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Change in Trash Contractors in store for Village Residents

The Village of Manchester officially awarded their garbage contract to BFI at their Monday, February 6th meeting. BFI will replace Laidlaw who has been the Village's contractor for the past five years.

Although several companies had been contacted and some of them showed interest in the bidding process, by the deadline only BFI and Laidlaw had entered official bids. A third company, D's Container Service, declined the opportunity to bid as they felt the cost of maintaining \$5 million in liability insurance was too high. The Village remained firm that the policy was a necessary portion of the bid.

"We think we are offering Village residents the best service at the best price," commented Jeff Wallace after the council accepted BFI's bid.

The current cost per month to residents is \$7.20 according to our month-to-month contract with Laidlaw, which has been extended since September 1994. With Laidlaw continuing our pick-up, the cost would still have been \$7.20 per month, increasing to \$7.56 in 1996 and \$8.03 in 1997.

BFI's bid to the Village was \$6.35 the first year, \$6.58 in 1996 and \$6.83 in 1997. So customer costs will decrease by 12% beginning with the April water bill.

Curbside pickup of white goods, which would take place on a quarterly basis, will be covered by the tipping fees we get from the County DPW.



The face of Village garbage pick-up will change April first

"Tipping Fees" or "host fees" are received by each community based on population from waste contractors, for the privilege of using a landfill based in that locality. Washtenaw County's Arbor Hills Landfill in Salem Township is owned by BFI and therefore BFI must pay 3% per year of their annual gate revenues. Arbor Hills is the state's largest landfill and takes in more than \$30 million per year at the gate.

The fees help communities to pay for local recycling programs, pickup of roadside dumping, household hazardous waste collection and public education programs. In Manchester's case, receiving in the neighborhood of \$10,000 in tipping fees means that the village will have funds available to handle the costs of these special pick-ups, including compostables.

"Compostables are probably the most complex of the issues we faced in outlining the services we as a village needed," admits Wallace. BFI's bid on this item of the contract was higher than Laidlaw's. As many may be aware, beginning on March 1, 1995 it will no longer be permissible to place any compostable materials in landfills in the state of Michigan. Therefore, alternate means of dealing with the problem need to be sought.

Alternatives currently being used by some residents include shredder/chipper machines, mulching mowers, and home composting. However, these alternatives are not viable

for every resident. Many people cannot afford or simply don't want the expensive machines available. Others may not want to bother with or don't have room for a compost pile in their yard.

Wallace notes that 33 gallon double layer paper bags will be available for purchase at local stores, for fall leaf pickup, small branches, etc. This is part of the Village's agreement with BFI - that the compostables will be bagged in paper. Grocery bags will also be acceptable, but if you have a lot of leaves, they may not be practical. The contract calls for four events at Village discretion. "Even paying the \$3800 out of our pockets, should the tipping fees not materialize for any reason, the costs could be offset by our savings by not picking up leaves ourselves," adds Wallace. The Vac-all used for leaf pickups is not really made for that activity, he explained. Using DPW employees and prisoners more effectively during those months, and not having repair bills to the vac-all caused by leaf pickups, will certainly offset the cost of BFI pickup.

A mailing list will be developed, using the names of all people who receive a Village water bill. From this list, BFI will circulate a flyer explaining the changes in pickup which will commence on April 1. Those who own rental property have a responsibility to inform their tenants of changes in policy. According to the terms of the contract, BFI will also establish and publish an 800- number for reporting problems. -MJC

Winter Festival in a Victorian Village

Please help yourself to some very special entertainment which will be provided for the community on Saturday, February 18th.

The second Annual Winter Festival in a Victorian Village will have crafts, comedy, carving and good cooking! Books and blacksmiths are also on the agenda.

Make plans to join in the fun on Saturday. See the information on page two for full details!



Manchester Community Schools Board of Education

Manchester Community Schools' Board of Education meetings are scheduled to be held in the High School Media Center on the third Monday of each month. Meetings begin at 7:45 PM. Special meetings are also held throughout the year to discuss issues that arise.

We here at the Enterprise try to address the school board on issues which we feel are important to the community. But maybe we don't reflect your point of view. Some of you have come in and shared your concerns and questions with us. We hope you will also share those ideas with the members of the School Board. They are OUR elected trustees to run OUR Schools.

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- Trustees:** John Hochstetler 428-9100
John Ochs 769-6031
Joseph Turk 428-9260

If you have any concerns about our schools, please feel free to contact any of these members of your school board to discuss your ideas.

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Community Calendar

Scheduled Meetings

Bridgewater Twp.
Doug Parr Supervisor
428 - 8243
Karen Weidmayer
13360 E. Austin
428-8641
Planning Commission
2nd Monday 7:30
Township Board meeting
3rd Wednesday, 8:00

Freedom Township
Town Hall 428-7545
11508 Pleasant Lk. Rd.
Robert Little Supervisor
Julie Schaible, Clerk
13785 Pleasant Lk.
428-7241
Township meeting
2nd Tuesday 8:00
Planning Commission
meets on demand
Manchester Township
Town Hall 428-7090
Ron Mann Supervisor
275 S. Macomb
Kathleen Hakes, Clerk
Township meeting
2nd Monday 8:00
Planning Commission
4th Tuesday
FIRE DEPARTMENT
428-9439 non-emergency
Sharon Township
Supervisor John Savage
20453 Pleasant Lk. Rd.
428-8907
Duane Haselschwerdt
428-7733, 428-7591
8440 M-52
Township Meeting
1st Thursday 8:00
Planning Commission
2d or 3d Thursday
Manchester Board of Education
Paul Kluwe, President
Meetings
3d Monday 7:45
M.H.S. Library
Superintendent - Ron
Niedzwiecki 428-9711
Village of Manchester
Larry Becktel President
Jeff Wallace Manager
428-7877
Village Council Meets
1st & 3d Monday, 7:00

New Prices for The Manchester Enterprise

Due to increased postage rates and printing costs, the Manchester Enterprise has increased both the newsstand rate and the subscription rate for 1995.

Subscriptions will be \$18 within Washtenaw County and \$20 outside the county, with newsstand prices increasing to 40¢. We apologize to those Washtenaw County residents who have Jackson or Lenawee county post office addresses; we must charge you the out-county rate.

We sincerely appreciate both our subscribers and our newsstand customers and request your forbearance with these new rates.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Monday

1st Monday: Manchester Township Library Board meets 7:30 pm.
1st Monday: Manchester Masonic Lodge, business meeting 7:30
1st & 3d Monday: Manchester Village Council, 7:00
2nd Monday: Bridgewater Township Planning Commission meets 7:30
2nd Monday: Manchester Township Board meets 8:00
2nd & 4th Mondays: Manchester Optimist Club
3rd Monday: School Board meets MHS Library 7:45

Tuesday

2nd Tuesday: Freedom Township board meets 8:00
2nd Tuesday after 1st Monday: Village Planning Commission
2nd Tuesday: Manchester Area Senior Citizens, 9:30 am

Wednesday

1st Wednesday: Veterans of Foreign Wars, 7:30 pm

Thursday

1st Thursday: Sharon Township Board meets 8:00
1st Thursday: American Legion Post #117, meets 7:30

Friday

2nd Friday: Village Piece Makers meet at Emanuel Church, 7-10 pm. All are welcome.

Misc. Notices

Saturday, February 18: WINTER FEST in the Victorian Village.

The Community Calendar is a regular feature of the Enterprise. If your group would like their regular meetings printed here, please let us know at 428-8173.

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Call us at the *Enterprise* to see how your Group's meetings and events can be entered in the Community Events Register! 428-8173.



Dial - a - Garden

971-1129

Wednesday, February 15: Vegetable Garden Planning
Thursday, February 16: Cold Frames and Hot Beds
Friday, February 17: Deciding
Monday, February 20: No new tape; holiday
Tuesday, February 21: Pest Control for House Plants
Wednesday, February 22: Light for House Plants

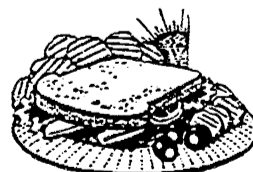
MANCHESTER'S Winter Festival in a Victorian Village

Saturday, February 18

10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

- * Arts & Crafts, and
 - * Book Signing by Tecumseh author, Craig Holden (River Sorrow) will be in the gymnasium of Emanuel Church, 324 W. Main St.
 - * Professional Ice Carvers in the Gazebo Park
 - * Demonstrations at the Blacksmith Shop, 324 E. Main St.
 - * Comedy Show & Dinner at Haarer's Meeting Place
- Phone 428-9500 for reservations.

For more information, phone Manchester Chamber of Commerce president Jim Actenberg at (313) 428-7011



WINTER
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Michigan Livestock Exchange Hosts February Chamber Meeting

Have you ever wondered just how Manchester's Michigan Live Stock Exchange operates? Now you have a special opportunity to find out more about the business - which is linked with others in Indiana and Ohio - when Chamber of Commerce Member Michigan Live Stock hosts our February meeting.

We'll gather at the Live Stock office (9610 M-52) at 11:AM on Wednesday, February 22nd, and enjoy a complete tour, with plenty of opportunities to ask questions. The Live Stock Exchange runs a regular auction every Monday, plus managing direct sales daily, and also conducting on-farm auctions.

There will also be a very brief Chamber business meeting.

After our meeting and tour, all Chamber members are welcome to stay for lunch at Kim's Kountry Kitchen, the restaurant located right on the Live Stock Exchange grounds. We'll order off the menu (no reservations required), and Kim's will be offering two specials priced under \$5.00

Make it a point to come and see how one of our larger local businesses operates!

-from the Manchester Area Chamber of Commerce Newsletter

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Second Front Page: Home Delivery

The Egg Lady Cometh

When we were all a bit younger, delivery people were common. Before the days of Meijers and 24 hour convenience stores, and before the time when we would drive to Ann Arbor at the drop of a hat, there were people whose trade was service and home delivery.

Remember them? The ice man - for those who remember when refrigerators were "ice boxes"? Then there was the milk man. I know our family had a milk man but I don't have a clear recollection of him, although I remember the insulated metal box which sat on the porch. Returnable milk bottles were put out at night and replaced with fresh milk in the morning. I do remember the Twin Pines Milkman who came to my grandma's house. "Mike" came probably twice a week with not only milk but ice cream and other dairy products. Mike was part of life at grandma's house. Later, his son, "Young Mike" took over the route.

Believe it or not, we still have our own version of Mike, the Twin Pines milk man, here in Manchester. Instead, though, we have Dorothy, the egg lady. Dorothy Mahrle is the traditional farmer's wife who brings her eggs to town weekly. She has been doing home delivery for over 25 years in Manchester and Saline.

Dorothy and her husband, Floyd, live in Bridgewater Township on their farm. Some 125 chickens provide them, and much of the rest of the community, with eggs. "I usually deliver

between 30 - 40 dozen eggs a week," Dorothy told us.

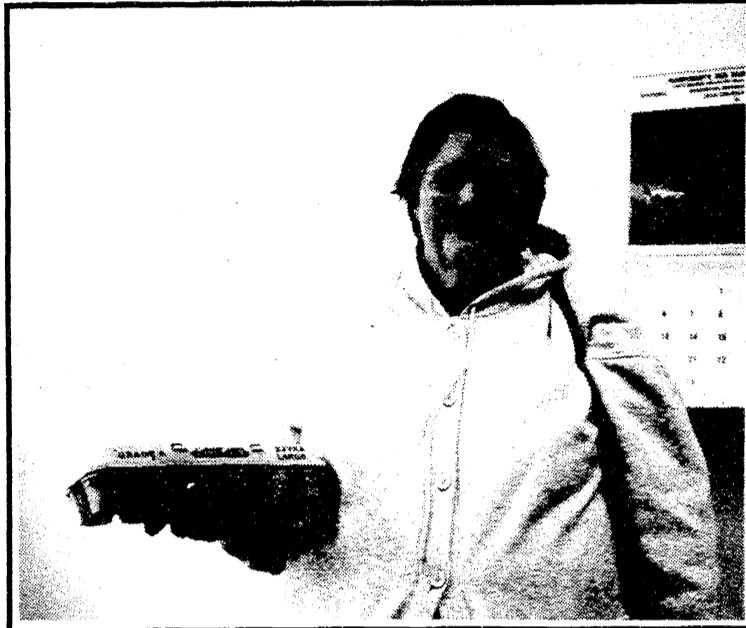
Dorothy and Floyd have always been farmers. Although at one time Floyd was also employed at Double A Products, they still farmed. "What I couldn't do during the day, he would do when he came home at night," Dorothy explains.

Although they never had a family of their own, Floyd and Dorothy's farm was for several years a haven for the foster children who lived with them. Their longest term as foster parents was 5-1/2 years, and they still hear from a couple of those "children" several times a year.

Many people probably don't realize there is a difference between farm eggs and

store bought ones, but those of us who are "spoiled" by Dorothy's eggs sure notice it. When we have to buy eggs from the store, it is easy to tell which is which. And just knowing that the eggs you eat for Saturday breakfast could have been laid as recently as, say, Friday morning, really gives a perspective on "freshness".

As recently as a few years ago, Dorothy was one of several "egg people" in the community. With the retirement of Elvin and Lena



Meyer of Freedom Township a while back, Dorothy remains the only egg delivery person in Manchester. Others in the area may still hang out a sign inviting you to stop by.

Floyd's health hasn't been what it ought to be over the past year, so some of the older hens who aren't laying as well didn't get replaced last fall. Consequently, Dorothy has slowed her own pace - there just aren't as many eggs to deliver some Fridays. But things look to be improving, and come spring, she'll probably get some new pullets and her customers can once again look forward to a bounty of eggs.

When you see Dorothy on the streets and side roads of Manchester, remember the tradition she represents - and be glad that we live here, where that tradition survives. *Marsha Johnson Chartrand*

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The Manchester Enterprise welcomes letters to the Editor, Guest Editorials, and your comments, suggestions and opinions.

We ask that all letters submitted for publication be signed.

Should there be extenuating circumstances for withholding your name, we will give that full consideration.

Out & About

by gar
Gar's back, probably to the chagrin of garlene who so ably filled my space and apparently her own with all that pigging out! 9300 plus miles and six weeks on the Chrysler odometer, not to mention my backside, which is 9300 miles broader. The weather was cold and snowing when I departed and very cold and snowing when I returned so things in Michigan hadn't changed much.

Traveling the southwest and western states was a great treat. Temperatures varied from 8 below zero at the Grand Canyon to 80 degrees in Phoenix. California, San Francisco, was rain, rain and more rain. Remembering the TV news showing the earthquake damage in 89 I looked around for visible signs of the damage. Other than one two level expressway which had not been reopened or apparently rebuilt there was nothing evident to show a quake had occurred.

At a little bagel shop, up the street from the motel, I asked two customers if they remembered the quake and what they were doing at the time. One responded that the bed started to shake and shook for 45 seconds or more. I couldn't get up! I was on the bed against the wall and was showered with pictures and knick-knacks from a shelf. I was unable to comprehend what was happening, for a moment, then I thought the house was going to collapse around me.

The other person sitting at the table was becoming very nervous and beads of sweat appeared on his forehead. He said; I have been in Korea and Viet Nam, wounded twice, in several fire fights, served on the police force and was shot at; but never, in all my experiences, have I felt so helpless and so terrified at the time. I have been unable to sell my condo for what I have invested or I would be out of here.

East of San Francisco at Kelsey, family friends have a beautiful home overlooking the Sacramento Valley. I stayed a few days with them. Last fall a fire, set by an arsonist, came within just a few hundred feet of their home. The burned trees stand stark and naked, brush burned and ground still bare gave witness to another of California's tragedies. It truly is a beautiful state but buy property on the east side of the San Andreas fault and some day you will have ocean front land and view.

Love Michigan. Would some one please turn up the HEAT!

Dear Editor,
A few months ago I wrote a "letter to the editor". At that time I had become tired and dissoluted in looking for a contractor to do some remodeling on our old farmhouse. When I gave my letter to Emory he said he would print it but he also gave me a few more names. Well I called the first name, not expecting much, but surprise! he called me back. Not only did he call but he showed up at the house to look at what I wanted on the day and time he said he would. And then he actually called three days later with an estimate! I could not be happier, because as I sit here and write this they are here cutting a wall apart to make more room for our family. Steve Melcher is the Manchester contractor I called and Steve and his brother Dave are here creating a "silk purse out of a sows ear". I find Steve and Dave to be honest, considerate, hard working and dependable. Although Steve and Dave are here doing the work it is only fair that I mention that Mike Wackenhut saw my article and called me. He also came to the house when he said he would. Once again thank you to Steve and Dave Melcher for their quality customer service as well as a quality job.

Lois Hochstetler

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**AGENDA
MANCHESTER
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COUNCIL**

**Monday, February 20,
1995
7:00 p.m.**

1. Call meeting to order
2. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag
3. Minutes of the previous meeting
4. Approval of Agenda
5. Correspondence
6. Public Participation
7. Council Committee Reports
8. Old Business
9. New Business
10. Adjourn

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**Sharon Township
Proposed Synopsis
Regular Board Meeting
February 2, 1995**

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 PM by Supervisor Savage. All other Board Members were present. The Zoning Inspector, Planning Chairman, Vice Chair, and five township residents and Michigan Consolidated Gas Representative Ganz were also present.

Minutes of the 1/5/95 meeting were read and approved as read. The treasurer's report was read and approved. The Supervisor reported that SEV for residential property increased by 5.5% and agricultural 4.8%. However, the proposal A cap for inflation is 2.6% which is the limit for Taxable Value Increases.

Motion made, supported, and carried the Township pay fees to retain John Savage and Lorraine Dunny as certified assessors.

The Michigan Consolidated Gas Franchise Ordinance as revised by Attorney Laidlaw was read by the Supervisor. Motion made and supported the Township pass this ordinance. Roll call vote taken with all members voting yes.

Trustee Blumenauer reported the gravel roads have been very hard to maintain this winter because of extreme changes in temperature. Our road committee and other board members will meet with County Road Officials this month to outline road improvements for 1995. The Road Commission has proposed new guidelines for driveway and approach installations.

The Material Extraction Ordinance proposed for adoption by area townships was discussed. Motion made, supported and carried this document be reviewed by our attorney for possible needed revisions.

Zoning Inspector Bruce Thomson reported three land use permits issued during January. He stated he has problems verifying past land splits because of absence of records.

Sandra Thomson presented a plan for revising the Zoning Ordinance by integrating amendments, omitting language that is now obsolete, and research minutes for possible omissions, that should have been listed as amendments. Estimated time 6 months, cost \$3,000. Motion made, supported, and carried to proceed with the work.

Planning Chairman Tom Lavender reported Robert Burkhardt will represent the Planning Commission on the Zoning Board of Appeals for term ending 1/1/97.

Property Tax Poverty Exemption will be acted on during the March Township Board Meeting.

Recycling update was given by the Supervisor. There will be a county Department of Public Works meeting at Sharon Townhall on February 23. Public is welcome.

Savage, Feldkamp, and Dunny attended the MTA convention in Detroit recently.

There were other items not requiring Board action. Outstanding bills were presented and all ordered paid by The Board. Being no further business the meeting was adjourned by the Supervisor.

Submitted by Duane R. Haselschwerdt
Approved by John A. Savage

Sula Darlene Jeffers

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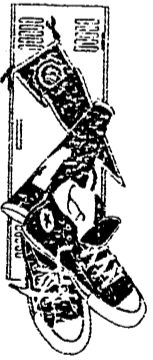
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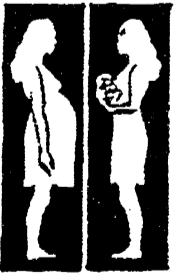
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Church News

OBITUARIES

Walter E. Blumenauer

Walter E. Blumenauer, 74, of Manchester, passed away at Chelsea Community Hospital on February 7, 1995. Walter was born in Sharon Township on June 7, 1920, the son of Theodore & Bertha (Ernst) Blumenauer. On December 6, 1941 he was married to Elsie Loeffler and she survives.

Walter was a member of Zion Lutheran Church and a member of Washtenaw Farm Bureau. He was a former employee of the Michigan Livestock Exchange. Walter spent his working years as a farmer in the Sharon and Freedom Township areas.

Besides his wife, Elsie, Walter is also survived by two sons, Mark & Shirley Blumenauer and Loren & Sharon Blumenauer, both of Manchester; three daughters, Ruth Blumenauer at home, Joyce & Roy Lockhart of Jackson, and Alice & Jerry Merritt of Jonesville; twelve grandchildren; 10 step grandchildren; five great grandchildren; one brother, Willard & Ruth Blumenauer; one sister, Doris & Bob Eisenhauer; and one sister in law, Thelma Blumenauer, all of Manchester.

Walter was preceded in death by his parents, and one brother, Erwin.

The Blumenauer family received callers at the Jenter-Braun Funeral Home on Thursday, February 9, and funeral services were held on Friday, February 10 at 1:30 PM from the Zion Lutheran Church with interment in Zion Lutheran Cemetery following. Rev. David Hendricks was the officiant.

Those wishing an expression of sympathy for Walter's family may make memorial contributions to Individualized Home Nursing Care, Inc., Zion Lutheran Church, or the Blumenauer Family.

Rudolph W. Boelter

Rudolph W. Boelter, 85, of Brooklyn, formerly of Manchester, passed away at his home on February 8, 1995. Rudolph was born in Ecorse, Michigan, on July 2, 1909, the son of Herman & Augusta (Priess) Boelter. Rudolph spent over 25 years with the Washtenaw County Road Commission before retiring. He was a member of St. Paul's United Church of Christ in Saline.

Rudolph is survived by two brothers, Marvin (& Hilda) Boelter of Tecumseh and Herman (& Rubena) Boelter of Manchester; two sisters, Esther (& Robert) Luckhardt of Manchester and Myrtle Boelter of Lansing; and several nieces & nephews.

Rudolph was preceded in death by his parents, and four sisters, Edna, Lillian, Evelyn & Elsie.

The Boelter family received callers at the Jenter-Braun Funeral Home in Manchester on Friday, February 10th. Funeral services were held on Saturday at 11 AM. Interment will take place at Oak Grove Cemetery, Taylor, Michigan, at a later date.

Those wishing an expression of sympathy may make memorial contributions to Hospice of Lenawee or St. Paul's United Church of Christ in Saline.

The New Year is a starting point, but it doesn't remain new very long. Soon it will be on its way to becoming an old year. Now is the time to make it a better new year.

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FAITH COMMUNITY CHURCH

Each Wednesday: 6:00 Worship Team Practice; AWANA 6:45-8:15 for children from age 4-7th grade. 7 PM. Bible Study & Prayer at the Parsonage

Every Sunday: 9:30 AM. Open Prayer Time; 10:00 am - Sunday morning service; 11:30 Sunday School; 6:00 PM Evening Fellowship Hour

Each Monday: 9:30-11:30 Ladies Bible Study at FCC (This is a new group and all are welcome) Elder's Meeting, 6:PM

EMANUEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Wed. Feb. 15: 6:00PM Bell Choir; 7:00PM Parenting Class, F.H.; 7:30 PM Adult Choir

Thu. Feb. 16: 11:00 AM Bible Study; 12 Noon Senior Meal; 3:30 PM Cherub Choir; 3:50PM Children's Choir; 5:30 PM Weight Watchers; 6:30PM Basket Making Group; 7:30PM Missions Committee

Fri. Feb. 17: March Newsletter Deadline; 8 PM - 11 PM Line ~ Contra Dancing in Gym. Anyone over 18 welcome Cost \$3. per person.

Sat. Feb. 18: 10 AM - 5 PM WinterFest Crafts, Food available; 8 PM - 11 PM Senior Youth Dance (grades 7-12)

Sun. Feb. 19: 9:30 AM Sunday School; 10:30 AM Worship; 11:30 AM Fellowship Time; 11:30 AM New Members Class; 12:15 PM Confirmation Class

Tue. Feb. 21: 12 Noon Senior Meal; 6:30 PM Brownies; 7:00 PM Church Council; 7:00 PM Boy Scouts; 7:00 PM Kiwanis

Wed. Feb. 22: 6:00PM Bell Choir; 7:00PM Parenting Class, F.H.; 7:30 PM Adult Choir

Thu. Feb. 23: 7:00PM New Members Class

MANCHESTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

WEDNESDAY February 15: 10:00 a.m. Bible Study; 12:00 noon U.M.W. Valentine Potluck; 7:30 p.m. Bible Study

THURSDAY February 16: 7:00 p.m. Committee meetings; 8:00 p.m. Ad Council

FRIDAY February 17: 9:00 a.m. M.F.S. Food Distribution

SATURDAY February 18: 8:00 p.m. Youth Valentine's Dance at Emanuel UCC

SUNDAY February 19: 9:00 a.m. Sunday School; 10:30 a.m. Worship; 11:45 a.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal

TUESDAY February 21: 9:00 a.m. & Scouts; 5:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY February 22: 10:00 a.m. Bible Study; 7:30 p.m. Care and Share

ST. MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH

Fri., February 17: Children's Choir Rehearsal, 3:20-4:30 pm

Sun., February 19: Rel Ed, Preschool/Kindergarten, 10:30 am; Adult Choir, 9:30 & 11:30 am; Rel Ed, Grades 7-12, 6:30-8:30 pm

Tues., February 21: Rel Ed, Grades 1-4, 3:15-4:15 pm; Rel Ed, Grades 5 & 6, 3:30-4:30 pm; Faith Inquiry, 7:30 pm

Wed., February 22: Chicken & Biscuit Luncheon, Parish Center, 11 am to 1 pm; Adult Rel Ed, 7:30-9:30 pm

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday, February 19: 9:00 AM Sunday School; "Father/Very Special Man - bring him with you to Sunday School! 10:15 Worship; Junior Choir, Boy Scouts & Girl Scouts meeting

Monday, February 20: March Newsletter Deadline

Tuesday, February 21: 10:00 AM Sewing Activity Day with Noon Potluck; 7:30 PM Senior Choir

BETHEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Thursday, February 16: 6:15 PM Children's Choir

Saturday, February 18: Wedding of Michael Guenther & Wendy Waldron

Sunday, February 19: 9:30 AM Worship; Sunday School; 10:30 AM Sunday School 1-8; Senior Choir

Tuesday, February 21: 6:30 PM Youth Choir Plus; 7:30 PM Cabinet Meeting

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Thursday, February 16: Men's Bible Study at G. Mann's, 8: PM

Sunday, February 19: Sunday School, 9:15; Worship, 10:30; Youth Fellowship, 6-8 PM

Monday, February 20: Church Council, 7:30 PM

Wednesday, February 22: Junior Choir, 6:30; Bell Choir, 7:00; Senior Choir, 8:30

SHARON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Wednesday, February 15: 8:15 Chancel Choir Practice

Thursday, February 16: Dorcas Fellowship will meet at the home of Mrs. Robert Pratt

Sunday, February 19: 11:00 AM Boys & Girls Fellowship

Monday, February 20: Girl Scouts

Wednesday, February 22: 6:30 PM Brownies; 8:15 PM Chancel Choir Practice

SPIRITUAL ADVENTURE PLANNED AT FAITH COMMUNITY CHURCH

Members of Faith Community Church of Manchester will be participating in a 50-Day Spiritual Adventure entitled "Facing Down Our Fears: Finding Courage When Anxiety Grips the Heart."

The Adventure Series is an opportunity for personal spiritual growth and will be from February 26 through Easter Sunday, April 16, 1995. It is sponsored by The Chapel of the Air Ministries, an outreach dedicated to the revitalization of Christians and their churches.

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Announcements

Local Meetings

Manchester Area Historical Society

The February meeting of the Manchester Area Historical Society will be held on Tuesday, February 21 at 7:30 PM at the Blacksmith Shop, E. Main Street, Manchester.

Our topic for the evening will be Railways. Del Ludwick and Glenn Lehr will share with us their memories of the trains through Manchester and Celia Davison of Clinton, president of the Southern Michigan Railroad Association, will tell us about the creation and activities of that Association. We hope that some members of the audience will also share memories or anecdotes.

We look forward to an interesting evening with refreshments being served afterwards. Non-members are always welcome at our meetings, too.

King's Volunteers

The Manchester King's Volunteers will meet on February 23rd at 1:00 PM at the Manchester United Methodist Church.

Nellie Uphaus will be hostess, assisted by Elta Clark. Olive Feldkamp will lead devotions.

Guests are always welcome.



Masonic Lodge

Manchester Lodge #148 will hold an Entered Apprentice Degree, Monday, February 20th at 7:30 PM



American Legion Auxiliary

The American Legion Auxiliary met at the Legion Home on February 8 with 21 members present. The meeting was called to order by President Schiel. Roll Call was taken by the Secretary and the minutes of the February 8, 1995 meeting were read, corrected and approved.

Joyce Stein brought several Valentine cards to meeting for signature of membership which she will forward to patients at V.A. Hospital in Ann Arbor. Also, Joyce is asking for volunteers to work bingo party at V.A. Hospital in March and also to bring personal care items to March meeting for distribution to patients at this time.

Plans underway for Auxiliary 75th Anniversary dinner/dance. Invitations will be mailed and notice placed in local newspapers with details.

Refreshment committee for March meeting will be Judy Hoefl, Linda Jacob and Mara Knasiak.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 PM with a prayer by our Interim Chaplain Vivian Middlemiss.

Federal Foods Distribution

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Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to the independent personal representative, Joseph E. Wolf, 14345 Logan Rd Manchester, MI 48158, or to both the independent personal representative and the Washtenaw County Probate Court, Ann Arbor, MI, 48103 within four months of the date of publication of this notice. Notice is further given that the estate will be thereafter assigned and distributed to the persons entitled to it.

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LEND ME A TENOR Sells out for February 18 performance

The Chelsea Area Players' winter production of *Lend Me a Tenor* opened Friday, February 10th to a full house and have since announced that in addition to selling out the 18th's performance, limited tickets are available for the February 16th and 17th performance. In response to heavy ticket demand, CAP will be offering a dinner option for the Thursday, February 16th performance.

Doors at the Chelsea Fairground will open at 6:00; dinner will be at 6:30 with the performance beginning at 8:00 PM.

Tickets are on sale now at the Chelsea Pharmacy. Questions may be directed to the co-producer, Clara Smith at 475-8713 or 475-9800.

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Coming March 3rd
MAN OF THE HOUSE

Childbirth Method Taught in Local Classes To be Featured on National Talk Show

On Thursday, February 16, 1995, The Susan Powter Show will discuss "Birthing" and will feature "The Bradley Method". Classes are available from your locally Certified instructors, one is Isabelle Yingling. The show will air locally on Channel 4 at 12:30 PM

The Bradley Method offers a course in childbirth education which is unlike any other. Bradley classes teach couples how to give birth naturally. Their comprehensive course takes expectant parents through a study of the natural process of birth. Couples are taught how to work with their body to avoid unnecessary pain and how to make their labors as efficient as possible.

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National Contact: The Bradley Method National Headquarters, Box 5224 Sherman Oaks, CA 91413 (800) 4-A-BIRTH

Parenting Workshops

EFFECTIVE PARENTING FOR THE 90's is a five part workshop series presented by the Community Resource Center and Manchester's Drug Free Schools committee. The workshop is scheduled for February 15, 1995 6:45 at Emanuel United Church of Christ Dining room. Request for Information Forms are available in school offices, local churches, banks, and the Community Resource Center. Fill out the form and drop off or mail to the CRC. The cost is \$15.00 per person and \$10 for additional family members. Baby Sitting will be provided.

Pre-registration is important, so that enough materials are available for the class.

Workshop units will include information in the following areas:

- The importance of parents as role models
 - How to establish a basis for the development of capable people through nurturing and affirmation.
 - The importance of early effective parenting to prevent problem behavior from developing.
 - How to deal with specific behavioral issues such as curfews, grounding, and grades at school.
 - How to encourage the development of healthy self esteem
- Plus much, much more!

One comment from a parent who participated in the December workshop was, "I'm listening to my kids better. They are precious and I want to treat them that way. I appreciate them more and they talk to me more."

Another person remarked that in addition to affecting changes at home, you get to meet a lot of other parents and spend some pleasant evenings working together.

The goal of the workshop is to assist parents with development of skills that can be used in the day to day management of families while creating an environment of love, support, and encouragement for their children.

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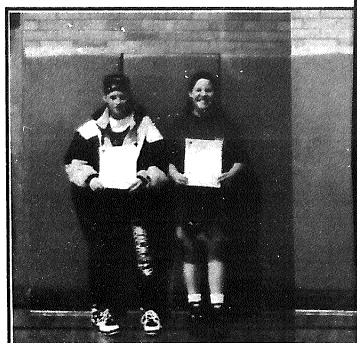
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Knights of Columbus Free Throw Champions



Ben Grenier, Age 13 Winner

Pat DuRussel & Ann Hinkley, Age 12 Winners



Brett Maki, Amy Preston, Age 11 Winners

The Knights of Columbus Fr. Edwin A. Fisher Council No 4354 held their free throw championship on Sunday, February 5th. Manchester's Champions, pictured here, were eligible to participate in the District Free Throw Contest which was held Saturday, February 11th at St. Elizabeth School in Tecumseh. Champions were: Boys, age 13: Ben Grenier (above, far left), Boys, age 12: Pat DuRussel; Girls, age 12 Ann Hinkley. Boys, age 11 Brett Maki; Girls, age 11 Amy Preston. Boys, age 10, Kevin Walter, and Girls, age 10 Megan Coutts (above, far left) Winners received \$10 gift certificates from Ollie's Main Street Pizza.


In the Free Throw Contest, each contestant is allowed by successive rounds of five free throws per contest. The Knights of Columbus is an international organization with over 1.5 million members in 10,000 chapters, donating over 40 million man-hours of volunteer time and benevolent causes, sponsoring programs to benefit communities, families and youth.

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Manchester Summer Little League

At the conclusion of the 1994 Manchester Summer Baseball/Softball season, coaches, parents and even the coordinator hired to direct the program expressed unhappiness of the state of our program. Throughout the fall of 1994, interested coaches and parents attended several meetings in which it was decided to reorganize our summer baseball/softball program.

In past years, the summer recreation department had hired a coordinator who

would oversee and direct the baseball/softball program. There had been five different coordinators in the previous six years. This had helped to foster a program lacking in direction, continuity, growth and instruction. Mr. John Riske has served as coordinator for the past two years; and he has had a positive impact. Through his honesty he has shed light on many of the problems we have mentioned above.

Last year there were about 370 children involved

in the summer baseball/softball program. As our community grows, so too will the number of children involved. To make this a positive experience for the children, we need your **Support, input, effort and patience** to accomplish the goal.

This year's board members are: President, Mark Roberts; Vice President, Ron Panches; Treasurer, Steve McCalla; Trustees Mike Leverett, Dennis Rose, Phil Maly, Wayne Tervo and Terry Walter.

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The Optimists held their annual Tri-Star Basketball Skills Contest for the 8-13 year old youths of Manchester on Sunday, February 5, in cooperation with the Knights of Columbus Free Throw Championship. Winners received trophies and all entrants received a participation patch.

First Place winners, pictured above left, are: Amy Preston, age 11; Michael Taddonio, age 8; Ryan Kee, age 12; Josh McCalla, age 9; Ben Grenier, age 13; and David Evilsizer, age 10.

Second Place winners, pictured above right, are: Brett Maki, age 11; Nathan Smith, age 9; Eric Walter, age 12; Brent Leverett, age 10; and Ted Roberts II, age 13.

Third Place winners, pictured at left, are: Jenny Lawson, age 11; Jonathan Schaible, age 9; Ann Hinkley, age 12; Michael Walter, age 10; and Traver Lucas, age 13.


The three skills which are covered in the contest are Passing, Dribbling and Shooting. Youths compete against others in their own age groups, and no special equipment or dress is required.

The Optimists, "Friend of Youth", enjoy holding these contests annually to teach the basic skills needed to succeed in these sports.

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Osinski-Tolen

John & Judy Osinski of Chelsea and James and Anita Tolen of Manchester announce the engagement of their children, Heather Osinski and Thomas Tolen. The couple plans an October 7, 1995 wedding.

Heather is a 1991 graduate of Chelsea High School, and will be graduating in Spring 1995 from Western Michigan University with a Bachelors in Business Administration. Tom, a 1989 graduate of Manchester High School, served four years in the US Navy on board the aircraft carrier USS America. His service included deployment to the Persian Gulf during Desert Shield and Desert Storm.

Campbell- Diuble Wedding



CAMPBELL-DIUBLE

Angela Campbell and Scott Diuble exchanged wedding vows August 13, 1994 at Bethel United Church of Christ in Manchester.

The ceremony, performed by Rev. Richard Hardy, united the daughter of Andrew and June Campbell of Manchester, with the son of Ronald and Peggy Diuble of Ann Arbor.

Honor attendants were Sherry Rickelmann, friend of the couple, of Roseville, California (formerly of Manchester) and Jeff Butts, friend of the couple, of Saline.

Serving as bridesmaids were Cheryl Blumenauer, friend of the couple, of Manchester; Denise Blumenauer, friend of the couple, of Manchester; Molly McGuire, friend of the couple, of Manchester; and Karla Lutton, friend of the couple, of Manchester. Tiffany Weisenreder of Saline, was the flower girl.

Groomsmen included Kevin Ernst, friend of the couple, of Ann Arbor; Dan Blumenauer, friend of the couple, of Manchester; Dan Campbell, brother of the bride, of Manchester; and Bryan Diuble, brother of the groom, of Ann Arbor. Ushers were Michael Diuble, brother of the groom, of Ann Arbor and Kevin Diuble, brother of the groom, of Ann Arbor. Justin Winter, cousin of the groom, of Saline, was the ring bearer.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the Washtenaw Farm Council Grounds in Saline. Hostesses for the reception were Kathy Feldkamp of Manchester, Jennifer Bailey of Manchester; and Lori Kind of Saline. The wedding cake was cut and served by Liz Swaney, the bride's aunt, of Saline; Linda Roberts, the groom's aunt, of Ohio; and Judy Balyeat, friend of the bride, of Tecumseh.

The newlyweds spent their honeymoon in the Caribbean on a cruise. They now reside in Manchester.

OLIVET COLLEGE FALL 1994 DEAN'S LIST RELEASED

Olivet College announces Senior Zoe Shurtliff of Manchester was named to the Fall 1994 Semester Dean's List. Shurtliff is among 123 Olivet College students who earned at least a 3.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.

Shurtliff is majoring in History and English and is the daughter of Ms Janet Shurtliff of Manchester. Shurtliff is a graduate of Manchester H.S.

Olivet College is a 150-year-old liberal arts college located in south central Michigan. The institution is in the process of implementing a new Academic Vision Education for Individual and Social Responsibility - with a comprehensive series of curricular and co-curricular initiatives called the Olivet Plan.

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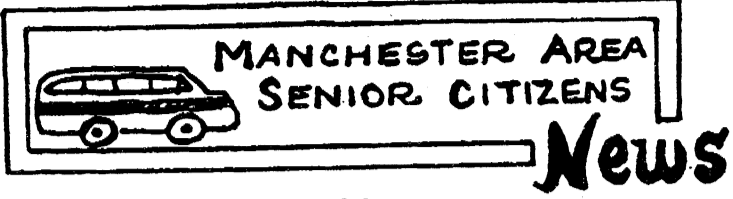
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Senior Citizens



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Thursday, February 16: Exercise is getting fun at the Center since Milda's back. In answering her question "How far do we have to go?", she was given some unusual quips. Come and enjoy while you grunt and groan a little to Pat Patrick's steady routine. It begins at 10:30 for 4 more sessions. Then, to Emanuel for lunch for seniors. Numbers of all who are 55 or older are growing and we welcome you, too. Our 'Mood Swing' lady cook is serving whatever her current mood dictates today, as it is Chef's Choice. Call Linda (ahead) at 428-8359, or Jan (before 10:30 on meal days) at 428-7630 to reserve your spot. Bingo follows at the Center, come.

Friday, February 17: Senior bus pickup begins at 6 PM to go to enjoy the Saline Senior Card Party. Call Erma Alber at 428-8707 and reserve on the bus. We do appreciate your many hours on the phone. Thanks, Erma.

Monday, February 20: A shopping trip is planned at Meijer's and Oak Valley Center in Ann Arbor. Bus pickup starts at 9 and you may go along by calling Erma.

Tuesday, February 21: We will have one of Jan and crew's specialties today—meat loaf. It sounds like something "We'd eat at home", no way! The servings you get are not what you'd dish out at home. They are big, big and you always have plenty to eat to go along with their entrees (talk of groaning because you've overdone). We honestly can't believe we get so much food for such a reasonable price of \$2.50! Bulk shopping and some more management we aren't aware of, we are told. You are missing out if you don't come. Come to the Center to help out with current activities at 12:30.

Thursday, February 23: Exercise Class begins at 10:30, see you there. Cooks will prepare chicken curry for our culinary enjoyment and you will love it. Then, on to bingo at the Center for all you who love it. Isn't it hard to believe that this month is nearly over? Of course, it is 2 or 3 days briefer in duration than other months, but where, oh, where do these months go? I'm eagerly awaiting the snowdrops' annual pushups through the snow. Come on, now!

Brooklyn Living Center to co-Sponsor Euchre Tournament

The Educational Foundation for Columbia School and the Brooklyn Living Center will be co-sponsoring their annual Euchre Tournament on Saturday, February 25, 1995 at 7:00 PM. The tournament will be held at Brooklyn Living Center, 151 Constitution Plaza in Brooklyn (right behind the Brooklyn Plaza).

Proceeds of the tournament will go directly into the general fund which supports school mini-grants, special projects, and the Annual Scholar Dinner for graduating seniors in High School. The Educational Foundation also awards college scholarships.

Two cash prizes of \$30.00 each will be given. The Brooklyn area businesses have been very supportive of this project and have donated prize money, refreshments, several door prizes and special items for a silent auction.

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LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION SCHOOL ELECTION

NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION OF THE ELECTORS OF MANCHESTER COMMUNITY SCHOOLS WASHTENAW AND JACKSON COUNTIES, MICHIGAN TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Please Take Notice that the Board of Education of Manchester Community Schools, Washtenaw and Jackson Counties, Michigan, has called a special election to be held in the school district on Monday, March 20, 1995.

TAKE NOTICE that the following proposition will be submitted at the special bond election:

BONDING PROPOSITION

Shall Manchester Community Schools, Washtenaw and Jackson Counties, Michigan, borrow the sum of not to exceed Three Million Eight Hundred Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$3,815,000) and issue its general obligation unlimited tax bonds therefor, for the purpose of erecting, furnishing and equipping an addition or additions to, partially remodeling, partially reequipping and acquiring and installing technology in and for the Luther C. Klager Elementary School and Nellie Ackerson Middle School buildings; and developing and improving the sites?

THE LAST DAY ON WHICH PERSONS MAY REGISTER WITH THE APPROPRIATE CITY OR TOWNSHIP CLERKS, IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE SPECIAL ELECTION CALLED TO BE HELD ON MONDAY, MARCH 20, 1995, IS TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1995. PERSONS REGISTERING AFTER 5 O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING ON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1995, ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE SPECIAL BOND ELECTION.

Persons planning to register with the respective city or township clerks must ascertain the days and hours on which the clerks' offices are open for registration.

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education of Manchester Community Schools, Washtenaw and Jackson Counties, Michigan.

Patricia Sahakian,
Secretary, Board of Education

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NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING SOUTH & WEST WASHTENAW CONSORTIUM

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT THERE WILL BE A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE SOUTH & WEST WASHTENAW CONSORTIUM, Governing Board of Superintendents, Saline, Michigan

DATE AND PLACE OF MEETING: February 15 - 8:00 a.m. at Pleasant Lake Technical Center

TELEPHONE NUMBER OF PRINCIPAL OFFICE OF THE SOUTH & WEST WASHTENAW CONSORTIUM: 662-9898

BOARD MINUTES ARE LOCATED AT THE PRINCIPAL OFFICE OF THE SOUTH & WEST WASHTENAW CONSORTIUM 11700 Pleasant Lake Road, Manchester, MI 48158

Recording Secretary,
Governing Board of Superintendents

FYI - This was received by the Enterprise office on Friday prior to publication. By the time our readers receive this issue, the meeting will already have occurred. But we thought the public needs to be aware of the meeting; the location of the minutes of these meetings; and the existence of a principal telephone number for the Consortium. - Ed.

Teacher Profiles

Mrs. Janice Little



Janice Little of Klager Elementary School teaches second grade. She has been teaching for 25 years, 23 of which have been in Manchester. The other two years she taught in Chelsea.

Mrs. Little attended MSU for 4 years. She became a teacher so that she could help young children become better learners. Her parents felt that she should go to college to better herself.

The best thing about teaching for Mrs. Little is working with children, which she has always loved to do. There is no down side to teaching for Mrs. Little. Ten years from now, she would like to see the results of her work and to see her three Grandchildren grow.

Thank you, Mrs. Little, for doing the job you love so well.

Mr. Richard Fielder



Richard Fielder has taught at the Middle School for 19 years now. He received his degree at Eastern Michigan University. He also earned his Master's Degree there.

According to Dick, the best thing about teaching is, "When you see a kid finally learn a concept that they have been struggling with." The worst part of teaching for Mr. Richard is coming across kids who don't want to learn.

Mr. Fielder became a teacher originally just to coach, but now enjoys teaching more than coaching. Ten years from now he plans on being retired. That will give him time to do even more community work. Thank you, Mr. Fielder, for all your effort and time! P. Chapin

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**REGULAR MEETING - FEBRUARY 20, 1995
MANCHESTER HIGH SCHOOL MEDIA CENTER
7:45 P.M.**

AGENDA

- I Call To Order/Pledge of Allegiance
 - II Roll Call of Board Members
 - III Secretary's Report
 - A. Minutes of Regular Meeting - January 16, 1995
 - B. Minutes of Special Meeting - February 6, 1995
 - IV Treasurer's Report
 - V Communication
 - A. Correspondence
 - B. Visitor Input
 - VI Old Business
 - VII New Business
 - A. Curriculum - Cultural & Aesthetic Awareness
- DARE Program (middle and high school)
 - B. Designate School Election Official
 - C. Appointment of Election Inspectors
 - D. Waiver of Membership
 - VIII Reports and Updates
 - A. Michigan Education Assessment Program
 - B. Accelerated Reader Program
 - C. Transportation Department
 - D. Recognition - Contributions to Middle School Library
 - IX Discussion Items
 - A. Board Policy - Weapons
 - X Other Business
 - XI Adjournment
- Special accommodations for persons with handicapping conditions will be provided if such persons will contact the Manchester Community Schools, 313/428-9711, in advance of the meeting.*

**Selections from
Mr. Krzyzaniak's & Mrs. Van
Raden's Fourth Grade
Composition Group**

There are four seasons in one year: Summer, Spring, Winter, Fall.

During Winter, snow is on the ground. Kids are building snowmen. Thicker blankets are on the beds. Icicles are on houses. It is too cold!

When Spring comes, all the flowers start to bloom. No more snow is on the ground. Birds and butterflies come to live again.

Next, Summer arrives. All the plants are green again. Kids are in pool all day. No more thick blankets are on the beds. It is too warm.

When Fall comes, no more leaves are on the trees. All the kids are raking leaves. The air is getting colder. Winter will be here soon.

- by Annie Ganger

My family and I enjoy doing activities together. Our family likes to go swimming. We like it. I like to jump off our deck. I do flips too. Mom and I like to walk with Devin. My Dad, every once in a while, takes me to the mall. Everything that our family does together is fun to me!

- By Dara Jose

My family and I enjoy doing activities together. We enjoy watching movies together. My brother and I enjoy playing Nintendo games together.

- by David Armstrong

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**Monday, February 20:
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Tuesday, February 21:
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Fruit Cocktail; milk.

Wednesday, February 22:
Beef Ravioli; Warm
Bread Stick; Mixed Vegetables;
Peach Half; milk

Thursday, February 23:
Chicken Patty on a bun;
tri-tators; vegetable sticks/
dip; cookie; milk.

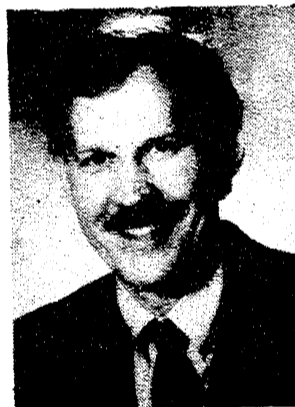
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**Middle School Students Named
Local Winners in Essay Contest**

Three students from Manchester Middle School in Manchester have been named local winners in the 26th annual America & Me Essay Contest, sponsored by Farm Bureau Insurance.

The three students, who earned the first, second and third place awards for their school, are Elise Geyer, first; April Dixon, second; and Cheryl Pfau, third. All three received award certificates for their achievement. As the school's first place winner, Elise Geyer's name will also be engraved on a plaque for permanent display in the school.

Elise's first place essay now advances to the state level competition, from which the top ten essays in Michigan will be selected. The top ten statewide winners, who will be announced in May, will receive plaques and U.S. savings bonds valued from \$500 to \$1,000. In addition, the top ten essayists will be honored at a banquet in Lansing and at a meeting with Michigan's top governmental leaders in late May.

A team of finalist judges that includes top governmental leaders will determine the top statewide winners.

Several thousand eighth grade students from almost 425 Michigan schools participated in the 1994-95 America & Me Essay Contest, which was conducted with the help of Farm Bureau Insurance agents across the state. The topic of the 1994-95 contest was "Why My Education Is Important To The Future Of America."

Started in 1968 and open to all Michigan eighth grade students, the contest encourages Michigan youngsters to explore their roles in America's future. As sponsor of the contest, Farm Bureau Insurance has earned 11 national awards from the Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge.

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A Big Thank You to Lisa and John Adams for taking care of my girls those two days, and all the help before and after.

The Biggest THANK YOU'S go to Michelle and Cheryl, for taking good care of me, and to my Mom and Dad, Bob and Lucille Trent, for being there before, during and after. I couldn't have done it without you!!

Sherry Barker

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Outstanding setting was also a major contribution to the win. Pam Preston was 89% with 25 successful sets. Carmen Kapa was 81% with 13 sets. Often, setters are "looked over" in the game of volleyball due to the excitement of hits and kills by other team members. However, setting is very important in maintaining continuous contact with the ball and providing a set ball for the hitters. Setters work hard to "save" balls, therefore, they must be quick and energetic. Our 3 designated setters (Pam Preston, Carmen Kapa, and Stefanie Schulz) are outstanding athletes and contrib-

ute unique skills that are required for setters in the sport of volleyball.

Excellent hitting and blocking attempts were made by: Michelle Schaible, 6 hits, 3 kills, and 1 block; Becky Butterfield, 4 hits and 2 blocks; and Stacy Mann, 3 hits, 4 kills, and 1 block. Successful passing contributions were made by Karen Goodell with 9 and Michelle Schaible with 4.

Many times statistics don't quite cover outstanding players who contribute to the success of teamwork. Ceara Brown excelled in all areas; serving 100% with 5 attempts and scoring 3 points. Joanna Dettling has improved throughout the season and recently has excelled as a front row hitter. She contributed 1 hit and 1 kill in the game against Columbia Central. Another key player is Sarah Gould. She contributes good passes, serves, hits, and most importantly teamwork. Ms. Gould is quite consistent and possesses outstanding athletic skills. She contributed 3 hits and 1 ace point. Lizzy Steele is a consistent passer and server. She assisted with 2 successful passes.

Varsity V-ballers go down

Last Thursday, the 9th, our Varsity Girls' Volleyball team faced the Addison Panthers at home.

The first game was tough for the Dutchwomen. The streaky behavior of Manchester caused the team to fall short.

The Dutchmen had to rebound in the second game to avoid an early defeat. The Lady Dutch turned up the heat and crushed the Panthers.

Now the match was to be decided in the third and final game. The Lady Dutch, after steamrolling Addison, dropped way behind, 13 - 5. Manchester's determination did not falter, however, and Manchester began coming back. Unfortunately the comeback was not enough and Manchester fell to the Panthers.

Manchester's next game is Saturday at Pickney. Be there to support your Dutchmen.
-Patrick Chapin

Manchester Wrestling

With Parent's Night over, we decided to get down to some wrestling with Grass Lake, jumping out to a huge 24-5 lead after Jay collected five points dominating his foe. This will be the last home win of his Manchester career; he's still trying to close in on his hundredth win.

Ryan Eiss was our next winner as he came out with a big pin in the third period against a tough warrior. This, however, would be the last match for both the brothers, as well as for Steve Spurr for the week. All three would miss league because of the flu which really hurt, considering all three had a chance to win their weight classes. Bryan Duvall looked really good, as he tore apart a kid he had really never dominated before. But things were different this time, as a technical felled him by a score of 16-0 in the second period.

Joe Tobias brought us even closer with a pin. By this time the score was reading 30-22 in favor of Grass Lake with only four weight classes left.

Dustin Williams had his kid on his back for the whole first period but he couldn't quite finish him off; still getting his three points for a 7-2 victory. Ed Cruz knew what he had to do, and he pulled through for the team as he got an early first period pin to bring us ahead by a point. Knowing that we had to give up another 6 at 215, it came down to the heavy weight. With the big crowd that turned out, getting to the last couple matches we narrowed the margin. Brian Ash stepped out on the mat and pinned as the crowd went crazy. We came from behind in our most exciting match of the year, finish-

ing our regular season record at 9-9.

As Saturday came rolling along we took eight kids to Napoleon where we did well, bringing home two league champions.

Bryan Duvall beat Mike Burkhardt of East Jackson 4-3 in a close and exciting final, giving Bryan his second career League crown. Brian Ash also brought home the gold as he pinned both of his opponents on the way to his title. Joe Tobias came close but couldn't quite pull off the upset as he lost 4-3 in the finals to Jeff Schwartz of Napoleon who was a State qualifier last year. Our only other placer on the day was Ed who fought off the flu and came back to get revenge for an early season loss, advancing to the finals where he fell 10-3 in a match where he really gained a lot of confidence. Considering the kid beat him by 14 points last time they wrestled. Even though our other three wrestlers didn't place, they all wrestled hard. They were Adam Corwin, Severin Ritter and Dustin Williams.

Next week we've got our Districts. If we don't fare well there, it could be a short season for some of the kids. Hopefully we wrestle well in team Districts on Wednesday at Grass Lake. The meet starts at 5:00 so we can still practice as a team, even if some of our kids don't make it out of Individuals on Saturday at Napoleon, which starts at 10:00.

In closing I would like to thank everybody who came up to our last home meet and really brought excitement to the match. I think that really makes the kids feel good to see that many people cheering them on. Hope to see you at next week's big events.

Middle School Volleyball

The Middle School 7th Grade Volleyball team scrimmaged with Michigan Center last Monday. For the purposes of the scrimmage, the teams played 10-minute periods.

After six sets, the Seventh Grade girls were elated to be declared the victors in their first outing. The scores were 15-4, 9-5, 11-5, 4-9, 10-4, and 11-8.

Scoring was led by Chrissy Abbott with 15, followed by Diana Dillon - 8, Rhonda Johnson and Brandy Aiken - 5, Ellen Supers, Kari Binder and Meghann Way with 4 apiece, Erin Wiley, Annie Hinkley, and Danielle Croghan with 3, Elizabeth Sodt and Rachel Fleck with 2 points and Erin Fox with 1.

The girls are coached by Angie Diuble.

Manchester Freestyle Wrestling Club

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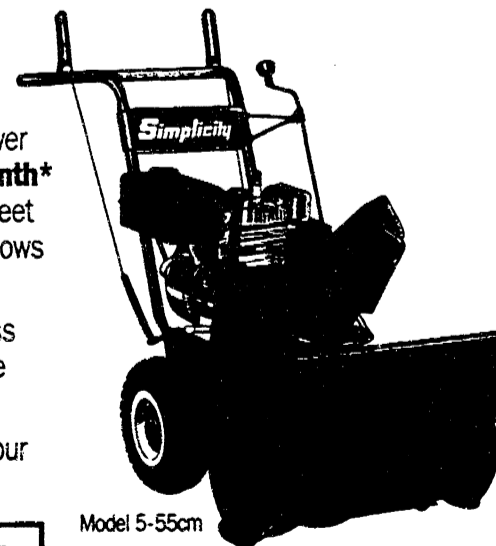
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