tepper, a friend who shared ownership of a sailboat and is making slow progress restoring a Corvair, good fortune. "He's very bright and hard working," Reeside said. "He'll do very well."

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Walking Bayview Yacht Club's docks as a child was the start to nearly 30 years as a professional sailor racing in world's waterways for **Wally Cross**. Last weekend, he logged his 44th Bayview Mackinac Race; this weekend marks his 40th Chicago to Mackinac Island race

It's the sailing life for him

By Karen Fontanive
Staff Writer

With its proximity to Lake St. Clair, the Grosse Pointes is a boating mecca. Many people in the area take pride in discussing how many times they have sailed the Port Huron to Mackinac race. Families even plan vacations around the annual event.

For Grosse Pointe Woods resident Wally Cross, the race is just another day on the job.



other day on the job.

Cross, a professional sailor, raced in his 44th Bayview Mackinac Race last weekend. He mentions people participate in the race for many reasons, but for him, "it's just another period in the year that I always do because it is my profession."

This weekend, he competes in the Chicago Yacht Club Race to Mackinac.

The start

Cross was introduced to sailing early in life by his father who was a member of the Bayview Yacht Club.

"I started sailing as a kid. My father sailed a lot, belonged to Bay View Yacht Club," he said. "But I didn't really take the sport seriously until I was 16 and then at that time, I worked hard to buy a \$400 laser sailboat and really, really learned how to race sailboats and that's when I got the bug."

Cross graduated from East Detroit High School and attended college before deciding to focus on sailing. He left Michigan State University in early 1979 to enter the Olympic Trials.

"At the time it seemed like a good idea," said Cross, whose shot at Olympic gold and recognition ended when the United States boycotted the 1980 Moscow Summer Olympics.

Disappointment at not competing, however, was offset by the start of a nearly 30-year professional sailing career that has spanned the globe.

Rolling along

Most professional sailors start by working for a sail-making or other sail-related product company, explained Cross. While participating in the Olympic Trials, he worked for Boston Sails.

"It all starts with being a part of a sail making company, because that is where eventually you make the contacts," he said. "Back in '79, '80, professional sailing really wasn't viewed upon as a means of making a living, so you would sell a sail to someone and usually you would hopefully sell it for enough money where that would cover your costs to sail."

In the mid-1980s that



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Above, Wally Cross sewing a sail cover in his shop. His machine of choice: a 100-year-old Singer.

Left, Cross, front, trimming the mainsail on the Blue Nights while racing in Palma, Spain. Next to Cross is the boat's owner, Tea Eckengren, of Finland, who hired Cross to help race the boat. Race participants then attended a reception given by the King and Queen of Spain in their castle.

changed when boat owners started hiring sailors to help them win races. Just like parents who hire batting coaches or tennis professionals to help give their children an edge in sports, Cross is hired by others for his expertise in using the best sail design for a boat, making the boat sail faster through trim, arranging the boat to make it more efficient and making decisions to help get the boat around the course a little quicker. And to win races.

"I just had a good ability to know how much to do and where to put (the boat) so it would make the sail perform," Cross said.

Cross has raced in waters around the United States, as well as Europe, Australia and Asia. In a single year, he would be gone as many as 270 days, sometimes in month-long stretches.

Said Cross, a married father of three sons, "You tell people these stories and they see the pictures — 'You're so lucky.' Yeah, I guess, because I'm doing something I enjoy, but nothing makes me happy

er than being home watching my kid play baseball. That's what's really, really enjoyable."

Sailing along

While there are professional sailors who only sail, most, like Cross, supplement the sailing with other income-making sailing-related businesses like sail making and teaching.

There are no guaranteed contracts like in other sports, so while he continues to race in about 150 races throughout the year, he also teaches sailing and racing. And he also owns a sail-making business, Quantum Sail Design Group in St. Clair Shores.

"I've been literally sewing since 1973. That, really to me, is a good time where I can sew for a long time. It's hypnotic and I don't have to think about anything. It's enjoyable," he said.

Added Cross, "If you did any one thing too much, it gets hard, so if I can blend sailing, selling sails, a little teaching and actually some physical work, to me it's OK."

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City of Grosse Pointe

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No crimes reported.

—Brad Lindberg
If you have any information about crimes, call the City of Grosse Pointe public safety department at (313) 886-3200.

Grosse Pointe Farms

No lights

Police said they found 1.4 grams of marijuana in the possession of a 55-year-old Highland Park woman, pulled over on eastbound Mack near Bournemouthe at 9:43 p.m. Sunday, July 1, for operating a vehicle without headlights.

Police arrested her on drug charges and for violating 19 driving suspensions. She also is wanted on a total of four outstanding warrants from Detroit and Highland Park.

Jumbo lawn job

A few minutes after 2 a.m. Wednesday, July 4, a 54-year-old Oak Park man in a 2002 Chrysler 300M cruised past two, yellow "NO OUTLET" signs flanking upper Kercheval at Provencal.

He continued to the end of the road, turned into a private driveway and circled most of the lawn before getting hung up on garden furniture and landscaping.

A public safety officer

arrived in time to hear the driver's passenger, a 49-year-old Detroit man, offering an exit strategy.

"(I) heard a male yelling from the passenger side of the vehicle, 'Just punch it,'" the officer said. "(The driver) then attempted to drive over the lawn furniture."

Officers said the driver had a .201 percent blood alcohol level and an open 20-ounce container of malt liquor in his vehicle.

The resident wasn't home, officers said.

Police inventoried damaged lawn furniture, several trees, shrubs, landscaping blocks and potted plants.

"The vehicle appeared to enter the driveway on the east side of the residence, drive around the back, down the west side of the residence and resting on the south side," said the arresting officer.

Hits pole

A section of the 200 block of Moross was closed last week.

DTE Energy crewmen needed the area free of traffic so they could replace a roadside utility pole knocked down by the drunken driver of a 2009 Ford Escape, according to police.

The first officer arrived on scene at 9:07 p.m. Friday, July 13.

Medics took the driver, a 60-year-old Shelby Township woman, to a hospital for observation and testing to confirm her .177 percent blood alcohol level, officers added.

The woman indicated

drinking wasn't the problem.

"(She) stated she was northbound on Moross from Kercheval, headed to I-94, and reached for her purse," said a public safety officer. "She claims her vehicle drifted to the right and into the pole. As she spoke, she had a strong odor of intoxicants about her person and on her breath."

The crash sheared the pole at its base.

"There is a tire skid on the curb 6 to 10 feet prior to the pole," said an officer. "It was suspended in the air by power lines."

Road closed

Westbound Lakeshore was closed below Warner the morning of Thursday, July 12, for underground pipes repairs.

Traffic was routed to Grosse Pointe Boulevard. Eastbound lanes stayed open.

Obey parking rule

A motorist wanted on two outstanding warrants drew attention to himself at about 5:30 p.m. Wednesday, July 11, by parking in the Mack alley near Moross, a no parking zone.

Records showed the man, 29, of Detroit, is wanted in Berkley for drunken driving and in St. Clair Shores for contempt of court. He also was violating six driving suspensions.

"He admitted knowledge of the warrants and suspensions," said the ar-

resting officer.

Gets bike back

The victim of a bicycle theft on Monday, July 9, tracked down the suspect the next day and called police at 8:02 p.m. Tuesday, July 10.

The bike owner, a 43-year-old man living in the 400 block of Cloverly, tailed a man riding his cream-colored, 26-inch Harro Tradewind, to the 5200 block of Marseilles.

The location is near East Warren in Detroit.

The Farms resident confronted the suspect, who said he bought the bike in Livonia.

"OK, let's wait for the police," said the Farms resident, calling 911.

—Brad Lindberg

If you have any information about these or other crimes, call the Grosse Pointe Farms public safety department at (313) 885-2100.

Grosse Pointe Shores

Way over limit

A 50-year-old Harper Woods man was arrested at 11:16 p.m. Tuesday, July 10, for drunken driving.

A patrolman saw him operating a 2012 Lincoln MKZ erratically on southbound Lakeshore.

"The vehicle was drifting from (the) center lane to the left curb," said the patrolman.

During a roadside investigation on northbound Vernier near

Michaux Lane, the man failed a series of sobriety tests and admitted drinking that day while boating, according to police.

He also registered a .31 percent blood alcohol level, police said.

The percentage is nearly four times the state legal limit to operate a motor vehicle.

—Brad Lindberg

If you have any information about these or other crimes, call the Grosse Pointe Shores public safety department at (313) 881-5500.

GROSSE POINTE WOODS

Attempted B&E

A Cook Road resident called police at 5 p.m. Thursday, July 12, to report a stranger had attempted to remove a screen from a front window of her house. When she confronted the man, he said he was doing work on the windows at the house next door, then left. By the time the homeowner called police, the suspect was nowhere to be found. Police remind residents to never confront someone, but to immediately call police if they see something suspicious.

Wallet taken

A customer at a grocery store on Mack Tuesday, July 10, forgot to return her wallet to her purse. By the time she noticed her wallet was missing an hour later, her credit card

had been used to purchase \$30 worth of gasoline. Police continue to investigate.

—Kathy Ryan

If you have information on these or any other crimes, contact Grosse Pointe Woods police, (313) 343-2400.

GROSSE POINTE PARK

Surprise!

The owner of a 1999 Jeep parked on Buckingham observed a stranger sitting in his car around 10:30 p.m. Friday, July 13. He activated the car's alarm system and the stranger fled. The owner found damage to the car's steering column and reported a GPS device had been taken.

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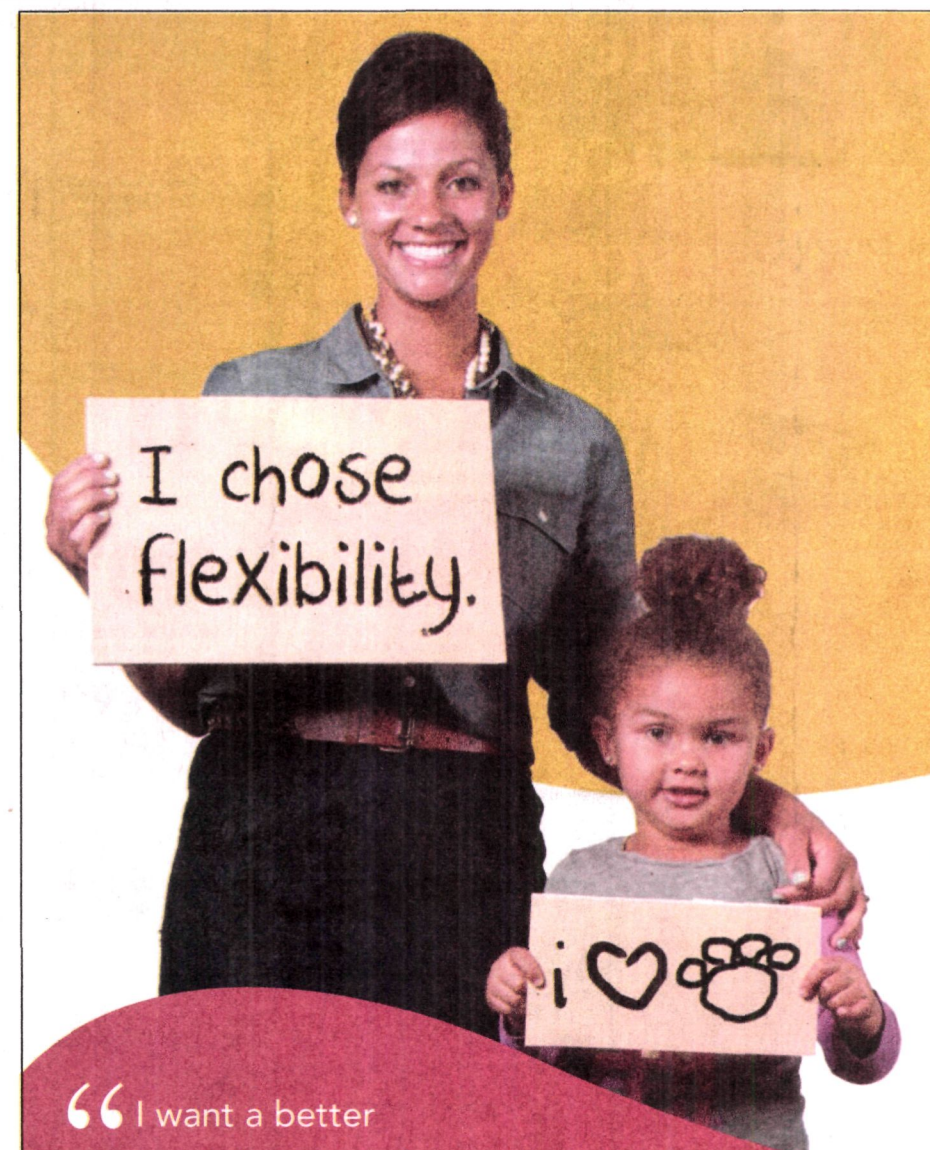
The side mirror of a 1986 Chevy van was torn off the van parked in the 1300 block of Devonshire overnight Sunday, July 15. The mirror was found on the lawn.

Bike theft

The owner of a bike that went missing sometime Friday, July 13, from the backyard on Lakepointe suspects an ex-boyfriend in the theft. Police will follow up.

—Kathy Ryan

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Trincia's lessons go beyond the offensive skills of basketball fundamentals and break down a series of defensive plays. Techniques are intended to help young players im-


prove their game and add elements of fun.

Coaches stress how academics influence participation in athletics.

There are two separate aged basketball camps for a fee of \$50 per participant. The first week is for 7- to 9-year-olds and runs Aug. 6 through August 10.

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GUEST OPINION By Rich Lowry

ObamaCare: It's not over

Plans haven't yet begun for the monument to John Roberts on the National Mall. These things take time. Until the groundbreaking, liberals must content themselves with bestowing national sainthood on Roberts and with declaring the health-care debate definitively over.

It's time for everyone to accept a new \$1 trillion entitlement profoundly affecting the direction of American health care and focus on issues of concern to every civic-minded American, such as: Did Mitt Romney outsource a call center as Massachusetts governor?

Its two central selling points, insuring millions more people and keeping people with pre-existing conditions from getting locked out of insurance, can be addressed with policies that are cheaper and less disruptive — a tax credit for purchase of insurance and high-risk pools, respectively.

ObamaCare has been declared over repeatedly and consistently. During the debate over its passage, it was always one more Obama speech from being settled once and for all. Afterward, Democrats predicted there was no way to repeal it, and its popularity was just around the corner. The court challenge was pooh-poohed as another instance of futile resistance. Now that the law has barely hung on thanks to the Roberts triple lutz, the state of the debate is said to be — as ever — over.

If so, supporters have lost it in the arena of public opinion. Upon its passage, the New York Times/CBS poll found that it had 32 percent support. Before the Supreme Court decision, the New York Times/CBS poll found its support essentially unchanged at 34 percent. A different poll — from Reuters/Ipsos — found a majority, 52 percent, still disapproved of it in the immediate wake of headlines about the Supreme Court's blessing.

The law has lacked popular legitimacy from the beginning, and is still struggling for it. Its major features are yet to be implemented. Republicans remain unified in their opposition and commitment to repeal. The cry that the debate is over is an attempt to short-circuit that very debate in a self-fulfilling prophecy.

The law is hardly the picture of stability. States have been slow to set up the complex insurance exchanges as stipulated by the law. If they don't, the federal government will be hard-pressed to set up the exchanges on its own. As amended by Roberts, the law is more unstable. He gives states the option to refuse the law's Medicaid expansion. He weakens the individual mandate. Both of the Roberts changes mean the law may ultimately cover fewer people.

How about all the wonders of the law? Doesn't it reduce the deficit? Only under optimistic Congressional Budget Office projections.

Doesn't it keep young adults up to the age of 26 on their parents' insurance plans? Most insurance companies will probably do this anyway.

Its two central selling points, insuring millions more people and keeping people with pre-existing conditions from getting locked out of insurance, can be addressed with policies that are less expensive and less disruptive — a tax credit for purchase of insurance and high-risk pools, respectively.

When they set out to pass health-care reform, Democrats could have built public support for a sweeping law, or scaled back their ambitions. They did neither. Their insistence that the debate is over is a function of their continued failure to win genuine acceptance of the law. It's still up in the air, even after the great Roberts has spoken.

Lowry is editor of the National Review.

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Thanks for the great game

To the Editor:

As a 44-year-old life-time "Grosse Pointer," and a self-proclaimed "homer," I am quick to defend and/or sing the praises of our Harper Woods/Grosse Pointe community and that includes our Grosse Pointe public schools, churches, programs, parks, shopping districts, neighborhoods and leagues that make up our wonderful slice of the world.

I know, "we" and "things" in our community are not perfect, but they never were perfect. The aforementioned, however, were great when I was a kid and they are still great today for my three kids to enjoy.

This past week's Little League baseball tournament at Elworthy was the site for some great baseball and some even better sportsmanship. No team displayed sportsmanship better than Grosse Pointe Park's International All-Star team, managed by

Dean Graham.

My son is fortunate to be on the Woods-Shores International All-Star team, and this team had the privilege of facing the Park in three exciting games during this tournament. In the first game, the Woods-Shores secured the victory when a two-out, would-be game-tying home run by man-child Mike Lanzon was turned into a game-ending dramatic out when another man-child, Ryan Cullen, jumped and robbed it at the center field fence.

In game two, former Woods-Shores All-Star Josh "Don't Call Me Seth" Adams hit a walk-off three run bomb to win it for the Park. (While fighting back our emotions, we still gave Josh and his family high fives and hugs after the game, so we "ain't" so bad at the "north end of town" either.)

In the third and deciding championship game, the Park answered the Woods-Shores' five-run first inning, including one home run, with three

home runs and six runs of their own in their half of the first. You can ask someone the final score, but it is irrelevant to the real story, which was the heart and great sportsmanship each team displayed.

As the lowest coach on the Woods-Shores' totem pole, under manager Dave Senter and coach Aaron Senter, I will only mention the Park. When a Park pitcher accidentally plunked one of our players in the helmet, manager Graham immediately called time and had his player apologize — even though everyone knew it was an accident. On more than one occasion when one of our kids homered, the very competitive Park players still congratulated our hitters as they circled the bases with words and slaps of the hand.

When one of our players suffered a painful ankle injury, manager Graham was right in the middle of the adults giving first aid the entire time. And when the game was over, a brokenhearted but incredibly considerate Park parent, Liz Naporano, came onto the field to offer a copy of the video taped games.

If that all sounds like ordinary class and courtesy, then you have forgotten that things we once took as ordinary are now so unusual that they are pointed out as extraordinary.

"People" can and do act like fools during and after athletic events, especially when their kids are in-

volved. I don't agree, but one of my pals refers to Little League as organized child abuse and when coaches and parents lose their perspective, I see his point because youth activities can look like an episode of "Cops" when adults go wild.

So to the entire Park team, your families, the coaches and especially Dean Graham and Liz Naporano, I want you to know Grosse Pointe Woods-Shores Little League's All-Star team has a lot of respect for your ability but even more respect for how your team handles yourselves before, during and after games.

If the Park's sportsmanship is any indication of how strong "we," the Harper Woods/Grosse Pointe community is today, and it is, then the "State of our Harper Woods/Grosse Pointe" is as strong as I always say it is.

Thank you, Park, for your shining examples, and for the record, we still miss Josh and Seth Adams.

BILL(Y) HOOVER JR.
Grosse Pointe Woods

Faith restored

To the Editor:

I would like to thank the people who began the Justice for Jane campaign, and every single one of you that has a lawn sign for restoring my faith in humanity.

SUZANNE E. WILSON
Harper Woods

I SAY By Brad Lindberg

Freighter freeway



The fake bomb threat that forced closure of the Detroit-Windsor

Tunnel Thursday, July 12, also stopped traffic on the Detroit River.

The risk of passing freighters being sunk by a tunnel explosion was serious enough to shun commercial vessels from the area until the all-clear sounded late in the day.

That evening, four downbound bulk carriers, bunched up in lower Lake Huron by the stoppage, entered Lake St. Clair. They steamed in a row, bow to stern, elephant style, one after another.

All carried cargos from ports on the western shore of Lake Superior. All cleared the Soo Locks on Wednesday between 3:05 and 5:55 p.m.

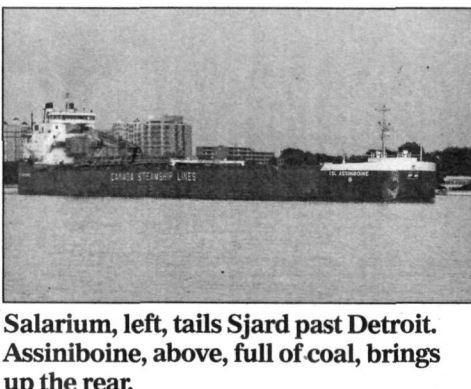
It was like decades ago, when freighters were a nearly constant sight on



Laurentien downbound off of Belle Isle, followed by Sjard, with hatches open.



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Salarium, left, tails Sjard past Detroit. Assiniboine, above, full of coal, brings up the rear.

the lake.

First came Laurentien, a 739-foot 10-inch Canada Steamship Line boat launched in Collingwood, Ontario, July 8, 1977. She carried ore from Two Harbors, Minn.

Ten minutes later came Sjard, a multi-purpose

bulk carrier and container ship owned by a German company. She was delivering grain from Thunder Bay to Casablanca, Morocco.

Two more Canada Steamship carriers followed: Salarium, 730 feet, with ore from Silver Bay,

Minn.; and Assiniboine, 739-foot 10-inches, named after a river in Saskatchewan and loaded with coal.

Assiniboine was launched in Lauzon, Quebec, July 7, 1977. She's one day older than Laurentien.

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Sunday night, July 8, they had to endure a weekend with temperatures into the 90's without air conditioning or fans.

What was especially frustrating to residents, as they told DTE executives, was that these outages are recurring and are not caused by storms. Many residents who don't live in the specific quadrant also asked DTE to explain why they are subjected to continuing brownouts and low voltage situations.

According to DTE's Todd Henning, a senior distribution planning engineer, the speculation was that lightning struck electrical equipment located at Mack and Anita, causing "jumpers" to burn.

That met with much derision from the approximately 35 residents who attended the meeting, as they pointed out there was no storm that night, and conditions were clear.

"This is unacceptable," a resident of the quadrant told DTE. "We passed frustration a long time ago. We're outraged. We need to get this fixed."

Dan Curis, owner of the Big Boy restaurant at Mack and Vernier, told DTE that these continued outages come at a very high cost to him.

"When I lose power, my cash register stops not just for me, but for the 30 people I employ," he said. "I have fed them and this community for 33 years. Every time there is a prolonged outage, I lose \$25,000 worth of food. And when I call DTE, they tell me the power will be restored within two hours, so I hold a crew and hope we'll be reopen-

ing soon. But then the power does not come back on. If DTE were honest with me, and tell me the power will be out for days, I could donate the food, but when I'm being told the power will be restored in two hours, I hold on to the food. Then I have to get rid of the food because it's no good."

Mayor Robert Novitke asked city attorney Chip Berschback to research options the city might have in the case of a prolonged outage, but since the city wasn't directly affected, there is little the city could do on behalf of residents. But one step the city will make will be to meet with the Michigan Public Services Commission to discuss the recurring situation and what many see as

DTE's inadequate response.

Berschback, citing several legal cases, urged residents to also contact the MPSC with their complaints as well.

However, a Brys resident pointed out she had received notice from DTE that the company would not be reimbursing residents because the outage "was storm related."

DTE Energy's Joseph Cazeno, regional manager for corporate and government affairs, offered his apologies for any inconvenience residents were subjected to, and assured the council and residents he would be back, along with other DTE officials, when a public hearing is scheduled. However, when council member Michael Koester

suggested the city conduct an independent audit of DTE equipment, Cazeno pointed out that independent contractors would not be allowed to climb DTE poles to inspect equipment.

"I don't have faith that DTE knows what is going on," Koester said.

Koester's concerns were echoed by Vicki Granger.

"I feel like all DTE is doing is rearranging the deck chairs on the Titanic," she said. "We have continued brownouts and whoever answers the phone at DTE does a lousy job. When we ask what the solution might be, we're told to buy generators. It's unbelievable the answers we get. They tell us it's because our trees aren't

trimmed or it's caused by squirrels. Well, we must have the smartest squirrels ever because they never cross into Macomb County to do that kind of damage. I feel like I have been deceived. This has got to stop."

DTE's Henning asked

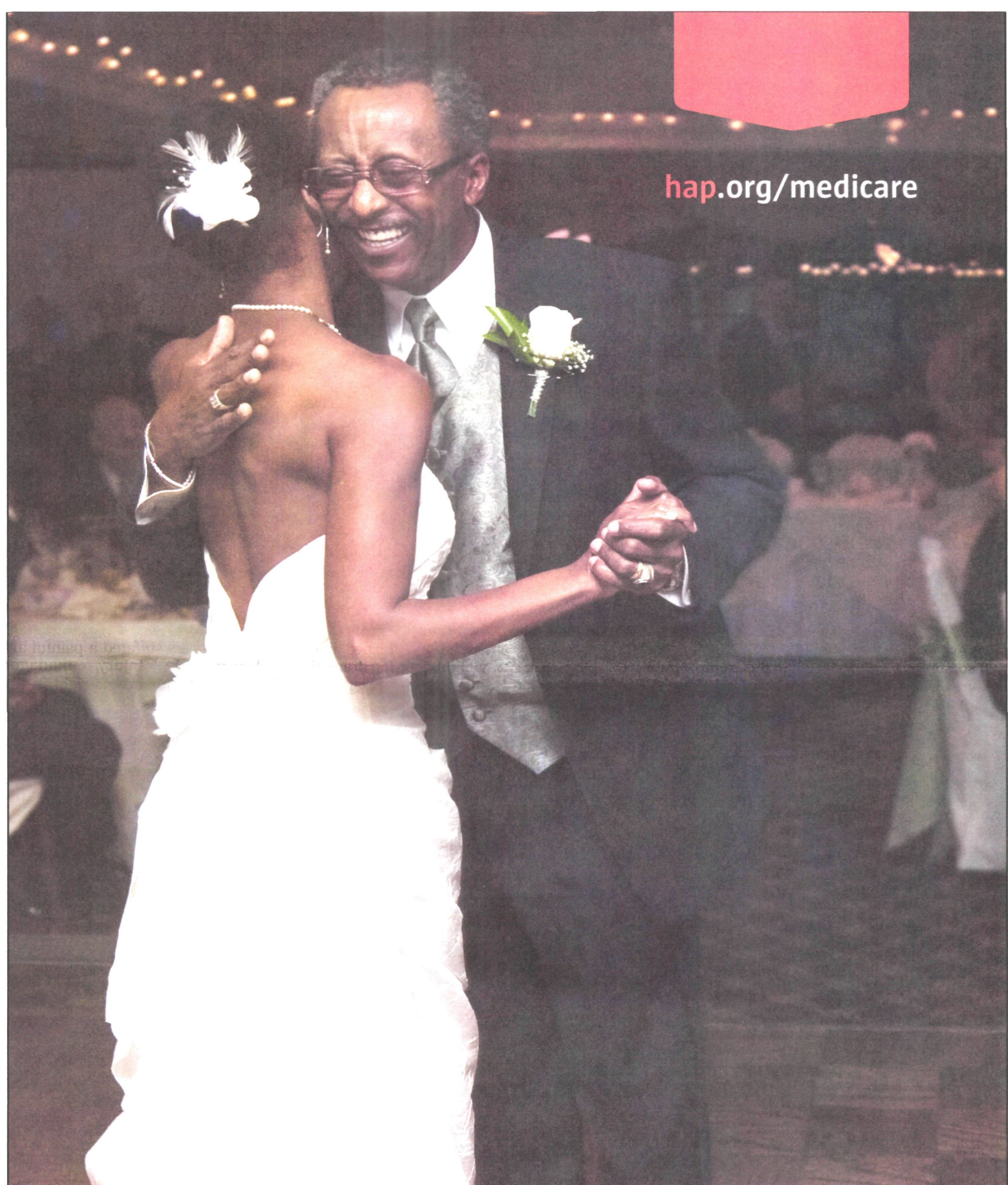
residents who are enduring brownouts and low voltage situations to contact him and he will investigate.

No date has been set for the public hearing, but Novitke assured residents they would be notified as soon as a date is set.

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◆ West Park Farmers Market opens at 3 p.m. at Kercheval and Lakepointe.

◆ Antique and attic treasures appraisals are from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Grosse Pointe Woods Community Center, 20025 Mack Plaza. For more information, call (313) 343-2440.

MONDAY, JULY 23

◆ Grosse Pointe Farms council meets at 7 p.m. in council chambers, 90 Kerby.

◆ The Grosse Pointe Board of Education meets at 7 p.m. at Brownell Middle School.

◆ Grosse Pointe Park council meets at 7 p.m. in council chambers, 15115 E. Jefferson.

◆ Grosse Pointe Public Library Board of Trustees meet at 7 p.m. in Woods branch, 20680 Mack.

TUESDAY, JULY 24

◆ Grosse Pointe Sunrise Rotary Club hosts Calum Maclean at 7 p.m. at The Hill Seafood & Chop House, 123 Kercheval. His discussion topic is the Rotary's water project.

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Academy students stand up, speak out

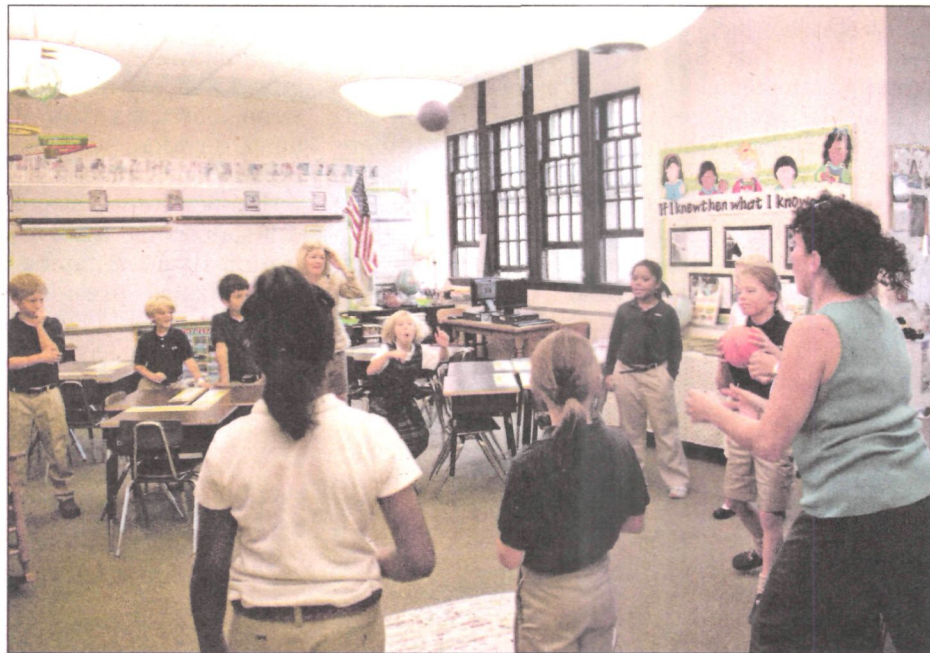
By A.J. Hakim
Staff Writer

Be the change you wish to see in the world. It's the final verse of Grosse Pointe Academy's SUSO Song, a short, three-part number about students standing up and speaking out for what's right and fair.

A variation on Mahatma Gandhi's quote about the hand-in-hand-ness of personal and social transformation, the verse embodies the essence of the Academy's character development program, new this past school year.

"Stand Up, Speak Out, the whole SUSO program, it's not an anti-bullying program," said Cheryl Blau, the school's learning resource specialist and one of six members of the character education committee responsible for program research and integration. Other committee members included: Michael Kennedy, former interim head of school; Jennifer Kendall, early and lower school principal; Scott Tily, principal, grades 4 to 8; Sean Hogan-Downey, staff consultant and school counselor; and Sasha Murphy, physical education teacher and community service coordinator.

"It's a social justice program," she continued. "It's



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Above, Grosse Pointe Academy Lower School students pass several balls around, making eye contact with and calling the name of whomever threw the ball. The activity taught team-building and communication.

Right, seventh-graders participate in the human puzzle team-building exercise. They work together to unravel themselves without letting go of each other's hand.



about being in the world, knowing that you have a right to be treated a certain way. And if others are not treating you nicely or fairly or respectfully, you have a right to speak up about that."

This past year, Blau spent about 15 minutes every couple weeks with students, kindergarten to eighth grade, teaching and practicing the SUSO tools—debug, four S's for talking firmly, T.H.I.N.K. before speaking and talk it out. Each tool emphasizes self-expression and

conflict resolution while subsequently building on the six pillars of character—respect, responsibility, caring, fairness, trustworthiness and citizenship.

The lessons hit home with second graders, especially. They quickly became the program's pilot group and even learned an additional tool, the hand on heart "my turn" signal.

"Say if I'm jibber-jabbing, jibber-jabbing, jibber-jabbing and then Kennedy, she puts her hand on her heart and I

see it, then I let her have a turn," said Kelsey, who also resolved a conflict at home with a younger neighbor friend by applying the four S's system. She used square body language, straight eye contact, a serious facial expression and strong tone of voice.

"What I noticed, too, is that they all say the 'I' message instead of saying, 'You did this, you did that,'" said Beth Ahee, second grade teacher. "It's really helped (them) to realize (their) own feelings

and how (they) feel when (they) talk to someone."

Now that the foundation's laid and the students accustomed to the basics, Blau hopes next year to incorporate different elements into the program. Perhaps even, as she did with the second graders, to further cater the program to each grade level. And although content with the 15 minutes every couple weeks, she hopes to expand that to 30 minutes every other week, or 15 minutes weekly, integrating more

activities and topics into her lesson plans. The committee will meet to decide expansion possibilities for next year.

Whatever the case, Blau is thrilled with the program's first-year results.

"I'm glad that our school has been willing to go down this road," Blau said. "These are tools that will help these children express themselves and resolve conflict, not only in school but throughout the rest of their lives. Be the change you wish to see in the world."

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State Representative Tim Bledsoe — (D-Grosse Pointe) has been endorsed for reelection by the Detroit Regional Chamber of Commerce. The Chamber chose Bledsoe over his opponent, Rep. Alberta Tinsley Talabi (D-Detroit).

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"One of my top priorities in Lansing is smart, pro-growth economic development. I am glad to work with a diverse set of stakeholders to grow our economy for the 21st Century," Bledsoe said.

Bledsoe was recently honored as

"Legislator of the Year" by the Police Officers Association of Michigan. A long time college professor, Bledsoe has also been a leader in fighting for education funding and against Gov. Rick Snyder's mandatory Schools of Choice proposal.

The political landscape of the new House District 2 is different from that of the current House district, with Detroit voters making up most of the electorate. Thus, the battle moves to the Democratic primary on August 7th.

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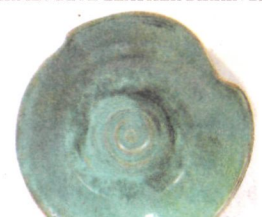
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Administration to pursue Bowen's termination

By A.J. Hakim
Staff Writer

A 27th year with Grosse Pointe South High School appears unlikely for Ellen Bowen after administration announced via press release its plans to file written charges with the board of education recommending the choir director's termination.

"District Superintendent, Dr. Thomas Harwood, is recommending this action be taken due to past concerns regarding a pattern of behavior toward students and fellow staff members that has resulted in previous disciplinary action with Ms.

Bowen," read the release.

Bowen was placed on administrative leave June 6 following an incident in which she allegedly struck a student in the head with his cell phone. It's the latest occurrence in the pattern of behavior Harwood alludes to, which also includes multiple suspensions and a 2006 misdemeanor assault and battery charge stemming from a road rage incident involving a student that nearly resulted in the loss of Bowen's teaching license.

Once administration, with its legal counsel, files the written charges with the board, a process that may take several weeks,

it's the board's decision whether or not to proceed with Bowen's termination. Any board approval is in compliance with the Michigan Teachers' Tenure Act, giving Bowen, a tenured teacher in her 44th year teaching, the right to request a formal hearing before an administrative law judge appointed by the State Tenure Commission.

"If Ms. Bowen requests such a hearing, she would remain on paid administrative leave until such a time a decision is rendered by the assigned administrative law judge," the release read.

Since word spread of her placement on paid ad-

ministrative leave, Bowen has been front and center to both praise and criticisms.

Students and parents have lauded her for the choir program's national success and the myriad memorable opportunities afforded to students during her 26 years as director.

Under Bowen, the choirs have performed more than 60 times with the Detroit Symphony Orchestra at Orchestra Hall, students have routinely earned highest honors at the Michigan State Solo and Ensemble Festival and Pointe Singers at national show choir festivals.

She's also organized bi-annual trips and performances across the United States and Europe, which included this past February's when 95 choir students traveled to Italy and performed at St. Peter's Basilica in Rome, among other historical institutions and venues.

But others, including administration, have grown weary of her occasional outbursts that, at times, interfere with the learning environment.

"I anticipate the Board will support the administration's recommendation," board president Judy Gafa said in the release. "Many widely varying opinions were re-

ceived by the board from the community. The success of students in the performing arts music program at South High School under the direction of Ms. Bowen is admirable.

"However, other district programs have similar success without teachers engaging in these negative behaviors. In the final analysis, we cannot be a district that values results over a healthy learning environment for any student."

An opening for Bowen's position, Harwood said, will post this week and the administration hopes to have a replacement by the end of this month.

Liggett helps students discover passion through service

By A.J. Hakim
Staff Writer

University Liggett School's new curriculum for understanding is a throwback to the 1930s-era progressive education movement.

It's about opportunity, and molding all students into capable, adaptable learners through social, political and economic engagement. And it's about encouraging students to discover their "passion" and to pursue, study and cultivate that passion in and out of the

classroom.

That's what the school's ninth grade research and development teachers had in mind during a meeting this past January when they decided to add service to the curriculum. It began with students finding and volunteering at basic service organizations in Detroit, the city from which Liggett originated in 1878, and quickly evolved into a larger project involving researching Detroit's history, what it currently lacks and how Liggett students

can help.

"We really tried to bring everything together that they learned all year long with this project," said Aja Jovanovski, upper school learning specialist and research and discovery teacher.

Added Sarah Dickinson, another research and development teacher: "It's also like following their passion in terms of the curriculum for understanding, almost like what do they want to do, the kinds of organizations they want to be involved in."

Once the freshmen found an organization of interest, the project required them, in groups of two to four students, to research that organization's history, its mission, its community involvement and to set up contacts from within. Each group interviewed its respective organization contacts, some even volunteered.

"I went a few weeks ago (in April) and helped pull weeds and asparagus," said Courtney DeRuiter, who along with Andrew Almasz did her project on the Greening of Detroit.

"It was donated to a school who doesn't have a lot of money, and they used it to give kids lunch. It was a lot of fun. I would definitely go back."

The project's culmination was a year-end service fair, in which students presented their research and organizations in the forms of videos, brochures, poster board presentations and others. The fair featured about 30 groups and about as many organizations that included: DeRuiter's and Almasz's Greening of Detroit, Motor City Blight Busters, Racquet Up Detroit, Forgotten Harvest, Special Olympics, Grosse Pointe Animal Adoption Society, City Year, Detroit Motor City Mile, Miracle League and more.

"Miracle League is an organization that lets kids play baseball," said Sandros Fletcher. "They have disabilities, mental and physical, and a lot of



PHOTOS BY A.J. HAKIM

University Liggett School freshmen Joe Pas, left, and Nick Azar researched Motor City Blight Busters, a Detroit non-profit dedicated to stabilizing and revitalizing Detroit neighborhoods, for their service fair project.

people come out and help these kids, help them play baseball, throw the ball and catch it. It's a lot of fun. I've done it personally, and I think it's great."

Their foundation set, under the new curriculum for understanding students will now incorporate experiences from

this year into activities and projects during their sophomore, junior and senior years. It all concludes with an academic research project, a senior year master's thesis-type project in which students, with guidance from a faculty mentor and field expert, complete a field of study of

their choosing.

"I think this went well," Jovanovski said. "Even the students who maybe were a little bit blasé as they were actually doing the research project, they really brought their A-game. I thought they did a great job presenting and setting up."



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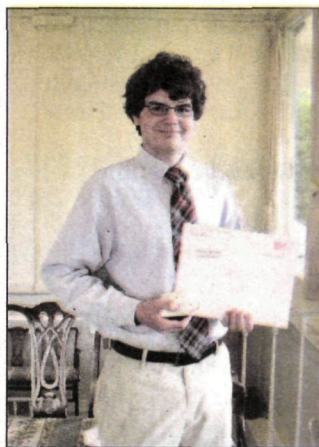
North honors band and orchestra students

Grosse Pointe North High School's band and orchestra honored its prestigious award-winners during an end-of-the-year banquet in June at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial.

Awards and honorees are pictured. Booster Leadership Award, Sarah McGovern and Joe Bourgin, and Gail McCaig Award, James Wilhelm, are not pictured.



Rotary Club Award, Dan Kubacki and Roxanne Ilagan.



National School Orchestra Award, Logan Hart.



Jessica Solomon Award, Ryan Waggoner.



Most Outstanding Senior Award, Stacy Sharon, Andrew Remenar and Patrick Salazar



Exemplary Orchestra Member Award, Laura Hidalgo.

Richard students learn bike safety

Back in May, Grosse Pointe Farms Public Safety Officer Stephen Puckett and City of Grosse Pointe PSO Joe Adams visited Richard Elementary School for bike safety inspections. The duo licensed (registered) each student's bike, as well as checked each for possible safety hazards and tire pressure.



Grosse Pointe Farms Public Safety Officer Stephen Puckett talks with Eva Paschke about bike safety, while preparing her bike license.



City of Grosse Pointe Public Safety Officer Joe Adams inspects Erik Prestin's bike.

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Corrections

The July 12 article on page 1A II, "Students cast designs for GP Fish," should have attributed the Grosse Pointe Foundation for Public Education's Pointe Perch sponsorship to the Board Members of the Grosse Pointe Foundation for Public Education.

The June 28 schools brief on page 2A II, "Volunteers needed," should have labeled Karen Lawrence as the Therapeutic Riding Sessions's volunteer coordinator.

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OBITUARIES

Obituary notices are purchased and often prewritten by family or friends. While we try to run obituaries as submitted, we nevertheless reserve the right to edit for accuracy, style and length.

Stephen Chorny

Stephen Chorny, lifelong resident of Grosse Pointe Woods, died July 8, 2012, at the age of 56.

He was the only child of Mary Lou Chorny and the late Stephen Chorny. He was born in Detroit.

Mr. Chorny graduated from Grosse Pointe North High School in 1974 and Western Michigan University in 1978.

His family said Mr. Chorny loved the theater and art and often spent a day every week at the Detroit Institute of Arts, was very intelligent and well read. He was a member of Grosse Pointe Memorial Church.

He is survived by his mother, Mary Lou Chorny.

A memorial service will be held Wednesday, July

25, at Grosse Pointe Memorial Church. Interment will be at the Grosse Pointe Memorial Church columbarium.

Share a memory with the family at ahpeters.com.

Robert Curran Jr.

Robert W. Curran Jr., 58, of Grosse Pointe Woods, died Friday, July 13, 2012, at St. John Hospital and Medical Center.

The son of Robert W. and Dolores Curran, he was born in Detroit, March 13, 1954.

Mr. Curran graduated from the University of Detroit in 1979.

He was a construction project executive having worked on major land-

mark buildings in Detroit and Chicago.

Mr. Curran was a member of the Grosse Pointe Power Squadron, the Engineering Society of Detroit and enjoyed boating, classic cars, electronics and woodworking.

His family said he bore his troubles with grace and patience.

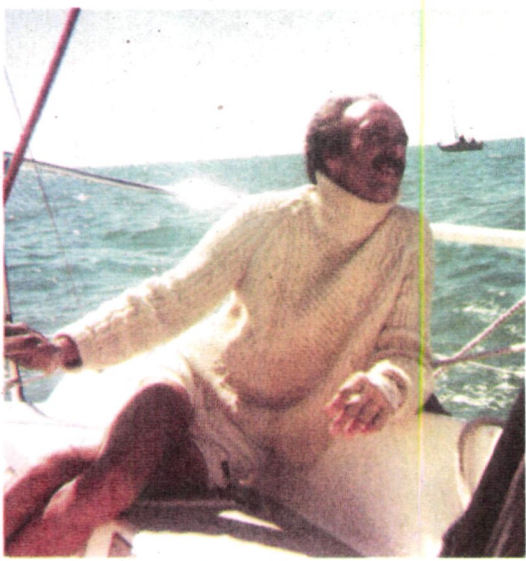
Mr. Curran is survived by his wife, Donna; daughter, Christina Curran; sisters, Coleen Curran and Cindy Gizzi; and four brothers, Tom, Craig, Brian and Richard Curran.

A funeral service was held at St. Paul on the Lake Catholic Church, Grosse Pointe Farms.

Donations may be made in Mr. Curran's memory to the Capuchin

Robert James Lech,

known to most as Bob, was born on November 10, 1944 at Harper Hospital to parents who predeceased him, Mary Louise (Frye) and Stanley John Lech. Bob departed the world, following a lengthy illness, on July 13, 2012 at St. John Hospital, where he was surrounded by loved ones. He leaves his legacy in the hands of his children: Peter, Jennifer (Nic), Kate (Kevin); siblings: Diane (Phil) Rocheleau, Patti (Tim) Neal; loving mother to his children: Annie Lech; nieces and nephews: Michael, Danny, Lindsey, Jimmy, Kelly and grand-nephew, Cooper; many cousins, especially Dolores and Stan Twardzicki; countless friends who became family; and Maya, his German Shepherd.



A resident of Grosse Pointe Woods, Bob grew up in East Detroit where he lived out his excitement for sports as the star pitcher for Notre Dame High School and later as an employee at Detroit Olympia Stadium, where he could see all of the Red Wings games. Bob never lost his love for hockey. Bob carried a passion for our country, joining the U.S. Navy as a teenager, attending Naval Radar School and earning the rank of ETR 3. Following an honorable discharge, Bob continued his desire for education by graduating from Wayne State University with a Bachelor of Science in Business and Finance. Always an advocate for those in need, Bob graduated tenth in his class from the University of Detroit School of Law with his Doctor of Jurisprudence. He worked for justice as the Chief Trial Lawyer at the Legal Aid and Defender Association, and then expanded his law practice as a sole Practitioner, serving clients in state, federal, district and circuit courts. As a humanitarian, Bob worked to preserve the constitutional rights of each and every individual he represented. As a friend, Bob opened many doors for those he loved, never in judgment, but always with honored trust and confidentiality.

Among his memberships, Bob belonged to the State Bar of Michigan; Federal Bar of Michigan; United States 6th Circuit Court of Appeals; Pi Kappa Alpha; Goodfellows of Detroit; and Bayview Yacht Club.

Bob's light has left many fond memories shining for his friends and family. His dedication to Bayview Yacht Club was nurtured in the hearts of his children. Bob enjoyed being the proud owner and helmsman of his sailboat, *Defiant*, and shared his love for the sport. Bob took to the waters for 36 fun-filled Port Huron to Mackinac races; one of which he was ecstatic to race with his three children and friends, Alanna and Fitz, aboard his boat. Bob always found tranquil serenity out on the open waters, where he was a gifted sailor, even in the face of adversity.

Family parties, big or small, came without warning and were filled with great conversations, laughter, dance parties, and always ending with a serenade of "Goodnight Sweetheart." Bob took pride in his deep fried Thanksgiving turkey tradition and had a passion for food whether it was Chicken Sunday, homemade tamales or a hot fudge cream puff sundae. He was always ready for gatherings at Mexican Village, Polish Village, Lafayette Coney, or a hamburger from Miller's Bar.

Bob's friends remember his enthusiastic bridge-playing, along with poker and pinochle, a game where he always wore his father's lucky diamond ring, (to ensure his own good luck), when he was aboard the USS Shenandoah and was hailed as the Pinochle Champion. Neighbors knew Bob by his warm greetings and his enjoyment of music when they could hear Patsy Cline, Buddy Holly, Frank Sinatra, Billie Holiday, Jimmy Buffet, livening up the street, as well as Bob's listening to the classical composers that gave him quiet pleasure.

At a younger age Bob loved taking trips to Virginia Beach to visit family, and later found peace in his yearly visits to Barra de Navidad with friends and family. Although he found tranquility far from home, Bob always found comfort in his own back yard where he soaked up the sunshine, caught up on a great book, and fulfilled his love for gardening. No matter where Bob traveled, near or far, his loud, happy belly laugh could be heard for miles.

Everyone who knew Bob closely called him their *Best Friend*. The facts of his life cannot begin to convey the beauty of his spirit or the heartfelt smile he shared. One of the finest people one could know...A remarkable person...Bob will be remembered as the Dragon-Slayer that he was.

Tributes, Condolences, Memorial Candles may be shared at: <http://www.verheyden.org/>.

In lieu of flowers, contributions are deeply appreciated by the family in care of: Kate Lech and mailed to: Robert J. Lech P.C. PO Box 36781 Grosse Pointe Farms, MI 48236

A memorial service in celebration of the life of Bob Lech will begin on Friday, August 3, 2012, at 3:00 p.m., with Fr. Ray Stadmeier, OFM, Capuchin, officiating at 4:00 p.m. at: Bayview Yacht Club 100 Clairpointe St. Detroit, MI 48215

Soup Kitchen, 1820 Mt. Elliott, Detroit, MI 48207 or the Dossin Great Lakes Museum, 100 The Strand, Detroit, MI 48207.

Light a candle and share a memory at verheyden.org.

Henry A. Peyser, D.D.S.

Henry "Hank" A. Peyser, D.D.S., a 25-year Grosse Pointe Shores resident, died Friday, July 13, 2012. He was 89.

He attended the University of Detroit Dental School and practiced dentistry for 35 years. He was retired for 25 years.

Dr. Peyser was a veteran of World War II, a baseball coach for Grosse Pointe Little League, a member of Lochmoor Golf Club, Grosse Pointe Yacht Club and its harbor committee chairman.

He is survived by his wife, Mary Ann; his children Pamela (Michael) Voss, Mark (Kady) Peyser, Richard Peyser and Cynthia (Rob) Squires; and grandchildren, Elyse, Christopher, Hank, Monique, Matt, Robbie and Tory.

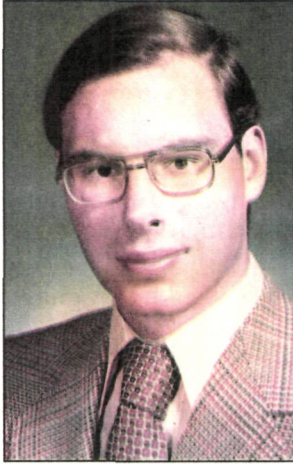
Visitation is 5 to 9 p.m. Thursday, July 19, and 10 a.m. Friday, July 20, at Bagnasco & Calcaterra Funeral Home, 25800 Harper, St. Clair Shores. Services follow at 11 a.m.

Donations may be made to Great Lakes Hospice Foundation, 900 Cooper St., Jackson, MI 49202.

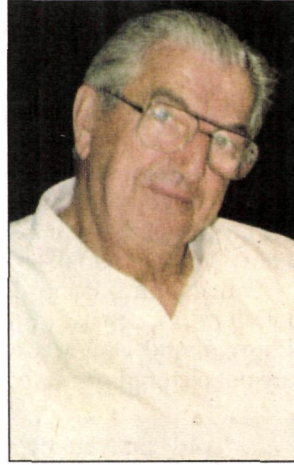
Randolph Hubbard Fitch

Randolph Hubbard Fitch, 76, died Tuesday, July 3, 2012.

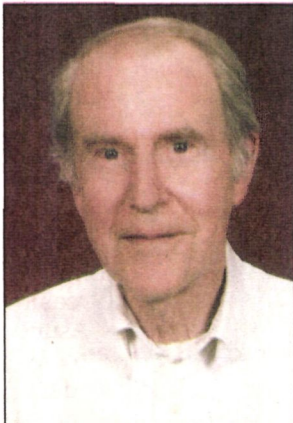
Born Dec. 28, 1935, in Detroit, he was the beloved son of Marion and Ferris Fitch and the cherished husband of the



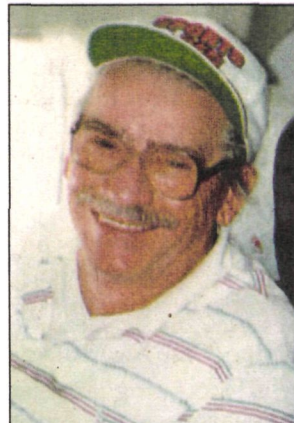
Stephen Chorny



Henry A. Peyser, D.D.S.



Randolph Hubbard Fitch



Francis Peter DeRoo

late Harriet Sue (Johnston) Fitch.

A U.S. Navy veteran, he was an alumnus of Grosse Pointe High School and Eastern Michigan University and worked as an executive in the automotive safety industry.

While retired in Arizona, Mr. Fitch and his wife, Sue, were charter members of the Friends of the Huachuca Mountains, and he also volunteered at Habitat for Humanity, his church, senior transportation and soup kitchens. Mr. Fitch enjoyed playing golf and maintaining friendships with high school classmates and former co-workers.

Mr. Fitch is survived by his sister, Joyce (Donald) Haigh; brother, Roger (Mooneyen) Fitch; daughters, Shannon (Terry) Tighe, Laura (Phil) Harriy, Jennifer (Greg) Sansbury, and Julie (Jeff) Adema; grandchildren,

Meghanne Tighe, Christopher, Jonathan and Noelle Harriy, Gage and Lauren Sansbury and Jenna and Jackie Adema.

He was predeceased by his loving wife, Sue; son, Bryan; brother, Ferris "Buddy" Fitch; sister, Barbara Rowen; and son-in-law, Phil Harriy.

A memorial service is at 11 a.m. Saturday, July 28, at Christ Church Grosse Pointe, 61 Grosse Pointe Blvd., Grosse Pointe Farms.

Francis Peter DeRoo

Francis Peter DeRoo, 86, died Sunday, July 8, 2012.

A veteran of World War II, where he served as a gunner in the U.S. Air Force, Mr. DeRoo was a career electrician with General Motors Corp. He was a sportsman who loved hunting, fishing and pigeon flying. He also was a life-long member of the Belgium Century Club.

Mr. DeRoo is survived by his loving brother, James DeRoo (JoAnne) and many nieces, nephews and friends.

A funeral Mass was held July 17 at St. Philomena Catholic Church in Detroit.

Donations may be made to the Capuchin Soup Kitchen, 1820 Mt. Elliott St., Detroit, MI 48207.

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Christina Elizabeth Young

January 26, 1956 - July 17, 2011

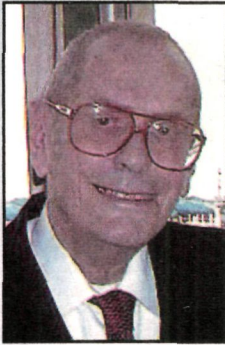


In loving memory of our dearest friend, Godmother, Aunt and Sweet Sister

The void we all feel in our lives, is being filled with precious memories of you. Thank You for being such an important part of our lives. WE LOVE YOU AND MISS YOU!

Robert J. Diehl

was born in Detroit on April 25, 1924.



His parents were George F. Diehl and Alice Nolan Diehl.

He graduated from the University of Detroit Law School in 1947. Bob practiced law in the Detroit area where he earned a reputation as a tenacious litigator with integrity and meticulous attention to detail. He was always ready to fight for the underdog. Bob was a proud member of the State Bar of Michigan until his death. He was an accomplished business entrepreneur. He was the chairman of Douthitt Corporation.

He married Anne E. Schultz on August 22, 1949. They were blessed with 12 children and 25 grandchildren. His passion was his family.

He wrote the following death notice shortly before his death on July 15, 2012:

My wife Anne (nee Schultz) is the most wonderful girl and mother and I love her with all my heart and soul. And, God gave us twelve extraordinary and loving children who are honest and intelligent and all of whom graduated from college. And, if at the time of my dying, there wasn't time or I lacked the strength, please know that I wanted to give that last hug to you Anne, and to our children Diane, Kathy, Nancy, Bob, Janice, George, Mark, John, Linda, David, Douglas and Lisa.

Also survived by my fine sons-in-law Donald (Diane) Corning and Michael (Kathy) Worhach and my lovely daughters-in-law Anne (Bob), Charlene (Mark), Cathleen (John), Amy (David) and Janet (Douglas).

Predeceased by my loving sister Janice (Sr. Alice Mary, I.H.M.), loving brother Gerald and loving sister Alice (Jack) Hagerty.

Also survived by my special friends Jim Haggerty, Lynda Baker and Sharon Choate.

And to my loving grandchildren Jennifer, Michael, Beth, Brian, Daniel, Rachel, Christopher (Maureen), Nancy, Robert III, James, Jeffrey, David, Patrick, Steven, Nicholas, Mary, Meghan, Matthew, Kate, Joseph, Emily, Teresa, Courtney, Cecelia, and Maureen - I leave this legacy - Believe in God and salvation - be honest and love your family.

Visitation will be at Chas. Verheyden Funeral Home of Grosse Pointe on Thursday, July 19, from 2 p.m. to 8 p.m. Rosary at 7 p.m.

In state Friday, July 20, 10:30 a.m., at St Ambrose Catholic Church, Grosse Pointe Park until funeral Mass at 11 a.m.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Ambrose Catholic Church, 15020 Hampton Street, Grosse Pointe Park, MI 48230.

OBITUARIES: Loved ones remembered

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Dr. Pedro S. Franco

Pedro Silverio Franco died peacefully in his home, surrounded by his family, Sunday, July 15, 2012.

He is survived by his wife of 45 years, Felicia, and his children, Felicia Franco-Feinberg (David) and Peter Franco (Heather Olson). He also is survived by his grandchildren, Plato Franco, Minka Franco, Sofia Feinberg and Gabriela Feinberg.

Dr. Franco was a 38-year resident of Grosse Pointe Shores. He was an avid reader and particularly enjoyed reading about Paraguayan and military history. He also enjoyed listening to Paraguayan folkloric music and spending time outdoors and bird watching.

Dr. Franco was born June 29, 1939, in San Jose de los Arroyos, Paraguay. He graduated medical school in Asuncion, Paraguay, in 1962. He immigrated to the United States in 1966, where he completed his medical internship and residency at Grace Hospital in Detroit and his fellowship at the University of Alabama in internal medicine and endocrinology. Dr. Franco recently retired from medical practice after compassionately helping

his patients in the Detroit area and Paraguay for the past 50 years.

A funeral Mass will be held 10 a.m. Saturday, July 21, at Our Lady Star of the Sea Church, 467 Fairford, Grosse Pointe Woods.

Donations in Dr. Franco's name may be made to "With All Its Lungs, Paraguay is Breathing" campaign (A todo pulmon, Paraguay respira) to aid with reforestation in Paraguay and sent to: "A Todo Pulmon, Paraguay respira" Calle America 200 casi tte. Coco Rivervos, Asuncion, Paraguay, or to World Wildlife Federation Global at panda.org.

Charles Bayard Johnson Jr.

Charles Bayard Johnson Jr., of Mt. Lebanon, Pa., died peacefully Monday, July 9, 2012, after 80 wonderful years of life.

He grew up in Grosse Pointe and graduated from Dartmouth College and Harvard Business School. He moved to Pittsburgh from Denver in 1972 and worked at Copperweld Corp., Pittsburgh Testing Lab and as a consultant for small businesses in the area.

He was predeceased by

his first wife, Mary Sue.

He is survived by his loving wife, Janie, and his children, Cam (Greg) Allen of Mt. Lebanon, Molly Johnson (John Fassler) of Ft. Collins, Colo., Gail Johnson (Tim Elgren) of Clinton, N.Y., and Bayard K. Johnson (Karen) of Jefferson Hills, Pa. He also is survived by his sister, Martha Speer of Grosse Pointe Farms, and seven grandchildren, Rob, Brad and Scott Allen, Ruth and Ben Elgren and Bay and Dory Johnson.

He will be remembered for his unwavering kindness, wonderful sense of humor and devotion to his family.

A memorial service will be held 10 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 11, at Southminster Presbyterian Church in Mt. Lebanon.

Donations may be made in Mr. Johnson's name to Family Hospice and Palliative Care, 50 Moffett St., Pittsburgh, PA 15243, the organization which so lovingly cared for him, or to Wounded Warriors Project at woundedwarriorproject.com.

George B. Schreck

George Bock Schreck, who was born in Detroit July 8, 1926, passed away June 13, 2012, in Vero Beach, Fla., after a 10-year battle with Alzheimer's disease. He was raised in Grosse Pointe and resided there until retiring to Vero Beach.

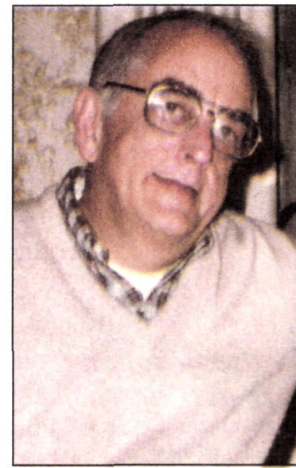
He was the sixth child and only son of the late

George Walter and Bertha Bock Schreck. He and his siblings were raised in Grosse Pointe.

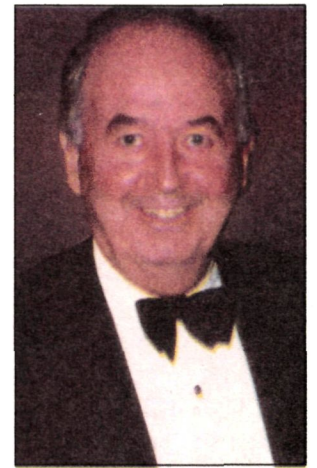
Only one sister, Elizabeth (Bette) Haarz, of West Branch, survives him, as well as his wife, Barbara Schreck, of Vero Beach.

Mr. Schreck graduated from Grosse Pointe High School in 1944 and attended Kalamazoo College for the beginning of his naval training. In October 1945, he was transferred to Northwestern University in Evanston, Ill., until June 1946. When the Northwestern program ended, Mr. Schreck had not completed his degree so enrolled at the University of Michigan and remained in the reserves, earning a bachelor's degree in political science in 1947 and took a commission as a U.S. Marine second lieutenant. When war broke out in Korea in June 1950, Mr. Schreck attended basic Marine Corps school at Quantico, Va., became a first lieutenant. In the spring of 1952, he was sent to Korea with the 3rd Battalion of the First Marines.

He served in a U.S. Marine rifle company fighting the North Koreans and Chinese Communists north of the 38th parallel. Schreck was promoted to captain and received the Commendation ribbon with Combat "V" for "excellent service in the line of his profession while serving in a Marine Infantry company during



Charles B. Johnson Jr.



George B. Schreck

operations against enemy in Korea." He ultimately became a U.S. Marine Reserve major.

Returning from the Korean front in 1952, he briefly served as a marine training instructor and was released from active duty in 1952.

He earned a master's degree in finance from U of M in 1953 and worked for Shell Oil.

Recommended by U of M's economic professor Paul McCracken, Mr. Schreck was selected for a position on the General Motors Corporation finance staff in 1956.

He worked in New York for several years before moving to Australia in 1959 as a member of the GM overseas finance staff.

He also worked in Argentina for three years and Brazil for two years, becoming fluent in Spanish and Portuguese. Returning to the United States, he worked in both New York and Detroit in various public relations roles. Mr. Schreck was manager of public rela-

tions for Central and South America and Africa and acted as the company spokesman when GM sold its major interests in South Africa in 1986. He retired from General Motors in 1988.

In 1979, he married Barbara Latshaw of Kansas City, Mo. For nine years, they resided in Grosse Pointe Farms and were active in the Grosse Pointe Club and the Tennis Club.

Mr. Schreck is survived by two step-daughters, Lady Jaffray, Constance, of London, England, Elizabeth of Los Angeles; sisters, Elizabeth Haarz, Helen Groehn (Thomas), Grace Rosenberg (Jack) and Natalie Wilcox (William); and 14 nieces and nephews.

He was predeceased by sister, Dorothy Groehn.

Memorial service arrangements are pending.

Donations in Mr. Schreck's memory maybe made to the Alzheimer's Association, P.O. Box 96011, Washington, D.C. 20090-6011.

Yesterday's Headlines

1962

50 years ago this week

◆ **DISEASE STRIKES MANY ELMS:** A Michigan State Department of Agriculture survey in the Pointe, to date, showed the Pointe will lose at least 126 elm trees, most of them in the Woods, because of the Dutch Elm Disease.

Elms on the properties on the west side of Mack have hardly been touched by the disease, but on the east side of the avenue, elms have been hard hit.

Grosse Pointe Farms has sent samples from 21 suspect private and six public-owned trees, to the State Agriculture Department, but has not yet received results. However, city officials said it appears the Farms has the Dutch Elm disease pretty well under control.

◆ **THREE POINTE CHURCHES ROBBED SAME MORNING:** Three Pointe churches were broken into by a burglar early Monday morning, who rifled boxes containing church offering envelopes and petty cash.

Forcibly entered were St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church on Lothrop; Grosse Pointe Congregational Church on Chalfonte and Grosse Pointe Methodist Church on Moross. Farms detectives said the method of operation indicated the burglaries were committed by the same person.

◆ **3 POINTE, CLINTON TOWNSHIP TO FORM AUTHORITY:** The formation of a refuse disposal authority that will include at least three of the Pointes and Clinton Township, moved a step closer to reality, when the Farms and City councils unanimously approved Articles of Incorporation.

Since 1952, the Pointes have sought to form an authority to build an incinerator for the disposal of rubbish and garbage.

Approximately six years ago, Clinton Township officials looked upon

such a proposal with favor and agreed to the construction of an incinerator there. However, township residents stormed the council chambers at a public hearing, and strongly protested such a move, and the matter was dropped.

1987

25 years ago this week

◆ **STORM SMACKS GROSSE POINTES:** It was shortly after 3 p.m. Friday when a major thunderstorm rolled across the Grosse Pointe area, leaving in its wake downed wires, split trees,

a roof fire and two other homes damaged by lightning.

The roof of a Grosse Pointe Farms house was struck by lightning and caused a fire. A house in Grosse Pointe Shores was struck by lightning. The bolt struck the north side of the house and traveled through the house coming out in a bedroom. Three large holes were blown and plaster was scattered all over a bedroom.

Lightning struck another house in Grosse Pointe Farms and apparently blew a plug receptacle out of the wall.

◆ **SCHOOLS TO START PILOT DAY CARE CENTER:** The Grosse Pointe schools will enter the daycare business sometime this year.

Warning sternly to "do it right this time," six of seven board members voted to approve the pilot project.

◆ **CLUB AVERTS NEAR DISASTER:** High temperatures, coupled with a huge demand for power at the Grosse Pointe Yacht Club, caused a near disaster as two 4,800-volt transformers began to fail and overheat, causing a disruption of all electrical services for both the building and boat wells.

Club officials said there was a complete failure of two 40-year-old transformers located in a small

crypt-like room in the basement of the club.

Grosse Pointe Shores public safety officials were called in immediately, an earlier attempt was made to open the door to the transformer room, but the

door was too hot to open. Public safety officers got the door open and were greeted by the two seething hot, bubbling transformers.

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Is the Housing Crisis Over?

It's official: The housing market has reached bottom, at least according to 44 forecasters surveyed by The Wall Street Journal. Only three economists surveyed said they didn't think the market had reached bottom yet.

The recent momentum in housing has plenty of economists and forecasters convinced that the worst is behind. According to many real estate indices, home prices are up, sales of existing and new homes are picking up year-over year, and inventories of for-sale homes have fallen dramatically.

The decrease in for-sale inventory is the key and will likely help maintain the rise in home prices, Mark Fleming, CoreLogic chief economist, told The Wall Street Journal.

What's more, the number of vacant homes is at its lowest point since 2006, The Wall Street Journal reports.

Now that the "bottom" has been reached, economists admit there's still a long way to go for a full recovery. In particular, more than one in every four homeowners with mortgages are still underwater, owing more on their loan than their home is currently worth. However, analysts note that rising home prices are chipping away at that number. Also, shadow inventory of unsold homes and foreclosures still threaten the momentum of the recovery as well.

"From here on, housing is unlikely to drag the U.S. economy down further," JPMorgan Chase economists note. "It will instead reflect the strength or weakness of the overall economy: The more jobs, the more confident Americans are about keeping their jobs, the more they are willing to buy houses."

Source: *Daily Real Estate News* National Association of REALTORS (July 12, 2012) and *Housing Passes a Milestone*, The Wall Street Journal (July 11, 2012)

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AUTOS By Jenny King

'German engineering' marks Tiguan



The 2012 Volkswagen Tiguan small utility vehicle isn't exactly what we expected. But it is what it is.

We confess to having spent a lot of time driving various utility-style vehicles, most of which have a strong Asian influence. They have been fairly light-weight, nimble, competitive and trendy in their looks, good on interior capacity, well-equipped, safe and fuel-efficient.

Now comes the VW Tiguan, with a more serious demeanor and the multiple effects of its German engineering. Yes, the doors did go "thunk"; the ride was unusually quiet and sure-footed; the turbo-charged 2.0-liter four very confident and anxious to perform, and the overall impression of the vehicle was one of quality.

The Tiguan was refreshed for the current model year with new front- and rear-end styling, improved fuel economy and available new-style Bi-Xenon headlights. The result is a handsome, conservative vehicle — there are no Beetle traits in this one. It slips easily into the crowd.

VW says some have described the Tiguan as the GTI of compact sport utility vehicles. Must be that turbo-charged, 200 horsepower 2.0-liter four and



PHOTOS BY JENNY KING

All 2012 Tiguans are equipped with a 200 horsepower turbo-charged 2.0-liter four. Their styling is on the conservative side with a high-quality interior in design and materials.

that German engineering. This is a vehicle to be taken more seriously than much of its competition.

The Tiguan delivers 21 miles per gallon city and 27 mpg highway.

Front drive is standard on the Tiguan; all-wheel or 4Motion is optional. All models, from S and LE to SE and SEL, are powered by the turbo-charged 2.0-liter four. Transmission choices are a six-speed manual and six-speed automatic.

VW explains changes for 2012 to the six-speed automatic include the addition of a second over-drive gear to reduce engine revs at cruising speeds. In non-sport mode, the transmission shifts at slightly lower engine speeds, leaning on the turbo engine's torque for support. The engine idles at a fuel-saving 600 rpm.

The Tiguan interior is bigger than it looks, and VW has paid special attention to the rear seat, which has a 40/20/40 split.

With just the center 20 percent folded forward, the Tiguan can still accommodate two outboard passengers. The front passenger seat back also folds forward and flat, should that additional space be required.

The rear seat can slide forward up to six inches and each of the rear seat-backs can be adjusted.

There is lots of leg, ankle and foot room for the second-row set.

The seats in our Tiguan SE with 4Motion, sunroof and navigation system were wrapped in leatherette with interior panels trimmed in soft plastic.

Assembled in Wolfsburg, Germany, the Tiguan can be ordered from a long list of comfort and convenience items that include panoramic glass tilt/slide sunroof, navigation system and entertainment system upgrades.

VW says the 2012 Tiguan features standard Bluetooth connectivity,

aux-in for portable audio players and an eight-speaker audio system with an MP3 and WMA-compatible in-dash CD player. The mid-range SE model features Volkswagen's Premium VIII touchscreen audio system with a six-disc CD changer, SD memory-card reader and Media Device Interface with an iPod cable.

Carpeted floor mats and cruise control are standard, even on the base S model.

Standard safety features include front air bags plus side-thorax air bags for front seat occupants. There are side air curtains. All models feature VW's crash response system that shuts off the fuel pump, unlocks the doors and may switch on the hazard warning lights if the vehicle is involved in certain types of collision.

Tiguan prices start at \$22,840.

The test vehicle, an SE 4Motion with the sunroof/navigation package,



carried a sticker, with destination charge, of \$33,300. It included heated front seats, heated windshield washer nozzles and power heatable exterior mirrors with side turn signal blinkers.

VW offers three-years or 36,000 miles of free maintenance with a new vehicle.

The company is moving quickly toward increased assembly at its new plant in Chattanooga, Tenn. To



The Tiguan's rear seat has a 40-20-40 folding seat back design. The seat can be brought forward six inches; seat backs also recline.

date, 100,000 VW Passats have been built there.

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TEST DRIVE By Greg Zyla

2012 Cadillac Escalade AWD



This week we test drive the 2012 Cadillac Escalade AWD, still one of the ultimate luxury SUV vehicles available today — base price: \$63,170; price as tested: \$76,215.

Escalade offers a heavy-duty undercarriage with its "Luxury touch" package featuring secure handling and great looks.

Our tester came in Premium AWD trim, which pushes the standard vehicle price to \$74,225 and adds just about every available option.

Under the hood sits Cadillac's lightweight all-aluminum 403-horsepower 6.2-liter Vortec V8, similar to the engines that power Corvette and Camaro. Although Escalade is unable to deliver the 25 miles per gallon highway with this powerplant, the near 3-ton Cadillac delivers 13 city and 18 highway — the Escalade Hybrid offers EPA numbers of 21 city and 22 highway.

The trade-offs are excellent acceleration and safety, the latter related to its overall mass and General Motor's excellent safety items. Government crash ratings are 5-Star for driver and both rear passengers and 4-Star for front passenger. It also can tow up to 8,100 pounds safely with the 2WD version or



2012 Cadillac Escalade AWD

7,700 with the AWD. Premium models come with all trailer towing equipment necessary, sans a brake controller.

Its engine, capable of pushing the Escalade to

14-second quarter miles at 95 mph, optimizes torque at low speeds and increases horsepower at high speeds, while decreasing emissions. There's also an active fuel management

system to aid in the highway mpg while the 6-speed automatic transmission provides more low-end torque and two over-drive gears, helping it attain the acceptable highway ratings.

Inside notables include multi-power leather front seats with heating and cooling features, second row heated seats, power sunroof, 5.1 Bose stereo surround system, new USB interface, Bluetooth, XM Satellite, tri-zone air, DVD navigation, rear-view camera, rear-seat entertainment system, heated steering wheel, remote starter, power-adjustable pedals, power assist run-

ning board and more.

Escalade is built on the GMT900 full-size SUV/truck platform in Arlington, Texas, and offers improved torsional rigidity and stiffer components while not hampering the Cadillac ride we expect. The AWD system is fully automatic.

Our tester came with a bench seat in the third row, making room for seven passengers. However, access is cumbersome for adults, who can also expect a bit of tightness there. Our tester had 16.9 cubic feet of cargo space behind the third row, necessitating a "fold down" for more room. The option

is an Escalade ESV, which is 21-inches longer and offers 45.8 cubic feet of space behind the third row.

Important numbers include a 116-inch wheelbase, 5,715-pound curb weight, 26-gallon fuel tank for either premium fuel or E85 and a 41-foot turn radius.

Escalade necessitates inserting a key to start.

Likes: outstanding luxury amenities; performance, safety, blind zone alerts.

Dislikes: cargo area, third row accessibility, poor city fuel mileage.

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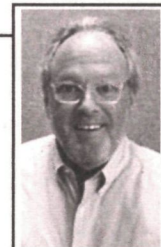


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The M Hybrid is true sports hybrid

In building its first hybrid car, Infiniti has made the 2012 M Hybrid fast and relatively affordable with a manufacturer suggested retail price starting at \$53,700.

It makes 360 horsepower, an impressive number for any sports sedan but mind-blowing in a hybrid car. Its acceleration has been clocked from 0 to 60 mph in 5.1 seconds.

The M Hybrid has an EPA rating of 32 miles per gallon on the highway and 27 in the city.

Everything about it oozes with comfort, style and sophistication — from its body to its distinctive wood trim, quilted leather accents and headliner.

Infiniti is known for piling on the electronic gadgets, and the M Hybrid is no exception. It's available with many interesting features, some useful, others gimmicky, including radar cruise control that keeps you moving at the speed of traffic, lane change indicators and blind spot sensors for safety, and a climate system called Forest Breeze that varies how hard the vents blow air.

It has everything you would expect from a high-end luxury car, including passing power. The M Hybrid only



2012 Infiniti M Hybrid



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reaches its full performance potential when you turn a dial to put it into "sport" mode, which hurts the gas mileage a bit, but gives it much faster reflexes and unleashes its complete power level. You'll get better gas mileage in "eco" mode, which makes it respond slower.

The high-tech lithium ion battery pack and associated electronic gear eats into the trunk space. It holds a lot less cargo than its non-hybrid competitors.

As a whole, though, I couldn't be more impressed with this car. It makes lots of power, coddles you on the highway, looks gorgeous, and still gets 32 mpg on the highway. It's the best hybrid vehicle I've driven, hands down.

What was tested? The

2012 Infiniti M Hybrid with a base price of \$53,700. Options on the test car: The technology package, \$3,000; deluxe touring package, \$3,800; trunk net, trunk mat and first aid kit, \$200; illuminated kick plates, \$360; aerodynamic kit, \$2,000; premium package, \$3,350; and the 18-inch wheel package, \$650. The total MSRP price as tested, including the \$895 destination charge, came to: \$67,955.

Why avoid it? The hybrid battery takes up some of the trunk space.

Why buy it? It's a stunning car with lots of strong points: fantastic performance, a luxurious cabin and beautiful body.

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Crossroads East at Salem's new facility filled its pantry shelves quickly with 300 pounds of boxed and canned food donated by Christ Church of Grosse Pointe members.

More than a meal

By A.J. Hakim
Staff Writer

When Crossroads of Michigan opened the doors to its new eastside location, Crossroads East at Salem, in April, the outreach agency was met with a hefty food donation from a familiar source.

Four middle school students from Christ Church of Grosse Pointe Sunday School and their teachers, with shopping carts filled, donated about 300 pounds of boxed and canned foods to the food pantry portion of the building, located at the former Salem Memorial Lutheran Church on Moross.

"The church has always had a relationship with Crossroads," Sunday school teacher Ted Hagan said about the church's commitment to the agency, that provides emergency assistance, advocacy and counseling to families or individuals in need. For the past few years, students have also volunteered twice a year cooking and serving lunches at the Crossroads Sunday Soup Kitchen in Detroit, the agency's largest outreach program, serving between 700 and 1,000 people each Sunday.

For the food drive, middle schoolers Reed Boeckler, Vickie Blaine, Ainsley Hagan and Allison Blaine assisted with delivering the donations, a product of a student-led fundraiser at the church. Earlier in April, to raise money for the donation, the students made 75 breakfast sandwiches to sell between the 9 and 11:15 a.m. services.

"Demand was better than we thought," Hagan said.

They raised about \$400. From there, Hagan and fellow teachers Mary Kay Blaine and Paula Labadie, along with the students, purchased \$400 worth of "filling but healthy," non-perishable foods — oats, macaroni and cheese, vegetables, rice and more — at Meijer.

"It's hands on," Hagan said. "That's

one of the things we don't really get an opportunity to do, for the children to get to see another side of life

they don't always get to see. And they've just embraced it."

Founded in 1971, Crossroads of Michigan is a tax-exempt, 501 (c) (3) social service outreach agency with the two locations in Detroit. The agency provides its clients food, clothing and personal hygiene items.

The agency distributes more than

'Demand was better than we thought.'

TED HAGAN,
Christ Church of Grosse Pointe Sunday school teacher

100 tons of food annually and offers gently used men's, women's and children's clothing, as well as soap, toothbrushes, toothpaste, deodorants, razors, shampoos, medicines, and adult and baby diapers.

"It's extremely generous," Crossroads of Michigan Development Coordinator Andrea Paul said of Christ Church's donation. "It will help so many people of great need."

To volunteer or make a donation, contact Crossroads East at Salem at (313) 822-5200 or via company website at crossroadsofmichigan.org.



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Christ Church of Grosse Pointe Sunday School students Vickie Blaine, Reed Boeckler, Allison Blaine and Ainsley Hagan, pictured above with Crossroads East at Salem volunteer Lawrence Carter, second from left, raised \$400 during a breakfast sandwich sale and purchased about 300 pounds of boxed and canned foods to donate to Crossroads' new location.



Supporters

"Your Night at the Museum," with the Alexis de Tocqueville Society at the Henry Ford was hosted by Bill and Lisa Ford. Michael J. Brennan, president and CEO of United Way for Southeastern Michigan explained how the United Way is making changes happen with the help of its supporters. From left, the Fords; United Way's president, Sergio Marchionne; Marian Impastato and the Hon. Joseph Impastato of Grosse Pointe Shores.

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2B | **FACES & PLACES**

Rotarians pass gavel, honor scholars

What's happening

Rotary of Grosse Pointe installed its new president for 2012-13 and honored five Grosse Pointe public high school graduates at its Presidents' Prom and the Passing of the Gavel gala June 27 at the Grosse Pointe Hunt Club.

Master of ceremonies was immediate past president Mark Wilson. Toasts were given by Detroit Rotary past president Trey Greene and the Rev. Richard Yeager-Stiver said the invocation. Grosse Pointe Public School Superintendent Thomas Harwood was conducted by Kim Towar, past president and past district governor. Harwood was sponsored by former superintendent Suzanne Klein, a 14-year Rotarian.

Outgoing president William J. Scott III awarded scholarships to five Sladen scholars. They were: Emily Cardosi, Natasha Eklund and Julian Ross of Grosse Pointe North High School and Alexander Parker and Jennifer Ryan of South high school.

In recognition of Rotary of Grosse Pointe's 75 years, Rotary district 6400 Gov. Mary Kehoe, of Carleton, Ontario, installed Diane Strickler as Rotary of Grosse Pointe's 76th president. Strickler, who recently returned from the Rotary International Convention in Bangkok, echoed the theme — "Peace Through Service" — of her Rotary International counterpart Sakuji Tanaka, of the Rotary Club of Yashio, Japan.

Rotary of Grosse Pointe meets Mondays at noon at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial.

Lunch costs \$15 and the public is invited. Advance information about Rotary of Grosse Pointe is available at gprotary.org.



At its Presidents' Prom and the Passing of the Gavel gala celebrating 75 years of service, Rotary of Grosse Pointe honored five 2012 public high school graduates as Sladen Scholars. From left are Jennifer Ryan, Grosse Pointe South High School; Natasha Eklund and Emily Cardosi, of North high school; Alexander Parker, of South; and Julian Ross, of Grosse Pointe North.



Above left, Rotary of Grosse Pointe recently installed Diane Strickler as its new president for the 2012-13 year. With her are past president William Scott III, left, and first vice president Paul Rentenbach, right. Above right, past schools superintendent Suzanne Klein and current superintendent Tom Harwood recognized Grosse Pointe North and South graduates as Sladen Scholars at Rotary of Grosse Pointe's Presidents' Prom and Passing of the Gavel gala at the Grosse Pointe Hunt Club. Harwood was also inducted as a new Rotarian.



Boys and girls, ages 4-6, can learn lessons in a fun way at the "Empowered Through the World of Dr. Seuss" summer camp at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial. The summer music festival brings in the sounds of the Fab Four and the sunny tropics and the War Memorial offers bargains and Americana with a trip to the Shipshewana Flea Market in Indiana. For reservations and details, call (313) 881-7511.

Coming programs include:

Shipshewana Flea Market — 8:30 a.m. to 9 p.m., Tuesday, July 24. A bus provides transportation to the largest flea market in the Midwest. Visit an Amish cheese shop and eat a family style meal at Blue Gate Restaurant & Bakery in Indiana. The cost is \$78 and includes box lunch, dinner and transportation.

Toppermost at the Summer Music Festival — 7:30 p.m., Wednesday, July 25. Michigan-based Beatles tribute band comes to Grosse Pointe. Admission is \$8; one child 10-and-under is admitted free with each paying adult; children's tickets cost \$4. Hot food available for purchase and bring lawn chairs. Grounds open at 6 p.m.

Big Chef Little Chef: Cooking a Healthy Lunch — 6 to 8 p.m., Thursday, July 26. Parents and their children can learn the secrets to making a tasty and healthy lunch with fruits, vegetables and chocolate. The cost is \$45 for parent and child and \$10 per additional child.

Empowered Through the World of Dr. Seuss — 9 a.m. to noon, Monday through Friday, July 23 to 27. Children, ages 4-6, learn about personal power, dreams, being themselves and using their voice to speak up for themselves and others. The cost is \$153.

Digital Moviemaking — 10 to 11:30 a.m., Monday through Friday, July 23 to 27. Children, ages 7-9, learn artistically and technically what they need to create their own works for the Computer Explorers Film Festival. The cost is \$12. Advance registration is required by Friday, July 20.

Video Game Design — 9:30 a.m. to noon, Monday



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AREA ACTIVITIES

Women's Caring Program

A "Twilight Gathering" garden party fundraiser for the Women's Caring Program to provide child care assistance to working families is 5 to 8 p.m., Thursday, July 19, at Melissa Cragg's house, 722 Balfour, Grosse Pointe Park. The event features hors d'oeuvres and drinks and a silent auction.

Event co-hostesses are Diane Antishin, Celeste Arduino, Barbara Barrett, Debbie Dingell, Rachele Downs, Linda Forte, Mollie Fletcher, Mary Kramer, Aleksandra Miziolek, Colleen Robar and Amanda Van Dusen.

For more information

and to purchase tax-deductible tickets, visit WomensCaringProgram.org. Walk-ins are welcome.

Senior Men's Club

The Senior Men's Club of Grosse Pointe lunch is at 11 a.m. Tuesday, July 24, at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial, 32 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Farms. The cost is \$10. Michael TenBusch, United Way vice president, discusses "United Way's Educational Preparedness Program."

Men, retired or more than 55 years of age, from any community can attend. Wearing a jacket is

suggested. For more information, call Ken Van Dellen at (313) 821-5706.

Grosse Pointe Woods

The Grosse Pointe Woods Community Center offers a trip to Greektown Casino 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 9. The day includes round-trip transportation on a motor coach, time to gamble and \$20 in slot play. Each participant must bring a valid photo ID.

The cost is \$5 for Woods residents and \$7 for non-residents. Lunch is at your own expense.

To register, visit the community center, 20025 Mack Plaza, or call (313) 343-2408.

Library

◆ Summer preschool story time begins at 10 a.m. Tuesday, July 24, and is at the Grosse Pointe Public Library, Ewald branch, 15175 E. Jefferson, Grosse Pointe

Farms.

◆ The movie, "Legend of the Guardians: The Owls of Ga'Hoole," is shown at 2 p.m. Monday, July 30, at the Ewald branch.

◆ The puppet show, "The Adventures of Wanda and Wendall," begins at 11 a.m. Tuesday, July 24, at the Ewald branch.

To register for any of the aforementioned programs, call (313) 343-2071.

Village Festival

The 35th annual Village Sidewalk Sale and Street Festival is noon to 9 p.m. Friday, July 27, and 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., Saturday, July 28, on Kercheval between Cadieux and Neff.

Friday, July 27

◆ Balduck Mountain Ramblers perform from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. on Kercheval near Cadieux.

◆ Services for Older Citizens hosts Dancing in the Streets with live music by Take Two from 6 to 9 p.m. on St. Clair near Kercheval in Festival Plaza.

◆ SOC offers children's activities, including face painting, balloons, prize

drawings, hula hoop contests and sidewalk art, from 6 to 9 p.m. on Kercheval and St. Clair.

◆ Exhibits from the Edsel & Eleanor Ford House and Friends of the Grosse Pointe Public Library can be seen on St. Clair and Kercheval.

◆ Representatives from the Grosse Pointe Animal Adoption Society are on hand from 5 to 8 p.m.

◆ City Kitchen, SideStreet Diner, Village Grille, Pop's Kettle Corn and Cinnamon Roasted Almonds provide food items from noon to 9 p.m.

Saturday, July 28

◆ SideStreet Diner, Village Grille, Pop's Kettle Corn and Cinnamon Roasted Almonds provide food items from 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

◆ SOC offers children's activities all day.

The sidewalk sale and street festival are produced by the Grosse Pointe Village Association. The rain date is Saturday, Aug. 4.

For more information, call (313) 886-7474.

Sports physicals

Henry Ford Medical Center - Cottage offers

sports physicals for students from 4 to 7 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 2, at Grosse Pointe North High School, 707 Vernier, Grosse Pointe Woods. No appointment is needed.

Henry Ford Medical Group sports medicine and family practice physicians, and Henry Ford Cottage physical therapists will perform the evaluations, which may include an electrocardiogram, if indicated.

The fee is \$20. All students must bring a completed Michigan High School Athletics Association physical form and other documentation required by their schools. Blank forms are available on registration tables at both locations. For more information, call (313) 972-4172.

AAUW

The American Association of University Women is collecting books through Aug. 4, to be sold at its annual used book sale Oct. 3 through 6, at First English Lutheran Church.

Books can be dropped off at the Grosse Pointe Woods Community Center, 20025 Mack Plaza, Kroger at Marter and Jefferson, St. Clair Shores, and Ace Hardware in The Village.

Detroit Agriculture Network

The 15th annual Detroit Agriculture Network Tour of Urban Farms and Gardens is Wednesday, Aug. 1.

Sign-in begins at 5 p.m. and tours leave at 6 p.m. Following the tour, a reception, featuring locally-grown food and refreshments prepared by local chefs and co-hosted by The Eastern Market Corporation, is available.

The bus tours visit east, west and central city gardens and the bike tour goes through Eastern Market neighborhood gardens. All tours leave from Shed 3.

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PASTOR'S CORNER By Carla Kalogeridis

What does God's voice sound like?

While working on Dream-Works' Oscar-winning animated film, "The Prince of Egypt," Val Kilmer, the actor who provides Moses's voice, convinced the director he should also be God's voice. Why?

Kilmer pointed out when God speaks to us, it's not in a thunderous voice from the clouds — rather, we hear God through ideas that come to us in our own "inner voice."

Recently, I was shopping in the Village Kroger and walked in to grab a cart. Almost immediately, the thought came very clearly: "No, not this one!" Over the years, I've come to recognize those kinds of thoughts as "angel thoughts," and I do my best to obey. But

this seemed so trivial. As I reached for the same cart, I heard again: "Not this one!" Fine, fine, I mumbled to myself, and I walked down a couple rows of carts and grabbed another one.

As I pulled out the cart, I couldn't help but smile. Someone had left their wallet. From the ID, I called the lady's home. Her husband answered, and we agreed he would track down his wife and ask her to meet me at the customer service desk. Minutes later, the wallet was back with its rightful owner.

With all that's going on in the world, is God really involved in something as minor as returning a lost wallet? I think so. In Science

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Sweet music

Pianist David Syme, below center, performed for more than 200 guests May 16 at the Grosse Pointe Memorial Church. The event was sponsored by Valerie Moran, left, and Patrick Moran. Following the concert, 100 patrons attended an Artists Afterglow at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial.

Business donations for the afterglow included:

Cakes Our Specialty, The Cheesecake Shoppe, Chocolate Bar Café, Josef's French Pastry Shoppe, Sweet Dreams Pastry, AMMEX Duty Free and Jerry's Club Party Store.

Above, also attending the event were, from left, William Jennings, Ed and Karen Lazar and Elizabeth and Jeremy Boyd.



CHURCH EVENTS

Christ Church

Christ Church Grosse Pointe, Grosse Pointe Congregational Church and Grosse Pointe Memorial Church offer a Habitat for Humanity Vacation Bible School from 9 a.m. to 12:15 p.m., Aug. 6 to 10, at Christ Church, 61 Grosse Pointe Blvd., Grosse Pointe Farms.

The curriculum, "Under Construction: Building God's Kingdom," gives children a dose of God's love and encouragement to share Christian faith through service to the church and community.

The Bible-based program uses a construction theme and involves children in activities teaching the value of building a Christian community.

The program is designed for children 4 years old through fifth grade and the cost is \$30.

Registration forms can be obtained by visiting christchurchgp.org/pdf-files/vbs-registration,2012.pdf and in the Christ Church lobby.

For more information, call Sarah Wheeler at (313) 885-4841, ext. 115.

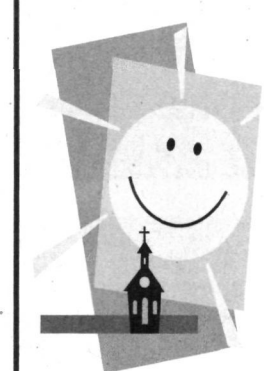
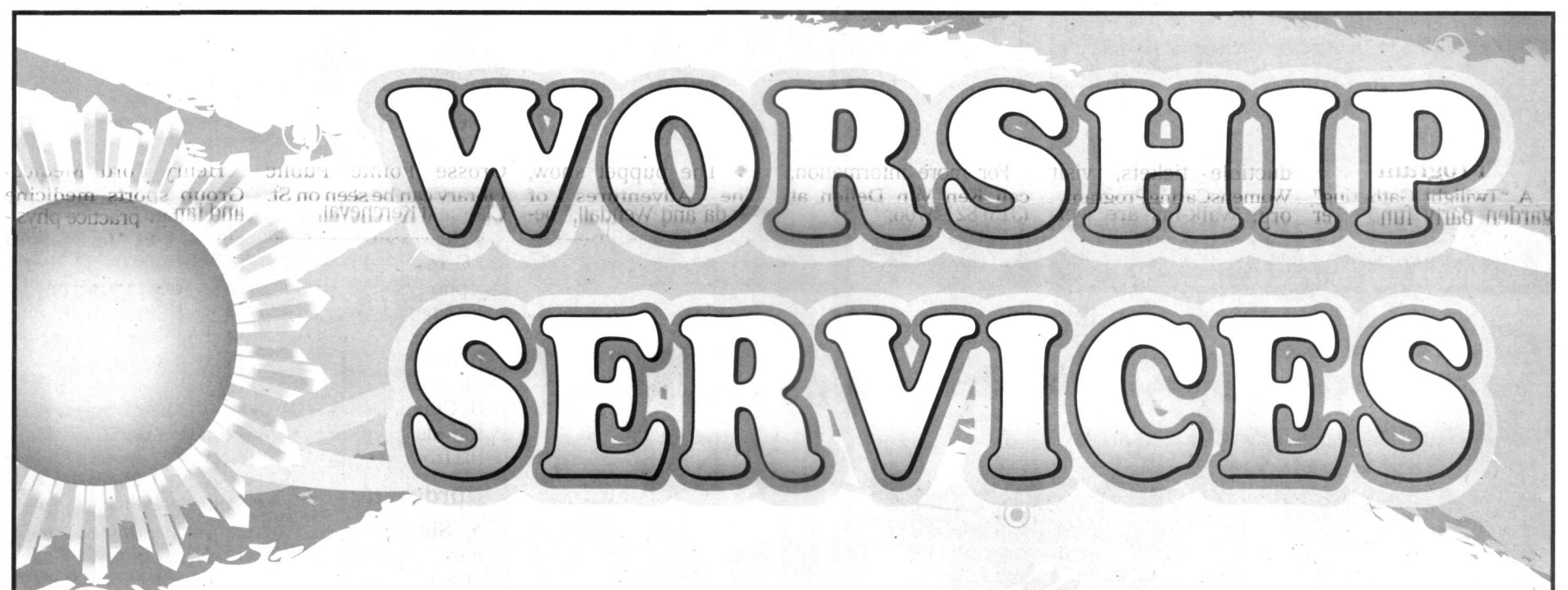
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The 19th annual Benefit on the Bay begins at 5:30 p.m. Friday, Aug. 24, at Mac & Ray's in Harrison Township.

The cost of \$60 includes appetizers, dinner dancing, beverages, desserts and a raffle ticket. The evening includes three bands performing and live and silent auctions.

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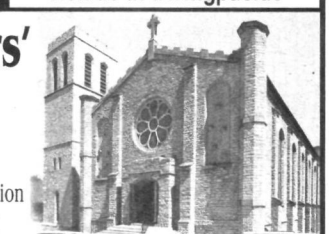
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 - Grosse Pointe Art Center Preview of "Our Rivers, Our Lakes"
 - Grosse Pointe Art Center Lecture "Our Rivers, Our Lakes"
 - Mom to Mom Sale at GP War Memorial
 - Fairy Tale Festival at Edsel & Eleanor Ford House
 - West Park Farmer's Market
 - GP Public Library presents the craft "Night Shivers"
 - Fairy Twilight Dessert at Edsel & Eleanor Ford House
 - GP War Memorial's Summer Music Festival: New Odyssey
 - 9-10 Global Leadership Summit
 - Fairy Twilight Dessert at Edsel & Eleanor Ford House
 - 11 All Grosse Pointe Outdoor Movie
 - Fairy House and Terrarium Workshop for Families at Edsel & Eleanor Ford House
 - West Park Farmer's Market
 - Grosse Pointe Animal Adoption at Camp Bow Wow Training Center
 - 13 GP Public Library presents the movie "Sleeping Beauty"
 - 14 The Brothers Grimm in Popular Culture at Edsel & Eleanor Ford House
 - 15 Senior Fun Day at GP War Memorial
 - Fairy Twilight Dessert at Edsel & Eleanor Ford House
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 - 25 Grosse Pointe Animal Adoption at Camp Bow Wow Training Center
 - 29 Racing for Kids on The Hill
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- SEPTEMBER**
- West Park Farmer's Market
 - The Lake House Event at The Great Frame Up
 - 8-9 VillageFest
 - Fairy House and Terrarium Workshop for Families
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 - Grosse Pointe Animal Adoption at Camp Bow Wow Training Center
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STATE OF THE ARTS By Alex Suczek

Charlie Brown is still a good man



When Charles Schulz started creating his Peanuts cartoon series, he saw opportunity to portray growing ups who were still trying to figure out how to cope with life and feeling all too often like losers. Episode by episode he distilled each incident into four or six panels with a gag line.

Over a lifetime, he produced thousands which as they accumulated became a cohesive grade school level philosophy of life that won wry smiles and personal recognition among an international audience of readers.

At its peak of popularity

Peanuts was carried in a couple thousand newspapers worldwide and read by an amazing 5 per cent of the world's literate population. And with time it grew in the variety and subtlety of the episodes though it never lost its childlike innocence which remains its most outstanding attraction to this day.

More than just a wryly humorous account of growing up by learning to deal with failure, the whole series came to be an important pop-culture statement and in barely a decade, TV writer-composer Clark Gesner saw it as material for a song album. It quickly metamorphosed into a musical and soon became the most produced show in American theatre history.

Now, more than half a century later, it certainly has earned the recognition of the remarkable production it is enjoying

this summer at the Stratford Festival.

Remarkable because so many creative people have added layers of their own insights that have greatly enriched the book and music. And Stratford's director Donna Feore with the rich talents of the company has brought it to an impressive level of complexity and impact.

At the heart of this success is the six actor cast of characters we already think we know so well: Andrew Broderic as Schroeder, Erica Peck as Lucy, Ken James Stewart as Charlie Brown, Amy Wallis as Sally and Kevin Yee as Linus. Most highly developed as a role is Snoopy in the fantasy world of his canine imagination brought to maniacal life by Stephen Patterson.

Feore has helped them use dance, pantomime

and a cleverly expanded book to make the characters come off the printed page to theatrical life. The dance and pantomime is especially enriching. Borrowing musical styles from contemporary pop culture ranging from parodies of gospel, rap, soft rock and jazz, for example, they put their episodes into action that is fun and appealingly in character.

Charlie's vain hopes of winning the attention of the girl with the red hair or earning the nickname of "Flash" from his friends for great sports performance are wistful and touching. Lucy's bossy treatment of everyone and her caustic psychiatric diagnoses for a five cent fee provoke bitter humor and genuine laughter.

Linus' devotion to his blanket is brought into colorful focus with a dance number by the oth-

ers concealed behind hand-held blankets.

But the standout pantomimes are the property of Snoopy who expresses his doggy dreams of mealtime and the Red Baron in wild gyrations, some hilariously reminiscent of Elvis. If one performer can be said to win the most enthusiastic approval of the audience, it is Snoopy.

And the audience is an important consideration. It is the young in age and spirit who respond most appreciatively to the message brought to full musical comedy expression as a result of the combined efforts of so many talents. They share appreciation of the phase of innocent growth still short of mature attitudes toward life. They totally respond to the show's celebration of that still ripening stage of development at the heart of Schulz's creation. Some of us may have

lived too long to still be moved by the youthful angst. With that in mind the young fans might consider mercifully leaving parents home when they come to cheer.

Yet everyone can appreciate the remarkable stagecraft and stunning performances that now make Schulz's message as important a part of our cultural tradition as works like Peter Pan or Norman Rockwell's art.

Moreover, it's a great show for introducing young audiences to the special pleasure of attending a performance that's alive instead of electronically canned.

"You're a Good Man Charlie Brown" is presented in repertory at Stratford's Avon Theatre through Oct. 28. For more information and tickets call 800-567-1600 or visit stratfordshakespearfes tival.com.

A LA ANNIE By Annie Rouleau-Scheriff



PHOTO BY VIRGINIA O. MCCOY

Dress up potato salad with crumbled bacon, chopped fresh lettuce and tomatoes.

Dressed up potato salad

Hot weather means cold food in my house.

Salads and sides pulled from a chilled refrigerator can make a perfect lunch or dinner when the mercury is on the rise. Potato salad, macaroni salad and cole slaw are the chilled summer classics. Three salads that can each be prepared in endless fashion.

I dressed up some potato salad this week with another classic — the B, L, T. Chilled, cooked potatoes were tossed in a simple creamy dressing and topped with crumbled bacon, shredded lettuce and fresh tomatoes.

Delicious.

B, L, T Potato Salad
5 lbs. waxy potatoes (Yukon gold or red skins)
1 cup mayonnaise



1/4 sour cream
3 tablespoons red wine vinegar
1 1/4 teaspoon salt (or more to taste)
1/2 teaspoon pepper (or more to taste)
3/4 cup chopped scallions
3/4 cup chopped fresh parsley
1/2 lb. cooked bacon, crumbled
1 heart of romaine, chopped (or more)
2 cups chopped fresh tomatoes (your choice)

Place potatoes in a large pot of lightly salted water, bring to a boil and cook until potatoes are fork tender, about 30 minutes. Immediately submerge

potatoes in cold water to stop cooking process. Cover and chill for several hours or overnight. Cut chilled potatoes into bite-sized wedges and place in a large bowl.

In a medium bowl combine mayonnaise with sour cream, vinegar, salt and pepper.

Pour mixture over potatoes and gently toss to coat evenly.

Toss in scallions and fresh parsley. Arrange potato salad in a glass serving dish.

Place crumbled bacon over 1/3 of the salad, followed by lettuce and tomatoes.

Chill for at least one hour before serving.

As your guest spoon into this tasty potato salad, they will enjoy the bonus of B, L, T.

How are you gonna dress up your next summer salad?

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1:00 pm Two in the Kitchen
1:30 pm Great Lakes Log
2:00 pm The John Prost Show
2:30 pm Legal Insider
3:00 pm Things to Do at the War Memorial
3:30 pm Art & Design
4:00 pm Vitality Plus (Tone)
4:30 pm Musical Storytime
5:00 pm In a Heartbeat
5:30 pm Two in the Kitchen
6:00 pm Legal Insider
6:30 pm Shine a Light
7:00 pm Vitality Plus (Step/Kick Boxing)
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Living with Multiple Sclerosis

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Lights, Camera, Action! Making Your Own Star Wars Movie — 12:30 to 3 p.m., Monday through Friday, July 23 to 27. Children, ages 9 to 12, learn about animation, sound and how to use digital movie making cameras and software.

The cost is \$208. Registration required by Friday, July 20.

CardioMax — 6:15 to 7:15 p.m., Mondays, July 30 to Aug. 20; 6:15 to 7:15 p.m., Thursdays, Aug. 2 to 23. The program applies low impact, high energy aerobics, body sculpting, balance and flexibility exercises.

The cost is \$39 for four weeks or \$44 on the day class starts.

Air Margaritaville at the Summer Music Festival — 7:30 p.m., Wednesday, Aug. 1. The Jimmy Buffet tribute show. Adult admission is \$8 and one child 10-and-under is admitted free with each paying adult. Children's admission is \$4. Hot food is available; bring lawn chairs. Grounds open at 6 p.m.. For more information, visit warmemorial.org.

White Christmas Ball kickoff luncheon sets theme

Fontbonne Auxiliary chairwoman, Marie DeLuca, selected the theme for the auxiliary's 2012 White Christmas Ball, "A Twinkle in the Eyes of a Child." The ball is Friday, Dec. 8, at the Detroit Institute of Arts and features the Jerry Ross Band. The evening's proceeds bene-

fit the renovation and expansion of the neonatal intensive care unit at St. John Hospital and Medical Center.

Mary Ellen Dakmak, Elaine Malcoun and Carolyn Wagner hosted the June 5 kickoff luncheon for the annual White Christmas Ball at Dakmak's house.



From left, Elaine Malcoun, Carolyn Wagner, Cristina Garberding, Mary Ellen Dakmak, Christine Drummy, Gloria Clark, Patricia Connelly, Sr. Georgianna Simon, Linda Schaden, Diane Zedan, Camille Cracchiolo, Phyllis DeMars, Adel Dissett, Patricia Stumb, Marie DeLuca, Dr. Maria Duenas, Jean L. Azar, Patricia Cosgrove, Susan Budrys, Pamela Meyer, Patricia Minnick, Sally Cytacki, JoAnn Miller, Phyllis Howard, Kathy Whelan, Joan Gehrke, Peggy Davis, Patricia Ostosh, Sharon Burke, Cindy Merry and Julie Gheen.

The ball is the annual black tie event, sponsored by the auxiliary, with proceeds benefiting St. John Hospital and Medical Center.

Standing, from left, Elaine Malcoun, Mary Ellen Dakmak and Carolyn Wagner. Sitting, from left, Fontbonne president Patricia Stumb, White Christmas Ball chairwoman Marie DeLuca and Maria Duenas M.D.

Mary Ann Van Elslander is the event's honorary chairwoman. She volunteers weekly in the neonatal unit.

Maria Duenas M.D., neonatologist at St. John Hospital, explained the

need for the unit's renovation and expansion.

For more information about the ball, call Raegan Movinski in the Fontbonne office at (313) 343-3675 or visit stjohnfontbonne.org.



ASK THE EXPERTS By Helen Landuyt, Ph.D.

Children need a good night's sleep



Editor's note This is the second of a two-part series on children and sleep.

To help ease the time transition of daylight savings time, try the following to help your child adjust to the time change:

- ◆ Maintain your child's regular sleep, wake and nap times. Try not to compensate for the lost hour by delaying bedtime or allowing your child to sleep in. This will increase the time it takes to transition. There may be some

crankiness from being tired, but this should last only a day or two.

- ◆ Make gradual adjustments. Some parents find it best to try and start making adjustments on Friday night rather than wait until Saturday. Parents might even want to try making a slower transition starting on Wednesday night before the time change, moving their child's bedtime earlier by 15 minutes each night. By Saturday night, their child will be right back on track.

Here are some tips on how to get good night's sleep this week and year round:

- ◆ Make sleep an individual priority. Parents should try to get enough sleep themselves for their

own health and serve as a good role model to their children.

- ◆ Make sufficient sleep a family priority. Parents/caregivers need to determine the amount of sleep each family member needs and take steps to ensure their individual needs are met.

- ◆ Learn how much sleep you need. You should awaken refreshed, not tired. Know when you need to get up in the morning, and then calculate when you need to go to sleep to get adequate rest.

- ◆ Stick to a regular bedtime and wake time schedule and maintain it. "Sleeping in" on weekends also makes it harder to wake up early on Monday morning because

it re-sets your sleep clock. Be consistent.

- ◆ Get into bright light as soon as possible in the morning, but avoid it in the evening. The light helps to signal the brain when it should wake up and prepare to sleep.

- ◆ Exercise. Daily exercise helps people sleep, although a workout too close to bedtime may interfere with sleep.

- ◆ Avoid caffeine, especially after lunchtime. Avoid drinks containing caffeine, which acts as a stimulant and can keep you awake.

- ◆ Create regular and relaxing bedtime routines such as reading for pleasure, taking a warm bath or shower or listening to soothing music. Remove TVs, computers and other

distractions from the bedroom and set limits on usage before bedtime.

- ◆ Keep the bedroom comfortable: dark, cool, and quiet.

For more information on how to get a good night's sleep or the importance of sleep, visit NSF's website at sleepfoundation.org.

Landuyt, Ph.D., school psychologist for the Grosse Pointe Public School System and former Family Center board member.

The Family Center, a 501(c)(3), non-profit organization, serves as the community's centralized hub for information, resources and referral for

families and professionals.

E-mail questions to info@familycenterweb.org. To volunteer or contribute, visit familycenterweb.org or call (313) 432-3832 or write to 20090 Morningside Drive, Grosse Pointe Woods, MI 48236



VOICE: What is the timbre of God's voice?

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and Health with Key to the Scriptures, by Mary Baker Eddy, God is defined as, "The great I AM. The all-knowing, all-seeing, all-acting, all-wise, all-loving, and eternal; Principle; Mind; Soul; Spirit; Life; Truth; Love; all substance; intelligence."

A certain nobleman tracked Jesus down many hours away from his home and asked Jesus to travel back with him and heal his son, who was sick and apparently dying (John 4). Jesus told him: "Go thy way; Thy son liveth." Why didn't Jesus go heal the child in person? Because he knew God's healing power was already right there. Jesus told the father to continue on with his business and then make his way back home without fear.

An important part of the healing was the father's faith and humility. He could have gotten agitated and insisted Jesus come with him, but he did not. On his way home the next day, the nobleman met his servants, who told him joyfully his son was healed.

One way God manifests himself is through quiet, love-filled ideas that reveal to us what our next steps should be. Eddy defines angels as "God's thoughts passing to man; spiritual intuitions, pure and perfect." An easy way to think of the God-directed ideas that come our way is to recognize them as "angel thoughts."

Of course, it helps if

we're listening. A radio station is always broadcasting, whether you are tuned in to hear it or not. Similarly, it's a lot easier to hear God's guidance if we are "tuned in." A good way to tune in is to set aside daily time for prayer and listening. With persistent effort, we learn to be tuned in all the time, wherever we are.

A hymn by H. Walford

Davis puts it like this: "O longing hearts that wait on God through all the world so wide; He knows the angels that you need, and sends them to your side, to comfort, guard, and guide."

So what does God's voice sound like? It sounds like you, and it sounds like me. It is the "still, small voice" of spiritual intuition, which leads to right action that blesses all. It is delivered on the wings of angel-thoughts. And it is always with us—wherever we go, God and His tender love is already there, prepared for us.

Kalogeridis is a member of the Christian Science church on 282 Chalfonte in Grosse Pointe Farms.

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From left, SOC executive director Sharon Maier, Marlene and John Boll, capital campaign chairwoman Sue Davies and SOC president Robert Lubera beginning the renovation on the building.



Kickoff party for SOC's new house begins with a financial challenge

The Hard Hat & Construction Kickoff Party for Services for Older Citizen's new home on Ridge Road in Grosse Pointe Farms introduced the John A. and Marlene L. Boll Foundation Matching Gift Challenge.

Each dollar contributed for the project, up to \$500,000, will be matched by the foundation.

During the June 19 evening event, Boll said, this is "the only time, and the surest way, to double your money."

Marlene Boll said she learned about SOC and its work in the community through her daughter, Kristine Mestdagh, who encouraged her parents to become involved in the project.

The financial goal is \$3 million and the refurbished building is to open in 2014.

The Bolls, who observed their 58th wedding anniversary that



SOC president Rob Lubera.

night, will also name the SOC building.

The event was held to celebrate the beginning of construction inside the historic building that served as the Nurses' Residence for

Cottage Hospital, now Henry Ford Medical Center - Cottage. The use of the three-story building was gifted by the medical center.

The house's main floor will have walls removed to open it up for activities, such as dances, the lunch program and classes.

Two restrooms will be built and the original fireplace is to be retained. A library is included in the first floor plans.

Offices and meeting rooms are to occupy the second floor. The third floor has been slated for use as a multipurpose room.

For more information or to donate, visit socservices.org or call (313) 822-9600.



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Above, Kelly Martin and Barbara Roden look over the plans to remodel the Newberry House into Services for Older Citizens facility.

Below, Sharon Maier watches as Sally Mackintosh of the City of Grosse Pointe pulls a lollipop from the lollipop tree to win a prize.



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Pointers excel in 2012 Mackinac Race

The annual Port Huron to Mackinac race was held last weekend with more than three dozen boats owned by Grosse Pointers competing.

Below are the top finishers in each division of the race, according to the Bayview Yacht Club Website.

The results are broken down by order of finish, boat, owner and corrected time.

Division I - Cove Island

1. Natalie J, Philip D. O'Neil III, D.D.S., 43:04:54
2. Defiance, Dale Smirl/Bob Warnecke, 45:42:35
3. Windquest, Doug DeVos, 45:56:03
4. Evolution, Kohler/Reichelsdorfer, 46:03:16
5. Denali ^ 2, William F. McKinley, 46:20:55
6. Stripes, Bill Martin, 46:34:34
7. Details, Lance Smotherman, 47:55:38
8. Courtesan, Dane Christy & Dave Lockhart, 48:03:42
9. Talisman, Bruce Aikens, 48:23:52
10. Pororoca, John Robbins, 48:29:53
11. Equation, Bill Alcott, 48:33:29
12. Thirsty Tiger, Rick Grow/Chas Bayer Jr./Clas Nilstoft, 48:49:04
13. Windancer, John Nedean/Sam Nedean, 48:58:09
14. nosurprise, David Irish, 51:21:40
15. Margaret Rintoul IV, Andrew Kiteley, 51:41:26
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23. Surface Tension, Jeffrey S. Schaefer, 54:32:36
24. Vortices, Chris Saxton, 54:35:16
25. Relentless, Mark Hagan, 54:35:47
26. Promotion, Tim Schley, 54:48:47
27. George, Bill Thomas, 55:19:37
28. Spirit Walker, Vern McCain, 55:29:33
29. Vanguard, Michael Goran, 55:52:38
30. EZ Money, Michael Medwid, 56:36:15
31. Denali, Rick Hennig, 57:20:26
32. Madrugada, Rich Corbett, 58:22:58
33. Twisted, William H. Darbee, 59:57:16

Division II - Shore Course

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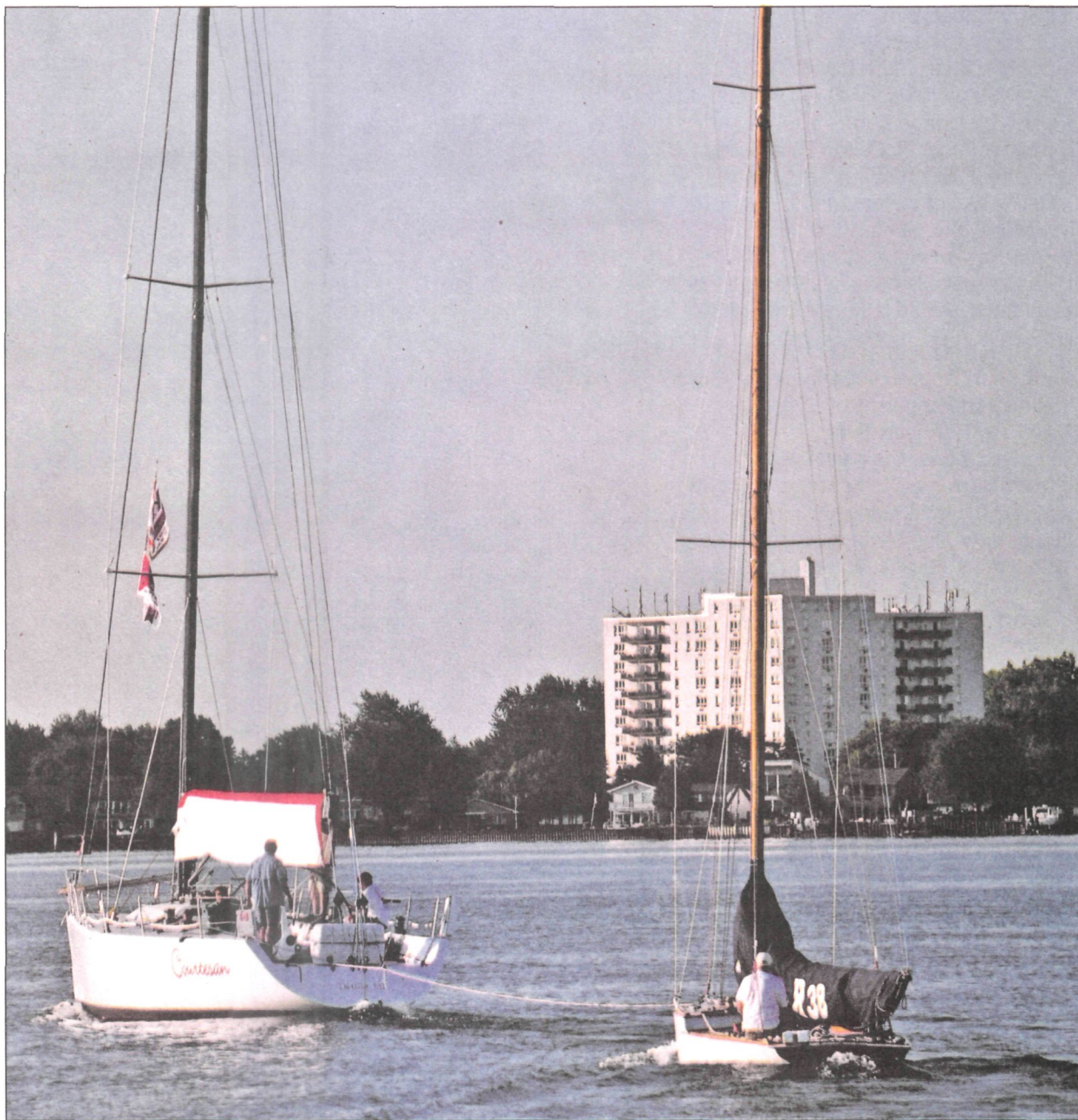


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The Courtesan, owned by Dave Lockhart and Dane Christy, of Grosse Pointe Farms, towed the Bernida, owned by Al Declercq, to Port Huron for the start of the race.

GROSSE POINTE SOUTH



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Athlete of the year

For the second straight year, Grosse Pointe South's Hannah Meier will compete at the IAAF World Junior Championships in Barcelona, Spain. The international event, featuring the top track athletes under age 20, begins July 10. Meier made the team after finishing second in the 1,500-run at the USA Track & Field National Championships the weekend of June 15 at Indiana University. The events at the national meet featured the top high school runners, along with the top collegiate freshmen and sophomores from around the country. The top two athletes in each event qualified for the national team. Meier's 1,500 time of 4:18.4 also established a new Michigan state record. She currently holds the state records in the 800, 1,500, 1,600 and, along with teammates Haley Meier, Ersula Farrow and Kelsie Schwartz, the national record in the 3,200-relay. On June 20, Meier won the Gatorade Michigan Track Athlete of the Year award. Meier also earned the award as a sophomore last year. In addition, Meier is a member of the No. 1 ranked girls' high school cross-country team, as rated by the National High School Coaches Association pre-season Super-100 rankings.



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ADM Golf Outing

*All proceeds will be used to offset the costs of running the ADM programs.

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RACE:
Warm temps
greet sailors

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- 1. Bernida, Al Declercq, 41:34:42
- 2. BadFish, Bill Bollin, 41:40:35
- 3. Jayhawker, Ken Brown, 43:15:34
- 4. Eliminator, Paul Van Tol, 43:42:21
- 5. Irresistible too, Gerald Hines, 44:36:05
- 6. Fast Tango, Tim Prophit, 44:38:46
- 7. Wind Stalker, Gregory Dunn, 44:49:20
- 8. Genesis, Paul Lee, 45:09:48
- 9. Liberty, Robert Bert, 45:24:22
- 10. Chippewa, Robert Wall, 45:33:54
- 11. Leading Edge, Mark Bevens, 45:42:43
- 12. Mr. Bill's Wild Ride, William Wildner, 45:49:14
- 13. Carinthia, Frank Kern, 45:50:32
- 14. Weather Edge III, Colton Weatherston, 45:57:29
- 15. Sagitta, Jon Somes and Larry Oswald, 45:59:44
- 16. Falcon, Bayer/Bayer/Barnes, 46:10:10
- 17. Rowdy, Val A. Saph, 46:17:06
- 18. Epic, Ray Adams, 46:22:58
- 19. Pendragon, G. Thomas / J. Trost, 46:23:25
- 20. Camelot, Ronald L. Konczalski, 46:30:53

Division III - Shore Course Cruising

- 1. Yare, John Tipp, 45:46:50
- 2. Kismet, Art Poppert, 48:13:27
- 3. Wind Toy IV, Robert Bunn, 48:30:41
- 4. Freedom, James Cooper, 48:50:25
- 5. Mostly Harmless, Wick Smith, 49:12:36
- 6. Limerick, Darrell Cope/kevin Pearce, 49:14:58
- 7. Pirate, Com. Jeff Henderson, 49:15:17
- 8. Momentum, Rick & Renee Romer, 49:28:57
- 9. Slainte, Joseph Kar, 49:32:24
- 10. Days End, Charles Blaty, 49:36:58
- 11. Arcadia, Jim Jelsone, 49:47:02
- 12. Comfortably Numb, Mark Miller, 49:52:42
- 13. Knot Yours too, Glen Drabant, 50:01:08
- 14. Prosecco, Leon Irish, 50:02:38
- 15. Ariel, Mark W. Aitken, 50:04:12
- 16. Whirlwind, Leo Chartier, 50:08:25
- 17. Pendragon, Chris Gerkin, 50:11:02
- 18. Dog Dayz, Dan VandenBossche, 50:17:17
- 19. Miriah, Michael Mahar, 50:20:57
- 20. Just Chill, David Greene, 50:30:04

Division IV - Shore Course
Double Handed

- 1. Patriot, Lyndon Lattie, 47:32:05
- 2. Flyswatter, Mark Pirie, 48:20:10
- 3. Pirana, C.J. Ruffing, 49:06:14
- 4. Thunder, Stuart Keys, 49:08:27
- 5. TAZ, Hanson Bratton, 50:30:43
- 6. Oriana, Peter B Wollschlaeger, 51:13:54



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Members of Weather Edge 3 sail off to Port Huron the day before it started.

- 7. Serenity, Carl Sommers, Retired
- 8. JS3, Steven Styles, Retired

Division V - Cove Island Multihull

- 1. Ollie, Tim Walli, 45:13:07
- 2. Vaite, Wayne Jurs, 47:17:58
- 3. Cheekee Monkee, Ron White, 47:19:24
- 4. Double Time, Marty Foster, 49:21:39

- 5. Strings, Jan Gougeon, 49:25:56
- 6. Nelda Ray, Peter R. Pattullo, 50:15:30
- 7. Manitou, Fred Ball, 55:14:33
- 8. High Priority 2, David Shneider, Retired
- 9. Adagio, Meade Gougeon, Retired
- 10. Accipiter, Mark Cadotte, Retired



The Limerick, owned by Kevin Pearce of Grosse Pointe Farms, left, and friends, Darrell Cope, steering the boat, and Bob Cazabon, center, take off for Port Huron.

GPHA



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Join the fun

The Grosse Pointe Hockey Association hosted girls of all ages for an information recruitment night on July 9 at Farms Pier Park. Lady Bulldog girls' ages 5 to 15, pictured above, picnicked as parents, coaches and board members discussed the importance of expanding girl's hockey within Grosse Pointe. GPHA President Jerry Bourke shared his dedication and that GPHA offers a place for young women of every ability. The Lady Bulldogs hit the ice this fall with two teams, a U12 travel team and a U12 house team. Fall registration information can be found at gphockey.org.

GOLF

Li enjoys golf experience

Marian High School senior Victoria Li represented the state of Michigan at the LPGA-USGA Girls Golf Team Championship held on Kiawah Island, South Carolina the weekend of June 11.

Li, of Grosse Pointe Shores, was sponsored at the tournament by Francine Pergues, the head of the LPGA of Michigan. Playing in the national tournament gave Li the opportunity to compete against the best junior golfers in the country.

Li, the captain of the varsity golf team, credits Marian's golf coach, Tom Brecht, and Dan Thomas of the Top50 Golf and Jet program with preparing her for the prestigious junior tournament.

They spent the past two years working with her and helping her improve her game. Birmingham Country Club, where Li caddies during the summer, was also very supportive of her playing in the tournament, allowing her to take time off to travel to South Carolina.

Li played one practice round and two days of tournament competition at the Kiawah Island Club.

"It really opened my eyes to what it takes to be good on a national level," Li said. "I was playing with some of the best junior golfers in the country on a links course that was truly amazing."

One of the highlights of her trip was the opportunity to meet Nancy

Lopez, the famous LPGA player who imparted some helpful advice to Li. Lopez reminded Li that the most important thing was to have fun and to never give up.

Li's best round was a 79, her longest drive was 245 yards, and her putting was mostly consistent throughout the tournament.

She feels the LPGA tournament experience at Kiawah will translate into success for her upcoming golf season at Marian because it has given her a chance to play under pressure on a national level.

She also took pleasure in the "little things," such as her name printed on her golf cart and her own caddy to clean and hand her clubs. Li looks forward to playing in many more LPGA events in the future.

— Holly Everly Mustion

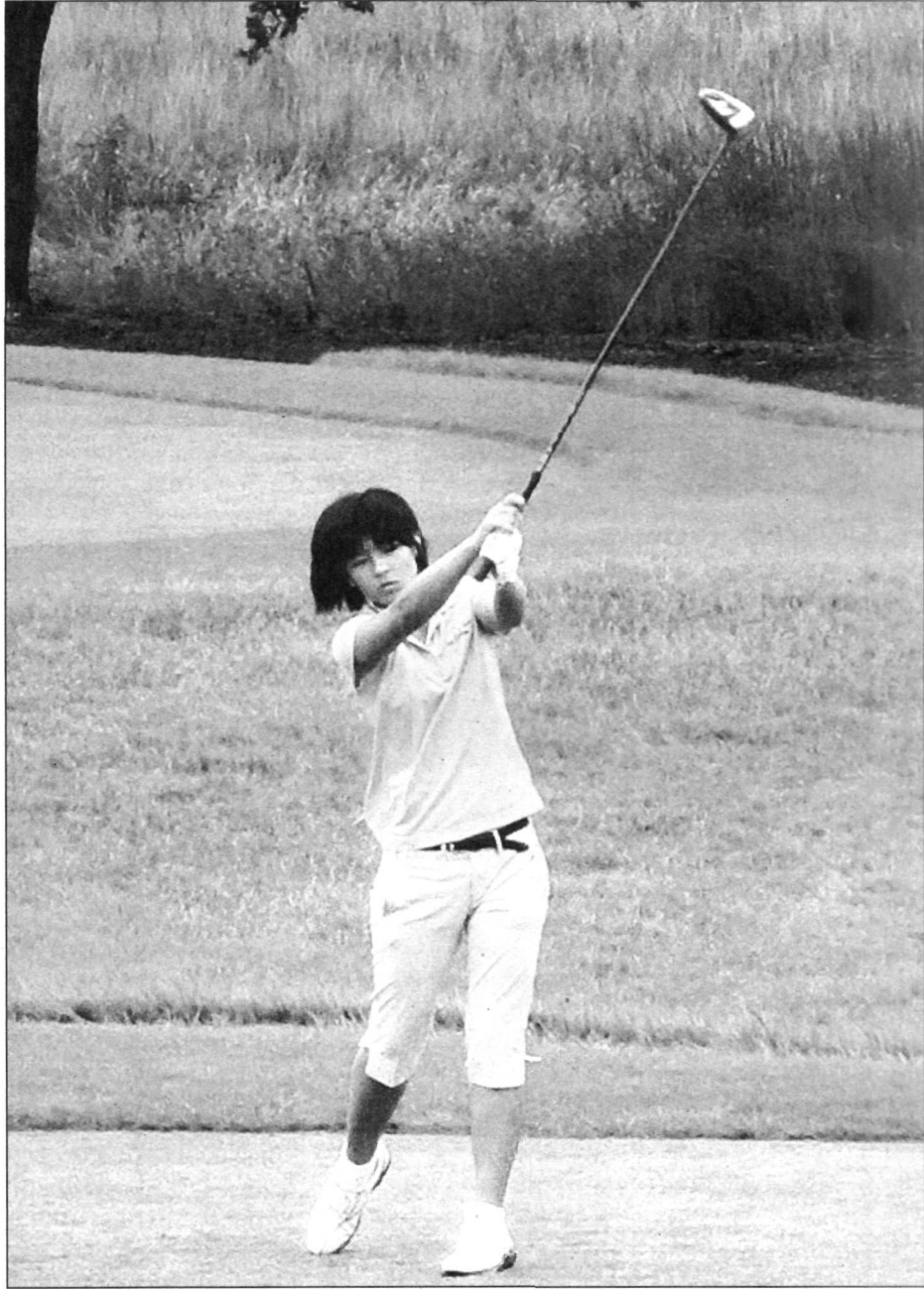


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Grosse Pointe Shores' Victoria Li competes on Kiawah Island for the LPGA Girls Golf Team Championship.

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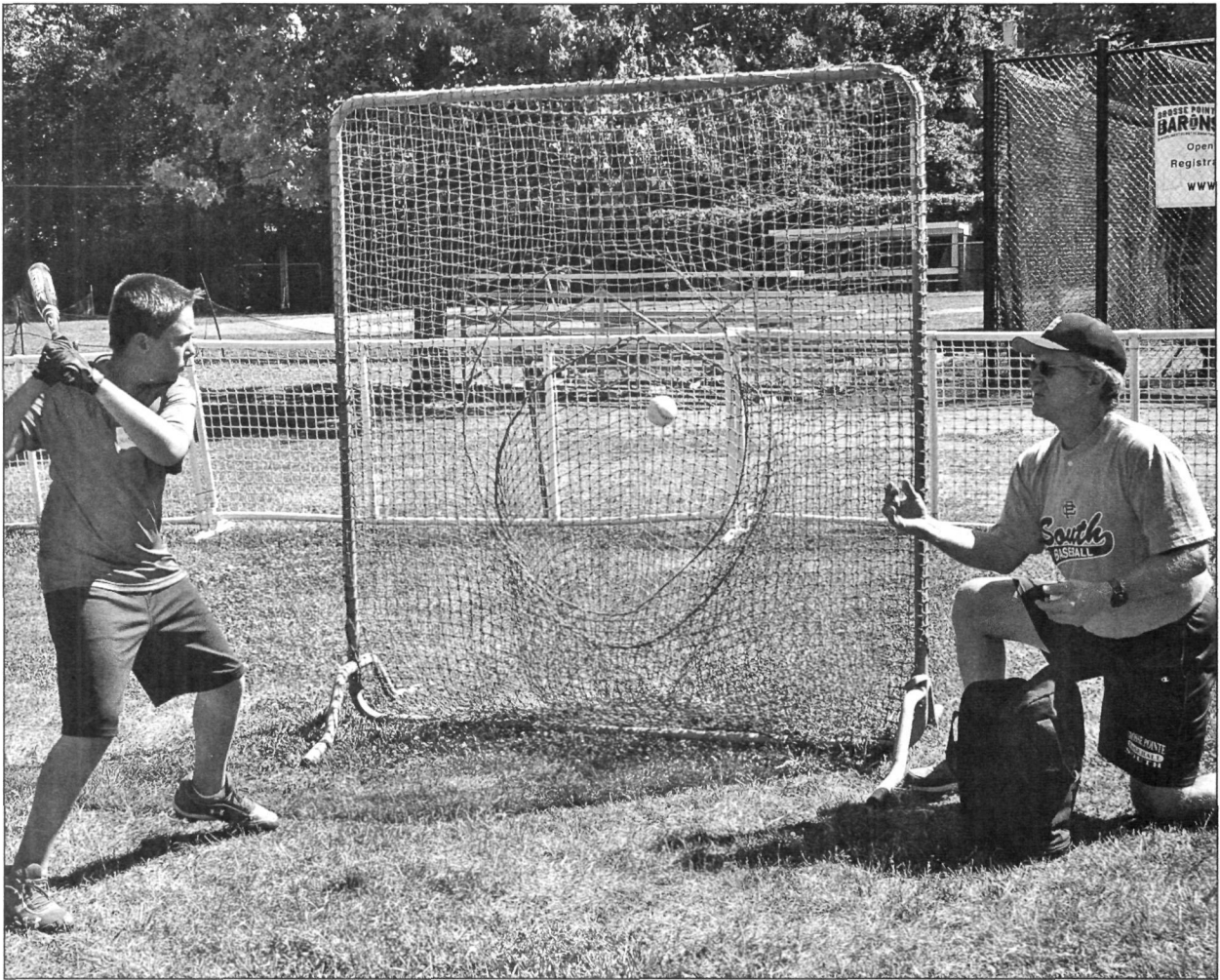
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BASEBALL



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Learning the basics

Nearly 100 children attended the annual Dan Griesbaum Baseball Camp at the end of June. Camp director Dan Griesbaum and his staff taught the fundamentals of the game. Pictured above is Joseph Ladensack going through a soft-toss hitting lesson with Dan Griesbaum, and above left, Dan Griesbaum Jr. pretends to bat as he teaches pitchers and catchers how to field balls.

SOFTBALL



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District champs

The Grosse Pointe/Harper Woods 9-10U girls' softball team members, shown above after winning the District No. 6 title, are, front row from left, assistant coach Curt Sylvester, Erin Kane, Kayla Sylvester, Natalie Wietech, Jenna Hummel and assistant coach Brian Mull; mid-

dle row from left, Rachel Liagre, Julia O'Halla, Vivian Liagre and Kendall Volpe; and back row from left, coach Bruce Haynes, Sydney Brumme, Grace Haynes, Kayla Kettler, Isabella Cusumano and Elizabeth Ziemba.

BASEBALL

Redbirds 17U win tourney

Dan Clouse pitched the Grosse Pointe Redbirds 17U team to a 6-1 win over Lansing's Sanches Construction in the championship game of the USSSA Gold Glove Classic 18U Division Sunday at Albion College.

It was the second straight tournament title for the Redbirds after wrapping up an undefeated USSSA Firecracker event earlier this month.

The team currently is 10-0 in the 18U Division of the Macomb Amateur Baseball Federation.

Clouse scattered seven hits in his 6-inning stint, striking out six. Alex Daar closed out the game on the mound.

Clouse, Connor Fannon (2 RBIs, stolen base) and David Kracht (2 runs) led the team with two hits each.

Daar started this tournament's win streak with a 5-inning, 2-hit, 7-strikeout, 8-0 shutout over the Hitter's Edge team from Sturgis.

Daar also led the Redbirds' hitting attack with two doubles and 3 RBI. Fannon also had two hits and scored two runs.

Fannon pitched the next game, tossing a 7-inning, 5-hit, 6-strikeout, 6-1 win over the Lansing Exchange Patriots.

The contest was scoreless until the fifth inning when Mario Creecy's squeeze bunt single scored Nate Gaggin.

Kracht's 3-run line-drive single to right-center capped the inning's scoring. Four straight singles by Fannon, Gaggin, Daar and Andrew Addy (3-for-3) netted the remaining 2 runs.

Bats were booming in the Redbirds' fourth consecutive win of the tournament as they banged out 11 hits for a 12-6 victory over the Michigan Gators.

Clouse and Scott Kunert had 3 hits each, and Gaggin and George Fishback collected 3 RBIs apiece.

The team's only loss of the season came in a crossover match after the 'Birds had clinched a spot in the championship game.

The Lansing 205 club battled back from an 8-1 deficit in the fourth inning to pull out a 9-8 win in the bottom of the seventh with a 2-out, 2-run single.

On a brighter note, Daar connected for 4 hits in his 4 at-bats during the game.

For the tournament, Clouse led the team in hitting with a .530 average, followed by Kracht, who hit .460 and led the team with 6 RBIs.

Daar batted .440 with 3 doubles, and Gaggin hit .430.

—Hal Watts

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BASEBALL

South grads excel on field

Hillsdale College's Chris Stephens and Matt Reck were named to the First and Second Team All-GLIAC this year.

Stephens, a senior, finished his career as one of the school's active leaders in home runs, RBIs, total hits and runs scored. This year, he had 48 hits, seven doubles, two home runs and a team-high 32 RBIs.

Reck, a junior, put together one of the best

pitching seasons by a Charger in recent years, finishing with a 4-2 record and a 3.02 ERA.

He led the team with 46 strikeouts in 53 2/3 innings pitched.

In 2012, the Chargers finished 14-35 and 12-24 in the Great Lakes Intercollegiate Athletic Conference.

Both played baseball at Grosse Pointe South under head coach Dan Griesbaum.

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CITY OF GROSSE POINTE WOODS

ORDINANCE NO. 847

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 44 UTILITIES, ARTICLE V WASTEWATER DISCHARGE, BY ADDING SEC. 44-272 (SECTIONS 1 – 23) TO PROVIDE FOR THE ACQUISITION AND CONSTRUCTION OF ADDITIONS, EXTENSIONS AND IMPROVEMENTS TO THE WATER SUPPLY AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL SYSTEM OF THE CITY OF GROSSE POINTE WOODS; TO PROVIDE FOR THE ISSUANCE AND SALE OF JUNIOR LIEN REVENUE BONDS TO PAY THE COST THEREOF; TO PRESCRIBE THE FORM OF THE BONDS; TO PROVIDE FOR THE COLLECTION OF REVENUES FROM THE SYSTEM SUFFICIENT FOR THE PURPOSE OF PAYING THE COSTS OF OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE SYSTEM AND TO PAY THE PRINCIPAL OF AND INTEREST ON THE BONDS; TO PROVIDE FOR SECURITY FOR THE BONDS; TO PROVIDE FOR THE SEGREGATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF THE REVENUES; TO PROVIDE FOR THE RIGHTS OF THE HOLDERS OF THE BONDS IN ENFORCEMENT THEREOF; AND TO PROVIDE FOR OTHER MATTERS RELATING TO THE BONDS AND THE SYSTEM.

THE CITY OF GROSSE POINTE WOODS ORDAINS:

- Section 1. Definitions.** Whenever used in this Ordinance, except when otherwise indicated by the context, the following terms shall have the following meanings:
- (a) "Act 94" means Act 94, Public Acts of Michigan, 1933, as amended.
 - (b) "Authority" means the Michigan Finance Authority.
 - (c) "Authorized Officers" means the Mayor, the City Manager, the City Clerk and the City Treasurer of the Issuer.
 - (d) "Bonds" means the Series 2012 Bonds, together with any additional bonds heretofore or hereafter issued of equal standing with the Series 2012 Bonds.
 - (e) "Engineers" means Anderson, Eckstein, Westrick, Inc., consulting engineers of Shelby Township, Michigan.
 - (f) "Issuer" means the City of Grosse Pointe Woods, County of Wayne, State of Michigan.
 - (g) "Junior Lien Bonds" means the Series 2012 Bonds, and any additional bonds that are of equal standing with the Series 2012 Bonds, and junior in standing to the Senior Lien Bonds.
 - (h) "MDEQ" means the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality.
 - (i) "Outstanding Bonds" means the Issuer's Water Supply and Sewage Disposal System Revenue Bonds, Series 2003, dated June 1, 2003, in the outstanding principal amount of \$3,975,000.
 - (j) "Prior Ordinances" means, collectively, the ordinances adopted by the City Council authorizing the issuance of the Outstanding Bonds, including Ordinance Nos. 545, 656, 657 and 783.
 - (k) "Project" means the acquisition, construction, furnishing and equipping of improvements to the sewage disposal system of the City's Water Supply and Sewage Disposal System, including sewer system rehabilitation, lining and replacement of existing sewer lines, together with all necessary appurtenances and attachments therefor, as described in the plans prepared by the Engineers and approved herein.
 - (l) "Purchase Contract" means the Purchase Contract to be entered into between the Authority and the Issuer relating to the purchase by the Authority of the Series 2012 Bonds.
 - (m) "Revenues" and "Net Revenues" means the revenues and net revenues of the System and shall be construed as defined in Section 3 of Act 94, including with respect to "Revenues", the earnings derived from the investment of moneys in the various funds and accounts established by the Prior Ordinances and this Ordinance, the proceeds of millage levied for water and sewer purposes pursuant to the City Charter and such other revenues which are or may be derived or specifically pledged to the operation of the System.
 - (n) "Senior Lien Bonds" means the Outstanding Bonds and any additional bonds issued pursuant to the Prior Ordinances that are of equal standing and priority of lien with the Outstanding Bonds.
 - (o) "Series 2012 Bonds" means the Water Supply and Sewage Disposal System Junior Lien Revenue Bond, Series 2012, in the principal amount of not to exceed \$4,900,000 issued pursuant to this Ordinance.
 - (p) "Sufficient Government Obligations" means direct obligations of the United States of America or obligations the principal and interest on which is fully guaranteed by the United States of America, not redeemable at the option of the issuer, the principal and interest payments upon which without reinvestment of the interest, come due at such times and in such amounts as to be fully sufficient to pay the interest as it comes due on the Bonds and the principal and redemption premium, if any, on the Bonds as it comes due whether on the stated maturity date or upon earlier redemption. Securities representing such obligations shall be placed in trust with a bank or trust company, and if any of the Bonds are to be called for redemption prior to maturity, irrevocable instructions to call the Bonds for redemption shall be given to the paying agent.
 - (q) "Supplemental Agreement" means the supplemental agreement among the Issuer, the Authority and MDEQ relating to the Series 2012 Bonds.
 - (r) "System" means the entire Water Supply and Sewage Disposal System of the Issuer, including the Project and all additions, extensions and improvements hereafter acquired.

Section 2. Necessity; Approval of Plans and Specifications. It is hereby determined to be a necessary public purpose of the Issuer to acquire and construct the Project in accordance with the plans and specifications prepared by the Engineers, which plans and specifications are hereby approved. The Project qualifies for the State Revolving Fund financing program being administered by the MDEQ and the Authority, whereby bonds of the Issuer are sold to the Authority and bear interest at a fixed rate of two and one-half percent (2.50%) per annum.

Section 3. Costs; Useful Life. The cost of the Project is estimated to be an amount not to exceed Four Million Nine Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$4,900,000), including the payment of incidental expenses as specified in Section 4 of this Ordinance, which estimate of cost is hereby approved and confirmed, and the period of usefulness of the Project is estimated to be not less than twenty-two(22) years.

Section 4. Payment of Cost; Bonds Authorized. To pay part of the cost of acquiring and constructing the Project, legal, engineering, financial and other expenses incident thereto and incident to the issuance and sale of the Series 2012 Bonds, the Issuer shall borrow the sum of not to exceed Four Million Nine Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$4,900,000), or such lesser amount as shall have been advanced to the Issuer pursuant to the Purchase Contract and the Supplemental Agreement, and issue the Series 2012 Bonds pursuant to the provisions of Act 94. The remaining cost of the Project, if any, shall be defrayed from Issuer funds on hand and legally available for such use.

Except as amended by or expressly provided to the contrary in this Ordinance, all of the provisions of the Prior Ordinances shall apply to the Series 2012 Bonds issued pursuant to this Ordinance, the same as though each of said provisions were repeated in this Ordinance in detail; the purpose of this Ordinance being to authorize the issuance of additional revenue bonds of subordinate lien with respect to the Outstanding Bonds to finance the cost of acquiring and constructing additions, extensions and improvements to the System, additional bonds of subordinate standing with the Outstanding Bonds for such purpose being authorized by the provisions of the Prior Ordinances, upon the conditions therein stated, which conditions have been fully met.

Section 5. Issuance of Series 2012 Bonds; Details. The Series 2012 Bonds of the Issuer, to be designated **WATER SUPPLY AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL SYSTEM JUNIOR LIEN REVENUE BOND, SERIES 2012**, are authorized to be issued in the aggregate principal sum of not to exceed Four Million Nine Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$4,900,000) as finally determined by order of the MDEQ for the purpose of paying part of the cost of the Project, including the costs incidental to the issuance, sale and delivery of the Series 2012 Bonds. The Series 2012 Bonds shall be payable out of the Net Revenues, as set forth more fully in Section 8 hereof, provided that the Series 2012 Bonds shall be subordinate to the prior lien with respect to the Net Revenues in favor of the Outstanding Bonds and of any additional bonds of equal standing with the Outstanding Bonds hereafter issued. The Series 2012 Bonds shall be in the form of a single fully-registered, nonconvertible bond of the denomination of the full principal amount thereof, dated as of the date of delivery, payable in principal installments as finally determined by the order of the MDEQ at the time of sale of the Series 2012 Bonds and approved by the Authority and an Authorized Officer. Principal installments of the Series 2012 Bonds shall be payable on April 1 of the years 2014 through 2033, inclusive, or such other payment dates as hereinafter provided. Interest on the Series 2012 Bonds shall be payable on April 1 and October 1 of each year, commencing April 1, 2013 or on such other interest payment dates as hereinafter provided. Final determination of the principal amount of and interest on the Series 2012 Bonds and the payment dates and amounts of principal installments of the Series 2012 Bonds shall be evidenced by execution of the Purchase Contract and each of the Authorized Officers is authorized and directed to execute and deliver the Purchase Contract when it is in final form and to make the determinations set forth above; provided, however, that the first principal installment shall be due no earlier than April 1, 2013 and the final principal installment shall be due no later than April 1, 2034 and that the total principal amount shall not exceed \$4,900,000.

The Series 2012 Bonds shall bear interest at a rate of two and one-half percent (2.50%) per annum on the par value thereof or such other rate as evidenced by execution of the Purchase Contract, but in any event not to exceed the rate permitted by law, and any Authorized Officers as shall be appropriate shall deliver the Series 2012 Bonds in accordance with the delivery instructions of the Authority.

The principal amount of the Series 2012 Bonds is expected to be drawn down by the Issuer periodically, and interest on principal amount shall accrue from the date such principal amount is drawn down by the Issuer.

The Series 2012 Bonds shall not be convertible or exchangeable into more than one fully-registered bond. Principal of and interest on the Series 2012 Bonds shall be payable as provided in the Series 2012 Bond form in this Ordinance.

The Series 2012 Bonds shall be subject to optional redemption by the Issuer with the prior written approval of the Authority and on such terms as may be required by the Authority.

The City Clerk shall record on the registration books payment by the Issuer of each installment of principal or interest or both when made and the cancelled checks or other records evidencing such payments shall be returned to and retained by the City Clerk.

Upon payment by the Issuer of all outstanding principal of and interest on the Series 2012 Bonds, the Authority shall deliver the Series 2012 Bonds to the Issuer for cancellation.

Section 6. Execution of Series 2012 Bonds. The Series 2012 Bonds shall be signed by the manual or facsimile signature of the Mayor and countersigned by the manual or facsimile signature of the City Clerk and shall have the corporate seal of the Issuer or a facsimile thereof impressed thereon. The Series 2012 Bonds bearing the manual signatures of the Mayor and the City Clerk sold to the Authority shall require no further authentication.

Section 7. Registration and Transfer. Any Bond may be transferred upon the books required to be kept pursuant to this section by the person in whose name it is registered, in person or by the registered owner's duly authorized attorney, upon surrender of the Bond for cancellation, accompanied by a duly executed written instrument of transfer in a form approved by the transfer agent. Whenever any Bond or Bonds shall be surrendered for transfer, the Issuer shall execute and the transfer agent shall authenticate and deliver a new Bond or Bonds, for like aggregate principal amount. The transfer agent shall require payment by the bondholder requesting the transfer of any tax or other governmental charge required to be paid with respect to the transfer. The Issuer shall not be required (i) to issue, register the transfer of or exchange any Bond during a period beginning at the opening of business 15 days before the day of the giving of a notice of redemption of Bonds selected for redemption as described in the form of Series 2012 Bonds contained in Section 13 of this Ordinance and ending at the close of business on the day of that giving of notice, or (ii) to register the transfer of or exchange any Bond so selected for redemption in whole or in part, except the unredeemed portion of Bonds being redeemed in part. The Issuer shall give the transfer agent notice of call for redemption at least 20 days prior to the date notice of redemption is to be given.

The transfer agent shall keep or cause to be kept at its principal office sufficient books for the registration and transfer of the Bonds, which shall at all times be open to inspection by the Issuer; and upon presentation for such purpose the transfer agent shall under such reasonable regulations as it may prescribe transfer or cause to be transferred on said books Bonds as hereinbefore provided.

If any Bond shall become mutilated, the Issuer, at the expense of the holder of the Bond, shall execute, and the transfer agent shall authenticate and deliver, a new Bond of like tenor in exchange and substitution for the mutilated Bond, upon surrender to the transfer agent of the mutilated Bond. If any Bond issued under this Ordinance shall be lost, destroyed or stolen, evidence of the loss, destruction or theft may be submitted to the transfer agent and, if this evidence is satisfactory to both and indemnity satisfactory to the transfer agent shall be given, and if all requirements of any applicable law including Act 354, Public Acts of Michigan, 1972, as amended ("Act 354"), being sections 129.131 to 129.135, inclusive, of the Michigan Compiled Laws have been met, the Issuer, at the expense of the owner, shall execute, and the transfer agent shall thereupon authenticate and deliver, a new Bond of like tenor and bearing the statement required by Act 354, or any applicable law hereafter enacted, in lieu of and in substitution for the Bond so lost, destroyed or stolen. If any such Bond shall have matured or shall be about to mature, instead of issuing a substitute Bond the transfer agent may pay the same without surrender thereof.

Section 8. Payment of Series 2012 Bonds; Security; Priority of Lien. Principal of and interest on the Series 2012 Bonds shall be payable from the Net Revenues. There is hereby recognized the statutory lien upon the whole of the Net Revenues created by this Ordinance which shall be a lien that is junior and subordinate to the lien of the Senior Lien Bonds created by the Prior Ordinances, to continue until payment in full of the principal of and interest on all Bonds payable from the Net Revenues, or until sufficient cash or Sufficient Government Obligations have been deposited in trust for payment in full of all Bonds of a series then outstanding, principal and interest on such Bonds to maturity, or, if called for redemption, to the date fixed for redemption together with the amount of the redemption premium, if any. Upon deposit of cash or Sufficient Government Obligations, as provided in the previous sentence, the statutory lien shall be terminated with respect to that series of Bonds, the holders of that series shall have no further rights under the Prior Ordinances or this Ordinance except for payment from the deposited funds, and the Bonds of that series shall no longer be considered to be outstanding under the Prior Ordinances or this Ordinance.

Section 9. Management; Fiscal Year. The operation, repair and management of the System and the acquiring and constructing of the Project shall continue to be under the supervision and control of the Issuer. The Issuer may employ such person or persons in such capacity or capacities as it deems advisable to carry on the efficient management and operation of the System. The Issuer may make such rules and regulations as it deems advisable and necessary to assure the efficient management and operation of the System. The System shall be operated on the basis of an operating year which shall coincide with the Issuer's fiscal year.

Section 10. Rates and Charges; No Free Service. The rates and charges for service furnished by the System and the methods of collection and enforcement of the collection of the rates shall be those in effect on the date of adoption of this Ordinance. No free service or use of the System, or service or use of the System at less than cost, shall be furnished by the System to any person, firm, or corporation, public or private, or to any public agency or instrumentality, including the Issuer.

Section 11. Funds and Accounts; Flow of Funds; Junior Lien Bond and Interest Redemption Fund. The funds and accounts established by the Prior Ordinances are hereby continued, provided that a Junior Lien Bond and Interest Redemption Fund shall be established as follows:

There shall be established and maintained a separate depository fund designated "Junior Lien Bond and Interest Redemption Fund" (the "Junior Lien Fund"), the moneys on deposit therein from time to time to be used solely for the purpose of paying the principal of, redemption premiums (if any) and interest on the Series 2012 Bonds, and any bonds of equal standing with the Series 2012 Bonds.

Out of the Net Revenues remaining in the Receiving Fund after provision has been made for the Operation and Maintenance Fund and only after provision has been made for the Redemption Fund, there shall be set aside monthly in the Junior Lien Fund a sum proportionately sufficient to provide for the payment when due of the current principal of and interest on the Series 2012 Bonds, less any amount in the Junior Lien Fund representing accrued interest on the Series 2012 Bonds. Commencing on October 1, 2012, the amount set aside each month for interest on the Series 2012 Bonds shall be 1/6 of the total amount of interest on the Series 2012 Bonds next coming due. The amount set aside each month for principal on the Series 2012 Bonds, commencing April 1, 2013, shall be 1/12 of the amounts of principal next coming due. If there is any deficiency in the amounts previously set aside, that deficiency shall be added to the next succeeding months' requirements.

No moneys shall be set aside and credited to the Junior Lien Fund unless and until the Issuer is current with respect to all required transfers to all other funds under the Prior Ordinances and there is no default in any payments or requirements under the Prior Ordinances.

If for any reason there is a failure to make such quarterly deposit in the amounts required, then the entire amount of the deficiency shall be set aside and deposited in the Junior Lien Bond Redemption Account out of the Revenues first received thereafter which are not required by this Ordinance to be deposited in the Operation and Maintenance Account or the Bond and Interest Redemption Fund or the Junior Lien Bond Redemption Account, which amount shall be in addition to the regular monthly deposit required during such succeeding month or months.

Section 12. Bond Proceeds. The proceeds of the sale of the Series 2012 Bonds as received by the Issuer shall be deposited in a separate account in a bank or banks qualified to act as depository of the proceeds of sale under the provisions of Section 15 of Act 94 designated WATER SUPPLY AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL SYSTEM JUNIOR LIEN REVENUE BONDS CONSTRUCTION FUND (the "Construction Fund"). Moneys in the Construction Fund shall be applied solely in payment of the cost of the Project and any engineering, legal and other expenses incident thereto and to the financing thereof.

Section 13. Bond Form. The Series 2012 Bonds shall be in substantially the following form with such changes or completion as necessary or appropriate to give effect to the intent of this Ordinance:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF MICHIGAN
COUNTY OF WAYNE

CITY OF GROSSE POINTE WOODS

WATER SUPPLY AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL SYSTEM
JUNIOR LIEN REVENUE BOND, series 2012

REGISTERED OWNER: Michigan Finance Authority

PRINCIPAL AMOUNT: _____ Dollars (\$____,000)
DATE OF ORIGINAL ISSUE: _____, 2012

The CITY OF GROSSE POINTE WOODS, County of Wayne, State of Michigan (the "City"), for value received, hereby promises to pay, primarily out of the hereinafter described Net Revenues of the City's Water Supply and Sewage Disposal System (hereinafter defined), to the Michigan Finance Authority (the "Authority"), or registered assigns, the Principal Amount shown above, or such portion thereof as shall have been advanced to the City pursuant to a Purchase Contract between the City and the Authority and a Supplemental Agreement by and among the City, the Authority and the State of Michigan acting through the Department of Environmental Quality, in lawful money of the United States of America, unless prepaid or reduced prior thereto as hereinafter provided.

During the time the Principal Amount is being drawn down by the City under this bond, the Authority will periodically provide to the City a statement showing the amount of principal that has been advanced and the date of each advance, which statement shall constitute prima facie evidence of the reported information; provided that no failure on the part of the Authority to provide such a statement or to reflect a disbursement or the correct amount of a disbursement shall relieve the City of its obligation to repay the outstanding Principal Amount actually advanced, all accrued interest thereon, and any other amount payable with respect thereto in accordance with the terms of this bond.

The Principal Amount shall be payable on the dates and in the annual principal installment amounts set forth on the Schedule attached hereto and made a part hereof, as such Schedule may be adjusted if less than \$_____ is disbursed to the City or if a portion of the Principal Amount is prepaid as provided below, with interest on said principal installments from the date each said installment is delivered to the holder hereof until paid at the rate of two and one-half percent (2.50%) per annum. Interest is first payable on April 1, 2013, and semiannually thereafter on the first day of April and October of each year, as set forth in the Purchase Contract.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Bond, so long as the Authority is the owner of this Bond, (a) this Bond is payable as to principal, premium, if any, and interest at The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A. or at such other place as shall be designated in writing to the City by the Authority (the "Authority's Depository"); (b) the City agrees that it will deposit with the Authority's Depository payments of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on this Bond in immediately available funds by 12:00 noon at least five business days prior to the date on which any such payment is due whether by maturity, redemption or otherwise; in the event that the Authority's Depository has not received the City's deposit by 12:00 noon on the scheduled day, the City shall immediately pay to the Authority as invoiced by the Authority an amount to recover the Authority's administrative costs and lost investment earnings attributable to that late payment; and (c) written notice of any redemption of this Bond shall be given by the City and received by the Authority's Depository at least 40 days prior to the date on which such redemption is to be made.

Additional Interest

In the event of a default in the payment of principal or interest hereon when due, whether at maturity, by redemption or otherwise, the amount of such default shall bear interest (the "additional interest") at a rate equal to the rate of interest which is two percent above the Authority's cost of providing funds (as determined by the Authority) to make payment on the bonds of the Authority issued to provide funds to purchase this bond but in no event in excess of the maximum rate of interest permitted by law. The additional interest shall continue to accrue until the Authority has been fully reimbursed for all costs incurred by the Authority (as determined by the Authority) as a consequence of the City's default. Such additional interest shall be payable on the interest payment date following demand of the Authority. In the event that (for reasons other than the default in the payment of any municipal obligation purchased by the Authority) the investment of amounts in the reserve account established by the Authority for the bonds of the Authority issued to provide funds to purchase this bond fails to provide sufficient available funds (together with any other funds which may be made available for such purpose) to pay the interest on outstanding bonds of the Authority issued to fund such account, the City shall and hereby agrees to pay on demand only the City's pro rata share (as determined by the Authority) of such deficiency as additional interest on this bond.

For prompt payment of principal and interest on this bond, the City has irrevocably pledged the revenues of the Water Supply and Sewage Disposal System of the City, including all appurtenances, extensions and improvements thereto (the "Water Supply and Sewage Disposal System"), after provision has been made for reasonable and necessary expenses of operation, maintenance and administration (the "Net Revenues"), and a statutory lien thereon is hereby recognized and created which is junior in standing and priority of lien as to the prior lien of the City's Water Supply and Sewage Disposal System Revenue Bonds, Series 2003 (the "Outstanding Bonds") of the City and of any additional bonds of the City of equal standing and priority of lien with the Outstanding Bonds.

This bond is a single, fully-registered, non-convertible bond in the principal sum indicated above issued pursuant to Ordinances Nos. 545, 656, 657, 783 and _____ duly adopted by the City Council of the City (the "Ordinances"), and under and in full compliance with the Constitution and statutes of the State of Michigan, including specifically Act 94, Public Acts of Michigan, 1933, as amended, for the purpose of paying part of the cost of acquiring and constructing improvements to the Water Supply and Sewage Disposal System of the City.

For a complete statement of the revenues from which and the conditions under which this bond is payable, a statement of the conditions under which additional bonds of superior and equal standing may hereafter be issued and the general covenants and provisions pursuant to which this bond is issued, reference is made to the Ordinances.

This bond is a self-liquidating bond, payable, both as to principal and interest, solely and only from the Net Revenues of the Water Supply and Sewage Disposal System. The principal of and interest on this bond are secured by the statutory lien hereinbefore mentioned.

The City has covenanted and agreed, and does hereby covenant and agree, to fix and maintain at all times while any bonds payable from the Net Revenues of the Water Supply and Sewage Disposal System shall be outstanding, such rates for service furnished by the Water Supply and Sewage Disposal System as shall be sufficient to provide for payment of the interest upon and the principal of this bond and any bonds of equal standing with this bond, the Outstanding Bonds and any additional bonds of equal standing with the Outstanding Bonds, as and when the same shall become due and payable, and to maintain a bond redemption fund (including, except for bonds of this issue, a bond reserve account) therefor, to provide for the payment of expenses of administration and operation and such expenses for maintenance of the Water Supply and Sewage Disposal System as are necessary to preserve the same in good repair and working order, and to provide for such other expenditures and funds for the Water Supply and Sewage Disposal System as are required by the Ordinance and the Prior Ordinances.

Principal installments of this bond are subject to prepayment by the City prior to maturity only with the prior written consent of the Authority and on such terms as may be required by the Authority.

This bond is transferable only upon the books of the City by the registered owner in person or the registered owner's attorney duly authorized in writing, upon the surrender of this bond together with a written instrument of transfer satisfactory to the transfer agent, duly executed by the registered owner or the registered owner's attorney duly authorized in writing, and thereupon a new bond or bonds in the same aggregate principal amount and of the same maturity shall be issued to the transferee in exchange therefor as provided in the Ordinance, and upon payment of the charges, if any, therein prescribed.

It is hereby certified and recited that all acts, conditions and things required by law to be done precedent to and in the issuance of this bond have been done and performed in regular and due time and form as required by law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the City of Grosse Pointe Woods, County of Wayne, State of Michigan, by its City Council has caused this bond to be executed with the manual or facsimile signatures of its Mayor and its City Clerk and the corporate seal of the City to be impressed or imprinted hereon, all as of the Date of Original Issue.

CITY OF GROSSE POINTE WOODS

By _____
Its Mayor

(Seal)
Countersigned:

By _____
Its City Clerk

DEQ Project No.: 5365-01
DEQ Approved Amt: \$_____

SCHEDULE A

Based on the schedule provided below unless revised as provided in this paragraph, repayment of the principal of the bond shall be made until the full amount advanced to the City is repaid. In the event the Order of Approval issued by the Department of Environmental Quality (the "Order"), approves a principal amount of assistance less than the amount of the bond delivered to the Authority, the Authority shall only disburse principal up to the amount stated in the Order. In the event (1) that the payment schedule approved by the City and described below provides for payment of a total principal amount greater than the amount of assistance approved by the Order or (2) that less than the principal amount of assistance approved by the Order is disbursed to the City by the Authority, or (3) that any portion of the principal amount of assistance approved by the Order and disbursed to the City is forgiven pursuant to the Order, the Authority shall prepare a new payment schedule which shall be effective upon receipt by the City.

Maturity Date	Principal Amount
April 1, 2014	\$195,000
April 1, 2015	\$195,000
April 1, 2016	\$200,000
April 1, 2017	\$210,000
April 1, 2018	\$215,000
April 1, 2019	\$220,000
April 1, 2020	\$225,000
April 1, 2021	\$230,000
April 1, 2022	\$235,000
April 1, 2023	\$240,000
April 1, 2024	\$245,000
April 1, 2025	\$250,000
April 1, 2026	\$255,000
April 1, 2027	\$260,000
April 1, 2028	\$265,000
April 1, 2029	\$275,000
April 1, 2030	\$285,000
April 1, 2031	\$290,000
April 1, 2032	\$300,000
April 1, 2033	\$310,000

Interest on the bond shall accrue on that portion of principal disbursed by the Authority to the City which has not been forgiven pursuant to the Order from the date such portion is disbursed, until paid, at the rate of 2.50% per annum, payable April 1, 2013, and semi-annually thereafter.

The City agrees that it will deposit with The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A., or at such other place as shall be designated in writing to the City by the Authority (the "Authority's Depository") payments of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on this Bond in immediately available funds by 12:00 noon at least five business days prior to the date on which any such payment is due whether by maturity, redemption or otherwise. In the event that the Authority's Depository has not received the City's deposit by 12:00 noon on the scheduled day, the City shall immediately pay to the Authority as invoiced by the Authority an amount to recover the Authority's administrative costs and lost investment earnings attributable to that late payment.

Section 14. Bondholders' Rights; Receiver. The holder or holders of the Bonds representing in the aggregate not less than twenty per cent (20%) of the entire principal amount thereof then outstanding, may, by suit, action, mandamus or other proceedings, protect and enforce the statutory lien upon the Net Revenues of the System, and may, by suit, action, mandamus or other proceedings, enforce and compel performance of all duties of the officers of the Issuer, including the fixing of sufficient rates, the collection of Revenues, the proper segregation of the Revenues of the System and the proper application thereof. The statutory lien upon the Net Revenues, however, shall not be construed as to compel the sale of the System or any part thereof.

If there is a default in the payment of the principal of or interest upon the Series 2012 Bonds, any court having jurisdiction in any proper action may appoint a receiver to administer and operate the System on behalf of the Issuer and under the direction of the court, and by and with the approval of the court to perform all of the duties of the officers of the Issuer more particularly set forth herein and in Act 94.

The holder or holders of the Series 2012 Bonds shall have all other rights and remedies given by Act 94 and law, for the payment and enforcement of the Series 2012 Bonds and the security therefor.

Section 15. Additional Bonds. The Issuer may issue additional bonds of equal standing with the Series 2012 Bonds for the following purposes and subject to the following conditions:

(a) To complete the Project in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor. Such bonds shall not be authorized unless the engineers in charge of construction shall execute a certificate evidencing the fact that additional funds are needed to complete the Project in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor and stating the amount that will be required to complete the Project. If such certificate shall be so executed and filed with the Issuer, it shall be the duty of the Issuer to provide for and issue additional revenue bonds in the amount stated in said certificate to be necessary to complete the Project in accordance with the plans and specifications plus an amount necessary to issue such bonds or to provide for part or all of such amount from other sources.

(b) For subsequent repairs, extensions, enlargements and improvements to the System or for subsequent repairs, extensions, enlargements and improvements to the System and for the purpose of refunding part or all of the Junior Lien Bonds then outstanding and paying costs of issuing such additional Junior Lien Bonds. Junior Lien Bonds for such purposes shall not be issued pursuant to this subparagraph (b) unless the Adjusted Net Revenues of the System for the then last two (2) preceding twelve-month operating years or the Adjusted Net Revenues for the last preceding twelve-month operating year, if the same shall be lower than the average, shall be equal to at least one hundred percent (100%) of the maximum amount of principal and interest thereafter maturing in any operating year on the then outstanding Senior Lien Bonds, Junior Lien Bonds and on the additional Bonds then being issued. If the additional Junior Lien Bonds are to be issued in whole or in part for refunding outstanding Junior Lien Bonds, the

FROM THE SPORTS DESK

Should Penn State should be penalized?

Will the NCAA give Penn State's football program a stiff penalty for its role in the Jerry Sandusky case. After former FBI Director Louis Freeh's report was finished last week, it was revealed the late Joe Paterno, then-university president Graham Spanier, athletic director Tim Curley and retired senior vice president Gary Schultz covered up Sandusky's sexual abuse allegations. In a release by CBS Sports, Freeh called the officials' behavior "callous and shocking." The findings in the eight month investigation solidify this as one of the biggest scandals in the history of college sports. It's sad to see replays of thousands of Penn State students cheering the coach who waved to them as they stood on his lawn after he was fired as head coach. A Paterno statue stands on the campus, but I say knock it down and melt it. If he was still alive, Paterno should have been jailed, as should Spanier, Curley and Schultz. Their failure to help these victims and support a sick and twisted sexual predator in Sandusky is appalling and these three men should spend years behind bars. In a statement, Paterno's family strongly denied he protected Sandusky for fear of bad publicity. Sandusky, a former member of Paterno's coaching staff, is awaiting sentencing after being convicted last month of sexually abusing 10 boys over a 15-year span. Freeh and his team, which included lawyers and former law enforcement officials, interviewed more than 430 people and examined more than 3.5 million e-mails, handwritten notes and other documents. The three officials and Paterno gave lame excuses why they didn't report this startling revelation in 2001. What a bunch of liars. They should be punished and sent to jail cells. I will be interested to hear what happens.

— Bob St. John

SOCCER

Register for GPSA

Online registration for Grosse Pointe Soccer Association's fall season is open. Go to grossepointesoccer.org and click on "registration" to get started. Each player is guaranteed team placement if registered by Friday, Aug. 17. Due to the size of the program, special requests aren't honored. Players are placed on teams with other players from their school if possible. Beginning Saturday, Aug. 18, there is no guarantee of team placement. Players are put on a waiting list and assigned to the next team with an opening rather than by school. There is a \$25 late fee added to the registration fee starting Aug. 18. In addition, TOPSoccer (The Outreach Program for Soccer) is a community-based training and team placement program for young athletes with disabilities. The program is designed to bring the opportunity of learning and playing soccer to any boy or girl, age 4 to 12, who has a mental or physical disability. High school students volunteer to coach the teams. Those interested in volunteering can contact Diane Karabetsos at diane.karabetsos@yahoo.com.

CITY OF HARPER WOODS
CITY CLERK'S OFFICE
WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN

NOTICE FOR FILING
NOMINATING PETITIONS FOR SCHOOL BOARD TRUSTEE
FOR THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF THE CITY OF HARPER WOODS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that nominating petitions for School Board Trustee for the School District of the City of Harper Woods will be available in the Harper Woods City Clerk's Office, Monday thru Thursday, between the hours of 9:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M. until August 14, 2012. Nominating petitions may be taken out on August 14, 2012 however, all nominating petitions must be filed in the City Clerk's Office, 19617 Harper Avenue, Harper Woods, Michigan, by 4:00 P.M. that day. Nominating petitions must be signed by a minimum of 6 and a maximum of 20 electors of the school district.

Registered voters that reside in the School District of the City of Harper Woods are eligible to be nominated for School Board Trustee for the School District of the City of Harper Woods.

The purpose of taking nominating petitions for the November 6, 2012 Election is to nominate qualified registered voters to the following: (3) four year terms as School Board Trustee expiring December 31, 2016.

Persons with questions regarding the nominating process should call the City Clerk's Office at 313- 343-2510.

CITY OF HARPER WOODS
LESLIE M. FRANK
Acting City Clerk

PUBLISHED: July 19, 2012
POSTED: July 6, 2012

ELECTION COORDINATING COMMITTEE
OF
THE GROSSE POINTE PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM

NOTICE
FOR FILING
NOMINATING PETITIONS FOR
GROSSE POINTE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Notice is hereby given by the Election Coordinating Committee, comprised of the municipalities of Grosse Pointe, Grosse Pointe Park, Grosse Pointe Farms, Grosse Pointe Shores, Grosse Pointe Woods and Harper Woods, to the electors of the above-stated municipalities, that Nominating Petitions for candidates seeking election to the following offices; i.e.,

Two (2) Members for a four-year term of the School Board of Trustees for the Grosse Pointe Board of Education at a regular election (to be held Tuesday, November 6, 2012).

will be available from the City Clerk's office of the above-stated municipalities. **Qualifications:** Any registered voter who resides in the Grosse Pointe Public School System district is eligible to be nominated for School Board Trustee.

Filing deadline: No later than Tuesday, August 14, 2012, on or before 4:00 p.m. For an individual's name to appear on the official ballot as a candidate for school board members, the candidate shall file a Nominating Petition (signed by a minimum of 40 and a maximum of 100 electors of the school district) and an Affidavit of Identity. In lieu of a petition, a candidate for school board member may pay a non-refundable fee of \$100.00 to the **School District Filing Official.** If paid by the due date for a Nominating Petition, it has the same effect as the filing of a Nominating Petition.

Where to file: Nominating Petitions, Affidavit of Identity and/or Fee of \$100.00 must be filed with the School District Filing Official who is City Clerk, City of Grosse Pointe Park, 15115 East Jefferson Avenue, Grosse Pointe Park, MI 48230, during normal business hours weekdays 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Jane Blahut City Clerk of Grosse Pointe Park Phone: 313-822-6200	Matthew J. Tepper Assistant City Mgr/ City Clerk of Grosse Pointe Farms Phone: 313-885-6600
Julie Arthurs City Clerk of Grosse Pointe Phone: 313-885-5800	Lisa K. Hathaway City Clerk of Grosse Pointe Woods Phone: 313-343-2440
Leslie Frank Acting City Clerk of Harper Woods Phone: 313-343-2510	Bruce Nichols Village of Grosse Pointe Shores, a Michigan City Phone: 313-881-6565

G.P.N.: 07/19/2012

annual principal and interest requirements shall be determined by deducting from the principal and interest requirements for each operating year the annual principal and interest requirements of any Junior Lien Bonds to be refunded from the proceeds of the additional Junior Lien Bonds. For purposes of this subparagraph (b) the Issuer may elect to use as the last preceding operating year any operating year ending not more than sixteen months prior to the date of delivery of the additional Junior Lien Bonds and as the next to the last preceding operating year, any operating year ending not more than twenty-eight months prior to the date of delivery of the additional Junior Lien Bonds. Determination by the Issuer as to existence of conditions permitting the issuance of additional Junior Lien Bonds shall be conclusive. No additional Junior Lien Bonds of equal standing as to the Net Revenues of the System shall be issued pursuant to the authorization contained in this subparagraph if the Issuer shall then be in default in making its required payments to the Operation and Maintenance Fund or the Redemption Fund.

(c) For refunding a part or all of the Junior Lien Bonds then outstanding and paying costs of issuing such additional Junior Lien Bonds including deposits which may be required to be made to the bond reserve account for such Junior Lien Bonds. No additional Junior Lien Bonds shall be issued pursuant to this subsection unless the maximum amount of principal and interest maturing in any operating year after giving effect to the refunding shall be less than the maximum amount of principal and interest maturing in any operating year prior to giving effect to the refunding.

Section 16. Negotiated Sale; Application to MDEQ and Authority; Execution of Documents. The Issuer determines that it is in the best interest of the Issuer to negotiate the sale of the Series 2012 Bonds to the Authority because the State Revolving Fund financing program provides significant interest savings to the Issuer compared to competitive sale in the municipal bond market. The Authorized Officers are hereby authorized to make application to the Authority and to the MDEQ for placement of the Series 2012 Bonds with the Authority. The actions taken by the Authorized Officers with respect to the Series 2012 Bonds prior to the adoption of this Ordinance are ratified and confirmed. The Authorized Officers are authorized to execute and deliver the Purchase Contract, the Supplemental Agreement and the Issuer's Certificate. Any Authorized Officers is further authorized to execute and deliver such contracts, documents and certificates as are necessary or advisable to qualify the Series 2012 Bonds for the State Revolving Fund. Prior to the delivery of the Series 2012 Bonds to the Authority, any Authorized Officer is hereby authorized to make such changes to the form of the Series 2012 Bonds contained in Section 13 of this Ordinance as may be necessary to conform to the requirements of Act 227, Public Acts of Michigan 1985, as amended ("Act 227"), including, but not limited to changes in the principal maturity and interest payment dates and references to additional security required by Act 227.

Section 17. Covenant Regarding Tax Exempt Status of the Bonds. The Issuer shall, to the extent permitted by law, take all actions within its control necessary to maintain the exemption of the interest on the Series 2012 Bonds from general federal income taxation (as opposed to any alternative minimum or other indirect taxation) under the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"), including, but not limited to, actions relating to any required rebate of arbitrage earnings and the expenditure and investment of Series 2012 Bonds proceeds and moneys deemed to be Bond proceeds.

Section 18. Approval of Bond Counsel. The representation of the Issuer by Miller, Canfield, Paddock and Stone, p.l.c. ("Miller Canfield"), as bond counsel is hereby approved, notwithstanding the representation by Miller Canfield of the Authority in connection with the State Revolving Fund program which may include advising the Authority with respect to this borrowing.

Section 19. Approval of Bond Details. The Authorized Officers are each hereby authorized to adjust the final bond details set forth herein to the extent necessary or convenient to complete the transaction authorized herein, and in pursuance of the foregoing is authorized to exercise the authority and make the determinations authorized pursuant to Section 7a(1)(c) of Act 94, including but not limited to determinations regarding interest rates, prices, discounts, maturities, principal amounts, denominations, dates of issuance, interest payment dates, redemption rights, the place of delivery and payment, and other matters, provided that the principal amount of Series 2012 Bonds issued shall not exceed the principal amount authorized in this Ordinance, the interest rate per annum on the Series 2012 Bonds shall not exceed two and one-half percent (2.50%) per annum, and the Series 2012 Bonds shall mature in not more than twenty (20) annual installments.

Section 20. Savings Clause. All ordinances, resolutions or orders, or part thereof, in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are, to the extent of such conflict, repealed.

Section 21. Severability; Paragraph Headings; and Conflict. If any section, paragraph, clause or provision of this Ordinance shall be held invalid, the invalidity of such section, paragraph, clause or provision shall not affect any of the other provisions of this Ordinance. The paragraph headings in this Ordinance are furnished for convenience of reference only and shall not be considered to be part of this Ordinance.

Section 22. Publication and Recordation. This Ordinance shall be published in full in the Grosse Pointe News, a newspaper of general circulation in the Issuer qualified under State law to publish legal notices, promptly after its adoption, and shall be recorded in the Ordinance Book of the Issuer and such record authenticated by the signatures of the Mayor and the City Clerk.

Section 23. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall be effective upon its adoption and publication.

ADOPTED AND SIGNED THIS 16TH DAY OF JULY, 2012.

Signed _____
Its Mayor

Signed _____
Its City Clerk

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing constitutes a true and complete copy of an Ordinance duly adopted by the City Council of the City of Grosse Pointe Woods, County of Wayne, State of Michigan, at a regular meeting held on the 16th day of July, 2012, and that said meeting was conducted and public notice of said meeting was given pursuant to and in full compliance with the Open Meetings Act, being Act 267, Public Acts of Michigan, 1976, and that the minutes of said meeting were kept and will be or have been made available as required by said Act.

I further certify that the following Members were present at said meeting:

and that the following Members were absent:

I further certify that Member _____ moved for adoption of said Ordinance and that said motion was supported by Member _____

I further certify that the following Members voted for adoption of said Ordinance: _____

and that the following Members voted against adoption of said Ordinance: _____

I further certify that said Ordinance has been recorded in the Ordinance Book and that such recording has been authenticated by the signatures of the Mayor and the _____ City Clerk.

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400 ANTIQUES/COLLECTIBLES
BEAUTIFUL European antique dining set for sale. (313)926-6753

404 BICYCLES
BICYCLE- Schwinn 27" mens. 10 speed, excellent condition. \$70. (313)881-4793

406 ESTATE SALES
21210 Wedgewood "Woods", pristine. Household, designer clothes, purses, "Vera", vacuum, bikes, rugs. 2009 Cadillac CTS, AWD. Friday, Saturday; 9am-2pm.

ANOTHER Bernard Davis Estate Sale. Historical University District, 17535 Oak Drive, Detroit; 48221. July 20, 21; 8:45am-4pm. For more information go to estate sales.net See you there!

406 ESTATE SALES

406 ESTATE SALES
ANTIQUE furniture, pair Murano lamps and glass. Mirror, jewelry, pictures, pottery, Raku, china. Fabulous wedding dress. 1221 Wayburn, off Kercheval. Friday, Saturday; 10am-4pm.

CLINTON Township Estate Sale 18713 Theta Court. Friday-Sunday, 9am-5pm. (West off Moravian Drive, North of Metro Parkway (16 Mile Road) Furniture, collectibles & more! Pictures actionestate.com 586-228-9090

FRASER Estate Sale 34373 West Gardenia Drive. Friday-Sunday, 9am-5pm. (West off Garfield Road, East of Utica Road.) Furniture, collectibles & more! Pictures: actionestate.com 586-228-9090

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406 ESTATE SALES
WARREN Estate Sale. 11050 Chicago Road. Friday-Sunday; 9am-5pm. (Corner of Masonic & Chicago Road, West of Hoover Road.) Furniture, collectibles & more! Pictures: actionestate.com 586-228-9090

408 FURNITURE
1950s chrome legs Formica top dining set, 4 chairs. \$375. (313)885-4266.

409 GARAGE/YARD/RUMMAGE SALE
2080 Lennon, Friday, July 20, 21; 9am-1pm. Lots of good stuff!

328 Cloverly. Friday, Saturday; 10am-3pm. Household. Butler tray, armoire, kids/ baby.

576 Rivard/ corner Kercheval. Friday, Saturday, 9am-4pm. Household, children items, clothing.

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409 GARAGE/YARD/RUMMAGE SALE
A Race for the Cure garage sale fundraiser! Multiple family contributions. Something for everyone! Friday, July 20 and Saturday, July 21 9am-3pm. 1227 Roslyn Road. Household items, clothing for the whole family, disco ball, planters, tools jewelry, scrapbooking items and so much more.

AMVETS Auxiliary garage sale. 19730 Harper, Harper Woods. July 21, 9am-3pm. Donations accepted. 7/ 19 & 7/ 20; 12-4pm.

FRIDAY, 12:30-6pm. Saturday, 9am-2pm. 1335 Audubon. Area rugs, computer desk, ladies clothes (size 8); men's extra large. toys, stuffed animals.

GARAGE sale- July 21 and July 22, 9AM. 23249 South Rose-dale, St Clair Shores.

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409 GARAGE/YARD/RUMMAGE SALE
GARAGE sale. End tables and lamps, sofa love seats, dining room sets, bedroom sets, outdoor furniture, gliders, patio furniture, Harley Davidson motorcycle. Saturday, July 21; 9am-4pm. 575 Lodge Drive, Detroit (Berry subdivision).

GROSSE Pointe City, 576 Washington. (between Kercheval/ Waterloo). Friday, 9am-4pm. Saturday; 9am-2pm. 2 families

GROSSE Pointe Farms, 337 McMillan. Friday, Saturday; 8:30am-3:00pm. Butcher block, Oriental rug, tools, golf clubs, king headboard, children/ household items, collectibles.

GROSSE Pointe Woods, 1882 Country Club. Friday- Saturday, 9am-1pm. Baby clothes/ items, housewares.

HARPER Woods, 19710 Lochmoor. Friday, Saturday; 9am-3pm. Brand new double stroller, children/ adult clothes, children items, household items.

HUGE 3 family sale! Furniture, luggage, jewelry, teacher supplies, clothes, much more. Friday, Saturday 9-3. 1380 Torrey, Grosse Pointe Woods.

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409 GARAGE/YARD/RUMMAGE SALE
LOTS of great stuff. Renovation left us with lots to sell. Furniture, two Pottery Barn twin beds, mattresses and bedding, children's dressers, antique china hutch, designer clothes, shoes, and bags. Rainbow Recreation Cedar playscape, 1915 Brunswick billiard table. Much, much more. 662 Lincoln, Grosse Pointe. Friday and Saturday; June 20- 21 9:00-2:00.

MOVE- in sale: 1207 Berkshire (corner of Berkshire and Kercheval). Saturday, July 21st, 9:00AM to 3:00PM. Downsizing with lots of primitive antiques, twin bed frames, other furniture, lamps, pottery, crystal, china, oriental rugs, kitchen items, toys, sports equipment, electronics, household items, linens, kids and adult clothes, and much more.

412 MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES

ESTATE: formal dining. Bernhardt, Thomasville. Large china cabinet, server, table/ 8 chairs. Glass top coffee table, antique gold. Formal gold mirror. 586-574-9037

413 MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

WANTED- Guitars, banjos, mandolins and ukes. Local collector paying top cash! 313-886-4522.

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CASH paid for vintage & antique lace or embroidered linens. Please call 586-713-7978. Thank you.

Animals

500 ANIMAL ADOPT A PET

DESPERATELY seeking Kukla. We are Fran and Ollie 8 years old mostly black long hair cattie. Looking for a new Kukla. Great company, loving, friendly. (313)922-6326

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503 HOUSEHOLD PETS FOR SALE

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505 LOST AND FOUND
FOUND July 13, Harper Woods, small terrier. Found July 15, Grosse Pointe Woods, medium size young Brindle dog. Grosse Pointe Animal Adoption Society, 313-884-1551.

Automotive

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2001 Buick Regal LS. 79,700 miles, \$4,500. Looks good, runs great! (313)402-8314.

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Street Numbers Honored Friday at 8:30 A.M. Check out marcawilkestatesales.com to see some featured items.

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 3 large mahogany china cabinets, 1 secretary desk full length mahogany dining room suite, leafs and chairs, full size length mahogany serving sideboard large executive size desk and custom chair full length sofas, large selection of sofa chairs red leather buttoned wing chair 3 bedroom suites with matching dresser sets large selection of framed wall art, prints, lithos & oil paintings large selection dinnerware, flatware, crystal, glassware. Huge selection of small size women's clothing, shoes, purses & hats huge selection of linens, large book collection linens, kitchenware, cooking utensils, etc. large selection of flat screen TV monitors large selection of garden tools, patio furniture

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700 APTS/FLATS/DUPLEX POINTES/HARPER WOODS

1 bedroom, Grosse Pointe. 2nd floor. \$525, all utilities included. (313)331-3394.

2 bedroom lower, Vernier. Garage, air, appliances. No pets. References. \$700. (313)881-3149

2037 Vernier, Grosse Pointe Woods. 2 bedroom lower, updated bathroom (\$750). New carpet, central air, basement, garage, new driveway. All appliances/ water included. No smoking. No pets. 313-418-1738

21535 Kingsville- 1 bedroom, 1st floor. Carpeting, appliances, laundry. No pets. \$590/ month. 313-881-9313.

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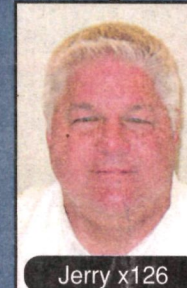
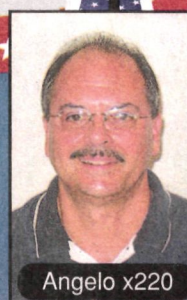
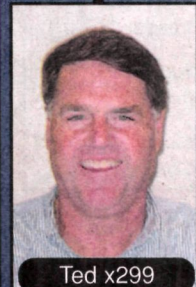


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