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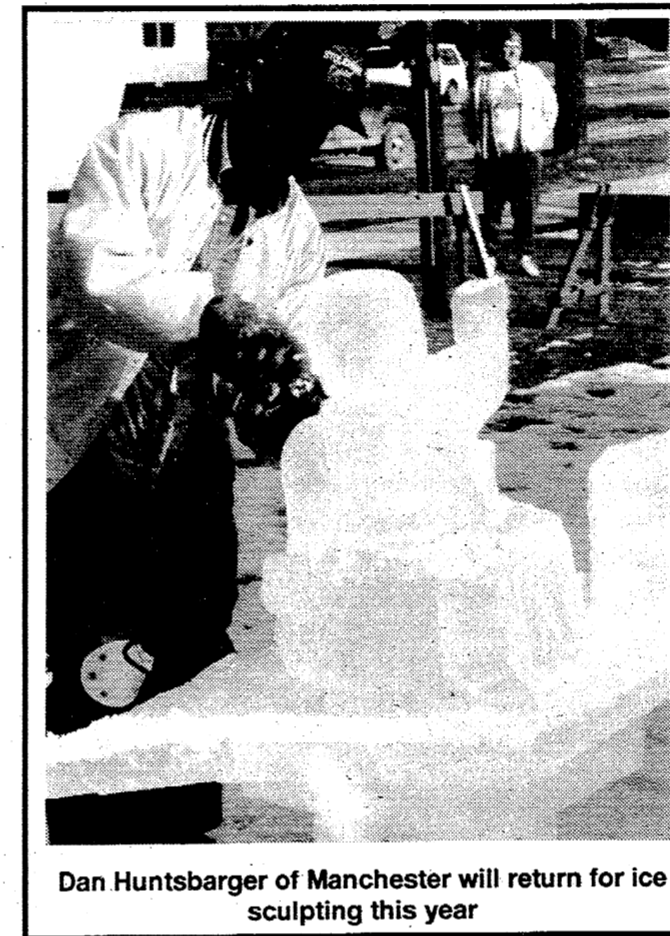
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Winter Festival This Weekend

H3 Mill Run Returns for a Second Lap

- Marsha Johnson Chartrand



Dan Huntsbarger of Manchester will return for ice sculpting this year



MORE KIDS! This year participation by High School and Middle School students is encouraged - and Manchester's youth will benefit from a donation to the Athletic Boosters

This Saturday, February 17th is the day that Manchester turns into an old-fashioned "Victorian Village" for the day. Victorian themes abound throughout the town as the Chamber of Commerce sponsors a day to make venturing out in winter's chill worth your while.

Start your day by polishing up and sharpening your ice skates and take yourself for a spin on the rink in Wurster Park. While you're resting there by the gazebo, take a gander at the ice sculptors who will be beginning their work. Five ice

sculpting artists will be here this year to create a variety of beautiful works which remain on display at the park as long as the weather allows.

At 10:00 you will want to walk over to Emanuel Church where around 25 artisans and crafters will be setting up their wares, and the Women of Emanuel will have coffee and hot cocoa brewing for you and the vendors, along with coffee cake and pastries.

Then walk off all those goodies with a stroll back through downtown and stop in at the variety of Main Street and Mill area shops which will be featuring specials and, of course, the warm old-fashioned hospitality that is characteristic of Manchester. A special treat will be to drop in and watch Deputy Carlos Garcia work his magic at Calamity Jane's for the young and young at heart.

Before heading back to Emanuel Church for a delicious homemade lunch, stop in at the Blacksmith Shop and watch live demonstrations by Blacksmith Tim Armentrout and learn a little about the history and heritage of his skill. Samples of the blacksmith's art will be available for sale

Comedy Night at Haarer's will provide a fun and relaxing end to the day. A sumptuous

Are you ready for an early spring sprint or stroll through Manchester? If so, you may want to sign up for Manchester's second annual H3 Mill Run.

This year's event will build on the overwhelming success of last year's renewal of the 1980's Mill Run. Last year over 150 runners and walkers, attracted mostly by H3's out-of-town publicity, enjoyed the opportunity to participate in one of Michigan's earliest runs of the season. This year, with more local participation, organizer Chris Brooks hopes to put that number in excess of 200 participants and looks forward to raising \$1,000 which will be channelled directly to Manchester Schools Athletic programs.

The Athletic Boosters will be the recipients of the proceeds of the run and have planned to purchase much-needed hurdles for the track team. The donation from the Mill Run will bring this goal closer to a reality.

In addition, Manchester youth will receive an added boost as a student group will host the all-you-can-eat Breakfast held for runners, their families, and anyone else who would like to attend. For race participants and children under 6, the breakfast is free. Everyone else pays just \$3.50.

The \$15 entry fee includes a four-color long sleeve t-shirt,

and Middle School runners will each receive a special trophy - only fitting, indicates Brooks, because the kids deserve a special tribute for running in this race.

After the race, a cross country fun run and get together will be held for the over-21 crowd hosted by the HHH running club with free food and beverage afterward.

Get out your running shoes and head for the starting gate at 11:00 AM, Sunday, March 3rd for the one-mile fun run and at 11:15 for the five mile race. The Manchester Mill Run is co-sponsored by Parke Davis and the Ann Arbor/Motown HHH in memory of Elvin Johnson.

Five mile age group winners in Male and Female categories will win a signed original matted race print, created by local artist, Bill Shurtliff. The print will be inscribed with the runner's name and time. "These prizes, in addition to our excellent t-shirt, are a great drawing card for runners," says Brooks. "Everyone is running to win, so they can get one of Bill's prints." Also first place male and female High School

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Community Calendar

Scheduled Meetings

Bridgewater Twp.
Doug Parr Supervisor
428 - 8243
Karen Weidmayer, Clerk
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 First Tuesday
of all even numbered months

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, clerk
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
Meeting:
3d Monday 7:30
M.H.S. Media Center
Superintendent - Ron
Niedzwicki 428-9711
Village of Manchester
Larry Becktel President
Jeff Wallace Manager
428-7877
Village Council Meets
1st & 3d Monday, 7:00

The Community Calendar is a regular feature of the Enterprise. If your meetings or special events should be listed here, please call us at 428-8173.

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COMMUNITY EVENTS

Monday
1st Monday: Manchester Township Library Board meets 7:30 pm.
1st Monday: Manchester Masonic Lodge, business meeting 7:30
1st & 3rd Monday: Manchester Village Council, 7:00
2nd Monday: Bridgewater Township Planning Commission meets 7:30
2nd Monday: Manchester Knights of Columbus meets 8:00 PM. Guy Little, Grand Knight
2nd Monday: Manchester Township Board meets 8:00
2nd & 4th Mondays: Manchester Optimist Club
3rd Monday: School Board meets MHS Media Center 7:30

Tuesday
2nd Tuesday: Freedom Township board meets 8:00

Wednesday
1st Wednesday: Raisin Valley Land Trust, at the Blacksmith Shop, 7:30 PM

Thursday
1st Thursday: Sharon Township Board meets 8:00
1st Thursday: American Legion Post#117, meets 7:30
2nd or 3rd Thursday: Sharon Township Planning Commission

Friday
1st Friday: Veterans of Foreign Wars, 7:30 pm
2nd Friday: American Legion Auxiliary 7:30 PM
2nd Friday: Manchester Recreation Task Force, 7:30 at Blacksmith Shop.
2nd & 4th Fridays: Manchester Area Home-schooler's Network. Call Tina at 428-0576.
3rd Friday: Manchester Men's Club 7:30 PM
3rd Friday: WIC Program, 9:30-3:00 Senior Citizens Bldg.
3rd Friday: Bridgewater Township Board, 8: PM
4th Friday: Manchester Township Fire Department meeting, 7:30 PM

Saturday
1st & 3rd Saturdays: Manchester Kiwanis meets at Whistle Stop, 7:30 AM Breakfast; 8:00 AM Business meeting

Notices
BREAKFAST at the American Legion, (first Sunday of each month) 8 AM till noon; \$3.50 per person.
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The Second Front Page Teaching Discipline

In House Suspension Comes to MHS

by Lois Hochstetler

You are in the conference room in the library. You are there to do your school work and there is a teacher sitting there to make sure you do your work. There is no sleeping, there is no talking, there is no letter writing. It is called "In House Suspension" - an innovative idea whose time has come.

In the past students who misbehaved were given detentions. If a student kept getting detentions for the same offense, the student could get suspended from school. That suspension included getting zeros for the day's assignments and being out of the school for that day(s). But was that bad? Some students may have liked getting "a day off". Their suspension might mean they got to sleep late, stay home all day, eat whatever was in the house and watch as much TV as one could want. If the student had the opportunity, going uptown and fooling around might be an option. It is felt that some students liked getting suspended to have a free day.

In house suspension's goal is to keep students in school, while helping with discipline. Does Manchester have a discipline problem? "Disrespect to teachers and skipping classes and school is our main problem," Mr. Easley told me.

Manchester tried to incorporate in house suspensions earlier this year, by making the student sit in Mr. Easley's or Mr. Korican's office. That did not work well as these men have so many interruptions and people visiting them that most of the students thought it was fun.

Beginning in February Manchester hired a paraprofessional to sit in the conference room with these students. Mr. Greg Smith is a certified teacher who used to substitute teach at Chelsea. Chelsea has a successful in house suspension program and he was familiar with it. For the first semester, Mr. Smith taught here in Manchester, teaching Mr. Korican's social studies classes. Since he has spent a semester here and got to know some of the students he felt he wanted to stay at Manchester. Mr. Smith is there to see that the students do their work. In house suspension is not a tutoring service, although Mr. Smith does get assignments from teachers so he knows what these kids are supposed to be doing.

The state of Michigan awarded Manchester Community Schools a grant for the 1995-96 school year to increase our support for "at risk" students. Receiving money from the state depended on criteria being met by

Manchester students. Some of that criteria was; low MEAP scores, low or irregular attendance, the percentage of students receiving free or reduced lunches.

Cheryl Call is the coordinator for the At Risk program, and according to Mr. Easley, "She did most of the work in getting this program going by applying and getting the money from the state." What are Manchester students "at risk" for? Mainly for not passing and dropping out of school. In house suspension keeps them in school. It lets them get their work done so they don't get zeros for the day's work.

Manchester uses a progressive discipline approach. Detentions are used first. If the student continues the same misbehavior he/she could be sent to in house suspension. Some misbehavior is serious enough that a student might be sent directly to in house

suspension right away. Of course some behavior is serious enough that the student would be suspended from school. The ultimate goal of in house suspension would be to see students remaining in school but not being in detentions or in house suspensions. Ms Call said; "We expect to see a lot of kids in the in house suspension program, until word gets around that this is not the place to be."

Also they are implementing a system to keep track of the students - the detentions they serve, the in house and out of school suspensions that occur. By tracking these incidences they may be able to detect behavior problems and in turn help the student.

Workshops are being planned. If you filled out the survey that came home with your child's report card, you have helped. In house suspension is one aspect of the at risk program, workshops are another. All of these are used to promote schools and families working together to support students. Helping the students succeed is really what this program is all about.

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Editorial / Opinion Page



Out & About

- by gar

We have lost another golfer and friend, Don Fielder. A true gentleman and sportsman, it was always a great pleasure to play a round of golf with Don. It did not matter whether he was an opponent, match partner or just knocking the ball around with him in the same foursome.

Don was competitive and always gave a round of golf his best effort. When a person was playing with or against him it was a foregone conclusion that Don would score in the 80's. Usually around 82 to 84 and that is excellent golf - but as Dave Little related he could break par and

often did when playing against me, "Cleaned my clock," as Dave related.

Don would hit his tee shot with a little fade, some might call it a controlled slice, (that is when the ball goes from left to right). He took great delight in that shot when it was hit the way he wanted to.

The thing that we all admired about Don was that he never lost his cool or gave up the battle on the golf course. Apparently he fought the Big "C", the same way and battled it to the end. A real gentleman on and off the course who gave it his all.

Don we miss you and hope to see you on the big golf course in the sky. God Bless.

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.

To the Editor: Marsha Chartrand's fine story about the Haab brothers and their Pleasant Lake Hardware Store brought back memories, since I grew up at Pleasant Lake, attended the school mentioned in the article, and even cast my first vote in the old town hall—where my father, Will Reno, who was the township clerk

for many years, counted ballots until late in the night after each election.

One item, though, I would like to add to the story: On the outside walls of the Hardware Store one can still see traces of original church windows, because after the Freedom Evangelical congregation consolidated with the church at M52 and Pleasant Lake Road, they ceased having services in this building, and later it was moved south a half-mile (from the place where its cemetery is still in use) to the site of what later became the Haab brothers' Hardware Store. The congregation left in the 1920's.

Enjoyed Rose Winright's recounting of country school life in the same issue (2/8/96), too, because I was attending Pleasant Lake School—with Margaret Roller Dresselhouse as my teacher—during the same years. Rose and I were classmates at Manchester High School.

I believe THE ENTERPRISE serves its community well when it continues to print stories of people's heritage as well as items of current concern.

Elaine (Reno) Watson

Mr. Editor, I would like to thank Mr. Achtenberg for reading my article. I work hard on my articles and it is nice to know that someone is reading them. As a writer I take responsibility for everything I put into print, and hope I am professional enough to accept constructive criticism.

However, I must reply to your attack on Mr. Diedrich. Mr. Diedrich DID purchase a computer for his own personal use. I did not ask him where he bought it. I believe there are many stores in the Ann Arbor area that sell computers. Also, Mr. Diedrich was astute enough to be in contact with the software company, Howard & Smith, Inc. They were willing to install the AUTO/CAD system on his personal computer. Why spend hours at school when you have the tools of the trade in your own home?

As a Manchester resident I believe in supporting Manchester merchants, and I apologize for not including the fact that the school's computers were purchased from Woodbrook.

Lois Hochstetler

Manchester Enterprise: After discussing my letter printed in the February 8, 1996 issue of the Enterprise with Mr. Diedrich, please print the following clarification:

Mr. Diedrich, as a member of the Technology Committee of the Manchester Community Schools, was led to believe that the computers for the high school drafting lab would be delivered in March of 1995, well before the end of school. This would have allowed him time to learn the new software before the end of school. The date had to be delayed, since the funds for the computers were in the 1995-96 budget, not the 1994-95 budget. This meant the purchase order could not be issued until July 1, 1995, well after the summer vacation had begun. Like most teachers, Mr. Diedrich is not paid to work over the summer and generally is not at school until classes resume in the fall. He did, however, come to the school on occasion to check on the progress of the drafting room changes. The computers were delivered to the high school on July 17. Since the drafting room remodeling had not been completed, the computers were placed in temporary storage in another room. Mr. Diedrich was not aware the computers had been delivered until late August, when a training system was set up in his office (the remodeling still was not complete).

James C. Achtenberg
Woodbrook Enterprises, Inc.

Local Government

SHARON TOWNSHIP PROPOSED SYNOPSIS REGULAR BOARD MEETING

FEBRUARY 1, 1996

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 p.m. by Supervisor John A. Savage. All other Board Members were present along with Planning Secretary Cole and Zoning Officer Wilson. There were 5 residents present.

Minutes of the 1/4/96 meeting were read by the Clerk and approved.

The Treasurer's Report was read by Treasurer Dunny and approved. January interest earned from all accounts was \$1,071.63. There were 2 fire or rescue runs billed to the township during January.

The use of credit cards for the payment of property taxes was discussed. Motion made, supported, and carried the Treasurer refuse credit card payment for taxes and The Township Board take full responsibility for this action.

Investigation found that constables need to be elected rather than appointed. The township has not elected constables since 1980 because of

their very limited authority. The possibility of a Zoning Enforcement Officer was discussed and tabled.

The Supervisor and Trustees will meet on 2/16 with The Washtenaw County Road Commission to discuss road improvements for Sharon Township for 1996.

Zoning Officer Wilson reported no zoning permits issued during January.

Planning Secretary Cole stated the MacDonald application for a kennel was approved by the Planning Commission on January 18. Ms. MacDonald was informed a variance would be necessary because of the location of the buildings.

Roger Kappler will be Planning Chairman, replacing Tom Lavender.

Motion made and supported the Board approve Sharon Planning Commission and County Planning Commission recommendations to reaffirm Wacker Zoning, accept the Zoning Map, Ser Gem Plan, and an amend-

ment to Article 3, Section 3.11. Roll call vote as follows: Savage - Yes; Haselschwerdt - Yes; Dunny - Yes; Feldkamp - Yes; Blumenauer - Yes. Motion carried.

The Zoning Board of Appeals had no report.

Hiring a consultant for the Planning Commission to study lot size was discussed.

Christmas in April will be held on April 27, in the Manchester area. Anyone knowing of Sharon Township residents that need help should call John Savage before February 23.

Various other letters were read requiring no board action.

Outstanding bills were presented and all ordered paid.

Being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 9:30 p.m. by the Supervisor.

SUBMITTED BY: DUANE R. HASELSCHWERDT, CLERK
APPROVED BY: JOHN A. SAVAGE, SUPERVISOR

NOTICE SHARON TOWNSHIP APPROVED CLARIFICATIONS FOR ZONING

The following clarifications and new re-adoption in regard to Sharon Township Zoning were approved by a unanimous roll call vote by The Sharon Township Board. This was during the Regular Monthly Meeting held on Thursday, February 1, 1996. A public hearing in regard to these items was held on October 19, 1995 by the Sharon Township Planning Commission. They recommended approval as did The Washtenaw County Planning Commission after review.

- (1) Reaffirm the current zoning classification of C-1 Convenience Commercial at the southwest corner of M-52 and Pleasant Lake Road.
- (2) Re-adoption of entire Zoning Map.
- (3) Re-adoption of entire Zoning Ordinance Text with typographical and procedural errors corrected.
- (4) One new amendment is added, this being Article 3 General Provisions, Section 3.11 Access to Public Streets paragraph B, is changed to read that an access easement of record can now serve 4 dwelling units instead of 2 and not more than 1 principal structure other than a dwelling unit in the A-1, R-C or R-2 Districts. Farm operations and buildings are exempt from this provision. In addition all access easements of record in commercial or industrial districts will be subject to site plan review.

These items as stated will all take effect thirty (30) days from date of this publication.
DATED: THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1996
DUANE R. HASELSCHWERDT, SHARON TOWNSHIP CLERK

Last Day to Register to Vote Tuesday, February 20, 1996 for PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY ELECTION Tuesday, March 19, 1996

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Date: 2/8/96, 2/15/96

Public Hearing Freedom Township Planning Commission Thursday, February 29, 1996

The Freedom Township Planning Commission will hold a public hearing to consider the request of Titus & Betty Schneider to re-zone a 1.15 acre parcel of land from C-1, Commercial, to R-1, Residential. The property is located at 11515 Pleasant Lake Road and is south of the parcel currently occupied by Fredonia Grocery.

The Public Hearing will be at 7:30 PM at the Freedom Township Hall, 11508 Pleasant Lake Road. Written Comments may be made by addressing them to Chairman Stanley Tschiltz, 34012 Haab Road, Ann Arbor, MI 48103.

Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact the Freedom Township Board by writing or calling the Township Clerk at (313) 428-7241, 13785 Pleasant Lake Road, Manchester, MI 48158.

Planning Commission Secretary
Bob Miller 2/8, 2/15

Public Notice Presidential Primary

PEGGY M. HAINES, Washtenaw County Clerk/Registrar, would like to remind citizens that the last day to register to vote for the March 19th Presidential Primary Election is February 20, 1996. Qualified electors may register at their local City or Township Clerk's office, the County Clerk/Registrar's Office, or at any Secretary of State's Office.

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ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH—Pastor David Hendricks; 3050 S Fletcher Road, Chelsea; Church Office 475-8064, Susan Wiley, Secretary 428-7268. Sunday School 9:15 AM; Worship 10:15AM

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ST. JOHN'S UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST—Rev. Nancy Doty, Pastor; 12376 Waters Road, Waters and Fletcher Roads, Rogers Corners; Worship and Sunday School 9:30AM

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UNITY CHURCH OF JACKSON—3385 Miles Road, Ackerson Lake, Jackson, MI, 517-764-6900; 11:00 a.m. Sunday Services and Sunday School.

COMMUNITY BIBLE CHURCH
THURSDAY, February 15: AWANA for children ages 3-6th grade, 6:30-8:30 PM
Sunday, February 18: Worship Service 10:00 AM; Sunday School 11:30 AM.

MANCHESTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
WEDNESDAY February 14: 3:15 PM Scouts; 7:30 PM Care & Share
THURSDAY, February 15: 7:00 p.m. Ad Council
SATURDAY, February 17: 5:00 & 7:30 p.m. SR. HIGH UMYF SPAGHETTI DINNER
SUNDAY, February 18: 9:00 a.m. Sunday School; 10:00 a.m. Youth Choir; 10:30 a.m. Worship; 11:45 a.m. Choir Practice; 6:30 p.m. Hymn Sing at Chelsea Retirement Community
TUESDAY, February 20: 5:00 p.m. UMM PANCAKE SUPPER
WEDNESDAY, February 21: 1:00 p.m. U.M.W.; 7:00 p.m. Christmas in April Meeting; 7:30 p.m. ASH WEDNESDAY COMMUNITY WORSHIP AT ST. JOHN'S UCC

BETHEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
Thursday, February 15: No Choir Rehearsals
Sunday, February 18: 9:30 AM Worship Service; 3 & 4 Kdg Sunday School; 8:45 AM Confirmation Class attending St. Mary's - Manchester; 10:30 AM Sunday School grades 1-8; 6:00 PM Confirmation Class meets
Monday, February 19: 7:45 PM Senior Choir
Tuesday, February 20: 6:15 Fastnacht Potluck & Variety Show - sponsored by Women's Circle
Wednesday, February 21: Ash Wednesday Service at St. John's UCC - Rev. Hardy, speaker

Members of Emanuel to Purple Rose Theatre
Monday, February 19: 3:30 PM Children's Choir; 7:00PM Cub Scouts; 7:30 PM Window Restoration meeting
Tuesday, February 20: 12 Noon Sr. Meal; 7:00 PM Boy Scouts; 7:00 PM Church Council
Wednesday, February 21: 12 Noon Ash Wednesday Services at Emanuel UCC; 6:30 PM Daisies; 7:00 PM PASS Meeting; 7:30 PM Ash Wednesday Service at St. John's UCC

ST. THOMAS LUTHERAN CHURCH
Wednesday, February 14: Evening Informal Worship & Bible Study Service 7:30 PM
Saturday, February 17: Bible Study on Basic Christian Belief, 10:AM
Sunday, February 18: Sunday School 9:30 AM; Worship Service 10:45 AM

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN, BRIDGEWATER
Wednesday, February 14: Junior Choir, 6:30; Bell Choir, 7 PM; Senior Choir, 8:30
Thursday, February 15: Men's Bible Study, 8 PM
Friday, February 16: Chrismos Workshop, 9:30 AM
Sunday, February 18: Sunday School, 9:15 AM; Worship, 10:30 AM
Monday, February 19: Church Council, 7:30 PM
Wednesday, February 21: Junior Choir, 6:30; Bell Choir, 7 PM; Senior Choir, 8:30

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH
Thursday, February 15: 10 AM Washtenaw Cluster meeting at St. Phil.
Saturday, February 17: 4:30 PM Non member wedding
Sunday, February 18: 9:00 AM Sunday School for all ages; 10:15 AM Worship Boy Scout Sunday
Monday, February 19: 7:30 PM Stephen Ministry
Tuesday, February 20: 10 AM Sewing Activity Day with noon potluck; 5:30-6:30 PM Pancake Supper; 7:30 PM Senior Choir
Wednesday, February 21: 1:00 PM Ash Wednesday Service with Holy Communion; 7:30 PM Ash Wednesday Service

OBITUARY

Grover Cleveland Rose
 Grover C. Rose, age 70, died Saturday February 10, 1996 after a brief illness. He was born October 18, 1925 in Tazewell, Tenn. the son of Thomas W. and Lillie J. (Bailey) Rose. In September of 1956 he married Anna M. Williams and she survives. He resided in Manchester for over 30 years and is survived by six children: Thomas W. Rose of Manchester, Jane (Michael) Finkbeiner of Saline, Kathy Rose (Kevin O'Mara) of Brooklyn, Brenda (Scott) Dolan of Clinton, Linda (Tom) Applegate of Bradenton, FL and Treasa Rose of Manchester. Also surviving are three grandchildren: Michael Finkbeiner, Emery Rose, Danielle Dolan and step-grandchild David Applegate. Grover is preceded in death by his parents and a brother Bill.

Grover enjoyed hunting and fishing, growing large gardens and he loved spending time with his family, especially, his grandchildren. Cremation has taken place and a memorial service will be held on Thursday February 15, 1996 at 7 PM at St. James United Church of Christ in Saline with Rev. Sherry Schacht officiating. At the family's request, in lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Arbor Hospice. Arrangements by Robison-Bahnmler Funeral Home in Saline.

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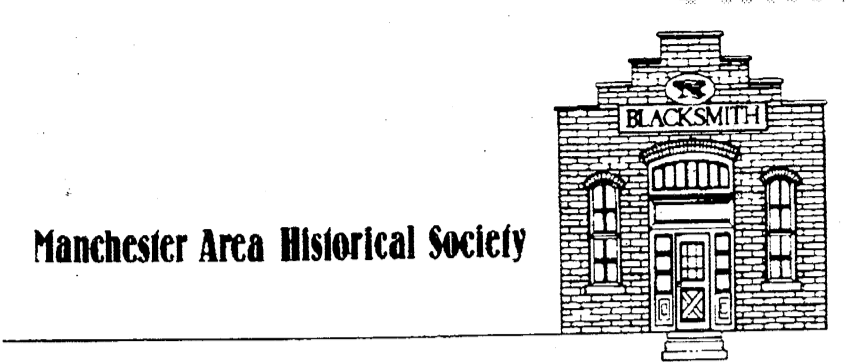
Announcements

Food Gatherers

sponsored by Manchester Family Services for Manchester Residents

Wednesday, February 21

St. Mary Parish Hall on Madison St. 3:00-5:30 PM



The Manchester Area Historical Society will host a demonstration on the Blacksmith's Art, by Tim Armentrout. In addition to the demonstration, he will share historical background and perhaps stories associated with our blacksmith shop.

The program is scheduled for Tuesday, February 20, at 7:30 PM. This is a regular meeting of the Manchester Area Historical Society, for all to participate. Visitors and potential new members are especially encouraged to attend. Refreshments will be served afterward.

Manchester's Community Ash Wednesday Service will be held on Wednesday, February 21, at 7:30 PM at St. John's United Church of Christ at Rogers Corners (12376 Waters Road, Chelsea).

Rev. Thom Davenport of Manchester United Methodist Church, Rev. Nancy Doty of St. John's UCC, Rev. Dr. Vincent Carroll of Emanuel UCC, Rev. Peggy Paige of Sharon United Methodist Church and Rev. Richard Hardy of Bethel UCC will participate in this service of penitence which marks the beginning of the Lenten season in the Christian year.

The message, "Ashes and Skunk Farms," will be delivered by Rev. Richard Hardy. The community is invited to participate in this worship opportunity, which includes the dispensation of Ashes.

St. John's Church is located 3 miles north of Pleasant Lake Road just off Fletcher Road in Freedom Township.

BETHEL APPROVES NEW ADDITION

At the 156th Annual Congregational Meeting of the Bethel United Church of Christ held on January 21 members voted to build a new addition and elevator costing approximately \$310,000. This vote concludes a five year study process. Bridgewater Lumber Company and Schindler Elevator Corporation receives bids to commence in the Spring of this year.

The two-floor addition will be attached to the West side of the existing office and class room areas and will provide a court yard entry to the church. Along with the commercial, handicap accessible elevator will be a great room, kitchen, five new class rooms, bathrooms, lounge, closet and mechanical rooms. Already one-third of the cost is raised by the congregation. "This is the first major addition for the church since the Annex in 1965," comments Board President Steve Kuebler, "and responds to the growing needs of a 400 member congregation."

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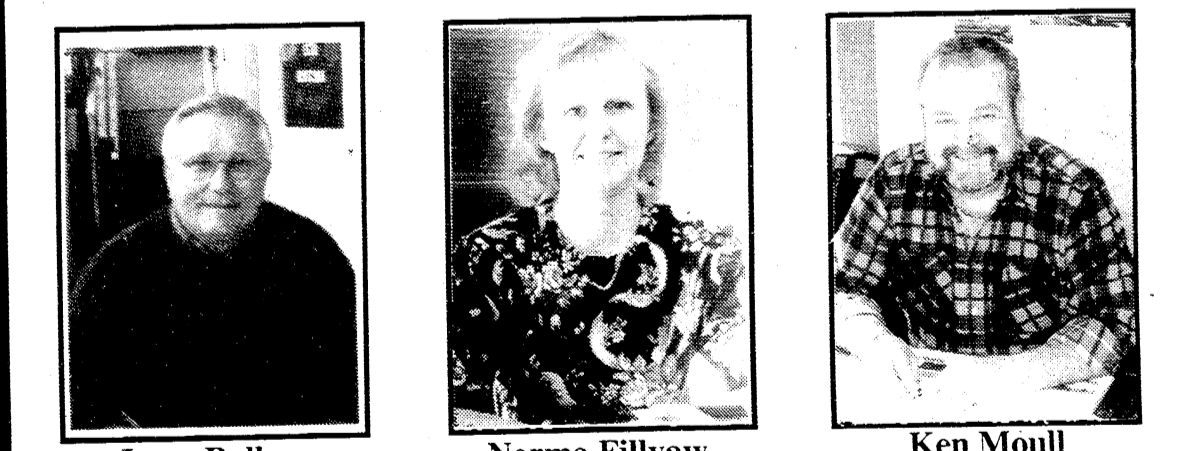
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What's a Paczki?

It's not just another donut!

People may not agree on how to pronounce them, but all are gathering up to gobble up Paczki on Fat Tuesday, the day before Ash Wednesday. Emigrants of Poland pronounce them "Pooch-key" or "Punch-key" or even "Poonch-key;" all are correct.

These round, sugar coated, fruit filled Polish pastries were served up annually on the day before Lent, a period of abstinence observed by Roman Catholics. Originally, Paczki were made for practical reasons, to use up the lard and eggs which were prohibited during Lent. Now, they're more of a last-minute binge of sweets before the sacrifice. Whatever the past, all enjoy the tasty treat of Paczki, which means "Little Package" in Polish.

The new world version, like the old, is an extra large doughball, rich in egg yolks and deep fried, just like a donut.



It's overfilled with raspberry, strawberry, custard, lemon or even the traditional filling of prune. Then it's topped with a smooth sugar glaze or rolled in fine granulated sugar. It's 100% quality or it's not!

Paczki! And don't ask about the calories; you just don't want to know.

Paczki on Paczki Day are becoming what chocolate is to St. Valentine's day and what pumpkin pie is to Thanksgiving as many people share them with friends, families and co-workers. In previous years, bakeries claimed Halloween as the traditional season that sold the most donut treats, now areas of the country show that "Paczki" sales surpass even their #1 bakery sales holiday of Christmas.

- from Chuck & Sandy at Bakers Dozen

Mardi Gras History and Traditions

Mardi Gras (meaning "Fat Tuesday" in French) is another name for the Christian holiday Shrove Tuesday. Mardi Gras as we know it has been celebrated for as long as three centuries, but there have been celebratory feasts around this time of year for much longer. The rituals of Mardi Gras symbolize the beginning of a new year, the transition from winter to summer, and the conflict between death/rebirth and darkness/light.

New Orleans' Mardi Gras began in the 1740s with grand balls marking the end of Carnival season, on the eve of Lent. As befits its origins in the *Carnelevamen*, the debauched "farewell to flesh", however, from early days it was known for cavorting, outrageous costumes, drinking and general bacchanalia. It has developed into a unique celebration, inextricably linked with the city's complex social structures.

It was the birth of the hewe system - with the unexpected appearance in 1857 of a stately moonlit procession calling itself the *Krewe of Comus*, *Merrie Monarch of Mirth* - that really gelled Mardi Gras in New Orleans, bringing together the populist street festivities and the elite social functions. Initiated by a group of Anglo-Americans, the idea of secret carnival clubs was taken up enthusiastically by New Orleans aristocracy, many of them right-wing supremacists who after the Civil War used the shroud of secrecy to mock and undermine Reconstruction. About sixty different krewes now equip colourful floats, leading processions on different - often mythical - themes. These themes, and the identity of the King and Queen (usually an older, politically powerful

man and debutante), are completely unknown outside the krewes until the big day.

Not all krewes are aristocratic; there are women-only krewes, "populist" ones open to anyone who can afford to join, and also three important black groups. The best known is Zulu, established in 1909 when a black man mocked Rex, King of Carnival, by dancing behind his float with a tin can on his head. They now parade in grass skirts and war paint. The eerie torch carriers of Comus parade at night, hooded and in flowing smocks, sparking bitter debate about whether the servile role demeans blacks, and the Mardi Gras Indians dance and chant in elaborate feather headdresses.

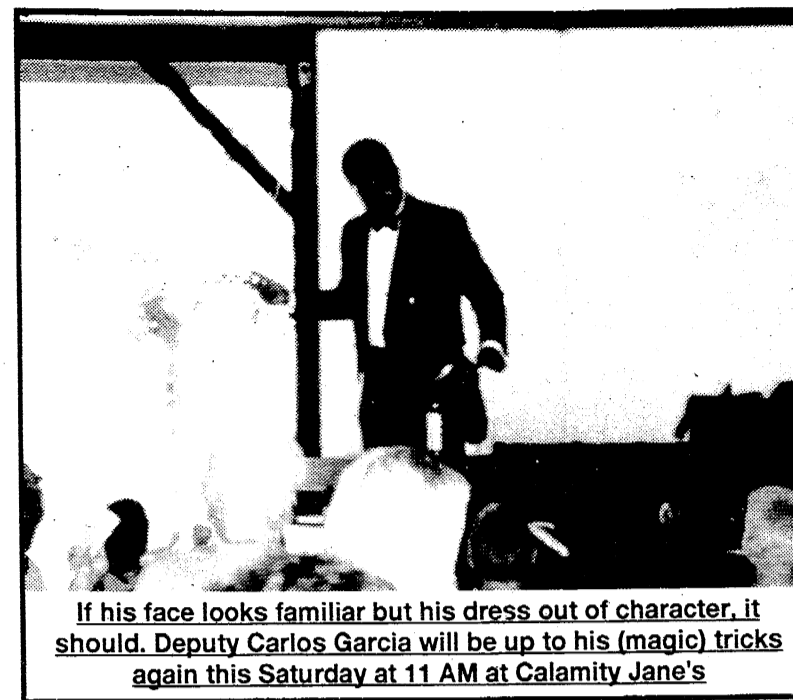
One important Mardi Gras ritual is the flinging and catching of "throws". Beads, beakers and doubloons (toy coins marked with the insignia of individual krewes) are scattered amongst street revelers. Souvenirs vary in worth; the bright, cheap strings of beads that adorn balconies everywhere are least valuable, but the coconut handed down from the float of the Zulu krewe is worth its weight in gold.

The two weeks leading up to Mardi Gras are filled with processions, parties and balls, but excitement reaches fever pitch on Tuesday itself, after a great, free, public masked ball in the Spanish Plaza the night before. Shambolic walking clubs open the day, playing raucous jazz as they stride through the city. Zulu arrives at 9 a.m., Rex appears before lunch, and the dramatic torchlit parade of Comus is the grand finale. By midnight, the police are clearing away die-hard revelers and repentance can begin.

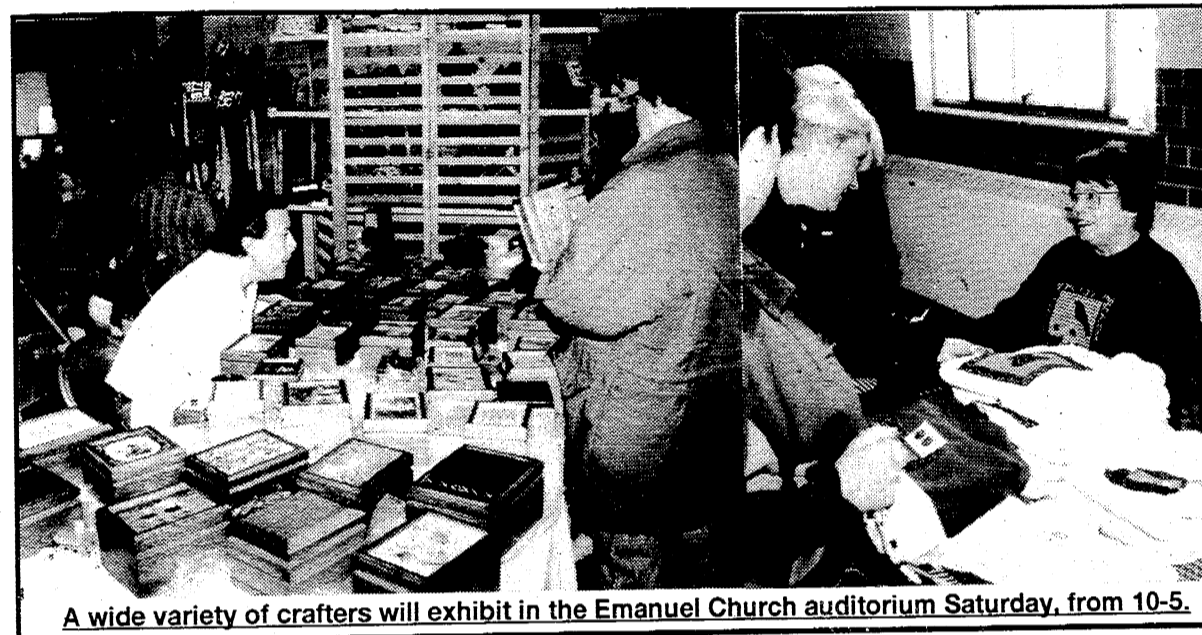
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Dinner Buffet and Comedy Show featuring Bill Barr is \$22.95. Call 428-9500 now for a reservation, because last year's show was a sellout. Show-only tickets are available for \$10.00.

This is the third annual Winter Festival and it is fast becoming a tradition that the entire community looks forward to. Come and join your friends and neighbors as we celebrate the best that winter has to offer. We'll see you around Manchester this Saturday! -MJC



If his face looks familiar but his dress out of character, it should. Deputy Carlos Garcia will be up to his (magic) tricks again this Saturday at 11 AM at Calamity Jane's



A wide variety of crafters will exhibit in the Emanuel Church auditorium Saturday, from 10-5.

MANCHESTER'S Winter Festival in a Victorian Village

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- * Magic Show @ 11:00 am by Deputy Carlos Garcia @ Calamity Jane's
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Birtles-Lippert

Shelley Lynne Birtles and Randall Dana Lippert were united in marriage on February 3, 1996 at St. Andrews Church in Ann Arbor with the Rev. Joe Summers officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Thomas and Melva Birtles of Chelsea and the granddaughter of Alfred and Fern Strang of Manchester. The bridegroom is the son of Willow Lippert of Chelsea and Mr. & Mrs. Lloyd Lippert of South Lyon.

Shelley wore a full length formal white satin gown with a rose pattern design. The long sleeves and bodice were fashioned with lace and pearls. The skirt and cathedral train were accented with lace around the bottom. The bride carried a bouquet of white roses, fuchsia and white carnations, with trailing ribbons.

Matron of honor was Susan Long of Stockbridge. Bridesmaids were Amy Weir and Jennifer Weir of Manchester and Cheryl Pagliarini of Chelsea, friends of the bride. They wore burgundy satin floor length gowns and carried a single white rose.

Best man was Dana Green of California, friend of the groom. Groomsmen were Dave Taylor of Grass Lake, Tim Young of Ann Arbor, friends of the groom, and Scott Watson of Rochester, brother in law of the groom.

Shelley is currently employed at Roberts Paint & Body of Chelsea. Randy is self-employed at R&D Flooring.

The reception was held in the atrium at Webers Inn in Ann Arbor. The couple spent their honeymoon in Orlando, Florida. They will reside in Chelsea.

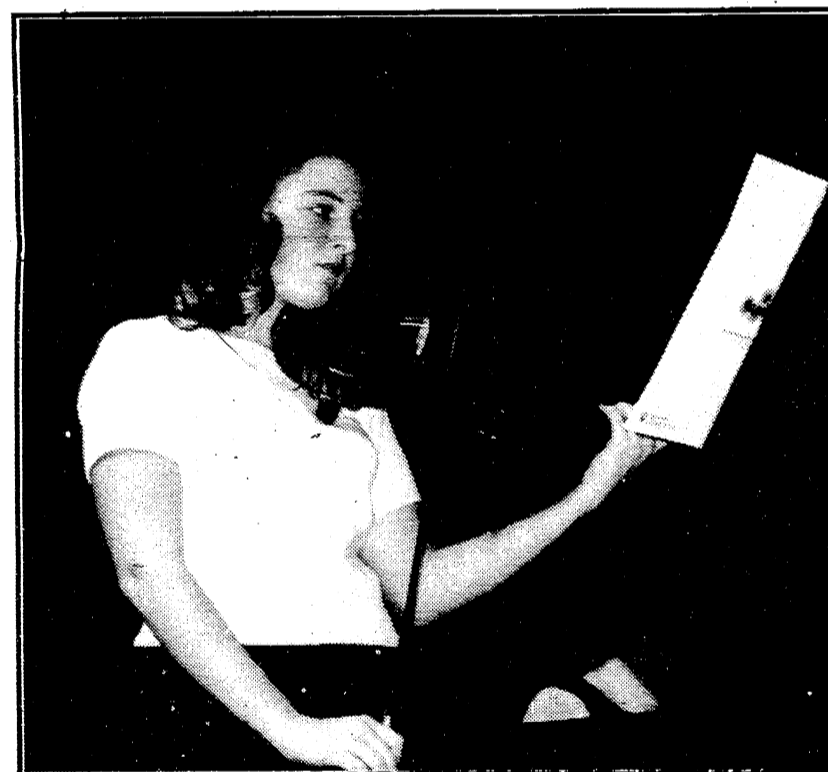
Masonic News



pictured: Ron Schook, Lyle Moore, & Worshipful Master Hiram Church

The Grand Lodge of Massachusetts contacted Manchester Lodge #148 asking if the Lodge would present to Lyle Moore his life membership and fifty year pin.

NOW FOR THE REST OF THE STORY: Brother Lyle received his three degrees in a three-month period while stationed in Panama during World War II. He is a member of Sojourner Lodge-de Panama which is affiliated with the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts. Congratulations, Brother Lyle.



The Adrian Symphony Orchestra along with the Adrian State Bank sponsored a youth competition in January. The judges chose three students who would perform solos with the Orchestra and seven finalists were chosen who will be honored in this Sunday's concert, "Stars of Today and Tomorrow," to be held at Dawson Auditorium, Adrian College at 3:15 PM.

Ann Hinkley, one of the seven finalists, plays violin accompanied by Pearl Bettig on piano. Her violin instructor is Gayle Zirk of Saline.

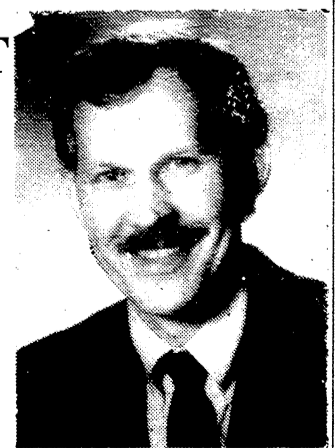
Ann is an eighth grader at Nellie Ackerson Middle School. She plays volleyball, the clarinet and oboe in band, as well as piano and violin in the Siena Heights Youth Orchestra. She also teaches four young students piano.

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College News

Alma College students named to Dean's List for 1995

Fall Term

Alma College has named 400 students to the Dean's List for outstanding academic performance during the 1995 Fall Term which ended December 15. Students who achieve a 3.5 or better grade point average during a term, while carrying a minimum of 13 credits (at least eight of which are evaluative grades), are named to the Dean's List.

From Manchester, **Sharon Bihlmeyer** was named to the Dean's List.

CMU Announces Honors Students

Central Michigan University's fall semester honors list includes students from the Manchester area who earned 3.5 (on a 4.0 scale) and higher grade point averages. In all, 2,193 CMU students were named to the honors list and 218 earned straight "A"s. About 16,400 students attend CMU in Mount Pleasant. For the fall semester, **Melanie M. Kapa**, a freshman, and **Marci J. Sloat**, a senior, were named to the honors list. The fall semester ended in December.

Jennifer Nosbisch In Honors Band

Jennifer Nosbisch, a Hope College freshman from Manchester, participated in the Michigan Intercollegiate Honors Band, which presented a concert at Grand Valley State University on Saturday, Feb. 3.

The Michigan Intercollegiate Honors Band presents a concert each year. The band's members were chosen from lists submitted by the conductors at Albion, Calvin, Cornerstone, Grand Valley State University, Hope and Spring Arbor.

Nosbisch, a tenor saxophonist, was one of 13 Hope students selected to perform with the 82-member band. She is active in the college's Wind Symphony, and has conducted research with Dr. Maria Burnatowska-Hledin, associate professor of biology and chemistry.

Nosbisch is the daughter of Charles and Mary Nosbisch of Manchester. She is a 1995 graduate of Manchester High School.

Ann Arbor Women Painters

At the Awards Ceremony on Friday night, February 2, of the Ann Arbor Painters' Winter Exhibit 1996 at the Krefl Center for the Arts, **Nancy Michaelson** of Manchester received an honorable mention for her watercolor, "Path."

The Krefl Center for the Arts at Concordia College invites one local artist or art group to have an exhibit in their gallery each year. The Ann Arbor Women Painters are honored to have been the group invited to show there this year.

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MANCHESTER AREA SENIOR CITIZENS News

by T.V. Ludwick

A heat wave has been upon us as it has gone up in the 40's. There is really no need to go to Florida—until possibly next week when it will go to 20 again. I don't plan to go visit Amanda anytime soon, but we can send our wishes. Amanda is our "wet-pet" who weights about 3000# and is gentle as a breeze. We hope to help sponsor her herb diet with small donations from time to time. Each Tuesday, two names are drawn for free dinners the following Tuesday and we've had winners. Phyllis Kamiski and Millard Uphaus were the first! Congratulations. You may get your tickets at senior meals, or from your food deliverer when they bring your meal. Good luck to all.

If finally found something to support my "wild theory", be it fact or fiction. In the February-March issue of Birds & Blooms on page 32 is the question: "Do hummingbirds really fly on the backs of geese?" Author George Harrison answers "Most people laugh at this notion...but wait, as you catch your breath, consider this. John Terres, the respected author of The Audubon Society Encyclopedia of North American Birds, isn't so sure it's not true. In 1972, he read a book in which a reliable reporter wrote about a hunter who shot a Canada goose. When he picked it up, a ruby-throated hummingbird fell, still alive, from its feathers! Terres has since found other references to hitchhiking birds in literature. Though he says more proof is needed before he fully accepts such stories, he believes the small birds are smart enough, or opportunistic enough, to take advantage of a free ride." Now, you don't suppose I actually did read that somewhere???

Thursday, February 15: The gals report they are having a ball at exercise class just doing their own thing, come join in at 11 instead of 10:30 in Emanuel's gym. Down to the dining room for Jan and crew's chicken, who knows how? (Wonder when she makes up her mind on these days.) Come to the Center for bingo at 12:30 for more fun.

You may go along to the Saline Senior Citizens Card Party by first calling Erma Alber at 428-8707 for your bus spot. Bus pickup begins at 6PM on Friday, February 16, come along.

Monday, February 19: A shopping trip is planned for Jackson and pickup will start at 9 AM. Call Erma to go along.

Tuesday, February 20: Chef's Choice is on the agenda today. That can be anything, huh, Jan—Hilma has pictured a wabbit on that date, suppose? Come and see, you may be surprised. Senior meals are served in Emanuel UCC's Fellowship Hall each Tuesday and Thursday at 12 noon for all who are 55 or older in our area. We invite you to join us. Call in reservations to either Sharman (428-8359) ahead, or to Jan (428-7630) before 10:30 on meal days.

Wednesday, February 21: Senior bus leaves the Center at 10:30 on a mystery trip and lunch. Sound good? Call Erma to go along.

Thursday, February 22: Exercise begins at 11 AM in Emanuel's gym. Baked fish will be featured at noon lunch and it is the best! Come and enjoy.

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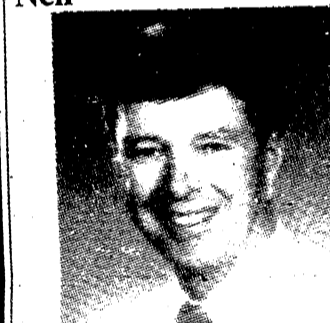
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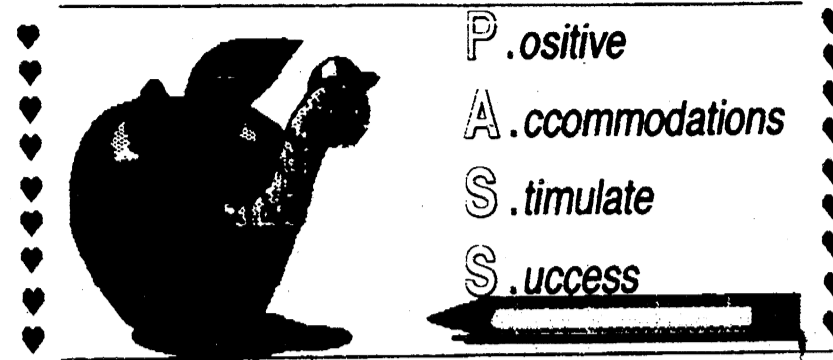
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Manchester Community Schools Board of Education

REGULAR MEETING - February 19, 1996 7:30 P.M.
Manchester High Media Center
AGENDA

- I. Call To Order/Pledge of Allegiance
- II. Roll Call of Board Members
- III. Recognition—State Representative Bev Hammerstrom
- IV. Official Meeting Reports
 - A. Minutes of Regular Meeting - January 15, 1995
 - B. Treasurer's Report
- V. Communication
 - A. Correspondence
 - B. Visitor Input
- VI. New Business
 - A. Personnel
 - B. Letter of Agreement—MESPA
 - C. Resolution Calling Annual School Election
 - D. Resignate School Election Officials
 - E. Technology
- VII. Discussion Item/Report
 - A. Michigan Education Assessment Program
 - B. At-Risk Program
 - C. Building Project
 - D. Summary—Community Focus Session
- VIII. Other Business
- IX. Adjournment

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"B" Honors - Brandy Aiken, Brandon Baier*, Christopher Benedict, Tyler Breilein, Tracy Brooks, Lisa Burmeister, Sarah Cooper, Amanda Coutts, Danielle Croghan, Kyle Davis, Diana Dillon, Patrick DuRusse, Joanne Eversole, Daniel Feldkamp, Rachel Fleck, Jason Flint, Richard Foss, Jennifer Gray, David Herman, Ann Hinkley, Mark Hollosy, Matt Horodoczny, Jaclyn Hughes, Rhonda Johnson, Matthew Jones, Philip Krall*, Steven Liebeck, Katherine Okey*, Emily Parr*, Nicholas Peiske, Justin Preston, Jason Schable, Josiah Shurtliff, Elizabeth Sodt, Meghan Staffeld, Dan Stephens, Ellen Supers, Ginger Taylor, Troy Tichenor, Jeremiah Tobias, Jordan Wahl, Richard Walakonis, Aaron Wallace, Meghan Way, Abra Wise, Ryan Witcher, David Zielinski.

7th Grade: "A" Honors - Audrey Bennett*, Andrew Jones*, Sarah Luckhardt, Rachel Pfau*, Ashley Sewell*, Derrick Smith*, Holly Sutton, Kristen Taddonio*.

"B" Honors - Sean Armstrong, Elizabeth Bauer, Cassandra Clark, Roni Clay, Aaron Clemons, Michael Conway, Jami Coopridr, Amber Cullip*, Kaylin Davis*, Joseph Donnellon, David DuRusse*, Heidi Ernst, Randi Foster, Shannon Gaal, Devin Golka, Shannon Green, Steven Handley, Jaime Heldt, Jennifer Heskett*, Kathryn Horodoczny*, Emily Hughes*, Janie Jarels, Rachel Jefferson, Michael Kennedy*, Tristan Kladzkyk, Justin Knouse, Donna Kruse, Rachel Landry*, Brandon Lentz, Nicole Leverett, Jessica Lindemann*, Brett Maki, Erin Makielski*, Laura Meyer*, Taryn Meyer, Jonathan Miller, Ashley Munoz, Jason Orzechowski*, Jacqueline Palms, Sherry Perkins*, Amy Preston, Matt Raymond, Andrew Roberts, William Robertz, Sam Robinson, Stephanie Schleicher, William Sloucum*, Jack Smail, Nicholas VanBogelen*, Eric Walter, Julena Westcott, Steven Wiitala, Kristen Witcher, Samantha Ybarra, Michael Young

6th Grade: "A" Honors - William Brinkman*, Christina Carpenter*, Jeffrey Chapin*, William Cole*, Megan Coutts*, Damien Evans*, Jacob Geyer*, Clinton Grenier*, Justin Henderson*, Lesley Jacob*, Brandy Jarnigan, Sara Johnson*, Adam Knapp*, Alex Kormendi*, Aaron LaRock, Brent Leverett, Christopher Loud*, Christopher Maly*, Anthony Neal*, Taryn Nye*, Katie Page*, Derek Panches*, Karl Schable*, Michael Walter, Anne Wiley*, Jason Ybarra*

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Hauessler Wins Silver in Leadership Contest

Marie Hauessler, Manchester FFA member and sophomore at Manchester High School, won a Silver rating award at the District FFA Leadership Contest held last week at Saline High School. Marie won the award for her six minute speech on "Farm Safety". There were eleven other competitors from eight other schools at this contest. This was Marie's first attempt at the FFA Prepared Public Speaking Contest. The winner can go on to Regional, State and National competition and receive a college scholarship.

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Basketball Has a Better Week

Freshman Basketball

The Freshman Basketball team is back on the winning track. Friday February 2nd the freshman beat Napoleon in a nail biter with the final score Manchester 40 and Napoleon 39.

Andy Meyer was fouled with no time left on the clock. He was given a 1 and 1 free throw try. Since there was no time left on the clock he was at the line all by himself. The score was tied and if he made the shot Manchester would win, if he didn't make the shot the game would go into overtime. Andy Meyer came through and made his free throw. This was a great come back for Andy. This was his first game back after missing 4 games because of illness.

Other scoring help came from Levi Smith with 15 points at least 14 rebounds. Ben Grenier added 12 points and had at least 10 rebounds. Once again the final score was Manchester 40 Napoleon 39. (Thanks to Darryl Kuebler for finding me in the crowd to get these stats to me.)

You never know what you're going to see when you attend a Manchester basketball game. Thursday February 8th the Freshman hosted Britton.

The first half of the game seemed to belong to Britton. They were accurate in their shooting and it seemed that everytime Manchester passed the ball around Britton was there to steal the ball away. At the end of the first half the score was Manchester 20, Britton 18.

Sometime in the 3rd quarter things started to go bad for the Britton team. Britton got a series of fouls called against them and their coach became VERY upset. He let the referee know he was upset, too. The Britton coach then received 5 technicals and then was kicked out of the game. Each of Manchester's 5 players that were on the court got to take 2 free throws. Britton could not recover after that. At the end of the 3rd quarter Manchester led 43 to Britton's 25.

Britton only had 7 players and during the last of the 4th quarter they started fouling out. With 2 minutes left in the game Britton was down to 3 players on the court. We gave them credit though because they still continued to score.

John Klama with 19 points and Ben Grenier with 12 points were high scorers. Levi Smith had 7 points and too many rebounds to count. Chris Ahrens had 6 points and contributed a rebound and a steal. Pat Schulz had 5 points. Brian Hough had 4 points and contributed 2 rebounds. Andy Meyer and Peter Schulte each had 2 points but contributed in the rebounding department.

The Freshman basketball team will travel to Hanover Horton on Friday February 16, and hopefully extend their winning streak.

JV Basketball

Tuesday February 6th the J V basketball team got back on track with a win against Napoleon! For the first half of the game the Dutch were behind. Nothing they tried seemed to work.

The second half the Dutch seemed to hustle more and hit the scoring opportunities. Second half stats were highlighted by 2 steals for Nick Davis and 2 steals by Chris Kemner to get the ball back in the Dutch court. Nick Davis was the high scorer in the second half with 8 points, Levi Earhart and Dennis Wickham each had 5 points, Mike Meranuck had 4 points and Jacob Klein had 3. Justin Turk, Chris Kemner and Tim Hough each contributed 2 points. The final score was Manchester J V 53 and the Napoleon Pirates 37.

Then on Friday February 9th the J V Dutch fought a close one and the outcome would not be known until the very last second.

At the end of the first quarter the score was Manchester 7 and Grass Lake 6 but by the end of the first half the score was Manchester 21 and Grass Lake 14, so Manchester had really picked up the pace. Again second half stats include defensive plays by Justin Turk, Dennis Wickham, Ben Pietrowski and Tim Hough with many rebounds and steals. Nick Davis was high scorer with 15 points and Nick Niehaus had 11 points. Levi Earhart had 7 points with help from Chris Kemner with 4 points and 2 points from Randy Burkhardt.

Manchester had a good sized lead but all of a sudden with 25 seconds left in the game Manchester was only ahead by 1. Grass Lake got into foul trouble though and Manchester pulled ahead for good with free throw shots. The final score would be Manchester 48 and Grass Lake 43.

Tuesday February 13th the Dutch will travel to Clinton and on Friday February 16th the Dutch will travel to Vandercook Lake. Here's hoping the winning streak continues!

Varsity

The Napoleon Pirates come to Manchester on Friday February 6th. They brought their mascot, a pirate, who came to cheer on the team and bring a smile to the crowd.

The Napoleon team seemed to be bigger physically and they seemed to get a man alone under the basket for a shot. Once again no matter what shot the Dutch took it simply would not go into the basket. At the end of the first half the score would be Napoleon 38, Manchester 29.

Nick Woods would be the high scorer of this game with 11 points, and Zack Maghes followed close behind with 10 points. Trevor Schleicher and Mark Harris each had 9 points, Mike Mann had 8 points and Luke Hugel had 4 points. Ryan Fielder and Jason Barnes contributed 2 points each.

Defensively Trevor Schleicher, Mark Harris, Zach Maghes and Jason Mann each had many rebounds. If hustle and spirit win games then Manchester would surely win all of their games.

The final score would be Napoleon 72 and Manchester 59.

Friday February 9th found the Grass Lake Warriors on Manchester's home court. The first half of the game was back and forth and close in scoring. At the half the score was Manchester 27 and Grass Lake 25.

Double digit scoring would be lead by Zach Maghes with 13 points and Trevor Schleicher with 12 points. Mike Mann and Nick Woods would each have 7 points. Chad LaRue, Aaron Garrett and Ryan Fielder would each contribute 6 points.

Nick Woods, Chad LaRue, Aaron Garrett and Zack Maghes would have the most rebounds.

I would like to mention that in the games I have been to the Manchester team has never gotten into serious foul trouble and so far I have not seen any Manchester player get called for a technical. Good sportmanship is as important as winning the game! The final score would be Manchester 61 and Grass Lake 46.

Manchester travels to Clinton on Friday February 16th and then on to Vandercook Lake Friday February 16th. Come cheer them on!

Sports Freestyle News

Saturday the 4th Raya Cooper, Sarah Henderson and Ashley Sloucum traveled to Milan for the 2nd annual Saunders Cup. This is an all girls tournament drawing wrestlers from all over the world. Teams from Toronto, Oklahoma, Australia, and the east coast came to Milan to compete. The Saunders Cup tournament is in honor of Tricia Saunders, from Ann Arbor, who will be trying out for her last Olympics this year. Our girls did a very good job and should be very proud of themselves. Raya Cooper took 1st place, Sara Henderson brought home a third and Ashley Sloucum wrestled two very hard matches. Ashley's first opponent was the A.A.U. National Champion recently crowned in St. Louis. The competition was fierce on all levels and every one went home knowing that they had fun and put forth the best effort that they could.

The Tournament was early this year due to the '96 games in Atlanta. Normally the Tournament is in April and our wrestlers would have had a few more weeks mat time. As the regular freestyle season begins St. Patrick's day weekend, these girls will be prepared already having one tournament behind them. Please don't forget that we will be having a fund raiser at the Middle School on the 19th and 21st from 6:00- 8:30 p.m. Lasting Images will be on hand to put Photos on T-shirts, Buttons, Key Chains and Mugs. Prices range from \$5.00 to 25.00. All pictures are returned unharmed and all personalizing is free. Any questions call Misty at 517-783-5601, or Coach Suggs 428-8827.



Freestyle Wrestlers, L-R: Raya Cooper, Sarah Henderson, Tricia Saunders, Ashley Sloucum, & Coach James Suggs

MANCHESTER WRESTLING

Over the year we knew that this would be the week that we needed to start picking it up both mentally and physically to prepare our selves for team and Individual Districts. Grass Lake was our dual on Wednesday; we only had 5 matches, winning two. Bryan and Joe collected their 37th wins for the year.

Friday night we traveled to Vandercook for our league meet. Adam Corwin was one match away from placing third, still collecting his 12th win of the year. Both Mike Heskett and Shane Neigebauer had tough classes and couldn't quite win a match but still wrestled tough. Nolan Westcott was only 4 points away from collecting his first medal on the year. He's really been improving over the year.

Dustin Williams won his first match with a quick pin in the first and then lost in the finals by the score of 10-4, his season record now stands at 27-12. Bryan Duvall won his third conference title becoming only our second three-time placer with a tough 5-1 decision over Justin Martin from Addison - a State Qualifier from last year.

Joe Tobias brought home his first Conference plaque with a really well wrestled final match where he faced Neil Johnson. Joe had beaten Neil by only one point earlier in the year. Today would be different, though, as Joe won 8-2 and raised his season record to 39-2.

Steve Spurr, coming off an injury, had a good match in the finals as he put the hammer to a tough James Ruoff from Addison in the first period and also brought home the first Plaque of his career. Ed Cruz picked a great time to win his first High School tournament, as he made it exciting all the way through before winning the finals match by the score of 6-2. All of Ed's hard work is really starting to pay off.

Next week we travel to Napoleon on Thursday for team Districts. Wrestling there will start at 4:30 when we face first Vandercook Lake and then the winner of Michigan Center and Napoleon. On Saturday, we travel to Dearborn Fairlane Christian where wrestling starts at 10:00.

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I wish to thank the Saint Mary's Altar Society for the luncheon they served for services.

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Cheerleaders Take Another First



The MHS Cheerleading Squad attended District Competition in Napoleon and two individuals came home with first place trophies. Now it's on to the Regionals. See page 13 for pictures of the two All-Conference Cheerleaders

Optimists Name Art Gleason Student of the Month



Art is pictured with John Korican, MHS Principal, and his parents, Sue and Mike Gleason

The Manchester Optimist Club has chosen senior Art Gleason for its February "Student of the Month." Art is the son of Mike and Susan Gleason of Manchester.

Art, an outstanding student with a 3.1 G.P.A., has been on the Honor Roll for the last three years at Manchester High School. This quiet young man goes about his activities in a disciplined, business like way. He has been a valued member of the Manchester High School Band for four years. He has run track for three years and is a member of this years newly formed Cross Country team.

Outside of school, Art is a member of the Manchester Community Band and the Napoleon Lions Band. Art also likes to run "just for fun."

He plans on attending Washtenaw Community College then to a four year college.

Practices for High School Baseball, Softball and Track start on March 4.
Can Spring be far behind?

Highlights of Board of Education Meeting

The board convened at 7:30 PM and honored the Middle School 8th Grade undefeated basketball team. On hand to introduce the players was coach Wes Gall.

State Representative Bev Hammerstrom was honored for her unselfish and dedicated service by the Board; John Ochs gave the award.

MEAP scores were reviewed by Ms. Marjorie Mastie.



Rep. Bev Hammerstrom

John McGuire presented the Technology Committee Update. The Board approved the report and authorized the appropriation of \$145,000 in the 96-97 general fund budget toward the purchase of hardware and software to implement the program. This will augment building project funding of \$117,000 for facilities.

A part time Art Teacher - Carrie Resh, recent graduate of Spring Arbor College was hired effective January 24, 1996 to fill the art position created by the board. Spring Coaching Appointments were made and the resignation of Angela Diuble, 7th Grade Volleyball Coach was accepted.

Letter of agreement with the Manchester Educational Support Personnel Association for procedures of the Omnibus Transportation Employee Testing Act of 1991 was approved. A resolution calling for the annual school election was adopted as presented and the Superintendent was sworn in as Secretary for the elections.

Report was presented on the building project and a summary of the Community Focus Session of January 15 was given to board members.

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Supervisor for the WISD. Mastie's glowing report indicated our schools' continuation of excellent results. Although the results fluctuate, they are within expected norms and Manchester continues its tradition of achievement. John Korican, High School Principal, updated the board on the MEAP and proficiency testing. John will provide a report for print later.

The At-Risk Program, Compensatory Grant 1995-96 of \$72,866 was presented by Cheryl Call. Her eight point report outlined the programs developed to meet the needs of special groups.

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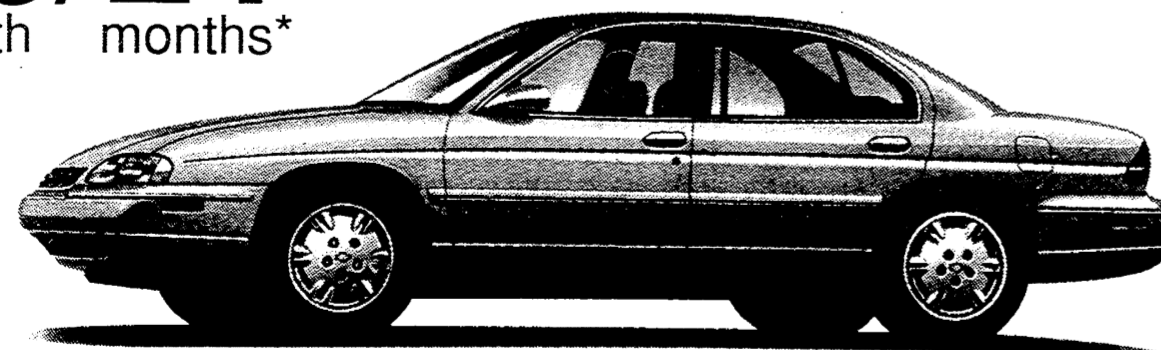
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