Fifth Graders Complete Study Of
Drug Abuse And Its Effects


Chief Bill Zsenyuk explains drug abuse and its effects to the fifth grade students.

The fifth graders of the Middle School have just completed a week of intense study of drug abuse and it's effects.
Tuesday, February 21, was highlighted by a visit from Chief Zsenyuk. He brought a display of drug paraphernalia collected in the Manchester area, and spoke of Manchester's teenage alcohol problems. Chief Zsenyuk stressed the terrible effects and consequences of several drugs and
answered the children's many questions. He assured the fift graders of his concern and the willingness of the Manchester police department to be of help.
Friday, the fifth grader concluded their Substance Abuse study with a declaration of their commitment not to use harmful drugs.

A special thank you to Bill Zsenyuk for taking the time to get involved with our children.

## Spring Bloodmobile Set For Monday, March 19th

The Red Cross Bloodmobile for this spring comes to Manchester on Monday, March 19 from 12 to 6 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall, next to the Post Office.
Recruiters for the area churches are: Mrs. Dan Boutell, Emanuel United Church of Christ; Mrs. Ronald Ahrens, Manchester United Methodist Church; Mrs. William Schwab and Mrs. James Warner, St. Mary's Catholic Church; Mrs. Victor Mann, Bethel United Church of Christ; Mrs Joseph Lantis, North Sharon Bible Church; Ruth Donko, Iron Creek Church; Mr. Lawrence Bowers, Sharon United Methodis Church; Reverend John Morris, Zion Lutheran Church; Miss Lynn Gonyer, Faith Community Church; Mrs. Judy Hazen, St. Thomas Lutheran Church; Mrs Franklin Wellman, Victory Baptist Church; Mrs. Stephen Bristle, St. John's Lutheran Church and Mr. David Chartrand, St. John's United Church of Christ.
Local industries will be contacted by their Red Cross representatives beginning the 9th of March.
Appointment cards will be available at displays in Comerica, Great Lakes Federal and 1st of

America Banks as well as IGA A \& B Market by the 8th or 9th Cards placed in the Red Cross boxes at these displays will be returned by mail to donors designating the exact time to come to the Bloodmobile on the 19th.

Please mark the date on your calendar now and come, even if you have not been able to make an appointment.

## Requesting Your Help

The Manchester Class of " 79 " is planning our five year reunion. We need information for the following people: Freddy Belanger, Bob Downey, Darvin Fletcher, Kim Grammatico, Hazel Janish, Tim Kaminski, Pauline Kuebler, Larry McCully, Jim McEwan, Karen Toth, Claudia Vella, Bob Weirich, Deborah Whitt, Robert Williams,: Mary Wright; Mr. Goodsell (Math) and Mrs. Spoon (drama).
Please contact Lori England at 663-4888 days or 475-8587 evenings with addresses and/or phone numbers. Watch for further information for our June 9th reunion!!

## Community-Wide Ash Wednesday Worship At Emanuel Church

On Wednesday evening, March 7, at 8 p.m., Emanuel United Church of Christ will be host to the people and congregations of the various Churches in Manchester, for the Communitywide Ash Wednesday Service of Worship.
Together, they will be ushering in the season of Lent, with this traditional and solemn occasion of blessing and receiving the gift of ashes, as a reminder of the sacrifice or our Lord upon the Cross.:
This Service of prayer and consecration will also provide us opportunity to hear once again the beautiful Lenten music of the season. Under the direction of Organist Marijim Thoene, the Emanuel Church Choir will provide two anthems, and Miss Dawn England will play the Trumpet.

Save the date of Wednesday, March 7 th at 8 p.m. Join with the people of St. Mary's Church, Sharon and Manchester United Methodist Churches, and Emanuel United Church of Christ.

## New Chaplain

Named At Hospital


The Reverend Kathryn Schell Batell of Ann Arbor has been named Chaplain of Chelsea Community Hospital.
Reverend Batell received her Bachelors Degree from Yale University and her Master of Divinity Degree from Yale Divinity School. She has served as Assistant Pastor of St. Michael Lutheran Church in Canton, Michigan and most recently as Chaplain Resident at the University of Michigan Hospital.
Commenting on Reverend Batell's appointment, Willard Johnson, President of Chelsea Community Hospital said, "We are very pleased to have Reverend Batell to have Reverend Batell at Chelsea Community Hospital. Her presence here will help meet the spiritual needs of our patients. We are very grateful to the Chelsea Ministerial Fellowship for their co-sponsorship of our Chaplaincy Program."

## Swept Away

Reprint from the Manchester Enterprise, dated February 3, 1898.

Fire Destroys A Large Portion Of The Business Part Of Brooklyn

Wild Scenes For Two Hours, Then All Is Over

The most disastrous fire that has ever visited Brooklyn swept away almost the entire busines portion on the west side of Main street about 3 o'clock Monday morning.
It was first discovered by Bert Miller, who had just returned from Jackson. He hastened to the engine house, grasped the bell rope and the first clang of the fire bell awakened some of the citizens, who hastily donning their apparel sallied forth to ascertain the cause. The fire was found in

## HIT or MISS

A chap named Pat Siena has written a ditty concerning "signs" that I think you may find interesting, so may we copy some of it as follows:
The sign on the restaurant door said "Shoes and shirts required." But what about pants?
I worry about the things that go unsaid in our society. But I worry just as much about the things that are said: "Watch for falling rock" and "scenic area," for instance.
The rock disturbs me because I find that I'm watching for it when I should be watching the other cars on the road.
But I'm simply insulted by the "scenic area" signs. Obviously, some sign maker thinks I have no esthetic judgement of my own. He also implies that $I$ am already well-acquainted with "blight areas" - for these are never labeled.
Such labels remind me of those single word captions that television news programs like to put under a person's face: Witness," "Victim," or "Author." I want either no label or a more complete one - like "Male, 180 lb 27-year-old analyst; Harva., MBA (80); reader of Harvara MBA ('80); reader iction; owner of condo (with garage) in upper-middle-class suburb; no wife or children (but several girl friends); favorite color: red; and, oh yes, also Victim."
There's another form of sign that I don't like. I call it the NO Syndrome: "NO Trespassing," "NO Admittance," "NO Exit," "NO Thru Traffic," "NO one except employees beyond this point," and "NO Vacancy." Most of what troubles me about these signs is that they assume I want to trespass, or enter, or drive through, etc. Usually I neither intend nor desire to do any of the things the sign tells do any of the It's lize being turned

Geo. Ebbert's grocery and bakery, and those who were first there with Babcock extinguisher bravely battled with the flames but played a losing game, as the building was a veritable tinder box. The chemical engine seemed to do good execution, but when it became necessary to re-charge it the tank was empty and during the delay the flames gained rapidly.
The citizens worked with a will in saving goods from the burning buildings, but in the haste and confusion of course much damage was done. The heat was also so great that goods piled in the streets were set on fire. Cinders also filled the air and it was necessary that great precaution be taken to prevent buildings upon which they fell from taking fire.

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## e that you never asked for

 As long as Im resenting things, I may as well add certain road signs - such as "bump ahead," "sharp curve," and "hill." I want to discover life on my own; I don't want anyone giving away the plots of my trips any more than I want the endings of books or movies revealed before I get there.Even such well-meaning signs as "Thank you - come again" bother me. How sincere is it when the message is on the very same door every customer passes through? I'd rather the door would just say "PUSH," and let it go at that.
I know that I am not alone in my reactions to signs. A friend of mine, who happens to share my distaste for the "No Trespassing" variety, tells of the day when he was jogging in Connecticut. He approached a private drive and noticed a handmade sign that said "Please Trespass." And so he did - into a beautiful, well-tended garden, where he sat near a statue to rest. And to enjoy.

That's his favorite sign. But I have a soft spot for one I spotted in an automotic elevator. It said: "If this elevator gets stuck, try pressing the DOOR OPEN button." I like that. It's just a friendly piece of advice, with no promise that itll work. All it does is give you something to try.

And I love a sign, seen recently, which didn't say a thing. It was just a simple silhouette of a person in a skirt - meant to designate the ladies' room Trouble is a Scotch fellow in a kilt thought it was beckoning him, and in he walked.

But my favorite sign of all times is the one I found on the side of a building: "No signs allowed" I think signs like that ought to be put up all over town!
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Dutch Sports In Action

\＃40 Tom Lockridge shooting for 2

By Jim Krzyzaniak
The East Jackson Trojans came to town last Friday looking for the upset，but it wasn＇t to be as the Dutch gave a strong and inspired performance，defeating the Trojans 67－62．
It was Parents Night and there was a very enthusiastic crowd in attendance．The first period belonged to the Dutch as they came out pressing，which was very effective and they led $22-11$ after the first eight minutes．In the second period East Jackson regained it＇s composure and cut the lead to six points on several
occasions，but as the half came to a close the Dutch were leading 38－28．During the third period the Dutch maintained the tempo of the game，but could not shake the pesky Trojans as the Dutch led after three periods 49－44．In the fourth quarter the action was hot and heavy，East Jackson cut the lead to four points with 4 minutes remaining．The Dutch though maintained their composure and received some key plays from their bench as they walked away with the victory $67-62$ ．
The individual scoring figures reflect the team effort for the Dutch．Pat Ridenour and Mike

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Tom Lockridge shows his style
Agin scored 14 points each while teammates Ron Melcher and Mark Ball scored 11 and 10 points respectively．The Dutch also received key bench play in the fourth quarter from Tom Lockridge and Bruce Rheès．
This win assures the Dutch of at least a share of the Cascades Conference Basketball Champioin－ ship．All they need is a victory at home on Tuesday the 28th against Vandercook Lake or a victory at Michigan Center on Friday， March 2nd to win the title outright．This would be the first outright title for our basketball team since the $1973-74$ campaign． Our record now stands at 15－3． Our Junior Varsity also had a very exciting contest but did not fare as well as the varsity．Their game was close throughout but the Little Dutch fell $52-50$ ．High scorers for the Little Dutch were Sophomores John Curley with 18 points and Rob Smith with 12. The Little Dutch also has a very

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\＃52 John Blumenauer and \＃44 Bob Bunney scramble with a Trojan player for the ball．
respectiful record at 13－4． One final note，the Varsity Basketball team starts district action the week of March 5th at Addison High School．At the time
this article was written it was not known when or whom we would be playing．But we are looking for an exciting District Tournament．
＂Little minds are interested in the extraordinary；great
minds in the commonpiace．＂Eibert Hubbard

## NOTICE

The regular meeting of the Freedom Township Board will be held on Tuesday，March 6， 1984 at 7：30 P．M． at the Freedom Town Hall．

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