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Plans revealed for Legacy Oaks condos

Developers seek approval to build the project in three phases.



By Kathy Ryan
Staff Writer

GROSSE POINTE WOODS — Plans were revealed last week for a condominium development to be built on the former University Liggett Middle School campus on Briarcliff Road. The project hinges on city approval on a zoning

change.

On Tuesday, John Williamson, senior vice president for American Community Developers, met with members of the Woods planning commission to share plans for the 13 acre site, which include the addition of a second building similar to the existing structure. In all, plans call for 24

condos, 12 in each building.

According to Williamson, the development, called Legacy Oaks, will be done in three phases. The first phase, which could begin as early as fall of this year, will see six condos built in the existing build-

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Councilman changes tune

By Brad Lindberg
Staff Writer

GROSSE POINTE SHORES — Ripples are coming from council chambers to alter the city's 30-year contract to buy filtered water from Detroit.

When a unanimous city council approved terms in June 2010, Mayor Ted Kedzierski and Councilman Dan Schulte were in their first years of office, although Kedzierski was still a councilman.

Now Schulte says the Shores ought to build its own filtration plant.

"I'm talking about pumping our own water," he said.

"Where would you put it?" asked Councilman Robert Gessell, referring to the plant.

"Where the park is," Schulte said. "The build-

ing doesn't have to be that big."

He didn't offer cost projections.

By comparison, Grosse Pointe Park representatives in January announced studies to build a filtration plant for \$15 million.

Back in the Shores, city attorney Brian Renaud is seeing if the Shores can opt out of the Detroit contract.

Negotiations for the deal started two years before ratification and involved engineering studies, long council meetings and discussions about alternatives to purchasing water from Detroit.

Options, and their total costs over 30 years, listed from least to most expensive, were:

1. Buying water from

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PHOTOS BY RENEE LANDUYT

Dabble in the Farms

It was a perfect day for Dabble in the Farms, a craft tasting experience on the Hill. At right, from left, Ann Fitzpatrick, Walt Fitzpatrick, Brian Vick and Jennifer Vick. Below, from left, Farms Councilman Peter Waldmeir, City Manager Shane Reeside and Director of Public Safety Dan Jensen purchase raffle tickets from Grosse Pointe Animal Adoption Society volunteers Jenny Riley and Leslie Gerlach and GPAAS Executive Director Corrine Martin. The event raised funds for GPAAS.



Above, from left, Bruce Benoit of Grosse Pointe Woods, Joe Desnoyer and Nicole Desnoyer of Grosse Pointe Farms and Paul Mattes of Grosse Pointe Shores toast to the fun. At left, local artisan Rita Nelson of the Woods, who co-owns 3 Dogs, 1 Cat, shows off some items available at the Eastern Market based store.

Teen seeks car

By Brad Lindberg
Staff Writer

CITY OF GROSSE POINTE — A 16-year-old delinquent from Detroit failed last weekend in his quest to complete a felony.

Less than a month after being released by Wayne County juvenile authorities, he put on an orange hoodie, backwards baseball cap and rode a bicycle to the 900 block of Lincoln and tried to steal a car, according to accounts by a witness and police.

"(He said) that had been the only car he attempted to steal tonight within the City of Grosse Pointe," reported Officer Christopher Cotzias.

A witness reported him at 10:38 p.m. Friday, May 23, pedaling up and

down Lincoln snooping into driveways.

"He spent several minutes by (a) vehicle and was observed riding his bike very quickly toward Mack while officers made their way into the area," the witness reportedly told Cotzias.

Sgt. Ron Wiczorek stopped him nearby on westbound Mack.

The boy had a rock in his hand and a slotted screwdriver in his pocket, police said, detaining him for possession of burglary tools.

More questioning took place at 1:40 a.m. at headquarters in the presence of his mother.

Meanwhile, Wiczorek and another officer stayed in the neighborhood checking for dam-

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Ken Welch

Home: Grosse Pointe Park
Occupation: Owner of Pointe Fitness & Training Center
Family: Married, children, five grandchildren & four dogs



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Keep on truckin'

By Brad Lindberg
Staff Writer

THE GROSSE POINTE — The Special Response Team is ready to rumble. The team's new ride is a war-surplus armored personnel carrier given to civilian law enforcement agencies by the federal government. Technically, the six-wheel, all-wheel-drive, 47,000-pound Mine-Resistant Ambush Protected vehicle. MRAP for short. "When we transverse an area where someone may shoot at us, we can do it safely," said Frank Zielinski, a Grosse Pointe Farms public safety offi-

cer, assistant SRT leader and sniper. "We need the tools to bring ourselves home safely." About \$3,000 from the SRT budget paid for Zielinski and fellow Farms Officer Geoff McQueen to take possession of the MRAP at manufacturer BAE Systems in Seelye, Texas, west of Houston. "The bulk of that cost was for fuel," Zielinski said. The 78-gallon fuel tank drains quickly at three miles per gallon. "It will cost about \$1,500 per year in fuel and maintenance, said Shane Reeside, Farms manager.

On the lumbering, bouncy and noisy 1,468-mile return trip at a top speed of 65 mph, traffic backed up on I-75 in mid-Ohio during a torrential rainstorm. "When we finally got up to the problem, there was 2 1/2 feet of water under a viaduct," Zielinski said. "We went right through it." Everything on the vehicle is new except the cockpit and passenger cabin (called the box), protected by 1 1/2-inch armor and bullet-proof glass. "The box was in Afghanistan," Zielinski said. "When they were shipped back, the box was put on a new chassis with a new engine, transmission, suspension, brakes and tires." Four spare tires came with the deal. Each weighs 300 pounds, works when flat and costs \$5,000 to replace. The 13-member SRT, founded in 1988, has two officers from each of the five Pointes and Harper Woods. They'd been using an old bread delivery truck.



The Grosse Pointe-Harper Woods Special Response Team's war-surplus armored transport vehicle drives "like it looks," said Frank Zielinski, a Grosse Pointe Farms public safety officer and assistant team leader.

PHOTOS BY BRAD LINDBERG



"When I ran the team, we never had anything like this," said John Schulte, Chief of Grosse Pointe Shores, past and founding member of the SRT. "I can tell you from experience, every time the SRT shows up for a call out, we want the advantage. We don't play defense. That's the plus of showing up in a vehicle like that." Officers had access to smaller armored cars stored in Warren, Southfield and Washtenaw County, said Lt. Michael Siedel, a team member from City of Grosse Pointe public safety. "We've utilized those over the last four or five years," Siedel said. A carrier based in the Pointes is intended to shorten the team's response time. "We can get on scene a lot faster," Siedel said. "If a bad guy sees that pull up, he may give up before we do anything." The MRAP, colored

desert sand, is stored temporarily in the Farms public works garage. Zielinski said it will get a traditional black-and-white paint scheme and operate out of an empty bay in the Grosse Pointe Park fire garage. The cargo area requires slight modifications, such as seats, to hold the team and their gear. To donate money or services for the vehicle's outfitting, contact Zielinski at (313) 885-2100, ext. 1016.

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Tumbling down

The facade comes down at the old Borders building that will become new St. John Hospital and Medical Center offices, along with retail components at the Kercheval front of the building. Work continues to update the building in the Village, City of Grosse Pointe.

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Full Circle

Full Circle Foundation urban garden has been prepared for planting. Students and their mentors, will work in the garden during the summer, harvesting the goods and delivering bags of fresh produce and flowers to Grosse Pointe subscribers, under the guidance of garden coordinator Evan Rocheford, third from left. To volunteer at the garden or sponsor a raised bed, visit fullcirclefdn.org.



Left, Boy Scout Jason Marek of Troop 34 helped fill the beds with soil as part of his Eagle project. Above, Full Circle's garden coordinator Evan Rocheford.



Gary Szalanski drills holes in which to insert wood screws to hold the raised garden bed frames together. The 30 raised beds allow for handicap and wheelchair access. At right, Full Circle student Jonathan Price rakes the soil in preparation for planting seeds.

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The Week Ahead

THURSDAY, JUNE 5

◆ The Grosse Pointe North and South high school jazz bands open the free 2014 Music on the Plaza series at 7 p.m. on the Dirty Dog Jazz Cafe stage, the corner of St. Clair and Kercheval, City of Grosse Pointe.

SATURDAY, JUNE 7

◆ Wheel 'n' Deal flea market is open from 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial. The event is free and held rain or shine.

◆ West Park Farmers Market is from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.
◆ Emergency sirens are tested at 1 p.m.

SUNDAY, JUNE 8

◆ Grosse Pointe Woods Farmers Market is open from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on the lawn of city hall.
◆ Author and talk show host Sharon E. Davis leads a discussion on racial healing at 5 p.m. EST at Higher Grounds Coffee Cafe.

MONDAY, JUNE 9

◆ Grosse Pointe Farms city council meets at 7 p.m. in council chambers.
◆ Grosse Pointe Park city council meets at 7 p.m. in council chambers.
◆ Chat with Wayne County Commissioner Tim Killeen from 9 to 10 a.m. in Grosse Pointe Woods Municipal building, 20025 Mack Plaza. For more information, call (313) 224-0920.

THURSDAY, JUNE 12

◆ The Paul Carey Organ

Trio, featuring Benny Reeves, plays at 7 p.m. on the Dirty Dog Jazz Cafe stage, the corner of St. Clair and Kercheval, City of Grosse Pointe.

◆ The sixth annual giant garage sale is from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Assumption Greek Orthodox Church, 21800 Marter, St. Clair Shores. Food and baked goods are available. Proceeds benefit the church and its nursery school and toddler center.

More gardens to sponsor

By Brad Lindberg
Staff Writer

GROSSE POINTE SHORES — The legend of Sisyphus is a perennial in the marketing gimmickry of Sponsor a Garden.

Each year since 2010, the Grosse Pointe Shores Beautification Commission solicits private sponsors of public gardens.

Akin to that fruitless offender of the Greek gods fated to forever push a boulder up a hill only for it to repeatedly roll back short of the crest, there always are more gardens to sponsor than there are sponsors.

"We never sponsor them all because we keep trying to add more and more as people step up to the plate to sponsor," said Helen Bai, beautification chair.

Donations are pooled to buy annuals or bulbs for municipal gardens throughout the Shores.

Some 57 municipal gardens are included in the program, but not each year.

Of 24 gardens currently offered for tax-deductible sponsorships up to \$200, all but 11 are supported.

Still available for \$100 sponsorships are, according to a list in the

lobby of city hall:

- ◆ municipal building parking lot,
- ◆ Regal cul-de-sac,
- ◆ Michaux cul-de-sac,
- ◆ Osius Park gate house driveway,
- ◆ Osius Park, inside Lakeshore fence, south,
- ◆ Osius Park, inside Lakeshore fence, north,
- ◆ Osius Park, parking lot median,
- ◆ Osius park, battle-ship row shed,
- ◆ municipal building, walkway to council chambers, and
- ◆ municipal building, sidewalk to Lakeshore.

Sponsor names appear on tiles in their respective gardens.

Gardens also are supported in memory or honor of someone else.

The garden around the recently refurbished horse trough inside the circular driveway to city hall is due for a new scheme.

Yew in the garden came up short from the harsh winter.

"We've covered our flower budget with sponsors and, hopefully, have some left over to do renovation at the horse trough," Bai said. "That taxis took a terrible hit. We're going to remove those."

A hedge is planned.

To sponsor a garden this year, call city hall at (313) 881-6565.

Snafu to be fixed

By Kathy Ryan
Staff Writer

GROSSE POINTE WOODS — City officials are anxious to clear up any misunderstanding residents may have regarding the new Medstar ambulance service and its billing policies.

A handful of residents have complained they have been billed by Medstar for ambulance charges that were not covered by their insurance companies. But according to the contract the city signed with the private ambulance service, residents would not be billed for ambulance services.

"We ask any resident

who has received a bill to call me," said Skip Fincham, city administrator. "I am meeting this week with Medstar to get this problem straightened out."

Fincham said any resident who paid a bill from Medstar will be reimbursed.

"A resident brought this to our attention, and we will have it corrected," he said.

Fincham said city officials have been pleased with the service provided by Medstar.

"It was a very smooth transition, and we have had positive feedback from residents," he said.

Medstar has been providing ambulance and EMS service since April.

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Committed to his community

By Joe Warner
Editor

For Ken Welch, it's all about commitment. His family, his business, the community that has supported Pointe Fitness & Training Center for 20 years.

The Grosse Pointe Park resident of 24 years has been married 23. Their children, five grandchildren and four dogs enjoy the life Grosse Pointe offers.

For Welch, his second love is the business he's built that has served the Pointes and given back.

He's seen gyms come and go, but it's the commitment of Welch and his staff, their knowledge of what it takes to

workout and be healthy, that sets them apart.

"Our members are very diverse in their abilities, but the first thing we have to find out is where they want to be," Welch said. "Our gym has everyday people and athletes. The equipment and our knowledge of training make us a good gym. This community always supports us."

Welch could take the money from memberships, classes, personal training sessions and head home after a long day. But his goal is to give back, evident in his support of the Grosse Pointe Animal Adoption Society, ALS charities, community events and baseball teams and the

local American Red Cross, which will benefit by a blood drive from 8 a.m. to 1:45 p.m. Wednesday, July 2.

"In terms of why give back, I think it's a matter of conscience," Welch said. "I think if you're fortunate that you're able to do certain things you enjoy and make a living at it, and also be able to be strong and healthy in the process ... Come on, what the problem with helping out where you can?"

Billed as a professional gym for the average person, Welch said his goal has always been to be part of the community.

"I'm proud of our gym, our length of time in business and in particular our staff and our membership," Welch said. "Our staff, instructors and membership are

our greatest strengths and always have been.

Welch is seen at the gym most of the day and evening and he said he values keeping his life private beyond his business.

His business is housed in a 21,000 square foot building at 19556 Harper Ave., Harper Woods.

"I'm proud we've been part of the community and we've given back. That's the most important thing to me," Welch said. "We're more about education with our members and giving them the right information to help them stay in shape."

"You don't see a lot of private gyms like we have anymore and it makes us unique. So does our professional staff. I can't say enough about how hard everybody works."



PHOTO BY JOE WARNER

Ken Welch works out at Pointe Fitness & Training Center.

As does Welch, who starts his day early and ends it late.

"It's rewarding," he said. "It allows me to give something back. To

donate to a church or a fundraiser in town. This is a great community. We have been here for a long time. And we aren't going anywhere."

PLANS:

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ing, ranging in size from 1,800 to 5,000 square feet. Phase one construction is expected to take 12 to 18 months.

"We plan on keeping the integrity of the building," Williamson said. "It's not a historic building, but we want to keep as much of the original building as possible."

Williamson pointed to existing features such as the high ceilings, wide hallways and the elegant front entryway as components of the buildings the developers will keep in place. He also said the gymnasium and auditorium will be kept for use by residents, as will two tennis courts.

Before condo construction can begin in the 50,000 square foot structure, the building's heating system will be redone and air conditioning will be added, as well as an elevator. The building will also be brought up to date on all building and fire codes.

Once phase one is completed, phase two, the additional six condos in the original building, will begin. Phase two is expected to take 12 months.

The price point for the condos is expected to begin in the low \$300,000's, and will be built to owner specifications.

Phase three involves building a new structure on the current athletic field that will mirror the existing building, and will also contain 12 units. The project is expected

to cost approximately \$7 million and is expected to take four years to complete.

"We want the new building to look like it has always been there," Williamson said, as he displayed the brick and roofing materials that are almost identical to the materials used on the existing building.

Each building will also feature an enclosed garage with 24 parking spaces, built to match the building.

A house on the property that once served as home for the school's head master, will be refurbished and offered for sale as part of the Legacy Oaks property.

The developers met Tuesday, May 27 with members of the planning commission, then hosted an information meeting on Thursday, May 29 for

neighbors living near the Briarcliff campus.

About 75 residents attended, and while questions were raised about traffic patterns, construction times and parking, the project was met with a round of applause by many.

"Our intent is to minimally disrupt the property," Williamson told the residents. "We are sensitive to construction issues and noises and will do our best to keep disruption to a minimum."

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Mower stolen

Someone stole a \$250 Toro lawn mower from a backyard in the 800 block of Loraine overnight Friday, May 30.

No one was home at the time.

Casing cars

While most residents of the 900 block of Fisher, which separates the City from Grosse Pointe Farms, slept the final hours before sunup Tuesday, May 27, an unknown man broke into one of their parked cars.

At 5:17 a.m., a 19-year-old City woman told police she'd seen him 30 minutes earlier frequenting the block in a tan, rusty, full-size van with a loud muffler and a roof-mounted luggage rack.

"She observed a black male wearing a red shirt get out of the car and enter her unlocked 2003 Chevrolet parked in front of (a house)," said an officer.

The stranger returned to the van and drove north.

She checked her car. Nothing was stolen. Police searched the area.

"Two more vehicles were found with their doors open belonging to Farms residents on Fisher north of Charlevoix," said the officer.

Officers from both communities are giving the area extra patrols.

Public Safety Reports

Old pals

An officer on bicycle patrol at 5:02 p.m. Sunday, May 25, spotted a 58-year-old City of Grosse Pointe man driving a gold 1987 Mercedes Benz on westbound Jefferson from St. Clair.

"(I) had knowledge from previous dealings with (him) that his license was revoked," said the patrolman.

The officer and a lieutenant arrested the suspect in his driveway in the 17000 block of Jefferson.

"(He) became very hostile toward (us)," said the officer.

In and out

The night crew at Kroger in the Village said two male teens pushed through the unlocked, front revolving door at 8:18 a.m. Sunday, May 25, and stole an unknown amount of cigarettes before taking off the way they came.

In-store security video confirms the account, according to police.

The revolving door had been propped open with a shopping cart because someone lost the door key, police were told.

Some sip

In the subjective world of drunken driving

excuses, suspects often quantify their alcohol consumption in relative terms, especially in contexts that diminish the degree of apparent infraction.

At 2:53 a.m. Saturday, May 24, a patrolman questioned the driver of a 2001 Ford Windstar parked on eastbound Jefferson near Elmsleigh Lane.

The driver, a 33-year-old Detroit man admitted drinking "only a few sips" from a 16-ounce can of beer in the center console.

He didn't say how big the sips were.

A Breathalyzer recorded his blood alcohol level at .19 percent, nearly 2 1/2 times the state legal limit to operate a motor vehicle.

His driving record included 13 driving suspensions and warrants from Detroit and Highland Park, according to police.

Come on in

A restaurant worker in the 600 block of St. Clair granted a former male employee entry at 11:21 p.m. Friday, May 23, to make an unsupervised telephone call.

He stole about \$200 from the cash register and ran away, according to the person who let him in.

An employee saw him heading westbound into the alley between the Village parking deck and Kercheval Place.

The suspect is a stocky, 5-foot-10-inch black male wearing a blue hoodie, the witness told police.

"Employees of Green Zone Pizza reported a subject matching that description, along with another unknown person, running north on Notre Dame," said a public safety officer.

The manager of the restaurant that was burglarized gave the suspect's name to police.

"The (restaurant) owner was in contact with the suspect's aunt, who frequents the restaurant, and was attempting

to negotiate his surrendering himself," said an officer.

—Brad Lindberg
Report information about these or other crimes to the City of Grosse Pointe Public Safety Department at (313) 886-3200.

Grosse Pointe Farms

Car scratched

It will cost an estimated \$300 to remove scratches from a car vandalized while parked in the 100 block of Mapleton overnight Saturday, May 31.

Land of lost

Charges of drunken driving and cocaine possession resulted from the traffic stop of a 31-year-old New Haven man on eastbound Mack near East Warren at 1:33 a.m. Sunday, June 1.

A patrolman pulled him over for operating a 1995 Cadillac with a broken windshield.

"(I) observed (his) eyes to be glossy and bloodshot," said the officer.

The man said he was lost.

"He had slow speech and was trying to avoid eye contact," said the officer.

The Cadillac contained a half-empty bottle of raspberry vodka and .3 grams of crack cocaine, according to police.

The man had a .182 percent blood alcohol level, they added.

Pair of aces

Two whiz kids wound up arrested for underage drinking upon arriving drunk at police headquarters to bail out a buddy, according to police.

Both males — 18, of the City of Grosse Pointe; and 19, of the Farms — entered the lobby at 4:17 a.m. Sunday, June 1.

"Both subjects' eyes were bloodshot and glassy," said an officer.

They refused to take a Breathalyzer test.

"I know my rights," one

reportedly said.

"Both had slow speech," said the officer.

Both also failed field sobriety tests. They were eventually released to a friend.

Bad example

Two City males, 19 and 16, were caught last week with alcohol, according to police.

The older teen had drugs, police added.

A patrolman saw them at 4:17 a.m. Sunday, June 1, walking westbound on Beaufre west of Moran and questioned them regarding possible curfew violations.

"Both (had) an odor of intoxicants emanating from their breath as they spoke," said the officer. "Both also had bloodshot and glassy eyes."

They admitted drinking.

"(The 19-year-old) became defiant, informing (me) that (I) was ruining his life," said the officer. "(He) began swearing at (me)."

Officers searching him said they found a small pipe and .5 ounces of marijuana.

"(The 16-year-old) admitted consuming two beers," said the officer.

A preliminary breath test revealed a .03 percent blood alcohol content, police added.

"As (I) was interviewing (the younger boy, the older one) became increasingly disorderly by swearing out of (the) scout car window, stating, 'Leave me the alone,' and 'Tell him his rights,' as well as other obscenities," said the officer, omitting the suspect's profanity.

Police released the younger boy to his father.

Curfew for minors ages 15 and 16 in the Farms is 11 p.m. The curfew is 10 p.m. for youths 14 and under.

Red means stop

Running a red light at the intersection of northbound Moross and Mack at 2:25 a.m. Saturday, May 31, saddled a 23-year-old Detroit woman with multiple charges, including possession of marijuana.

She also had an open container of liquor in her 1996 Saturn SL1, but lacked a valid driver's license and proof of insurance, police said.

In arrears

A 20-year-old St. Clair Shores woman couldn't back out of it.

She drove a beige, 1996 Chevrolet Lumina stern-first on southbound Moross from Mack at

3:49 a.m. Friday, May 30. The car had a damaged axle, she told an officer during a traffic stop near Chalfonte.

"The only way the car could drive was in reverse," she said.

Police impounded the car.

Open garage

Someone stole an unlocked, \$500, red Gary Fisher women's bicycle from an open garage on Briarwood between 5 and 6 p.m.

The bike has a headlight and black seat.

Here, take 'em

Nearly \$1,930 in fraudulent purchases were charged to credit cards stolen from a purse that a Grosse Pointe Park woman left in her unlocked 2009 Dodge Caravan parked at the Country Club of Detroit from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, May 10.

Four charges were recorded that afternoon at a grocery store and pharmacies in St. Clair Shores.

She reported the theft to police on Wednesday, May 28.

—Brad Lindberg
Report information about these or other crimes to the Grosse Pointe Farms Public Safety Department at (313) 885-2100.

Grosse Pointe Shores

Half-lit

A driver with a .141 percent blood alcohol content was arrested for drunken driving after being pulled over for operating a 2000 Hyundai with a defective headlight.

The arrest happened on northbound Lakeshore near South Edgewood at 12:03 a.m. Saturday, May 31.

Fake plate

At 5 a.m. Monday, May 26, police arrested a 19-year-old Ferndale man for drunken driving.

A patrolman reported him weaving a 2005 Chevy Blazer on northbound Lakeshore from Woodland Shores to Vernier, hitting the curb "several times."

His blood alcohol level measured .125 percent, police said.

Officers said he also falsified his vehicle's paper license plate, updating the expired registration date to June 2014.

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Calico opens in the Village

Calico Corners, now simply “Calico,” has moved from its location on Mack in St. Clair Shores to 17101 Kercheval, in the Village, City of Grosse Pointe. The completely remodeled store opened Thursday, May 29.

Founded in 1948, Calico is a privately held company with 85 locations across the United States. It specializes in custom home decorating and offers more than 7,500 fabric and trim options as well as furniture, custom window treatments, reupholstery, slipcovers and more.

Store manager Mari Ellen Borchardt and her staff are excited about



Calico is located at 17101 Kercheval, in the Village.

the new face of Calico in Grosse Pointe. “The Bloomfield Hills and St. Clair Shores locations were among the earliest stores in the company. We’ve been decorating homes in this area for more than 50 years. We

can’t wait for customers to discover our great new store,” Borchardt said. Calico has helped three generations of customers create beautiful homes. “We know that great rooms start with great fabrics,” Borchardt said.

“And Calico has a speed-to-market advantage in getting the best new product to the market before even the top to-the-trade design showrooms.”

The store has been fitted with new fixtures, displays, furniture and, of course, new fabrics. Calico will also sponsor the “Music on the Plaza” jazz concert performances that begin Thursday, June 5. Before each concert, the store will have an Open House, offering cold refreshments to visitors from 5 to 7 p.m.

Calico’s regular store hours are Monday to Saturday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Thursday evenings until 7 p.m. Call (586) 775-0078 or visit calicocorners.com for more information.



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MI Nails in the Woods

MI Nails has opened on 20339 Mack Ave in Grosse Pointe Woods. MI Nails offers basic and deluxe manicures, shellac manicures, acrylic and gel nails, spa pedicures and waxing. The salon is open 9:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Saturday and 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Sunday. Attending ribbon cutting ceremonies are, from left, Grosse Pointe Woods City Administrator Al Fincham; Kevin Pham; Anthony Ngo; Grosse Pointe Woods Mayor Robert Novitke; Rachel Phan; Dung Ngo; and Grosse Pointe Chamber of Commerce Executive Director Jenny Boettcher.

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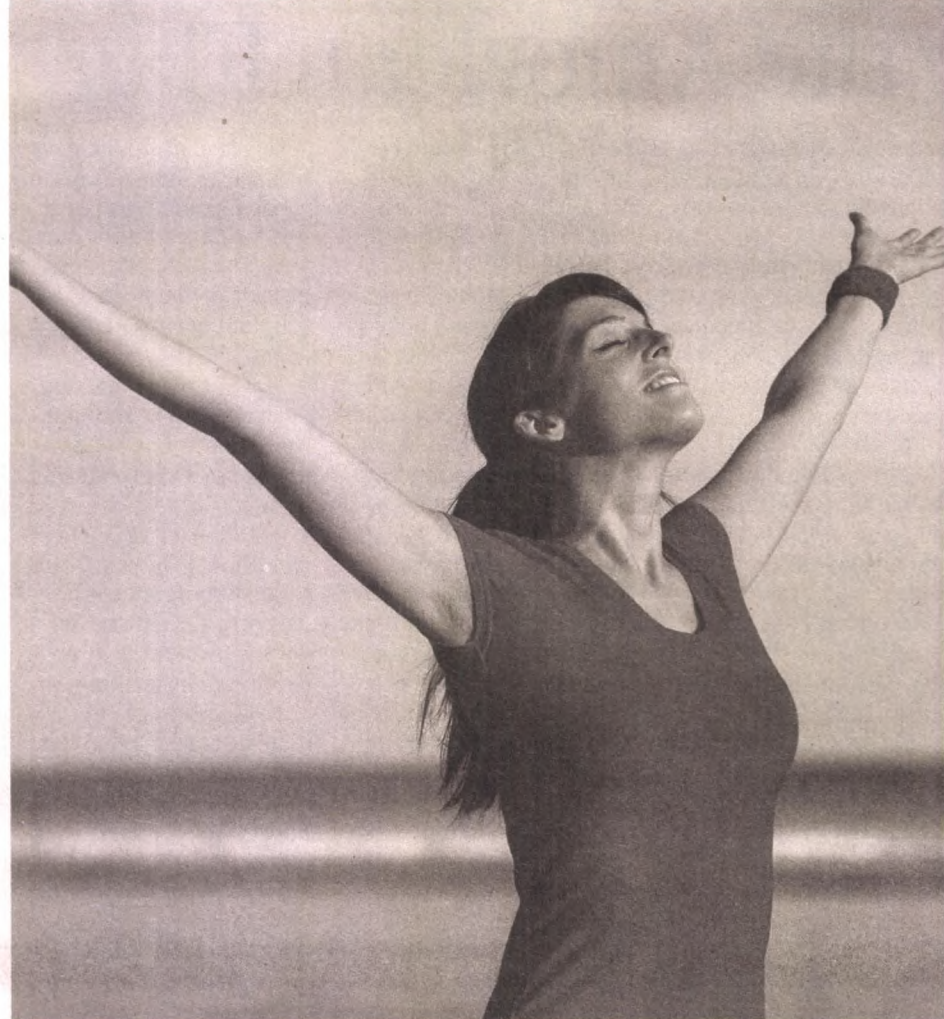
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OUR VIEW

Great fundraiser next week

We're proud to be a sponsor for the Joe Niekro Foundation "Knuckling Up for Aneurysm Research" presents "Decades of the Tigers" Wednesday, June 11.

Proceeds from this event benefit the Joe Niekro Foundation supporting brain aneurysm research, awareness and patient advocacy.

Niekro, a top knuckleballer who played for several teams, including the Detroit Tigers from 1970 to 1972, died suddenly Oct. 27, 2006 from a cerebral brain aneurysm. He was 61 years old.

Tickets include a strolling dinner and cocktails, along with the chance to salute three decades of Detroit Tigers greats. A silent and live auction, along with presentations about progress in research will be part of the evening.

Players attending include Mickey Lolich, Mickey Stanley, Al Kaline and Willie Horton from the 1960s; John Wockenfuss, and Steve Kemp from the 1970s and Lou Whitaker and Dave Rozema from the 1980s. Special guests will include former owner Tom Monaghan and others. Master of ceremonies is Eli Zaret.

The fundraising event begins at 6 p.m. with a VIP reception at 5:30 p.m. at MotorCity Casino Hotel, 2901 Grand River, Detroit.

Tickets for the event start at \$250 and sponsorships are available. For more information about the event, visit joeniekrofoundation.com or contact Suzanne Antonelli at santonelli@sigmainvestments.com.

Dabble, dabble

The Dabble in the Farms event was a great success on the Hill Saturday, May 31. Proceeds from the event were a benefit for the Grosse Pointe Animal Adoption Society.

The event was sponsored by Parkway Jeep, Allstate, GTS, Adlhoch & Associates Realtors, Citadel, Grosse Pointe, Raymond James and the Grosse Pointe News.

Auditions

Grosse Pointe Theatre holds auditions for the opening musical of its 67th season, "Annie Warbucks," the sequel to "Annie."

Children's auditions, more than 8 years old, are Saturday, June 14. Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. and auditions are from 10 a.m. to noon.

Adult auditions begin at 7 p.m. Friday, June 20, and at 1 p.m. Sunday, June 22. No new registrations are taken after 2 p.m. Sunday.

All auditions are at Grosse Pointe Theatre headquarters, 315 Fisher, City of Grosse Pointe, where audio CDs and scripts are available for a \$20 deposit. Free scripts can also be searched on line. For more information, the theater at (313) 881-4004.

To prepare for the auditions, vocal and dance workshops are Sunday, June 8 at the theater. For children, vocal workshop are at 1 p.m. and a dance workshop at 2 p.m. An adult dance workshop is at 3 p.m.

The read-through is 7 p.m. Monday, June 23. Rehearsals begin July 14. Weekly rehearsals are at 7 p.m. Monday through Thursday. Week-end rehearsals begin in September.

The performance dates are Sunday, Sept. 14, Thursday through Sunday, Sept. 18 through 22, and Thursday through Saturday, Sept. 25 through 28. Shows are performed at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial.

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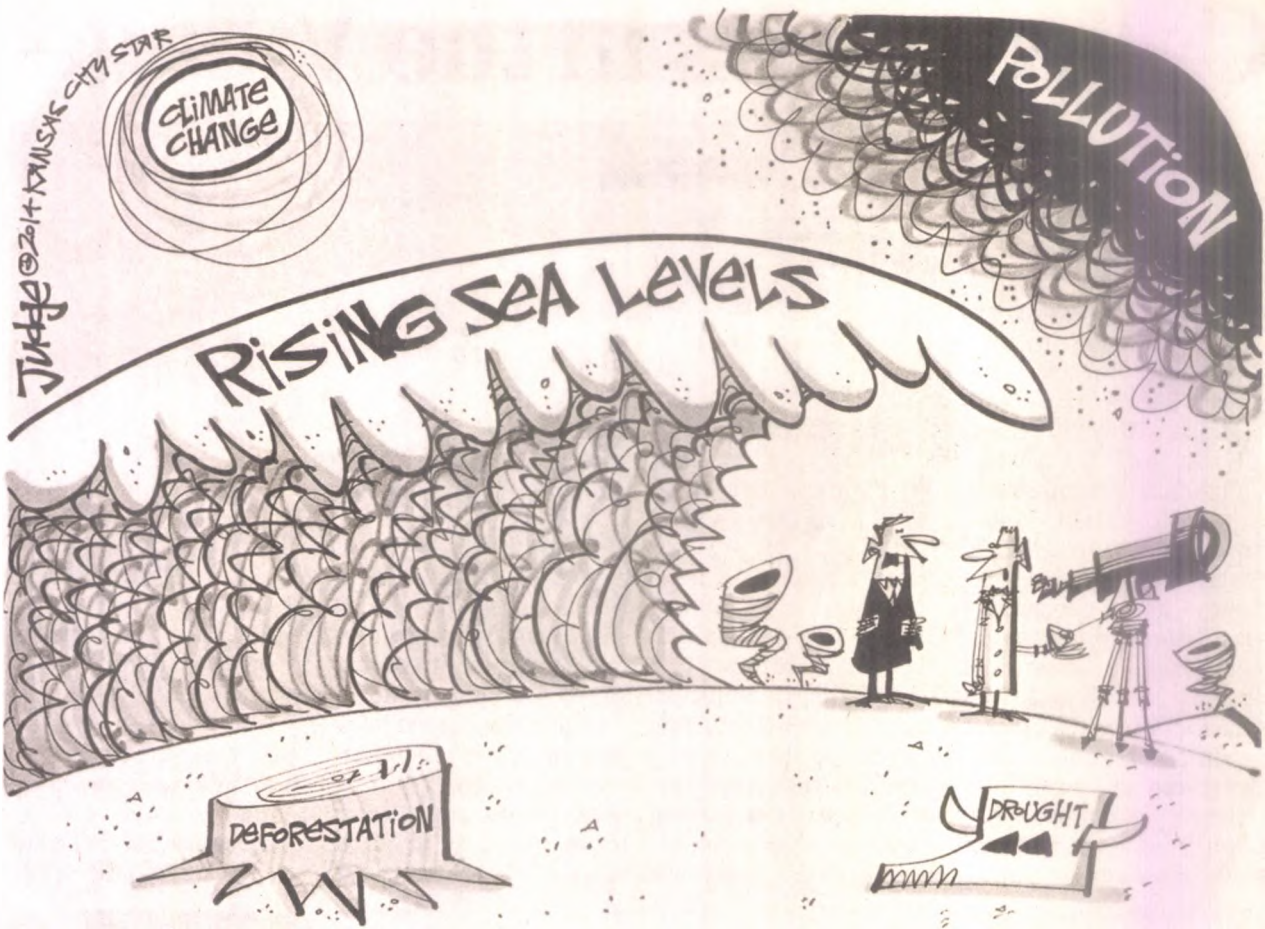
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Shores water treatment plant

To the Editor:

While Grosse Pointe Park residents are weighing a 1.75 mill property tax increase for road improvements on the Aug. 5 ballot, Park officials are quietly gearing up to build a multi-million dollar water purification plant on the existing parking lot at Windmill Pointe Park.

Last March, the Grosse Pointe Park City Council authorized a final engineering study for the new treatment plant, which would be used to terminate the Park's decades old contract with Detroit.

Park officials, led by Mayor Palmer Heenan and City Manager Dale Krajniak, have repeatedly said the new water plant would rein in annual increases in water bills for local residents and businesses. But a close look at the Park's water expenses for the past 10 years

indicates otherwise.

Between 2004 and 2013, Detroit's treated water comprised 15.03 percent of customer water bills, while the cost of sewage disposal comprised 24.65 percent.

More than 25 percent goes toward the Park's operating income (profit), which includes paying off bonds that financed the storm sewer separation system. The remaining 35 percent of billing costs reflect the Park's charges for operation, maintenance and general administration.

Keep in mind the Park's new treatment plant will have no impact on the cost of sewage, which will continue to be processed by Detroit. Park officials haven't said how much money it will cost to own and operate its own plant, including the cost of employees, chemicals and equipment.

So, Park officials want to build a multi-million dollar water plant, which will require the issuance of new revenue bonds to finance this project as well as more employees to operate it, to address only 15 percent of the total water bill now paid by Park customers.

Park residents should be alarmed the council is poised to embark on an expensive and unnecessary municipal adventure that will cost residents dearly for years to come.

The Park should not be in the business of owning and operating a water treatment plant for less than 11,500 residents when they currently receive high water quality from Detroit.

LOUIS J. MLECZKO
Grosse Pointe Park

The Family Center

To the Editor:

The Family Center of Grosse Pointe & Harper Woods continues to make a positive impact on local families.

This past year, The Family Center held many successful, innovative and informative programs for families in our community.

Family life can be a challenge. Whether caring for a newborn, transitioning kids to college, managing relationships, health, stress and grief, all families will experience change during the course of their lives.

Like a compass, The Family Center continues

to be a valuable resource for the community, guiding families to successful solutions. It connects families with professionals, resources and information they need to stay on course.

Our programs also feature presentations by local experts, many of whom are part of our Association of Professionals. Their presentations are available for viewing on our website along with their Ask the Experts articles.

In addition to our community outreach efforts, we have improved our communication with a revised newsletter, enhanced website and social media.

In this, our 13th year of service, we are continuing our multi-year major giving campaign "The Family Center Enrichment Campaign: Building a Stronger Community." Our goal is to raise funds to keep The Family Center strong, ensuring programming continues for generations to come.

Please consider making a commitment to building stronger families with a gift to The Family Center. Your support will further our mission of serving the community through programs and resources vital to today's families.

We thank you for your investment in all we do.

CATHY LEVERENZ
The Family Center of
Grosse Pointe & Harper
Woods
President

I SAY By Diane Morelli

Raising the American Flag

The Flag of the United States of America is defined by the government as a symbol of freedom and liberty to which Americans pledge their allegiance.

Flag Day is celebrated June 14 — a presidentially proclaimed observance since 1916.

Although Flag Day is not a federal holiday, Americans are encouraged by the government to display the flag outside their houses and businesses on this day to honor the history and heritage the American flag represents.

The flag has lovingly been named "The Star Spangled Banner," "Old Glory," "The Red, White and Blue" and "The Stars and the Stripes." It consists of 13 alternating red

and white stripes and 50 white stars on a blue field, with each star representing a state.

Its red, white and blue colors represent valor and bravery; purity, innocence and vigilance; and perseverance and justice, respectively.

For civilians, the U.S. Flag Code defines the following rules and customs of how to properly wear and display the American flag.

According to the U.S. Flag Code:

— The flag is to be displayed in the open on buildings and stationary flagstaffs.

— Unless illuminated for a patriotic effect, the flag is displayed from sunrise to sunset.

— The flag should be hoisted briskly and lowered ceremoniously.

— When flown at half-

staff, the flag should be first hoisted to the peak for an instant and then lowered to the half-staff position.

The flag should be again raised to the peak before it is lowered for the day.

— The flag should not be displayed on days when the weather is inclement, except when an all-weather flag, made of Nylon or another non-absorbent material, is displayed.

— The flag should never touch anything beneath it, such as the ground, floor, water or merchandise.

— The flag should never be festooned, drawn back or up or in folds, but always allowed to fall free.

— The flag should never be used as wearing apparel, bedding or drapery.

— No part of the flag should ever be used as a costume or athletic uniform.

— The flag should never be used as a receptacle for receiving, holding, carrying or delivering anything.

— The flag should never be carried flat or horizontally, but always aloft and free.

— The flag should not be draped over the hood, top, sides or back of a vehicle or of a railroad train or boat.

— When a flag is in a condition no longer fitting for display, it should be destroyed in a dignified way — preferably by a ceremonial burning.

A flag no longer fit for display, can be left at the VFW Bruce Post 1146, 28404 Jefferson, St. Clair Shores, for proper disposal.

From raising to folding, it's a fine lesson for children when the family gathers together for a ceremonial tribute to Old Glory.

TUNE:

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the Farms, helping fund expansion of the Farms filtration plant at the intersection of Moross and Grosse Pointe Boulevard, and building a 500,000 gallon, 40-foot-tall water storage tank in the Shores: \$25,773,001;

2. Buying water through Grosse Pointe Woods, a Detroit water customer, and sharing at least an 800,000 gallon tank: \$26,636,089;

3. Buying water through the Woods and building a 300,000 gallon

Shores officials have sought alternatives to the Detroit water department for more than a decade.

tank in the Shores: \$27,792,308;

4. Renegotiating new rates with Detroit and not building a tank: \$27,764,804;

5. Remaining a Detroit customer and building a 300,000 gallon storage tank in the Shores: \$28,443,594 or

6. Remaining with Detroit and not building a storage tank: \$30,921,360.

The Farms deal was rejected due to opposition to a tank, to be erected either at Osius Park or at Schroeder Field behind city hall, plus costs of expanding infrastructure.

The Woods options failed, in part, from opposition to a tank.

Shores officials have sought alternatives to the Detroit water department for more than a decade.

In late 2003, tired of repeated water price increases, former Shores Councilman Dr. Brian Hunt prompted a multi-city engineering study establishing a separate, suburban regional water system.

Communities in Macomb and Oakland counties, including Pontiac, joined in.

Support ended when engineers determined the price exceeded \$1 billion.

CAR:

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aged vehicles. They found one on Lincoln. It had a broken window and ignition column.

"(The juvenile) stated he was looking to steal a

car," Cotzias said. "He used a brick to break the driver-side window of the vehicle."

He failed to activate the ignition.

"(He) admitted he intended on stealing the vehicle to drive around a little while and was going to ditch the car

somewhere in Detroit," Cotzias reported.

"(He) will be held on the charges in (the) Wayne County juvenile detention facility," said an officer.

County officials told police the boy had been released from custody April 24.

SAFETY:

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(313) 881-5500.

Grosse Pointe Park

Grill taken

Sometime overnight Wednesday, May 28, a Weber charcoal grill was taken from the backyard of a house on Wayburn.

Bike stolen

At 4 a.m. Sunday, June 1, a Maryland resident observed an unknown person take a Blue Beach bike from the garage and ride off.

— Kathy Ryan

Report information on these or other crimes to Grosse Pointe Park public safety at (313) 822-7400.

Grosse Pointe Woods

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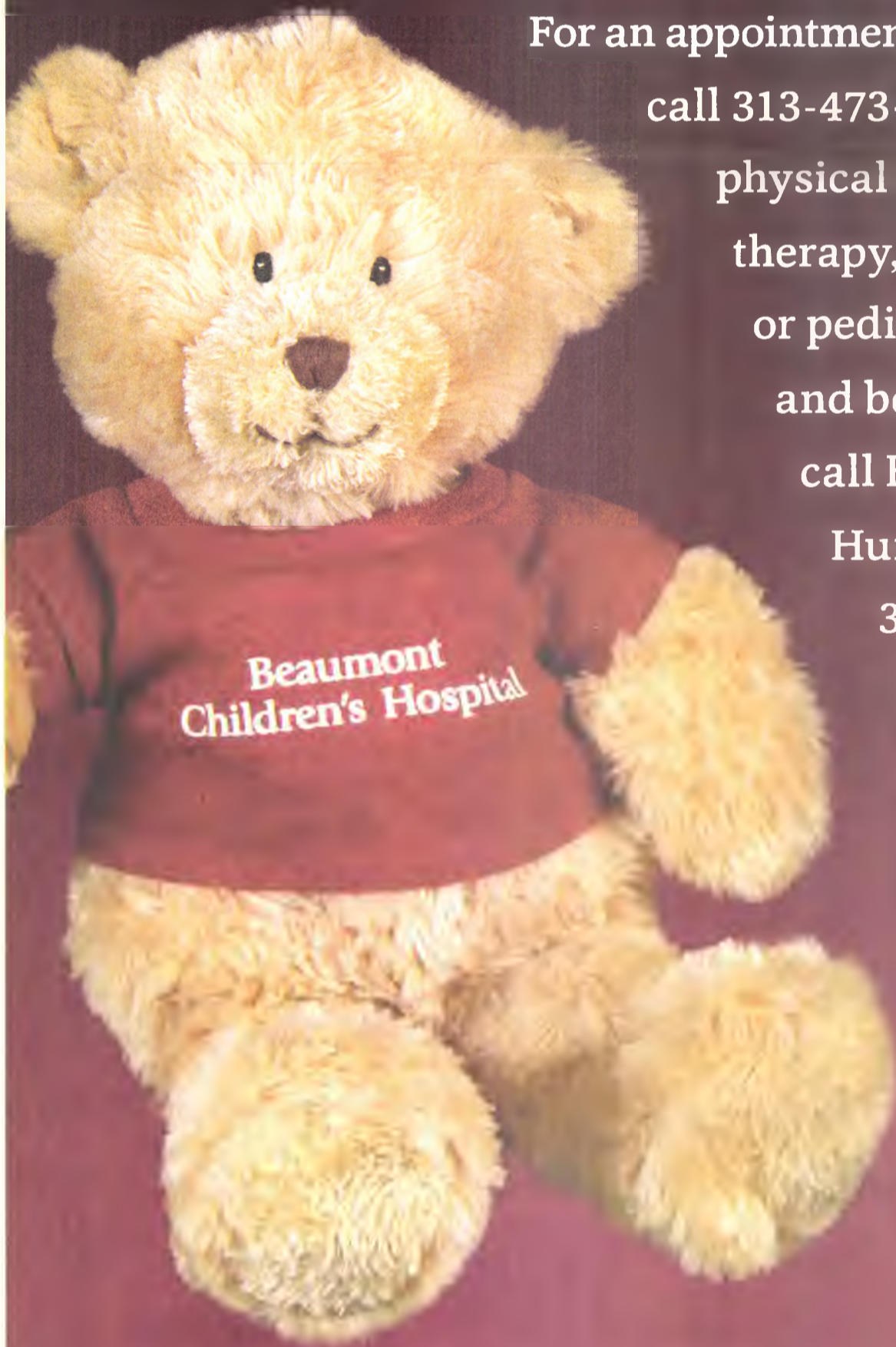
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Beaumont Children's Hospital now offers expanded pediatric rehabilitation services at the Neighborhood Club in Grosse Pointe.

With more than 30 years of experience in treating children, Edward Dabrowski, M.D., joins Beaumont as system director of Pediatric Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation. Dr. Dabrowski now has a rehabilitation clinic inside the Neighborhood Club, where he serves as Beaumont's medical director.

For an appointment with Dr. Dabrowski, call 313-473-4797. For other physical and occupational therapy, speech therapy or pediatric developmental and behavioral services, call Beaumont's Center for Human Development at 313-473-4730.



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Historical society hosts an English-style gala

By Ann L. Fouty
Features Editor

A Georgian manor house at 70 Vendome, Grosse Pointe Farms, is the setting for the Grosse Pointe Historical Society's June 18 summer gala, "English Elegance."

Paula and Adrian Price are the hosts for the annual party and fundraiser beginning at 7 p.m.

Their 1929 English manor house, designed by Robert O. Derrick for Frank Price, no relation to the current owners, will be filled with music, food and interesting architectural points. Derrick also designed the Henry Ford Museum, the Punch and Judy building, Richard Elementary School and more than 200 private residences.

As is the historical society's tradition, this house was chosen because of its local historical significance. Docents, stationed on the first floor, will explain the architecture and details of the house, including the Palladium windows, the Ionic pillars in the front hall and the foyer's hand-painted barrel-vaulted ceiling. The front entrance is positioned right of center in order to accommodate the original family's first floor use.

The library has curved windows and Greek and Roman designs are mir-



Grosse Pointe Historical Society's summer gala, "English Elegance," is June 18 at the 1929 English manor house of Paula and Adrian Price in Grosse Pointe Farms.



Pianist Jack McCormick will use the grand piano in the living room to accompany vocalist Jeanne Bourget.

rored in the dining room and living room.

"There are lots of details," said Susan Hartz, the gala's co-chairwoman. "Lots of molding and fancy carved detail."

Added historical society president Elizabeth Soby, "There are many distinct

features. When you first come in there is the barrel-vaulted ceiling. The curved stairway is supported by Ionic columns. The windows are leaded glass. The fireplace in the living room is understated. The dining room fireplace knocks you out."

The Koppin ice box in the kitchen is still in use having been converted to a refrigerator, added co-chairwoman Susan Budrys.

The classically-inspired pediment over the entrance introduces classical elements in the rest of the house.

"This is an absolutely fabulous house," Hartz said.

She continued, the present owner purchased the house because it reminded him of homes in his native England.

While viewing the extensive first floor's architectural points, three styles of music can be heard. In the Garden, The Royal Garden Trio plays 1920s and 1930s style



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Guitarist Levi Henson will be performing by the pool.

music. Vocalist Jeanne Bourget, accompanied by Jack McCormick, provides the music in the living room. Guitarist Levi Henson will be performing by the pool.

The strolling supper keeps the evening's theme going with an English empire-inspired menu.

Since Price is a Ford employee and the original homeowner Frank Price sold Henry Ford an electric automobile, vintage Fords will be on display, including Benson Ford's 1955 Thunderbird, the homeowner's 1929 Model A and Andra and Barry Cogan's Manchester, England-built 1912 Ford Model T touring car, the first car built overseas, Soby said. Former historical society board member and president Michael Skinner is to bring his 1921 Model T and 1966 Mustang.

Professional photographer John Martin provides an image of each guest by the end of the evening.

A historical house, vintage automobiles, era-specific music and a distinctive menu are combined to exude a festive atmosphere for guests, who are encouraged to dress in period clothing.

"This is about our legacy," Soby said of the event and its setting. "It reflects history along the lake. This is a microcosm and how it is connected to those on either side of us."

"This is a unique event in Grosse Pointe," Hartz summed up.

Tickets are available through the historical society by calling (313) 884-7010 or visiting gphistorical.org.

Proceeds benefit the programs, activities and initiatives of the historical society.

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Soroptimist gather stars at regional conference

Soroptimist International of Grosse Pointe received the Governor's Club award of Excellent Performance during the Midwestern Regional Conference in Columbus, Ohio.

The award was given for outstanding performance in all aspects of the region strategic plan. Of the 33 region clubs, Grosse Pointe ranked the highest.

The local organization also was a region finalist for its submission of Soroptimist Celebrating Success: membership, member recruitment and retention. This submission moves on to federation level for further judging with other region finalists.

Of the nine Soroptimist clubs in District III, Grosse Pointe earned three of the four Shining Star District Awards: fundraising, program and membership for the idea of recruiting new members through relevant programs such as human trafficking awareness.

The Midwestern region is comprised of 33 clubs in six states, Michigan, Ohio, Indiana, Wisconsin and Kentucky. Soroptimist is a global volunteer organization working to improve the



From left, Diana Langlois, Roseanne Horne, Missie Austin, Soroptimist president Mary Ellen Burke, Elaine Flowers and Karrie Blankenship.

lives of women and girls through programs leading to social and economic empowerment.

Working to fulfill this mission, Soroptimist clubs of Grosse Pointe and Greater Macomb sponsored an April 30 panel discussion to share with the community the human trafficking laws currently in legislation in Lansing. According to Allison Bedker, president of Gateway to Hope, human trafficking is a form of modern day slavery where people profit from the control and exploitation of others. It includes sex traf-

ficking of children and adults more than 18 years of age, who are forced into commercial sex acts. In the United States, an estimated 100,000 children are forced into the sex trade each year. Anyone forced into forms of 'labor or services' such as domestic workers held in a home or farm workers forced to labor against their will are victims of human trafficking.

The trafficking hotline is 1-888-3737-888.

For more information, visit grossepointesoroptimist.org and liveyourdream.org.

CHURCH EVENTS

Ecumenical breakfast

Grosse Pointe Men's Ecumenical breakfast meets from 7:30 to 8:15 a.m. Friday, June 6, at the Side Street Diner, 630 St. Clair, City of Grosse Pointe.

Men, of any faith, from any community can attend.

For more information, call Eric at (313) 530-8656 or e-mail saintjohnsinterests@comcast.net.

First English

First English Evangelical Lutheran Church's annual music Sunday begins at 10 a.m. June 8.

The public can attend the concert with music of American and English composers reflecting the Pentecost aspect of the day. The Good News Singers, Good News Ringers and a brass ensemble and oboe solo are featured. A free will offering will be taken.

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Christ Church

Christ Church Grosse Pointe features the combined choirs with installation and valediction of choristers during the 4:30 p.m. Sunday, June 8, Evensong service.

Christ the King

Christ the King Lutheran Church holds Gangway to Galilee vacation Bible school from 9:30 a.m. to noon June 16 through 20.

Preschoolers through those in fifth grade can participate in learning Bible stories, make crafts, eat snacks, play games and sing. The cost is \$25 per child or \$40 for a family. Walk-in registration is welcome.

For more information, call the church at (313) 884-5090.

Congregational church

The Grosse Pointe Congregational Church presents a series of three concerts from 7 to 9:30 p.m. Sundays, June 22, July 20 and Aug. 17, in the church's concert hall.

The evening begins with a warm-up band, None Others, followed by the headline band, Lindsay Lou & the Flatbellys, June 22. Tickets are free to the first 280 guests. Concessions are available.

AREA ACTIVITIES

BNI

Business Network International meets at 7 a.m. Friday, June 6, at Assumption Cultural Center.

For more information about this organization linking businesses to more clients, call Olga Tecos at (313) 423-0087.

Optimist club

The Grosse Pointe - Lakeshore Optimist Club meets at 7:30 a.m. Wednesday, June 11, at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial. For more information, call Dave Hohlfeldt at (313) 268-8743.

St. Paul school

St. Paul Crawl is from 5 to 10 p.m. Wednesday, June 11, with proceeds benefitting St. Paul on the Lake School.

Attendees purchase lanyards for \$12 each or two for \$20 to receive discounts, food, drinks and a chance to win prizes at Grosse Pointe businesses, such as City Kitchen Restaurant & Bar, Antonio's in the Park, Red Crown, The Hill Seafood & Chop

House, Village Palm, Side Street Diner, Luxe Bar and Grill, Rustic Cabins Bar, Village Grille, Skyetique and Atwater Brewery.

Lanyards can be purchased at participating vendors, at St. Paul School or online at payst-paul.com.

For more information, visit stpaulonthelake.com and select school events. The public can attend.

SOC

It's Almost Summer June tea is from 2 to 3:30 p.m. Thursday, June 12, at Services for Older Citizens, 158 Ridge, Grosse Pointe Farms.

For reservations, call (313) 882-9600.

Valade Healing Arts

The Valade Healing Arts Center offers gift certificates at a special price through June 14.

A \$50 gift certificate is valid for relaxation massages, reflexology or reiki or \$60 gift certificates valid for therapeutic deep tissue or river rock hot stone massages.

No other discounts apply.

For more information contact the Valade Healing Arts Center at (313) 647-3320.

Garden tour

The 23rd annual Grosse Pointe Garden Tour, sponsored by the Grosse Pointe Garden Center, is from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday and Saturday, June 20 and 21, rain or shine.

Six residential gardens, plus the Trial Gardens and the Veterans Garden at the War Memorial, are on tour. Master Gardeners, artists, garden columnist Nancy Szerlag and perennial specialist Susan Martin will be at the private gardens. A Grosse Pointe Symphony string quartet will be performing at one of the gardens on tour days.

Pre-tour tickets cost \$12 and are available at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial and Wild Birds Unlimited. Tickets on tour days cost \$15.

An original watercolor painting by artist, Robert Fionda, along with six other prizes will be raffled as part of the tour. Raffle tickets are \$5 each or three for \$10.

Proceeds benefit the education, beautification, horticulture and conservation of the community.

Holley Institute

The Holley Institute hosts its 11th annual Celebrate America at 5 p.m. Saturday, June 28, at the Country Club of Detroit.

The event includes a family barbecue and children's activities.

Proceeds benefit deaf, deaf and blind and hard of hearing children's programs.

For ticket information, contact Candi Royer at (313) 343-7484 or visit candi.royer@stjohn.org.

Bruce Post VFW

Author and commentator Trevor Loudon discusses "The Enemies Within — Progressives in the U.S. Congress" at 7 p.m. Thursday, June 5, at the Bruce Post VFW Hall, 28404 Jefferson, St. Clair Shores.

The public can attend the free event.

Loudon is an international libertarian author, researcher, activist, blogger and commentator.

He is leader of the libertarian movement in his native New Zealand and had a role in the documentary motion picture film "Agenda."

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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.

Richard Arlen Baker Jr.

Richard Arlen Baker Jr., 62, of Grand Rapids, passed away Thursday, March 13, 2014, after a long struggle with diabetes and heart disease.

He was born June 10, 1951, in Big Rapids, to Richard and Joan Baker and graduated from Grosse Pointe North High School in 1970. Upon graduation, Mr. Baker enrolled at State Technical Institute in Plainwell, where he successfully completed courses in cabinetmaking. He was hired by Stow & Davis and worked there until they were acquired by Steelcase in 1985 and retired in 2009 with recognition of having perfect attendance.

Mr. Baker was predeceased by his father, Richard A. Baker Sr.

He is survived by his mother, Joan Baker of St. Clair Shores; sisters, Susan Wegner (Wayne) of Grosse Pointe Woods and Audrey Chupinsky (Ken) of Henderson, Nev.; nieces, Whitney Beal (David), Natalie Tripp (Giffin), Mandy Wegner and Laura Chupinsky; nephews, Ken Chupinsky and Spencer Chupinsky; great-nieces, Avery and Hadley Beal; uncle, Michael Baker of Au Gres; aunt, Sharon Baker of Flushing and cousins, Nikki Ferguson and Chad Baker.

A memorial service and visitation will be held from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday, June 12, at Crossepointe Christian Church, 21336 Mack, Grosse Pointe Woods.

Donations may be made to Caring Meadows, 1001 Lafayette SE, Grand Rapids, MI 49507.

Charles Insley

Charles Insley, 81, of Savannah, Ga., died Tuesday, May 27, 2014.

The son of Jane and Robert Insley, he was born in Dayton, Ohio, and lived in Connecticut, California and Michigan. He attended Howe Military School and graduated from Michigan State University. He lived in Grosse Pointe during his 34-year career at Comerica Bank.

Mr. Insley volunteered with Michigan Cancer Society and Rotary Club and tutored at a local school. He loved golf and could be found Saturday mornings on the links at the Lochmoor Club or the Landings Club. Retiring to Savannah in 1994 allowed him to spend more time practicing his game.

Mr. Insley loved to sing and, much to the chagrin of his children growing up, had a song for every occasion. His family said he will be remembered for his many stories, integrity and love for his family and friends.

Mr. Insley is survived by his wife, Janet; brother, Gordon; children, Thomas (Susan), Katherine Neuenfeldt (Tim), Jeanne

Seeds (Larry) and his grandchildren, Rachel, Sarah, Haley, Mary, Eliza and Charlie.

A funeral service was held May 31 at St. Peter's Episcopal Church in Savannah.

Donations may be made to the Alzheimer's Association, Georgia Chapter, 41 Perimeter Center East, Suite 550, Atlanta, GA 30346 or charity of the donor's choice.

Share a memory at foxandweeks.com.

Richard J. Miller

Richard J. "Dick" Miller, 87, died peacefully Tuesday, May 27, 2014, with his daughter at his side at Northwestern Memorial Hospital in Chicago.

He was born April 21, 1927, in Hamtramck, to John "Jan" and Janina Miller (nee Gontarczyk) and graduated from Hamtramck High School in 1945. He earned a Bachelor of Science degree in fine art from Wayne State University. He served in the U.S. Army in Europe, working as a butcher, a weather forecaster and in military intelligence, transporting captured high-ranking enemy officers.

Mr. Miller worked 38 years for General Motors Corp. as an illustrative engineer. He was a boss, a mentor and a friend to many of his employees.

He had many interests and hobbies. He spent many hours meticulously making perfect replicas of miniature sleds, tables and chairs, ladders and other household items for his daughter's dollhouse. Gardening, building a rock garden and tending to the flowers in his front and back yards while listening to Detroit Tigers baseball games was a favorite pastime.

He was a fan of opera, the symphony and he enjoyed going to the art institute. He also stained and assembled furniture he used to decorate his home.

His family said Mr. Miller was a fierce and feisty Democrat and supported his party in many ways. He rarely missed an opportunity to tell someone they were wrong by not being a Democrat. He had a great sense of fairness and decency and longed to see a world where all people were treated equally.

Mr. Miller is survived by his daughter, Janna Marie Miller Midura and her husband, Thomas, of Chicago; grandchildren, Katherine, Alexander and Elizabeth; brother, Thaddeus Miller (Dolores); sister, Halina Bielaniec; and sister-in-law, Dorothy Miller.

In addition to his parents, he was predeceased by his brother, Casmer Miller; brother-in-law, Harry Bielaniec, and former wife, Josephine Miller.

Visitation will be held from 2 to 9 p.m. Sunday, June 8, at A. H. Peters Funeral Home, 20705 Mack, Grosse Pointe Woods, with rosary recita-

tion at 7 p.m.

A funeral Mass will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Monday, June 9, at St. Paul on the Lake Catholic Church, 157 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Farms. Visitation begins at 9:30 a.m. at the church.

Donations may be made to the Democratic National Committee, 430 S. Capitol Street SE; Washington, D.C. 20003 c/o Rosalind Chatman.

Share a memory at ahpeters.com.

Theodore Tedesco

Theodore Tedesco, 39, died Sunday, June 1, 2014.

He was the beloved husband of Cindy; loving father of Joanne and Jacob; cherished son of Teddy and Tamam Tedesco; son-in-law of Lorraine Ferland and dear brother of Thomasina Tedesco, Suzannah Tedesco, Yusef Tedesco (Tambre), and Antonia Rodgers (Gary). He also is survived by many loving nieces, nephews and friends.

A memorial Mass will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, June 7, at St. Maron Maronite Church, 11466 Kercheval, Detroit.

Donations may be made in memory of Teddy Tedesco to benefit his children's education and sent to Thomasina Tedesco, 400 Chalfonte, Grosse Pointe Farms, MI 48236.

Share a memory at verheyden.org.

Maryanne Domenic Pardon

A memorial service for Maryanne Domenic Pardon will be held at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, June 11, at Grosse Pointe Woods Presbyterian Church, 19950 Mack, Grosse Pointe Woods.

Mrs. Pardon, a resident of Grosse Pointe Farms, died Saturday, March 15, 2014.

She was born in Detroit to James and Wilhelmina Domenic and graduated from the University of Michigan. She was a registered nurse and during a 30-year career worked at the University of Michigan Medical Center and St. John and Bon Secours hospitals.

Mrs. Pardon was a long-time volunteer for Grosse Pointe Animal Adoption Society. She enjoyed her garden and her dogs.

Mrs. Pardon is survived by her sons, Scott and



Richard Arlen Baker Jr.



Richard J. Miller



Theodore Tedesco



Maryanne Pardon



Albert Pingree McKay



Erma P. Reindel

John (Elizabeth) and grandchildren, Domenic and Willa.

Donations may be made to Grosse Pointe Animal Adoption Society, 296 Chalfonte, Grosse Pointe Farms, MI 48236.

Albert Pingree McKay

Albert Pingree McKay, 89, of Clearwater, Fla., died Sunday, May 18, 2014, with his loving wife, Betty, at his side.

He was born in Bay City to Pingree Hazen and Anna Dorothea (nee Boehringer) McKay and graduated from the Illinois College of Optometry. He was an optometrist with offices in the Village district of Grosse Pointe and downtown Detroit.

In September 1950, he married Evelyn Ann Schmidt. They moved to Grosse Pointe where they raised their three children. His wife died in 1982. In 1986, he married Betty Beebe of Grosse Pointe. The couple enjoyed their retirement with residences in Grosse Pointe and Clearwater.

Dr. McKay served in the U.S. Navy and was stationed in Honolulu during World War II. He was a lifetime member of the Grosse Pointe Sail Club, a member of American Legion Post 0238 Safety Harbor, Fla., and a life member of Grand Lodge of Masons of Michigan. He sailed in 12 Port Huron to Mackinac races. He loved to fish and also enjoyed curling.

Dr. McKay is survived by his wife, Betty (nee Berg) Beebe McKay; sons, Pingree McKay (Kathi) and Scott McKay (Brenda); daughter, Jill Dixon (Paul); stepsons, Jerry Beebe and John

Beebe; stepdaughters, Jane Shook and Ann Jentz; 11 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

He also is survived by his sisters, Nat Ortiz and Jane Kahler.

A celebration of Dr. McKay's life will be held later this summer.

Erma P. Reindel

Erma P. Reindel, 91, died Tuesday, May 27, 2014.

Born Sept. 16, 1922, she was the loving wife of the late John D. Reindel and the late William F. Pasque; loving mother of William Pasque (Julie) and stepdaughter Marsha Fenton. She also is survived by her grandchildren, Penny Pasque (Frank), Peter Pasque (Katie), Patsy Bugajewski (Leonard), Michael and Jonathan Pasque; stepgrandchildren, Chelsea and Hayley Beran and James Fenton and great-grandchildren, Brooke, Leo, Natalie, Annie, Lively and Francesca.

She was predeceased by her siblings, Michael, Albert and Erman Paglia.

Mrs. Reindel was active in the Grosse Pointe community. She volunteered at Bon Secours Hospital, was a former president of the Boys and Girls Club of America and enjoyed golfing and playing bridge.

A funeral service was held May 30 at Grosse Pointe Memorial Church, Grosse Pointe Farms.

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Celine Ellis Tocco

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Celine Ellis Tocco, 87, died Monday, May 26, 2014.

Born Feb. 26, 1927, she was the beloved wife of the late Humphrey Tocco and the late Louis Ellis; loving mother of Joseph, Christine, Anne, Mary and James Ellis, Susan Rice and the late Margaret Semelsberger and Raymond and Barbara Ellis; stepmother of Jim, Paul, John, Chris, Tony and Debbie Tocco and Carol Hinz. She was the proud grandmother of 31 and great-grandmother of 23.

She was a retired employee of Blue Cross and Blue Shield with 20 years of service.

A funeral service was held May 31 at St. Ronald Catholic Church, Clinton Township.

Donations may be made to St. Ronald Catholic Church, 17701 15 Mile, Clinton Township, MI 48035.

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City of **Grosse Pointe Woods, Michigan**
AEW Project Number 0160-0365

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS - 2014 Concrete Pavement Repair Program. The City of Grosse Pointe Woods and the City of Harper Woods will receive sealed bids at City offices of the City Clerk, City of Grosse Pointe Woods, 20025 Mack Plaza, Grosse Pointe Woods, Michigan, until 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, June 24, 2014, at which time and place the proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud. Plans and Specifications are on file and copies may be secured on or after Monday, June 9, 2014, after 1:00 p.m., at the offices of Anderson, Eckstein and Westrick, Inc., 51301 Schoenherr Road, Shelby Township, Michigan 48315. Call (586) 726-1234 to obtain Plans and Specifications. Specifications may also be viewed at both municipal clerks offices. The Cities reserve the right to reject any or all proposals, to waive any irregularities in the bidding, and to accept any proposals it deems to be in the best interest of their City.

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G.P.N.: 6/5/2014

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During its 100-year history, First Christian Reformed Church of Detroit has experienced literal fire, the flood of expanding industry, the drought of economic recession and remaining true to its identity statement.

Located at 1444 Maryland, Grosse Pointe Park, First CRC has had this address for 90 of its 100 years. Founded as a Detroit church, however, its roots are in the city, and its reach extends far beyond the borders of the neighborhood in which it is planted.

The church was estab-

lished in 1914 by a community of newcomers who had moved from western Michigan to Detroit for jobs in the burgeoning manufacturing industry. These founders worshiped in a building shared by another congregation near St. Aubin and Lafayette. When, after 10 years, First CRC had amassed the resources to build, it followed its congregants to their homes on Detroit's east side, purchasing property at Maryland and Goethe in the then-young suburb of Grosse Pointe Park.

Church members moved into the neighborhood, started families, opened a school and initiated community programs. Longtime members of the congregation recall neighbors asking about this church whose members brought meals to the sick and home-bound, helped on moving days, threw showers for mothers- and brides-to-be and repaired homes. When asked the reason for all the hands-on involvement in their community, congregants said, “That’s just what we do.”

First CRC is firmly rooted in the reformed tradition that sees the Christian faith as having a formative impact on every



The First Christian Reformed Church observes its centennial this year.

part of life. The Christian Reformed Church traces its heritage to the Protestant Reformation of the 1500s and the rigorous, ground-breaking theology of John Calvin. He stressed the importance of biblical literacy — the need for all Christians to study and know the Bible. He also insisted the grace and love of Jesus Christ is transformative not just for individuals, but for the families, vocations, neighborhoods and nations in which Christians live. Calvinist Reformed Christianity comes to expression in rigorous and reasoned study of the Bible, faithful and intentional engagement with culture and a redemptive

perspective on all of life.

Early church members established a day school to provide quality education from a Christian perspective; sponsored and supported aid and relief organizations throughout the Detroit area; helped start new congregations downtown and in Roseville; and sought to be good neighbors as they moved out into a broader radius surrounding their church.

Over the decades, the size and demographic makeup of the church changed. But First CRC's commitment to bringing the transformative love of Jesus to its community, has not. Despite declining numbers through the late

1990s and early 2000s, First CRC maintained its focus on service, outreach and community causes. When its Christian elementary school closed due to low enrollment, an affordable day care and preschool, God's Kids Early Learning Center, was opened. It has invested heavily in Crossroads, the Community Assistance Program, Dearborn's Arab American Friendship Center and Habitat for Humanity. During the recent recession, church members have helped coordinate and maintain Eastside Take Control, a collaborative service for local job seekers.

A welcome new development promises to bring more change to First CRC and its neighborhood.

In January 1932, the church's new building was gutted by a fire. During the building's reconstruction, the displaced congregation was welcomed by Grosse Pointe Park's Grace Evangelical Church, allowing First CRC to use the sanctuary. Grace Evangelical Church, years later, changed its name and denominational identity and became Grace United Church of Christ.

Following a congregational transition, Grace UCC sold its building and

moved to the corner of Mack and Nottingham. Motivated by a vision for creating a meeting place for residents of the city and the suburbs, a non-profit coffee shop called Higher Grounds was opened. But having moved out of its church building, the Higher Grounds congregation missed worshiping with a larger, diverse group in a more traditional setting.

Rooted in their common traditions of reaching across cultural and geographic boundaries with the love of Jesus Christ, based on the proximity of the two congregations and a growing friendship between their two pastors, Rev. Marcia Fairrow and Rev. Ben Van Arragon, Higher Grounds and First CRC launched a new life phase and shared ministry. The two congregations gather for 10 a.m. Sunday worship services at 1444 Maryland. Also members of both churches study and enjoy fellowship at Higher Grounds during the week.

The result is a 21st century version of First CRC that clearly shows its Calvinist, Reformed roots, but does so in fresh and unique ways. Sunday

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PASTOR'S CORNER By Roger Skully

The completion of the journey from slavery

The Passover ceremony begins the story of the exodus from Egypt to freedom.

This is only the beginning of the journey. The Torah specifies another agricultural holiday to begin on the 50th day after Passover begins. This is the holiday of Shavuot. During this time the days are counted until the arrival of this holiday. On the 50th day, the Hebrew people arrived at Mt. Sinai.

This is the end of one journey and the beginning of another. On that day, the Hebrews became the Jewish nation. We all became converts to the One G-d.

At Sinai, they received the Torah, the law, from G-d through Moses.

Every man, woman and child experienced the word of G-d with all their senses. Thus a covenant was formed between the people and their Lord, a covenant that bound those who were not there as well as those who heard the law. Those who were not there, of course, were all of the subsequent generations who would be bound by the conditions of the covenant. It is a communal fulfillment of the Exodus, a testimony that G-d spoke to them at Mt. Sinai and they would continue to transmit his message throughout all time.

It is customary to eat dairy foods on Shavuot. The people had just received the laws about kosher foods, hence the use of dairy since there was no meat that had been slaughtered according to the Kashrut laws. Some eat milk and honey, because the Torah is compared to sweetness and pleasure.

As it says in the Song of Songs: “Honey drops from your lips, O bride, honey and milk are under your tongue.” (Song of Songs 4:11) Both milk and honey are foods that do not require the taking of life, or even the interruption of growth. They, like the Torah, are in harmony with nature. It is also significant the “prom-

ised land,” Israel, is the land of “milk and honey.”

During the morning service on Shavuot we read the book of Ruth.

Ruth is a Moabite woman who converts to Judaism and became the epitome of a righteous convert and she was the great-grandmother of King David.

Why the book of Ruth? Perhaps the answer is that at Sinai we were all converts to the law. It is also in our tradition David was born and died on Shavuot. It is also thought the Messiah will ultimately trace his lineage to King David. Hence the genealogies in the gospels of the New

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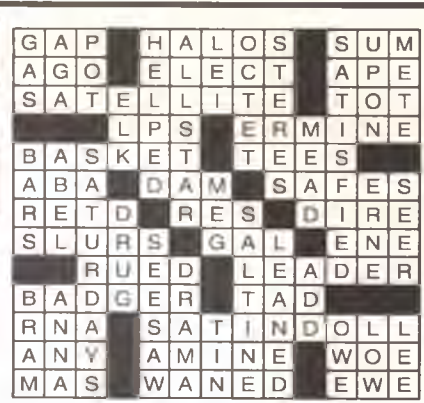
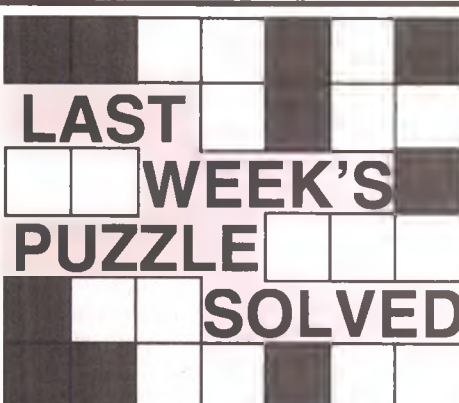
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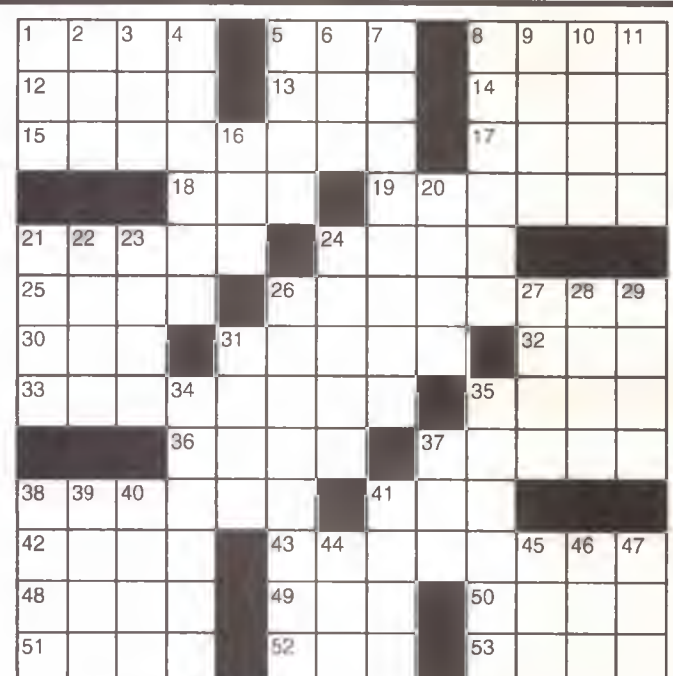
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GROSSE Pointe Park block sale, 500 Block Pemberton (between Korte and Windmill Pointe). Saturday June 7, only 9am- 5pm

406 ESTATE SALES

1931 Kenmore, Grosse Pointe Woods, Friday, June 6, 8:30am- 3pm, Saturday, June 7, 8:30am- 2 pm. Antiques, furniture, household goods glassware and figurines.

CLINTON TOWNSHIP 4 day sale! 24318 Sherbeck Drive, Thursday-Sunday, 9am- 5pm. (East off Harper Avenue, South of Crocker Boulevard). Collectibles, furniture & more! Photos @ actionestate.com (586)228-9090

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SALE starting June 3. 1776 Littlestone (1 block off of Mack), Grosse Pointe Woods. June 3- 5, 9am- 4pm. Plus size women's clothing, girl twin clothing, furniture, everything from A-Z.

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1173 Audubon, Grosse Pointe Park. Multi- family sale. Friday and Saturday 9am- 3pm. Baby, toys, collectible plates, sleep sofa and all household.

1356 Bishop, Grosse Pointe Park, multi- family, Friday 9am- 3pm. Furniture, toys, kitchen items and lighting.

1361 Yorktown, Grosse Pointe Woods. Friday, Saturday, 9am- 4pm and Sunday, 11am- 3pm. Furniture, toys, bedroom set, china cabinet, children's clothing, household items. Good prices!

15 Waverly Lane, Grosse Pointe Farms. Furniture, children and adults clothing and children's toy. Friday, June 6, 8am- 4pm, Saturday, June 7, 8am- 12pm

20720 Lee Court, Grosse Pointe Woods. Thursday-Saturday, 9am- 4pm. Woodworking tools, miscellaneous tools, high end saws, garden supplies. Extra parking on Wedgewood.

409 GARAGE / YARD / RUMMAGE SALE

1642 Hollywood, Grosse Pointe 48236. 6/7, 9am- 4pm, 6/8, 10am- 3pm. Sofa, ottoman, loveseat sofabed, chairs, bedroom, dining, coffee tables, household items, books, stuffed animals, albums, videos.

1710 Manchester Boulevard, Grosse Pointe Woods. Saturday 9am- 4pm. Craftsman roll around tool box, rubbermaid storage for cushions, large unique wooden cubby, light fixtures and a lot more.

1789 Huntington, Grosse Pointe Woods. Lots of furniture, household and decorative items. Priced to sell! Cash only. Friday 6/6, Saturday 6/7 and Sunday 6/8, 11am- 5pm.

3 Family- June 6, and 7, 9am- 4pm. Menswear L/36, women's small, mom to mom, household items, bedding, sail gear, tables, cycle- ops trainer, secretary, CDs. 257 McMillan, Grosse Pointe Farms.

338 Merriweather, Grosse Pointe Farms. Household, books, clothes, baby boy and girls clothes, like new baby items, swing, sand box, exersaucer, maternity. Friday and Saturday 9am- 3pm.

380 Merriweather, Grosse Pointe Farms. Toys, baby girl clothes, baby gear, books, household items. Reasonable prices! This Friday and Saturday, 9am- 2 pm.

462 Roland Road, Grosse Pointe Farms. Friday and Saturday, 9am- 4pm. Girls bikes, miscellaneous furniture, tools, chest freezer, computer monitors, lots more.

409 GARAGE / YARD / RUMMAGE SALE

711 Washington. Friday, June 6 & Saturday, June 7, 9am- 3pm. Gas grill, charcoal grill, outdoor gas heater, wake board, rugs, patio tables, housewares, kitchen utensils, lamps, linens, draperies, pet supplies, KIDS- most clothing \$1 per piece, toys, toddler bed, books and much more.

865 & 870 Lake Pointe, Grosse Pointe Park. Friday & Saturday, 8am- 3pm. Children's clothes and toys, housewares, arts, boating & much more!

FABULOUS garage/ moving sale. It all has to go- furniture, electronics, household and much more. June 6, 7, 9am- 5pm and June 8, 9am- 3pm. 797 Trombley, Grosse Pointe Park

FANTASTIC sale! 8 Alger Place, Grosse Pointe City. Friday and Saturday June 6, June 7, 8am- 4pm. Antiques, tableware, stief kites, fustoria, limoges, frames, drafting board, fine art supplies, crystal, silver, old toys, household, Christmas, linens, purses, jewelry, old model airplane parts and plans. Cash only, no early birds.

GARAGE sale. Women's, mens and tween girls clothes. Household, brand new Quoizel light fixture (vintage bronze). Too much to mention. Saturday, June 7, 9am- 4pm.

HUGE Block Sale!! On Hawthorne street, Grosse Pointe Woods (between Goethe and Charlevoix street). Household items, children's items, antiques. Friday 06/06, 9am- 3pm, Saturday 06/07, 9am- 3pm, and Sunday 06/08, 12pm- 3pm

YARD sale. Saturday, June 7, 9am- 4pm. Household items & sports equipment. 19216 Linville, Grosse Pointe Woods.

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LOOK for balloons at War Memorial Wheel & Deal, men's LG/ XL Brooks Brothers, women's small quality Armani Worth, ect. Plus lots of good music.

MOVING sale, 75 Clairview, Grosse Pointe Shores, (just off Lakeshore half-way between Moross and Vernier). Mower, snow blower, leaf blower, ladders, tools, space heaters, air conditioner, dehumidifier, furniture including sofa, wing back chairs, desk, tables, framed art and mirrors, vases, table linens, heavy duty Singer sewing model 15- 91, Sligh Grandfather Clock, hand hooked wool Stark rug, books, Lloyd Flanders patio set, lamps, baking wares etc. All must go. Friday and Saturday 8am- 2pm.

MULTI- family sale 264 and 265 Merriweather, Grosse Pointe Farms. Kids and teens quality clothes, toys, bikes, sports, books, day bed, antique height chair, recliner, miscellaneous, and much more. Saturday June 7, 9am- 4pm **NO EARLY BIRDS**

MULTI- family, Norwood between Jackson & Helen. June 7, 9am- 2pm. Toys & more. See Craigslist ad.

SATURDAY, 9am- 3pm. Metal lunch box collection, American Girl, girls clothes, old games, miscellaneous. 1987 Manchester, Grosse Pointe Woods.

UPSCALE garage sale. 402 University, Grosse Pointe. Friday & Saturday, 9am- 3pm. Designer women's and mens clothing, accessories, jewelry, golf, area rugs, lamps, framed art, household items.

TONS of great stuff! 23234 Doremus, St. Clair Shores. 9am- 5pm Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

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SPECTACULAR garage sale with estate sale quality items. Furniture (large and beautiful armoire), Pompeii outdoor furniture set of 8 pieces, antique mahogany architect bureau, 4 Maguire counter stools, marble top gilded library table, silver, linens, dishes, Wii, custom clothier clothing and more, frames, books, kitchen, garden accessories including iron fencing & trellis, art, standing umbrella, 2 cribs, stroller, much jewelry, lamps, electronics, TV's, and lots and lots of decorative items. Friday, June 6 and Saturday, June 7, 8am- 3pm both days. 110 Merriweather Road, Grosse Pointe Farms, between Kercheval and Grosse Pointe Boulevard.

SUBDIVISION sale Clinton Township. Rivergate subdivision, over 1,000 homes. South of Hall, East of Romeo Plank. Friday June 6, Saturday June 7, 8am- 5pm. Sunday June 8, 9am- 2pm.

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20704 Lochmoor, Harper Woods. Thursday, Friday, Saturday, 9am- 4pm. Proceeds to Living Hope Church. Multi- family sale. **Variety Galore!**

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Animals

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8B | HEALTH

ASK THE EXPERTS By Michael Kelly

Caring for incapacitated family members



Q If my loved one becomes incapacitated, can I arrange for his or her care and manage the financial affairs?

A There is no inherent right to act for another person who is incapacitated based on a relation to them, except for a parent/child relationship. Express legal authority is required to do so. This applies to anyone age 18 and older.

Q How does one obtain express legal

authority to act for another?

A It depends on whether or not authority was given to another to act for the incapacitated person before they became incapacitated.

◆ No authority prior to incapacity — Petitions for guardianship and conservatorship must be filed with the county probate court.

A hearing is held to determine incapacity based on evidence presented and the petitioner or another person is named guardian, conservator or both. This proceeding is public and the guardian/conservator is under continuous court supervi-

sion, having a duty to make reports and perform other acts. These arrangements are expensive, time consuming and often continue for a considerable period of time.

◆ Authority prior to incapacity — The guardianship/conservatorship route can be avoided by using private durable powers of attorney and designating a patient advocate.

A power of attorney is a document signed by a person who authorized another to act on his or her behalf. It is "durable" if it expressly continues

even when the person is suing the power becomes incapacitated. Durable powers of attorney are issued for both financial affairs and healthcare decision-making. Michigan law authorizes a patient advocate to act for an incapacitated person regarding healthcare and end-of-life decision-making.

Durable powers of attorney can only be signed by a person who can make informed decisions regarding the matters the document addresses.

Significant time, privacy and expense can be

saved by having these documents prepared and signed prior to becoming incapacitated. These documents are inexpensive compared to court proceedings.

Q Can I add a person to my bank account so that person can write checks, pay my bills and take care of ordinary, regular financial affairs on my behalf?

A Yes. However, once you add an owner on an account they can withdraw the balance and use the money for their own purposes. A durable power of attorney can allow another person to handle these functions and obligates them to act strictly in the best interests of the account holder. While some persons add loved ones as account owners to facilitate inheriting the money without going through probate, there are other ways to avoid probate without

naming an additional owner.

Kelly has been a licensed attorney in Michigan for more than 23 years practicing in the areas of estate planning, elder law and probate, focusing on long term care planning/Medicaid planning and assisting families with probate matters.

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Testament. This was, in the time of the temple, the holiday when the first fruits were brought to Jerusalem as offerings. Today, many decorate their homes with flowers and branches. The night before the holiday is traditionally used for study, special prayers are added to the service and on the last day prayers are said for the departed.

The holiday is June 4 and 5. It is fitting the freedom to worship G-d is the culmination the Passover season. This rings resonantly today when many forms of freedom are under attack, some from surprising sources. We remember the promises of the covenant which offers freedom to all people. After all, we are all children of G-d. He chides His angels for rejoicing when the legions of Pharaoh are drowning in the Red Sea by pointing out these too are his creations. The

book of Jonah points to a similar message, all are children of the Lord are important to him.

As we see human slavery and injustice in our societies, isn't it also incumbent upon us to remember Sinai and freedom? In Christian tradition, this holiday is called Pentecost. Although the theological message is different, it also ennobles the sanctity of life and hence liberty.

I do hope our prayers for peace and justice will be answered at this season. It will take work on our part; it is not something that will be just handed to us. I also pray for understanding among all of his creatures and a more compassionate care of his world and all of his creations.

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

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morning visitors will find a liturgical service with traditional hymns and responsive readings, contemporary worship songs and theologically deep, culturally-relevant Bible teaching. The congregation has been described as a friendly, hospitable and diverse group of people from the Pointes and Detroit, who value community, love Jesus and love their neighborhoods and city.

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TENNIS

South clutch in state title run

By Bob St. John
Sports Editor

Grosse Pointe South girls' tennis team captured its third Division 1 state championship since 2008 and 14th overall last weekend at Midland Tennis Center.

The Blue Devils won 11 straight titles from 1976 to 1986, and three more in 2008, 2012 and 2014.

Head coach Mark Sobieralski and his Blue Devils won with 28 points with runner-up Clarkston a distant second with 22. Bloomfield Hills was third with 19 points and Northville also had 19.

"Our kids were so clutch the entire two days," Sobieralski said. "I thought it would be so close, but the girls just took it right at the opposition."

"This was the most balanced state finals tournament in years and it was nice to see all of our girls add something positive to our point total. It was a total team effort and I'm proud of them for earning this state championship."

Leading the way for the champs were two flight champions.

Maddie Paolucci won the No. 4 singles title with a 6-4, 6-2 victory



PHOTO BY BARB KELLER

The Division 1 state champion Grosse Pointe South girls' tennis team members are, back row from left, head coach Mark Sobieralski, Audrey Doherty, Morgane Flournoy, Jenny Moy, Angelica Kalogeridis, Kelly Beardslee, Raven Neely, Madie Flournoy, Catie Vandenbrink and assistant coach Dennis Royal; and front row from left, Ginny Hayden, Brooke Willard, Samantha Perry, Sydney Keller, Maggie Sweeney and Maddie Paolucci.

over Midland Dow's Elaina Parrillo. She played Clarkston's Paige Olsen and lost the first set 6-1 before winning 6-2, 7-6 in the semifinals.

In her other two matches, Paolucci beat Hudsonville's Erin Labarge 6-3, 4-6, 6-0, and West Bloomfield's Pooja Natarajan 6-1, 6-1.

The No. 4 doubles team of Ginny Hayden and Kelly Beardslee also won the title, defeating Northville's Libby Quinn

and Chloe Page 6-2, 6-4 in the title match.

In the semifinals, the duo beat Troy's Katie Forche and Erica Friesen 6-3, 6-3, and they won 6-4, 6-1 over Traverse City Central's Caroline Gardner and Aleksa Szunko in the quarterfinals.

Hayden and Beardslee also beat Hudsonville's Katlyn Tannis and Harley Swanston 6-4, 6-1 in their first match.

South also had two

other flight finalists. The No. 2 doubles team Sydney Keller and Morgane Flournoy lost 6-2, 6-2 to MAC Red Division rival Port Huron Northern duo of Amy Tseng and Maggie Bacheller in the championship match.

They had a tough semifinal match, beating Ann Arbor Pioneer's Sajani Desai and Emma St. Pierre 3-6, 7-6, 6-3. They also went to three sets to dispose of Clarkston's

Caitlin McCaghy and Mackenzie Sowers 4-6, 6-3, 6-3 in the quarterfinals.

They had a routine 6-0, 6-2 win over Rockford's Paula Downs and Maddie VanEck in their first match of the tournament.

The No. 3 doubles team of Angelica Kalogeridis and Jennifer Moy made the semifinals after beating West Bloomfield's Hannah Shink and Sahana Shankar 6-1, 6-0 in the quarterfinals. They lost 6-4, 5-7, 6-2 to Troy's Julianne Fava and Leena Penumalee in the semifinals.

They also beat Port Huron Northern's Margaret Smith and Sophia Ahmed 4-6, 6-3, 6-2 in their first match.

The Blue Devils' No. 1 doubles squad of Samantha Perry and Maggie Sweeney won their first match 6-0, 6-0 over Dow's Claire Butcher and Nicole Dobrzelewski, but lost 6-3, 6-4 to Clarkston's Alex Whall and Katie Hubregsen in their next match.

Brooke Willard was also a finalist at No. 3 singles. She beat Ann Arbor Huron's Laura Hanselman 6-1, 6-1 in her first match, and Traverse City Central's

Christi Druskovich 6-3, 6-1 in the quarterfinals.

In the semifinals, Willard upset the No. 1 seed from Dow, Afua Ofori-Darko, 4-6, 6-2, 6-2, to make the finals where she lost 6-2, 6-1 to Clarkston's Dana Olsen.

Madie Flournoy, playing No. 2 singles, had a bye before beating Utica Eisenhower's Taylor McLaughlin 6-4, 1-6, 6-4. Her run ended in the next round, 6-1, 6-0 to Dow's Caroline Szabo, the No. 1 seed.

Raven Neely, at No. 1 singles, won her first match 6-1, 6-1 over Hudsonville's Amanda Moore and her second match 7-5, 4-6, 6-3 over West Bloomfield's Christina Jordan. Her tournament ended with a 7-5, 6-2 loss to eventual champ Davina Nguyen of Utica in the semifinals.

Grosse Pointe South finished its season perfect during the regular season and continued it through the regionals and state finals.

The Blue Devils graduate Willard, Perry and Keller.

"We should be very competitive next spring since most of our girls are coming back," Sobieralski said. "We will miss our three seniors."

ULS nets 5 points

By Bob St. John
Sports Editor

University Liggett girls' tennis team finished 14th with five points in last weekend's Division 4 state finals at Grand Blanc and Holly high schools.

Grosse Ile won the state championship with 26 points, followed by Kalamazoo Christian with 21 and Traverse City St. Francis with 20.

Sabrina Ajjour, at No. 1 singles, won her first match 7-5, 7-6 over Niles Brandywine's Abby Cole, but lost 6-1, 6-0 in her next match to Kalamazoo Christian's Lizzie Baus.

At No. 2 singles, Sara Anthony lost 6-1, 6-1 in the first round to Marissa Jaggi of Berrien Springs, and Jane Ninivaggi fell 6-2, 7-6 in her first match to Grandville Calvin Christian's Elizabeth Scholten.

Hannah Homsy earned a point for the Knights, beating Brandywine's Emily Erwin 6-1, 6-4 in her first match before falling 7-6, 6-3 to Grosse Ile's Kennedy Quinn, the No. 1 seed at No. 4 sin-



PHOTO BY RENEE LANDUYT

Liggett's Sara Anthony had a nice season for the Knights, playing singles all year.

gles.

At No. 1 doubles, Mara Hillyer and Caroline Eckrich lost 7-5, 6-1 to Berrien Springs' Breanne Rudlaff and Brenna Wineland in their first match, and Ellene Bricolas and Rita Sidhu dropped a 6-1, 6-2 match to Grosse Ile's Karolina Kvasnitova and Elli Formentin in their first match at No. 2 doubles.

Rayna Patel and Gabby Cavataio lost a tough three-set match, 6-2, 2-6, 6-4 to Kalamazoo Christian's Ellie DeKoekoek and Aleshis

Wolhuis in their opening match at No. 3 doubles.

The Knights' No. 4 doubles team of Renata Szymanski and Grace Drettman also won a match, beating Grandville Calvin Christian's Lili Estrella and Elsa Bouwkamp 6-1, 6-7, 6-2, but dropped out with a 6-4, 6-2 loss to Monroe St. Mary Catholic Central's Katie Goda and Hailey Carl in the next round.

The Knights should be improved next season with this experience in their back pocket.

North gets 2 wins

By Bob St. John
Sports Editor

The Grosse Pointe North girls' tennis team tied for 11th in last weekend's Division 2 state finals at Holland.

Birmingham Seaholm won the state title with 31 points, winning the tiebreaker over Grand Rapids Forest Hills Northern, which also had 31 points.

Bloomfield Hills Marian was third and East Grand Rapids fourth with 24 and 22 points, respectively. Grosse Pointe North had four points.

At No. 3 singles, Lauren Lesha earned two points, earning a bye and then beating Holly's Jenna Pepper 6-2, 6-2 in the next round. Lesha's tournament ended with a 6-0, 6-1 loss to Okemos' Catherine Wingrove.

The Norsemen's other singles players lost their first match.

Patricia Bajis dropped a 6-1, 6-2 outcome to Battle Creek Lakeview's Rachael Hager at No. 1 singles, and Stephanie Loukanova lost 6-2, 6-0 to



PHOTO BY RENEE LANDUYT

Grosse Pointe North senior Dayle Maas, above, and her doubles partner, Sydnie Allor, were seeded at the Division 2 state finals tournament.

North Farmington's Rachel Gringlas at No. 2 singles.

Christina Rafaill played well in her match, losing a tough first set 7-6 before dropping the second set 6-0 to East Lansing's Rosy Chiu at No. 4 singles.

Head coach John VanAlst's doubles teams followed the singles' outcomes. The No. 2 doubles team of Dayle Maas and Sydnie Allor had a bye before winning a tough 6-4, 7-6 match over Holly's Leah Moller and Chloe Reynolds. Their tournament run ended in the following match with a 6-2, 6-2 defeat to Seaholm's Sam Lareau

and Caity Beuchner.

At No. 1 doubles, Jayla Hubbard and Kayla Gallant lost 6-1, 6-3 to Seaholm's Jackie Meier and Laine Boitos in their first match, and the No. 3 doubles squad of Katelyn Carroll and Deanna Hanley lost 6-0, 6-2 to Marian's Mallory Hudson and Caroline Cibulis in their first match.

The Norsemen's No. 4 doubles team of Valentina Izzi and Anu Subramaniam played well and won the first set 6-4, but couldn't sustain the momentum before losing 6-2, 6-2 the next two sets to Portage Central's Yasmeen Saad and Marielle Lentz.

ICE HOCKEY

Still time to register for skills camps

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Soccer

RIVALS

Blue Devils beat rival

By Bob St. John
Sports Editor

City rivals Grosse Pointe South and Grosse Pointe North met for a third time this season in last week's Division 1 district semifinal at St. Clair Shores Lakeview.

The Blue Devils won the first two games, winning 5-0 on their home turf and 1-0 at North.

They made a clean three-game sweep, winning 3-1 on the neutral site.

"I thought we played one of our better games this season," South head coach Gene Harkins said. "We took it right at them. Our backline was aggressive and we won the 50-50 balls."

South scored first when senior Dani Manning tallied at the 26:06 mark on a penalty kick.

North came right back and six minutes later tied it 1-1 when senior Katelyn Kohler scored.

South took the lead for good when senior Kathy Collins scored at the 18:01 mark. The goal was originally credited to Manning, but later

changed by officials. Manning added an insurance goal just 42 seconds into the second half. This two-goal deficit proved to be too much for the Norsemen to overcome.

However, they made a game of it and nearly scored twice in the second half, but South junior goalie Olivia Withers made both key saves.

North sophomore keeper Emily McPharlin also had her share of great saves. Without her heroics, the Norsemen could have been behind 4 or 5-1 at the half.

In the championship game, Grosse Pointe South crushed Detroit Western International 8-0 in a game, which was over quickly.

The Blue Devils scored early and often and improved to 11-5-5 with the victory.

In the first round, which was delayed a day due to thunderstorms, South crushed Roseville 8-0 behind senior Franny Weber's three goals and two assists.

In its first-round game, North used one goal,



PHOTO BY BOB BRUCE

Grosse Pointe South's Dani Manning, right, battles Grosse Pointe North's Alisha Quain for possession.

stingy defense, good goaltending and a little luck to beat the host team, Lakeview, 1-0.

Senior Chrisoula Pitses scored the winning goal at the 26-minute mark of the first half, with senior Katelyn Kohler drawing the assist.

After that, the Norsemen dominated possession and shots on net, but couldn't score. Junior Justine Lynn was a force at midfield, while freshman Megan Louwers, senior Phoebe Dodge, Kohler and Pitses had solid shots on net. Lakeview senior goal-

keeper Sam Uppleger made several huge saves to keep it a one-goal game, but North counterpart, sophomore Emily McPharlin, held her own in the final five minutes when the Huskies' offense generated their fair share of good scoring opportunities.

McPharlin stopped every shot that came her way to preserve the shut-out and set up the rivalry game with South in the semifinals.

Grosse Pointe North finished its season 5-17-2 overall.

Lacrosse

GROSSE POINTE SOUTH

Tough week in regionals

By Bob St. John
Sports Editor

Head coach Don Wolford knew the Division 2 regional semifinal game against Haslett-Williamston would be close.

The teams met earlier in the season and the host Blue Devils blew a late two-goal lead en route to a 10-9 loss.

It was a nip-and-tuck game at Madison Heights Bishop Foley, but in the end the Blue Devils, the No. 3 seed, lost another one-goal game, 7-6, to the No. 2 seed.

Neither offense could get an advantage as defense and goaltending dominated.

Grosse Pointe South finished the season 14-5 overall and loses seniors Andrew Cornwall, Jack Denison, Caleb Cimmarrusti, Karstan Minanov, Sam Wilkinson, Archer Hauck, Graham Brownwell, Andrew Hyde, John Whitney and Andrew Wright to graduation.

Girls' results

First-year head coach Alycsa Valentine had her Grosse Pointe South girls' lacrosse team ready to make a deep run in the Division 1 state playoffs. Unfortunately, host Bloomfield Hills didn't

cooperate and handed South a 15-10 loss in a regional first-round game played Friday, May 23.

Elizabeth Rauh led the team with four goals, while Bridgette Champagne had three. Margaret Brennan, Carson Dennis and Ryley Kerik scored a goal apiece.

"The girls played their hearts out," Valentine said. "Bloomfield won the draw control battle was what it really came down to. It was an early end to a spectacular season."

The Blue Devils finished the season 10-3-1 overall.

Despite the playoff defeat, the Blue Devils had several players earn post-season honors.

Bridgette Champagne, Tara McClanaghan, Elizabeth Rauh, Margaret Brennan, Mia Doyon and Shannon Novak earned First Team All-League, while Ryley Kerik, Julia Fox, Emily Mlynarek, Emma Baer, Mary Reiber and Claire Fisher made Second Team All-League.

Earning First-Team All-State honors were Champagne and Novak, and Rauh made Second Team All-State.

All-State Honorable Mention went to McClanaghan, Kerik, Mlynarek, Brennan and Doyon.

LIGGETT

Knights win district title

The University Liggett girls' soccer team took on host Royal Oak Shrine in the district final last weekend.

Our last few games have not been especially challenging, and Shrine posed a bigger threat than we were used to.

We came out slower than usual and the majority of the first half we felt like this was more a game of kickball than futbol.

Eventually, we found our rhythm and began to play our game.

I scored off a pass from Pasha Vreeken, and we

used the momentum to finish the half strong.

The second half was an even harder fought battle with more than a few fouls drawn.

Our defense proved to be resilient, and the entire team came together to aid in the 1-0 victory.

Both goaltenders, Kara Francis and Caitlin deRuiter, shared the shutout in the net.

After drawing a first round bye, Liggett took on Southfield Christian in the semifinals.

Because of the long weekend and inopport-

une rain swells, we entered the game with only one practice under our belts.

We were still able to dominate the game, however, and I put away the first goal early on off a pass from Maddie Wu.

Shortly after, Southfield Christian capitalized off a quick break and tied the game 1-1.

We immediately responded and Pasha Vreeken brought us back to life by scoring back-to-back goals, assisted by Danielle Lorant and Carina Ghafari.

Rebecca Lohman also

tallied, with Vreeken claiming the assist.

In the final few minutes of the half, Hannah Hodges added two more goals, one off a pass from Wu and the second off a corner kick taken by Haley Neuenfeldt.

We opened the second half leading 5-1 and Lorant secured the victory with one last goal off a pass from Lohman.

The game ended with us winning 7-1, putting us through to the finals.

Liggett improved to 12-2 overall.

—Ania Dow
Special Writer

GROSSE POINTE NORTH

Boys go OT in tough loss

By Bob St. John
Sports Editor

The Grosse Pointe North boys' lacrosse team had its share of unbelievable moments in its Division 2 regional first-round game Saturday, May 24.

The Norsemen and head coach Mark Seppala played at Rochester Adams. It was a battle of the Nos. 4 and 5 seeds in the regional and it was as even as it could get.

After a defensive first-half in which Adams led 2-1, the Norsemen came back to grab a 4-3 lead.

Each team exchanged the lead and with one minute left in the fourth quarter, the home team led 6-5.

The Norsemen grabbed possession with time winding down and Seppala called a timeout to draw up a play.

His play worked to per-

fection as senior Mitchell Stapleton connected on a pass to senior Michael Murray, who buried the ball behind the goalie, tying it 6-6 with only 10 seconds left.

In a matter of a couple of minutes, the joyful moment turned sour as Adams' Vinnie DiMarco scored to send North home with a 7-6 overtime defeat.

Scoring for the Norsemen were junior Max Yoshida with two goals and one assist; senior Chene Frontiera with one goal, finishing the season with 40 to lead the team and he scored in every single game this season; senior Greg Lazar with one goal; junior Will Colborn with one goal; and Murray with the tying goal.

Stapleton had two assists, while junior Richie Filipelli and senior Patrick Turnbull each had one assist.

Graduating are Stapleton, Jaron Nelson, Michael Murray, Julian Makowski, Bradley Isherwood, Lazar, Rhys Williams, Andres Hensley, Turnbull, Frontiera, Nick Murray and Shane Mlynarek.

Grosse Pointe North finished the season 9-8 overall.

Girls' results

The Grosse Pointe North girls' lacrosse team didn't make it past the first round of the Division 1 regional playoffs this season.

On Friday, May 23, Grosse Pointe North lost 29-2 to Birmingham Marian.

North finished 2-6 overall this season.

Register for baseball camp

Interested parents can sign up their children for the Dan Griesbaum Baseball School Tuesday, June 24, and Wednesday, June 25, at Defer Schools Fields in Grosse Pointe Park.

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Track & field

GROSSE POINTE SOUTH

Farrow wins gold medal

By Bob St. John
Sports Editor

For the fifth straight year, the Grosse Pointe South girls' track and field team finished in the Division 1 top 10, placing 6th in the field of 92 qualifying teams.

South was the three-time defending D1 state champion and also finished 4th in 2010.

Oak Park won the title with 92 points, followed by Northville with 50, East Kentwood with 49, Rockford with 48, Birmingham Seaholm with 30 and Grosse Pointe South with 29.

Two school records fell as the 400- and 800-sprint relay teams both placed, earning All-State honors for Christy Ford, Kayli Johnson, Elise Grever, Tamira McCoy and Jasmine Brathwaite.

The 4x100 team ran an all-time best 48.98 to place sixth, while the

4x200 team also placed sixth with a record 1:42.88.

Brathwaite was not done. She became the highest 100-dash finisher in South history taking second place with a 12.1 second performance. In her final race, Brathwaite placed seventh in the 200.

Johnson, in addition to leading off the 4x100 relay, placed in the shot put with a throw of 39-feet, 7-inches and became the first thrower in South history to place in the shot.

Junior Ersula Farrow also earned All-State honors by winning the 800-run. She led from start to finish and completed the race in 2:07.62, which is the second fastest 800-time in Michigan history.

The Blue Devils added other excellent performances as senior Kelsie Schwartz finished her stellar high school career



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Junior Elise Grever helped South to two new school records and earned double All-State honors in the 400 and 800 relays.

running the 3,200 in 11:17, and Anna Piccione added a 12:07 in the same event.

Schwartz teamed up with Kamryn Leonard, Alexa Calas and Natasha Boelstler in the 3,200-relay and also teamed with Calas, Farrow and Ford to run the 1,600-relay.

The Blue Devils had other fine performances by vaulters Hannah Adams and Lisa Conley, along with long jumper Alex DiCresce, and hur-

dlers Katie Marschner and Kendall Graczyk.

For the South boys who competed in the state finals, senior Elondo Moore was 13th in the long jump with a mark of 21-feet, 1 1/2-inches, and he placed ninth in the 400-dash with a time of 49.96.

Senior Charlie Warren was 11th in the 800-run with a time of 1:55.06, and the Blue Devils' 1,600-relay team placed 10th with a time of 3:23.68.

Golf

LIGGETT

Finals bound

By Bob St. John
Sports Editor

The University Liggett boys' golf team easily made this weekend's Division 4 state finals tournament after taking third in last weekend's regional tournament at Westwynd Golf Club.

The top three squads in the 12-team field made the finals. Auburn Hills Oakland Christian won the regional with a 328, followed by Clarkston Everest Collegiate with a 345 and Liggett with a 350.

The fourth-place team, Jewish Academy, was a distant 27 strokes, 377,

from the Knights.

For head coach Dan Sullivan and the Knights, the all-junior squad of Stephen Campau, Paul Sidhu, Luke Soyka, Thomas Peracchio and Jeff Shell did the honors.

Campau was the medalist, shooting a 74. He won by a stroke over Oakland Christian senior John VanNoord.

The Knights' other scorers were Sidhu with a 91, Peracchio with a 92, Soyka with a 93 and Shell with a 94.

Coming up for Liggett is the Division 4 state finals Friday, June 6, and Saturday, June 7, at Bedford Valley.

RIVALS

South is in finals, North falls shy

By Bob St. John
Sports Editor

Grosse Pointe North and Grosse Pointe South competed in last week's 12-team Division 1 boys' golf regional tournament at The Orchards.

The top three teams earned a spot in this weekend's state finals at Forest Akers East.

Head coach Rob McIntyre and South earned one of the three spots after placing third with a 323. Macomb Dakota won the title with a 312 and Warren DeLaSalle was second with a 314.

Grosse Pointe North head coach Peter Kingsley missed the cut, taking seventh with a 338.

For the Blue Devils, junior Reis Becker led the way with a 79, followed by junior David Szymanski with an 81, freshman Teddy Schooff with an 81 and sophomore Jon Theros with an 82.

For the Norsemen, senior Eddie Nepi led the team with an 81. He was followed by junior Jack Dakota with an 83, a 312 and Warren DeLaSalle was second with an 86 and senior Chase Wujek with an 88.

GROSSE POINTE NORTH

Relay team earns points at state finals

By Bob St. John
Sports Editor

The Grosse Pointe North girls' track and field team earned three points in last weekend's Division 1 state finals meet at Rockford High School.

Oak Park won the title with 92 points and the others in the top three were East Kentwood with 49 points and Birmingham Seaholm with 30.

The Norsemen's points came in the 3,200-relay as senior Julia Rustmann, sophomore Sydney Benson, sophomore Katelyn Carney and senior Sarah Rustmann placed sixth with a time of 9:20.62.

This was a new school record and earned All-State honors.

The foursome beat the

old record by an astounding 12 seconds (the previous record was set at the 2004 state finals by the all-state team of Whitfield, Anderson, DeFauw, and Graney). This time also represented a 15 second improvement over the relay team's previous season best set at the region meet.

Sarah Rustmann anchored the team in a split time of 2:15 and her split represents the second fastest 800 time in North's history.

Other Norsemen competing in the finals were Alexis Jimerson, 24th in the 100-hurdles with a time of 18.24; Benson, 18th in the 400-dash with a time of 59.19; Sarah Rustmann, 16th in the 800-run with a time of 2:20.94; and the 1,600-relay team of Julia



PHOTO COURTESY OF DANIEL RUSTMANN

North senior Julia Rustmann handing off the baton to her sister, Sarah Rustmann, in the state finals meet.

Rustmann, Sarah Rustmann, junior Gabby Lewis and Benson, 17th with a time of 4:06.03.

The boys did not earn a point. Winning the boys' title was East Kentwood with 71 points. Saline was second with 37 points and Grand Blanc took third with 25.

Senior Makai Polk was 26th in the discus with a throw of 128-feet, 1-inch, and was 12th in the shot put with a toss of 50-feet, 10 3/4-inches.

Senior Bryce Johnson was 22nd in the 300-hur-

dles, posting a time of 53.77, and sophomore Connor Sickmiller was 28th in the 3,200-run with a time of 10:21.04.

North loses several quality girls and boys to graduation, but the returners will be ready for a solid 2015 season.

Correction

In the May 29 edition of the Grosse Pointe News, Grosse Pointe North's Tommy Heinemann was misidentified.

LIGGETT

Job well done

The University Liggett boys' track and field team had six competitors in last weekend's Division 4 championship meet at Hudsonville Athletic Complex at Baldwin Middle School.

The 3,200-relay team of juniors William Gilbert, William Loner, Andrew Lohman and Mason Demsey finished 11th with a time of 8:44.53.

Demsey also competed in the 800-run, finishing 20th with a time of 2:10.99.

In the team standings, Concord won with 78 points, followed by Saugatuck with 46 and Southfield Christian with 36.

— Bob St. John
Sports Editor

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SYNOPSIS: REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING
MAY 5, 2014

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

ROLL CALL: All Councilpersons were present.

MOTIONS PASSED

- 1) To receive, approve and file the minutes of the regular City Council meeting held April 21, 2014 and furthermore receive and file the minutes of the Board of Trustees Employees Retirement Board System meeting held April 21, 2014 and the Brownfield Redevelopment Authority meeting held April 21, 2014.
- 2) To open the Public Hearing on the transfer of Community Development Block Grant Funds.
- 3) To Close the Public Hearing on the Transfer of Community Development Block Grant Funds.
- 4) To add to the agenda the approval of the Contract for Operation of Community Transportation Service for Elderly and Disabled Individuals.
- 5) That the agenda of the regular City Council meeting having been acted upon, the meeting is hereby adjourned at 8:17 p.m.

RESOLUTION PASSED

- 1) To approve the following items on the Consent Agenda: (1) approve the Accounts Payable listing for Check Numbers 102765 through 102870 in the amount of \$220,408.66 as submitted by the City Manager and Finance Director, and further, authorize the Mayor and City Clerk to sign the listing. (2) approve payment to Plante & Moran in the amount of \$32,000.00 for the professional services performed in conjunction with the 2013 audit. (3) approve payment to WCA Assessing in the amount of \$9,691.19 for the contractual assessing services performed during the month of April 2014.
- 2) To approve the transfer of \$10,000 in 2013 Community Development Block Grant funds from Housing Rehab to Demolition.
- 3) To Approve the Master Agreement with DTE for municipal street lighting to convert existing mercury vapor lights to LED at the initial cost of \$67,722 with a labor rebate of \$10,400 and an Energy Optimization rebate of \$11,808 for a final cost to the City of \$45,514 and to authorize the City Manager to sign the Agreement.
- 4) To approve the Contract for Operation of Community Transportation Service, and further to authorize the Mayor to sign the agreement.

Kenneth A. Poynter, Mayor

Leslie M. Frank, City Clerk

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Liggett baseball, softball

Title teams

By Bob St. John
Sports Editor

The University Liggett boys' baseball team won another district title last weekend beating Detroit Consortium 7-0 in the title game played at Harper Woods High School.

The Knights had all of the momentum as freshman Gehrig Anglin tossed a shutout, giving up only one hit and striking out four. He also helped himself at the plate, going 3-for-4 with two RBIs.

Junior Nick Azar was also 3-for-4 with two RBIs.

The Knights jumped out to a 1-0 lead in the first inning when Azar singled home senior Cole Zingas.

In the second inning, they made it 3-0 after freshman Connor McCarron executed a perfect squeeze bunt to score a run and a throwing error by the pitcher allowed the third run to cross the plate.

It remained 3-0 until the fifth when sophomore Matt Gushee singled home senior Anthony Simon and senior Ian Clark followed with a two-run single to make it a 6-0 game.

Senior Adam Fiema also singled home a run to cap the scoring.

After that, Anglin continued his mastery on



PHOTO BY BOB BRUCE

Liggett senior Angelia Evangelista drops down a perfect bunt in the Knights' game against Madison.

the mound and the Division 3 district championship trophy was in head coach Dan Cimini's hands.

In the semifinal, Liggett blasted host Harper Woods 15-0 in three innings. Anglin pitched the three innings, giving up only one hit and striking out eight of the 10 batters he faced.

Offensively, Simon was 2-for-2 with three runs, one walk, two RBIs and two stolen bases, and senior Patrick Broder was 2-for-2 with one run and two stolen bases.

Fiema, Anglin and Gushee had one hit apiece and the Knights also benefited from eight walks.

In the pre-districts, Liggett defeated Henry Ford Academy and before that it swept a doubleheader from Royal Oak Shrine, improving to 20-7 overall.

Softball

University Liggett girls' softball team moved up to Division 3

this season and moved into what might have been the easiest path to a district championship.

The Knights destroyed Detroit Henry Ford Academy 29-1 in a pre-district game and the following day beat host Harper Woods 17-0 in the semifinals and Madison Heights Madison 25-0 in the title game.

Against Harper Woods, senior Emma Nicholas had a home run and junior Zarine Minwalla earned the win, going three innings and giving up one hit with five strikeouts.

The Knights sat around in the sun and waited for the other semifinal to finish.

The lengthy wait didn't slow them down as they scored 25 first-inning runs against Madison, going through the batting order four times.

Every player on the team had something positive in the scorebook, including senior Angelia Evangelista, who was 4-for-4 with three runs scored and three RBIs, and Minwalla, who was also 4-for-4 with three RBIs.

Junior Taylor Slayton was 3-for-3 with three runs scored, five RBIs and one walk, and sophomore Anna Majewski was 3-for-4 with three runs scored and three RBIs.

Sophomore Emily Kanakry was 3-for-4 with three runs scored and two RBIs.

Nicholas had another home run.

With the three lopsided wins, Liggett improved to 23-9 overall.

North & South baseball, softball

South beats North for title

By Bob St. John
Sports Editor

In 'the' game of the baseball season, host Grosse Pointe South beat archrival Grosse Pointe North 10-0 in a Division 1 district championship game last weekend.

It was close until the late innings when the Blue Devils scored three runs in both the sixth and seventh innings.

"Jimmy Menchl pitched a great game against a very good hitting team in North," South head coach Dan Griesbaum said. "He threw strikes and perfectly executed the game plan. He did everything we asked of him."

Menchl, a senior, went all seven innings to earn the win, giving up only three hits and struck out seven. He was in trouble in only one inning when the Norsemen used a hit and a couple of hit batsmen to load the bases.

They didn't score and the rest is history.

"We didn't hit the ball like I thought we would," North head coach Frank Sumner said. "We had a chance with the bases loaded, but didn't come through in the clutch. It was a close game until they scored those late runs to break it open."

"It is a disappointing loss because our season really comes down to this game. We beat them in a doubleheader a couple of months ago, but nobody remembers that. This is the game and we came up short."

Menchl also was a star at the plate, going 3-for-4 with a walk, and Ryan Liagre was 4-for-5 with a three-run homer in the sixth inning and four RBIs.



PHOTO BY BOB BRUCE

South's Ryan Liagre put a charge into a ball that left the yard in the Blue Devils' big 10-0 win over Grosse Pointe North.

Ron Williams was 3-for-5, and two others, Brett Bigham and Jacob Stone, were 2-for-4.

For the Norsemen, senior Andrew Lock suffered the loss.

In the district semifinals, North beat St. Clair Shores Lakeview 9-3 as Tommy Burke was the winning pitcher. Grosse Pointe North finished its season 21-14, leaving Sumner a little more than 20 wins shy of 1,000 for his career.

South destroyed Eastpointe East Detroit 13-0 in its district semifinal as James Fishback started and went one inning. Richie Kish came in to finish off the Shamrocks, pitching the second and third innings to earn the victory. Zak Moyer also pitched two innings.

Grosse Pointe South also beat Romeo last week, improving to 23-17 overall.

Coming up for the Blue Devils is a regional semifinal game Saturday, June 7, against Detroit Western International at Grosse Pointe North.

Softball

Grosse Pointe North and Grosse Pointe South were all set for a showdown for a Division 1 district championship last weekend.

Host South did its part, blasting Eastpointe East Detroit 12-0 in its semifinal game.

North had a great chance to punch its ticket to the title game, leading St. Clair Shores Lakeview 3-0 after five innings.

Unfortunately, defen-

sive miscues allowed the Huskies to come back and eventually beat the Norsemen 7-6 in eight innings to send them home without getting the opportunity to face its rival for the crown.

North senior Emily Alway was pitching a strong game, keeping the Huskies off balance.

They built the lead after Sarah Cherry hit a solo homer and an error by Lakeview center-fielder Taylor Genzman allowed a run to score.

In the top of the sixth inning, the Huskies scored four runs, thanks to two errors, and added another in the seventh, thanks to an error.

However, with the season on the line, Izzy Kirck belted a tying two-run homer in the bottom of the seventh to send the game to extra innings.

The Huskies scored twice in the eighth, thanks to two errors, and the Norsemen could only muster one run in their half of the eighth to end the game.

Alway gave up only two earned runs on nine hits with three strikeouts. Kirck finished with two hits, as did Nicole Haggerty.

Grosse Pointe North finished its season 7-21 overall.

It was South's turn to win its first district title in more than a decade.

However, a good pitching performance was doused with defensive miscues and a sudden hitting shortage in the final four innings in a 5-4 title game loss to Lakeview.

Freshman Emma St. John went the distance, scattering seven hits, walking two and hitting one batter. She struck out 12.

Offensively, Katie Kish was 3-for-4 and St. John 2-for-3. Andie Anger also drove in a run with her second inning triple.

Against East Detroit, senior Megan Fleming pitched a solid game, giving up only three hits with seven strikeouts.

At the plate, Kish was 3-for-4 and St. John 3-for-3. Eliza Bourke and Christy Tech were each 2-for-3, and Christina Ambroz was 2-for-2. Molly Clexton was 2-for-3.

Grosse Pointe South finished its season 24-8 overall.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Planning Commission, under the provisions of Public Act 110 of 2006, MCL 125.3101 as amended, and Grosse Pointe Woods City Code Section 50-88 that a Public Hearing will be held on Tuesday, June 24, 2014, at 7:30 p.m. in the Council/Court Room of the Municipal Building, 20025 Mack Plaza Drive, Grosse Pointe Woods, MI 48236 concerning the conditional rezoning request for Briarcliff 2014 LLC., 850 Briarcliff Dr. The request is for conditional rezoning of approximately 8.8 acres of land from R-1A to R-4 High Density Multiple Dwelling District subject to a specific site plan and no more than 13 units in phase I and II and 12 units in phase III. The proposed conditional rezoning includes the property located at 850 Briarcliff Dr. including the former Liggett Middle School site. The public hearing materials are available for public inspection at the Municipal Building, 20025 Mack Plaza, between 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. All interested persons are invited to attend and will be given opportunity for public comment. The public may appear in person or be represented by counsel. Written comments will be received in the City Clerk's office, up to the close of business preceding the hearing. A group spokesperson is encouraged on agenda items concerning organized groups. Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services at the meeting should contact the Grosse Pointe Woods Clerk's Office at 313.343.2440 seven days prior to the meeting.

Lisa K. Hathaway
City Clerk

G.P.N.: 6/5/2014

Defer girls learn meaning and purpose during lunch hours

By Ann L. Fouty
Features Editor

Take 5 for Your Dreams was introduced to the Defer third-grade girls by teacher Nora Hard to combat the "mean girl" attitude.

"I saw a general boost in confidence," said Mary Beth Coffey, whose daughter joined the group. "She moves in any group with confidence and can hold her own."

Prior to the program, she went on, her daughter would come home upset because a classmate had made a disparaging remark about her clothing. "I would go through the pep talk."

Once Take 5 for Your Dreams attitudes were presented, as a weekly classroom volunteer, Coffey noticed fewer of those negative comments going around. Coffey gave this example she witnessed how the program affected not only her daughter but in particular, two girls who wouldn't give each other the time of day at the beginning of the school year.

Recently, as the class was packing up at the end of the day, one of the girls reminded the other not to forget her math



PHOTOS BY RENEE LANDUYT

Defer third grade teacher Nora Hard instituted Take 5 for Your Dreams to help girls boost their confidence and combat negative behavior and statements.

homework.

"It was the whole exchange of looking out for another. She accepted the comment and followed through. There was no snarking at each other," she said.

It was obvious to Hard callous attitudes had to be curtailed.

"I was inspired to set up the program after observing many of the girls in third grade struggling with friendships and understanding each other," Hard said, in an e-mail. "The behavior I

witnessed before the program was arguing, leaving others out of play situations, not being able to make friends, worrying about what others thought and unkind words."

She decided to turn the behavior around.

Some 20 girls began meeting in January once a week during their lunch hour to learn how to be a leader, not be judgmental and promote positive self-talk. They were using a curriculum Hard created through research and adapting the teenage program Take 5 for Your Dreams to a third-grade level. Through the curriculum, girls learned how to stand up for themselves by journaling, taking selfies, movies, stories and discussion that stemmed from Hard reading inspirational quotes and poems.

During the meetings, the girls shared their wishes and dreams without the fear of being judged.

"This made me feel more confident and that I can do anything," said Natalie Coffey of how the program helped improve her self confidence.

Jordan Wharton said what she took away from the program: "To believe in yourself and never give up."

Sofie Cervantes added, "No one else is in charge of who I am and you should be yourself." A lesson Skylar Carsten said she took away was to be bolder.

"This taught me not to be shy, not to change who you are and there's only one me," she said.

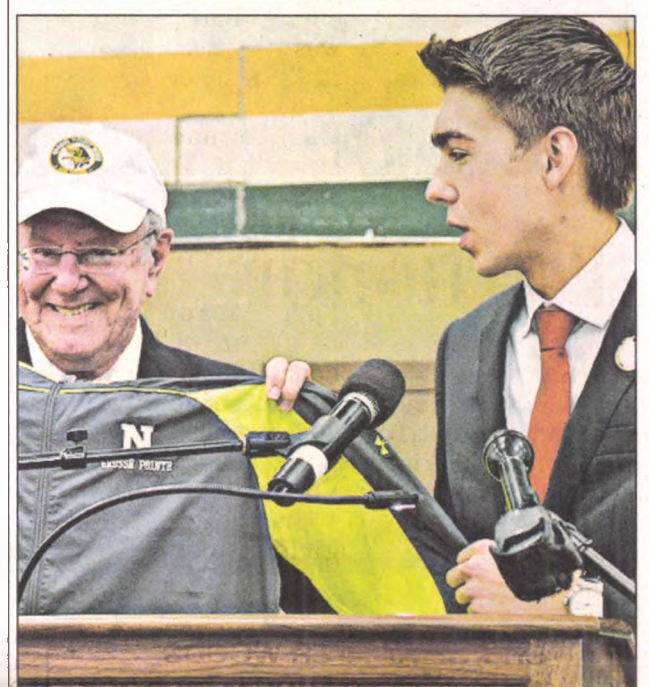
Hard said the parents also weighed in with comments such as my daughter learned "what truly is important;" "what a true friend should be"; "how to express her feelings"; "tools for life"; "how dreams can come true by hard work"; "how to be conscientious of others feelings" and "how it is important to be yourself and others accept you for who you are and not who they want you to be."

The ultimate lesson, Hard said, the girls had learned by May was the importance of life equation — Do what you love + Make a difference in the world = Meaning and purpose.

"The girls have made more friends. They argue less, help each other more, do not take things as personally, have developed a stronger strength and confidence in themselves. They are true to their unique self and they understand what makes themselves and others happy," Hard said she witnessed at the program's conclusion.

During the last meeting, May 21, the girls decorated canvas bags in which to carry their journal.

"The girls wrote on their bags the positive character traits they received from the other girls during our 'selfies' lesson," Hard said.



PHOTOS BY RENEE LANDUYT

Forbes visits

Steve Forbes, chairman and editor-in-chief of Forbes Media and a former Republican presidential candidate, gave a recent talk to students at Grosse Pointe North High School. At top, Forbes is greeted by Superintendent Tom Harwood. Middle, Forbes speaks to approximately 1,300 students about success, commerce, free markets and taxes. Above, Grant Strobl, chairman and founder for the Young Americans for Freedom Club at North, presents Forbes with a Norseman hat and jacket.



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Jane Kuhlein writes in her journal during an exercise in Take 5 for Your Dreams, a program that met once a week from January through May. "Even if someone is different they can be your friend, too," Kuhlein said of what she learned in the program.

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Pride of the Pointes

Stacy Sharon was named to the Dean's List for the fall 2013 semester at Albion College. The Grosse Pointe North High School graduate is the daughter of Richard Sharon of Grosse Pointe Woods and Kimberly Ciaravino of Grosse Pointe Woods.

Robert Sommerville was named to the Dean's List for the fall 2013 semester at Albion College. He is the son of John and Cynthia Sommerville of Grosse Pointe Park and a graduate of Grosse Pointe South High School.

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What's next?

Kindergartners at Our Lady Star of the Sea donned the mortarboards said good bye to this year and celebrated graduation with teachers Chandra Elskens and Ashley Bahr. Above, from left, Sophie Danna, Lexi Dobbs and Sarah Dragich are having fun.



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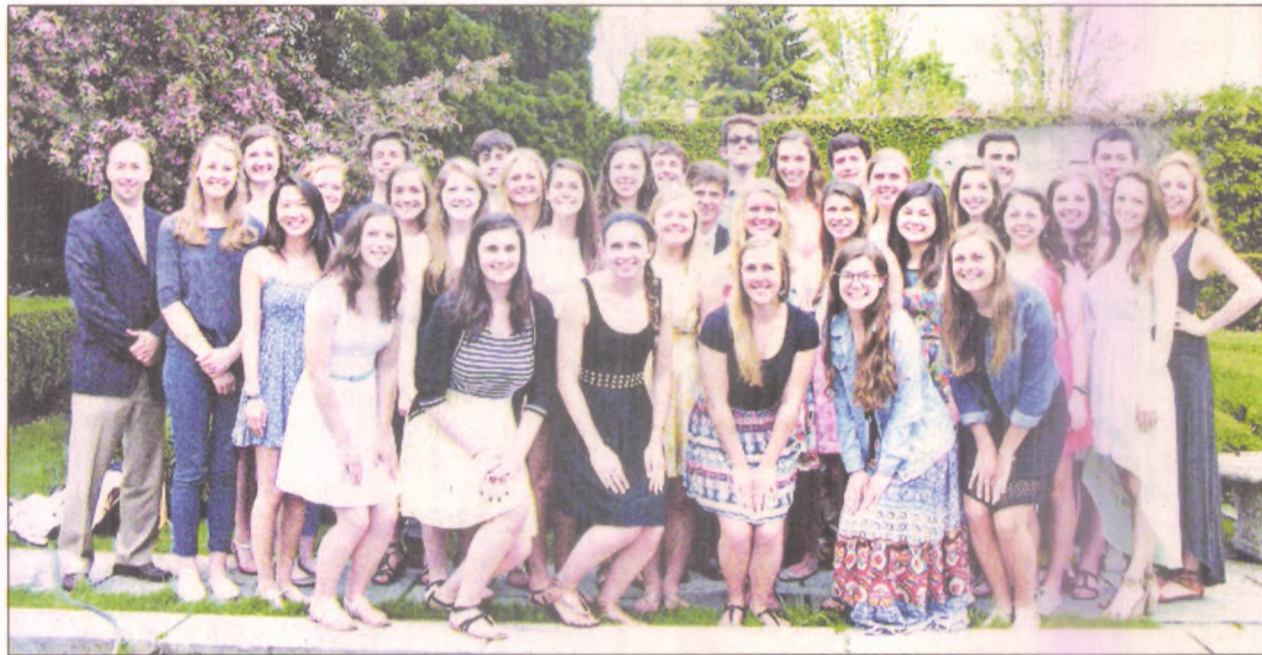
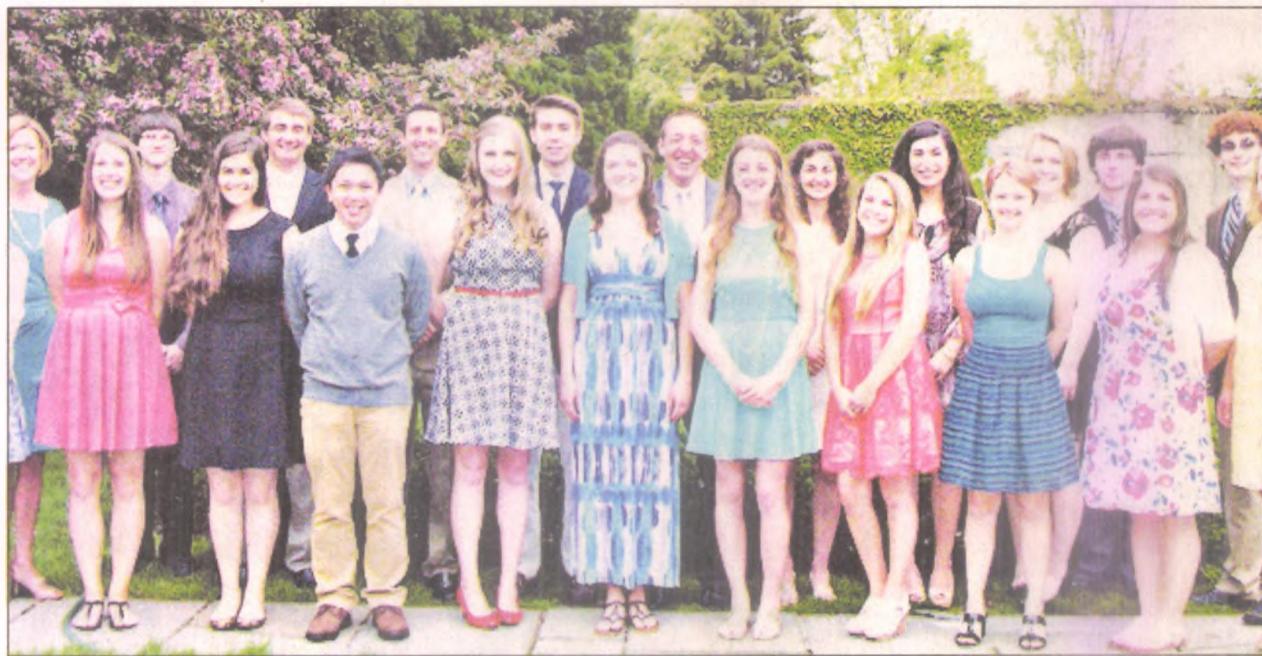
Grosse Pointe Shores resident Bill Sheldon with his wife, Sally, and children, Rachel and Andy, at the University Liggett Distinguished Alumni Award reception. Sheldon received the school's highest honor for his longtime commitment and service to the school.



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Ceremony singing

The Pierce Middle School choir sings "Thank You, Soldiers" at ceremonies honoring veterans on Memorial Day. The ceremonies took place at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial.



PHOTOS BY JACK WILLIAMS

North, South recognition

The Senior Men's Club of Grosse Pointe held its annual Honor Student Recognition event at their bi-monthly luncheon. Students from Grosse Pointe North and Grosse Pointe South, above respectively, attended the event at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial. Students honored had a grade point average of 4.0 or higher.

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Alexander Tu was named to the Dean's List for the fall 2013 semester at Albion College. The son of Willard Tu of Novi and Lee Ann Seymour of Grosse Pointe Woods is a graduate of De La Salle Collegiate High School.

Lawrence VanOverbeke was named to the Dean's List for the fall 2013 semester at Albion College. The Grosse Pointe North High School graduate is the son of Lawrence and Kelli VanOverbeke of Grosse Pointe Woods.

Charlotte Koelsch was named to the Dean's List for the fall 2013 semester at Loyola University. She is the daughter of David Koelsch and Sarah Robichaud of the City of Grosse Pointe.

The following Grosse Pointe North High School graduates were named to the Dean's List for the fall 2013 semester at Alma College: **Shelby Schroeder** and **Amanda**

Shaffner, both of Grosse Pointe Woods and **Olyvia Brown** of Harper Woods.

Olivia Culver of Grosse Pointe was named to the Dean's List for the fall 2013 semester at Wheaton College in Illinois.

Julie Padilla of Grosse Pointe earned a Master of Science degree in environmental engineering fall 2013 from Michigan Technological University.

Gregory Lahood was named to the Dean's List for the fall 2013 semester at Duke University. The 2012 University Liggett School graduate is the son of Marquita Bedway and Al LaHood of the City of Grosse Pointe.

Anna Kucharski was named to the Dean's List for the fall 2013 semester at Hillsdale College. She is a 2012 graduate of Grosse Pointe South High School and the daughter of Gary and Valerie Kucharski of Grosse Pointe Park.

David James Krueger was named to the Dean's List for the fall 2013

semester at Hillsdale College. A 2009 graduate of Grosse Pointe South High School, he is the son of Robert and Jeri Krueger of the City of Grosse Pointe.

Hannah W. Wheeler was named to the Dean's List for the fall 2013 semester at Furman University. She is the daughter of Greg and Sarah Wheeler of Grosse Pointe Park and a 2012 graduate of Grosse Pointe South High School.

Jessica Kaminski, a 2012 graduate of Grosse Pointe South High School, was named to the Dean's List for the fall 2013 semester at Hope College. She is the daughter of Jerry and Mary Jo Kaminski of Grosse Pointe Park.

The following area students graduated from Northern Michigan University December 2013. **Jacob Hoerler** of the City of Grosse Pointe graduated cum laude with a Bachelor of Science degree in environmental studies and sustainability; **Gregory Posada** of Grosse Pointe Farms earned a Bachelor

of Science Degree in finance and risk management and **Andrew Tomaszewski** earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in environmental science.

The following Grosse Pointe students were named to the Dean's List for the fall 2013 semester at Northern Michigan University: **Alexis Crowley**, **Nathan Fuga**, **Sergey Gorny**, **Jacob Hoerler**, **Eric Kiska**, **Gregory Posada**, **Kaitlyn Serwach** and **Kelsey Weiss**.

Bridget Surmont was named to the Dean's List for the fall 2013 semester at Hillsdale College. The 2011 Grosse Pointe North High School graduate is the daughter of Rich and Karen Surmont of Grosse Pointe Woods.

Christa Marie Bertakis graduated December 2013 from Michigan State University with a Bachelor of Science Nursing degree. She is the daughter of Rosanne and John Bertakis of Grosse Pointe Farms and a 2009 graduate of Grosse Pointe South High School.

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