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MANCHESTER MILL RUN

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It's time for the Manchester Mill Run! For a fifth consecutive year, the Manchester Mill Run will be held in the spring - one of the first signs of spring after the daffodils start blooming!

The Five Mile Race and One Mile Fun Run will be held this Sunday, April 11, with the one mile walk/run starting at 11:00 AM, and the five mile competition beginning at 11:20 AM.

As in years past all proceeds will be donated to Manchester School Athletic Boosters. The All You Can Eat Pancake Breakfast will be sponsored this year by the HHH Running Club, and proceeds from the breakfast will also benefit youth activities in Manchester.

The event is co-sponsored by Parke-Davis and the Ann Arbor/Motown Chapter of HHH.

The fee to enter the Mill Run is only \$15 prior to this

Friday, April 9th, with the late charge of \$18 on race day. The entry fee includes a four color long sleeve T-Shirt, all you can eat pancake breakfast following the race, and participating in raffles for gift certificates from Southeastern Michigan running stores. Flowers are also presented to all participants. (Shirts will be mailed to all pre-registered no shows.)

Five Mile male and female age group winners (5 year age groupings) will receive a signed original matted race print—created by Manchester artist, Bill Shurtliff. The coveted second place horse's tail trophies will also be awarded along with other "dubious prizes," according to Chris Brooks.

Registration will be held at the St. Mary's Parish Hall. Start/Finish line is at the corner of Main & Clinton Streets.

For additional information, call Chris Brooks 734-475-8565 or Rick Soltesz 734-285-1116

-MJC

At Monday's village council meeting, two representatives from the Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) came to discuss options and recommendations for a traffic light at the beleaguered M-52/Main Street corner.

James Carter and Andy Hodges spent about 45 minutes in animated conversation with the Council regarding the decisions to be made. They also offered their professional and personal recommendations about the possibility of a traffic signal relieving the congestion at this corner.

A recent traffic survey showed that significant delays exist at two peak times of the day: 8:30-9:30 AM and 3-4 PM. The remainder of the time the traffic moves quite smoothly at the four way stop at this corner. Causes for congestion are centered on school buses and other increased school traffic during the peak times. It was also mentioned that southbound semis, turn-

ing right onto the Main Street business district, cause some minor backups.

Hodges began the discussion by saying, "We have determined that we could put up a traffic signal at the corner of Main and Ann Arbor streets. We understand there are questions from the City and the Council and are here to answer whatever questions we can." Several Council members took the opportunity to ask questions which were fielded by both Hodges and Carter. Most frequently mentioned were the split-phase lights, which would allow northbound and southbound M-52 to move independently of each other; and the possibility of the lights, being changed to flashing red during off-peak hours.

Carter reminded the Council and the audience that if Council requests a light, MDOT would not object to one being placed there. They would also not object to it remaining a four-way stop. He

stated that he feels the best option is the four-way stop. "In my honest opinion, if this was my town, I would not want to sacrifice a four-way stop for the ensuing problems of a traffic signal. And there will be resulting problems." He cited increased incidence of rear-end collisions and the inevitable frustrations of people sitting longer at lights while waiting for them to cycle. "When you look at 24 hours a day, everyday, a 12-minute backup twice a day is really minimal," he concluded.

The issue of students crossing the intersection was also addressed. Both Carter and Hodges urged the Village to continue with a crossing guard regardless of the decision.

Village Manager Jeff Wallace asked the inevitable question, "Are there alternative ways to deal with the problems of a twelve-minute backup?"

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EASTER BABY: Abigail Leigh Burch was born at 12:36 on Sunday morning. Congratulations to proud parents Dan & Debbie! see pg. 7

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Community Calendar

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Monday

1st Monday Manchester Township Library Board meets 7:30 PM
 1st Monday: Manchester Masonic Lodge, business meeting 7:30 PM
 1st & 3d Monday: Manchester Village Council, 7:00
2d Monday: Bridgewater Township Planning Commission meets 7:30
2d Monday: Manchester Knights of Columbus meets 8:00 PM. Grand Knight Ed Barnard
2d Monday: Manchester Community Fair Board meets 8 PM at Emanuel Church basement - open to public
2d Monday: Manchester Township Board meets 8:00
2d & 4th Mondays: Manchester Optimist Club
 3d Monday: School Board meets MHS Media Center 7:30
 3d Monday: United Way Board meetings, 7:30 at D&N Bank
Every Monday: Overeaters Anonymous 7:30 - 8:30 PM At Chelsea United Methodist Church, Contact 475-4264

Tuesday

1st Tuesday: Manchester Band Boosters, High School Band Room, 7:00 PM
 1st Tuesday: Freedom Township Planning Commission, 7:30 PM
2d Tuesday: Freedom Township Board 8:00
2d Tuesday after 1st Monday: Village Planning Commission, 7:30 PM
2d Tuesday: Manchester Area Senior Citizens, 9:30 AM
2d Tuesday: 20th Century Club, 7:30 PM
2d Tuesday: Manchester Little League Board at 7:00 PM in the Multi Media Room of the High School.
2d & 4th Tuesday: Shakespeare Club, 1-3 PM
 3d Tuesday: Middle School PTA Meeting, 7 PM
 3d Tuesday: Manchester Historical Society, 7:30 at Blacksmith Shop
 4th Tuesday: La Leche League 10 AM, call 428-8831 for location and info
 4th Tuesday: Klager PTO 6:30 PM at school. Call 428-8321 for info.
Every Tuesday: Boot Stompers at Emanuel Church 7-9 PM

Every Tuesday at Your Home: RECYCLE - containers at curb by 7:30 AM

Wednesday

1st Wednesday: Raisin Valley Land Trust, at the Blacksmith Shop, 7:30 PM
 1st Wednesday: Veterans of Foreign Wars, 7:30 PM
 1st Wednesday: Athletic Boosters Meeting, 7:30 PM at High School Media Center
2nd Wednesday: Manchester Merchants Meeting at Black Sheep Tavern, 8:30 AM
2d Wednesday: American Legion Auxiliary 7:30 PM
2d Wednesday: Manchester Recreation Task Force 7:30 PM
 3d Wednesday: Manchester Men's Club 7:30 PM
 3d Wednesday, WIC Program, 9:30-3:00 Senior Citizens Bldg.
 3d Wednesday: Bridgewater Township Board, 7:30 PM
 3rd Wednesday: Chamber of Commerce Meeting
 3rd Wednesday: Food Gatherers
 4th Wednesday: Manchester Township Fire Department meeting, 7:30 PM
Every Wednesday: Community Band - 7:30 PM

Thursday

1st Thursday: Sharon Township Board meets 8:00
 1st Thursday: American Legion Post #117 7:30
 1st & 3d Thursday: Manchester Township Planning Commission
 3d Thursday: Sharon Township Planning Commission
 3d Thursday: Cub Scout Pack Meeting, 7:00 PM
 4th Thursday: Community Resource Center Board, 7:30
Every Thursday: AWANA 6:15-8:30 PM at Community Bible Church

Friday

Every Friday: AA MEETINGS 7:00 PM at Emanuel Church Kitchen.

Weekend

1st & 3rd Saturday: Manchester Kiwanis meets. Call 428-7722 for information on meeting place and time
 1st Sunday of each month: American Legion Breakfast at American Legion Hall
 3rd Sunday of each month: Boy Scout Breakfast at St. Mary Parish Center
Weekly JAZZERCISE classes - Monday & Weds. 6:00 PM; Tuesday & Thursday 9:15 AM; Saturday 9:00 AM, at Emanuel Church

Coming Events

Manchester Men's Club sponsors the annual Easter Egg Hunt, April 3 1 PM

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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The Second Front Page

Egg Hunt

Men's Club Sponsors Annual Easter Egg Hunt

Thanks to a warm, summerlike day and hundreds of enthusiastic youngsters, Saturday's Annual Easter Egg Hunt was another success. Twenty prize eggs were found and their new owners left the park \$2 richer.

The participants were divided into five groups, ranging from 3 year olds and under, up to third and fourth graders. The park was cleared of all evidence of the hunt by about 1:30.

Winners of the prize eggs and a \$2 bill were: Devin Whitt, Jimmy Kurasz, Taylor Withrow, Rameron Owen, Clela Powell, Connor Karatzas, Eleanor Yassof, Danielle Herrst, Benjamin Daubner, Dylan Baughey, Shauna Dale, Billy Tervo, Roxanne Rickert, Brian Kemeter, Blake Bondy, Taylor Evans, Micheal Wood, Kenna Keiser, Ryan Paul, Jared Hubber.

The Men's Club would like to thank the participants and the volunteers who made the hunt an enjoyable event and we look forward to seeing you next year.

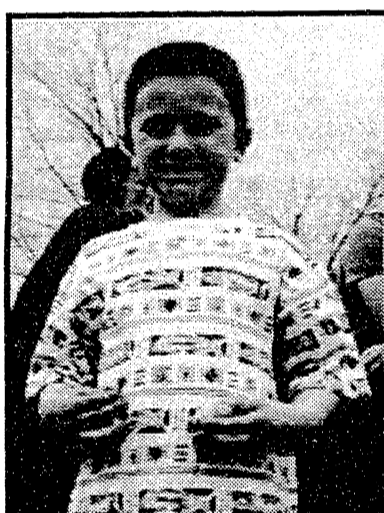
Manchester Men's Club



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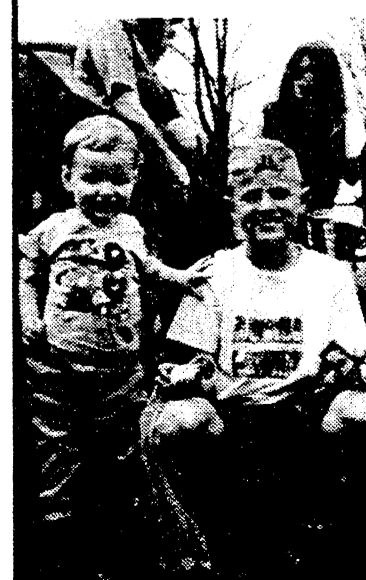
Thanks once again to the Easter Bunny for her appearance this year!! She is always ready and willing to visit Manchester's kids and for that she is appreciated.



Happy Winners

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Happy faces of \$2 winners were found all over the park.



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Editorial/Opinion Page

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.

We reserve the right to edit letters for publication.

Dear Editor:

I read with interest the article "Southeast Michigan Schools and Libraries . . . received FEDERAL FUNDS. . . for Telecommunications and Internet Access" (page 5, March 18, 1999) (emphasis added).

Everyone should understand these are "federal funds" that are collected directly from every business in the area - home office sole proprietorship to Ford, GM & Chrysler plants - as a special charge on their telephone bill. Each phone company may choose a different way of collecting the funds. In the case I'm most familiar with, the tax is 4.1% on interstate long distance charges and a per line charge of \$2.50. It probably doesn't sound like much but it adds up when you take money from every business in the region.

Don't get me wrong, I'm glad Manchester is getting these funds. Please consider this a gentle reminder that for Manchester to get these "Federal Funds," the federal government had to get them from someone first. In this case, it is clear those funds are collected by the phone company and came from here in the first place. Now the next question is, "Did we get back what we put in, or anything even close?"

Maybe The Enterprise can help us answer the "next question?"

Sincerely,
James Fish

Letter to the Editor

To the Citizens of Manchester: If you are a property owner within Manchester Village limits, you should attend the next Village Planning Commission meeting, April 13th, 7:30 PM at the Village Hall. The commission is recommending a village-wide land rezone that will impact everyone in this community - some directly, others indirectly.

A citizen's group formed, not because we're against progress but because we are alarmed. No property owner, who will be directly impacted by the zoning changes, was contacted. Public notices in the newspaper, while meeting legal notification requirements, were written in legalese that couldn't be understood. Public notices that were released were incorrect, omitting directly impacted land. If it wasn't for rumors and word-of-mouth, no village residents would have known to attend commission meetings, to address the zoning plan. The plan would have sailed through with no citizen input, with no one the wiser.

Each of the eight commissioners was sent a letter on March 15 with 14 points of concern that comprised of approximately 35 questions. Questions centered on basic issues arrived at in a citizen group meeting. Points surrounded such things as why are there no fact-finding studies researching potential land value impacts? Or, how will the proposal solidify Manchester's commercial viability? Only two commissioners replied to the queries.

Citizen group members have been tarred as newcomers who don't want to see change occur in Manchester; ones who don't attend meetings unless there is a direct impact. That is not true. Most of the people involved are either life-long residents of the village or have lived here for decades. Most actively belong to various community groups. We have been and are committed to community involvement. If we would have understood what was happening, commission meetings would have been attended much sooner.

It has also been misstated in the newspaper that the only input on the plan has been for "no

change." That is absolutely incorrect. Citizens at the meeting only asked for more community involvement in drafting the zoning plan. That's all. But when audience members tried to participate, some commissioners said the chance for input had passed and it was time to approve the plan as is. Audience persistence was largely the only reason limited citizen input was voiced.

Commissioners stated they don't want to see strip development occur at the entrances to the village. However at the meeting, not one commissioner could guarantee sprawl wouldn't happen if the current zoning plan goes through. When pressed, they admitted that regardless of village zoning, it would only be a matter of time before sprawl occurs on Manchester's boundaries. The current village zoning plan would achieve little or nothing. But they wouldn't concede that a stronger, better plan could be achieved.

Manchester village is bounded by two townships. No one can ever claim to know how those independent commissions would vote on future development under their jurisdiction.

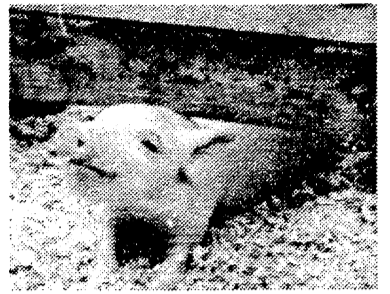
Citizen group members have backgrounds in newspaper editing and reporting on development issues to those who've worked with development. Also included is a former planning commission member, teachers, interior designers and general citizens. We're concerned because the plan as proposed is not sound, there are too many basic questions going unanswered, and citizen input has been almost nonexistent.

For individuals who want to know more about the group, contact me at the meeting. We'd love to have you attend our next and future meetings and find out more about our members and our plans. Decide for yourself whether the group is truly opposed to progress or just wants to see smarter development happen.

Michael Landauer

Out of the Pen

- by garlene



Last week's breath of spring has left garlene waiting for more.

Just as quickly as it came to visit last week, spring seemed to have left on Monday morning. While the sun still shone, the temperatures were decidedly chilly again. A jacket and even gloves were required for her morning jaunt.

Last week, the piglets wore shorts and t-shirts and even garlene got some mud between her little cloven hooves in the garden. She watched eagerly as little shoots began poking through the ground, and grew a bit taller each day. The village seemed to come alive with people one hadn't seen all winter long. Walking, running, pushing a stroller, skating, or biking, they came from every direction. Yards were raked and brush piles began to grow along side of the road of their own accord. It was a spring break to remember.

Come this week, the April showers returned, and the cooler

You may still reach garlene via e-mail at <garlene@juno.com>, or visit her web page at <http://www.angelfire.com/mil/Garlene>

temperatures remained - and are predicted to stay for a while. The only benefit that garlene can think of, would be the inevitable greening of spring, which she began to notice after Easter Sunday's showers. The bright green grass can cheer her up even through the gray gloom of rainy days.

Daffodils have begun to bloom. It is always a delight to see a little unexpected patch of daffodils or other spring flowers popping up along the roadside. Their cheerful yellow is another reminder that April isn't just showers. Spring, with its breathtaking beauty, is well worth the wait of a long winter, garlene has decided.

She'll just have to wait a little longer for it to arrive in earnest.

'Round and About

- by Toby



Just in case no one had noticed, Toby just wanted to tell you spring is here. After dazzling us with sunshine for a few days, Mom Nature washed her beauty for us on Sunday, a fitting tribute to our celebration of resurrection.

With spring, we enjoy flowers popping up, wheat fields turning a green like no other, and robins returning. With spring, come Toby's favorite sounds. Spring peepers in chorus, the muffled chime of the red-winged black birds and the urgent chatter of squabbling sparrows.

Then there are the others sounds - the er-er-er of the lawn tractor refusing to start, and my first "snake scream" of the season.

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**APPROVED PROCEEDINGS
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MARCH 15, 1999**

President Schaffer called the regular meeting of the Manchester Village Council to order at 7:00 PM. Council members present: Conaway, Marshall, Schaffer, Vaillencourt, Way, Dzengeleski. Absent: Mahony. Also present: Clerk Tucker, Manager Wallace, Sgt. Heron- WCSD, Gary Wiedmayer-DPW, Diane Schwab-CRC, Don Limpert, Larry Byrne, Frank Zmuda - Ameritech, Daniel & Carol Huntsbarger, Mike Gordon, Amy Fielder - Planning Commission, Emily Tucker, Pam Domengoni - Manchester High School.

The minutes of the March 1, 1999 regular meeting were approved as presented on a motion by Marshall, support by Vaillencourt. Vote: Ayes-all.

The proceedings of the March 1, 1999 regular meeting were approved as presented on a motion by Conaway, support by Way. Vote: Ayes-all.

The agenda was approved as amended on a motion by Vaillencourt, support by Marshall. Vote: Ayes-all.

AMERITECH VARIANCE - Motion by Way, support by Vaillencourt to revisit the tabled Ameritech variance. Vote: Ayes-all. Motion by Marshall, support by Way to adjourn as Council and convene as Zoning Board of Appeals at 7:13 PM. Vote: Ayes-all. Motion by Marshall, support by Vaillencourt to approve the variance as submitted on the site plan, based on the checklist and recommendation of approval from Planning Commission, adding the dumpster enclosure. Motion was amended to include that if the decibel readings exceed 57 decibels, Ameritech would pursue other avenues to remedy the noise level. Mr. Zmuda assured Council that Ameritech would work to get the noise into approved limits. Wallace will check after completion of project. Vote: ayes-all.

Motion by Conaway, support by Dzengeleski to adjourn as ZBA and reconvene as Council at 7:40 PM. Vote: ayes-all.

CONSUMER ENERGY CONTRACT REVISION - Motion by Conaway, support by Way to table the contract revision until the April 5th meeting to allow the manager to meet with the developer concerning the lights in the condo area. Vote: ayes-all.

RAISIN RIVER PROPERTY TRANSFER OF CLASS C LICENSE - Motion by Vaillencourt, support by Dzengeleski to approve the resolution as presented approving the transfer of the Class C license to River Raisin Property. Roll Call Vote: ayes-all.

MOWER BIDS /EQUIPMENT SALE BIDS- Motion by Way, support by Conaway to sell the JD320 to Jim Samonek for his bid of \$2502 and trade-in the JD850 to Napoleon Lawn & Leisure for F935 mower. Roll Call Vote: Ayes-all. Motion by Schaffer, support by Way to accept the bid and recommendation on the John Deere F935 with attachments and the trade-in allowance on the JD850 in the amount of \$18,014.72. Gary will get the warranty information. Roll Call Vote: Ayes-all.

Amy Fielder was introduced as the new Planning Commissioner. **MANAGER REPORT** - Wallace advised Council that MDOT will be attending the April 5th meeting to discuss the M-52/Main St. intersection. **BUILDING DEPARTMENT** - Wallace informed Council that they might be setting up an "authority" with the townships to handle the building department.

DIRECTIVES - Schaffer briefly went over the directives that council had given Wallace previously. He asked if there were any new ideas or advice on priorities to pass on to the manager. Vaillencourt felt that the Southwest Washtenaw Council of Governments was a priority. Way asked about adding water and sewer to the Adrian Street project. Discussion on Furnace Street Bridge - Wallace asked what Council felt was the priority on this.

Council adjourned at 9:15 PM.
Karen Tucker, Village Clerk

**Police Beat
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Week of March 29-April 4

Monday, March 29: 10:22 AM Hit & Run Crash, W. Main; 10:42 AM Ordinance Violation, Vernon; 9:00 AM Warrant Arrest, E. Main; 10:08 PM Disorderly, E. Main; 10:32 PM Family Trouble, Clinton St.

Wednesday, March 31: 2:50 PM Warrant Arrest City Rd; 7:01 PM MDOP, W. Main; 8:33 PM Threats, W. Madison; 11:12 PM Recovered runaway, E. Main

Thursday, April 1: 5:00 PM Larceny of Bike, Riverbend; 7:08 Noise Complaint, Duncan

Friday, April 2: 12:06 AM B&E Alarm, Duncan; 9:03 PM Assault & Battery W Main

Saturday, April 3: 12:20 AM Juvenile Trouble, E. Main

**SHARON TOWNSHIP
PLANNING COMMISSION
Public Hearing and Meeting**

On Thursday, April 15 1999, at 8:00 p.m. EDT, at the Sharon Township Hall, 18010 Pleasant Lake Road, the Sharon Township Planning Commission will hold a Public Hearing to receive comments on the following proposals:

- A request by Raymond VanLuven of Brooklyn, MI, and Murray Smith of Chelsea, to re-zone the west 5 acres of a parcel located at 10300 M-52 in the NE 1/4 of Section 35 from Agricultural to Light Industrial. The stated purpose of the re-zoning is to allow the expansion of Pinnacle Engineering. Tax ID: 15-35-100-008.
- Text amendments to Articles 24 and 25 of the Sharon township Zoning Ordinance. The purpose of the amendments is to correct prior typographical errors and to improve the clarity of the provisions.

Written comments may be sent to Roger Kappler, Chairman, Sharon Township Planning Commission, 19163 Bethel Church Road, Manchester, Michigan 48158, and must be received by April 14, 1999.

The Sharon Township Zoning Ordinance, and copies of the proposals, may be reviewed, and the Ordinance purchased, by appointment, through Teri Aiuto, Sharon Township Clerk. Call 428-7002.

The regular meeting of the Commission will commence immediately following the Public Hearings.

Sharon Township Planning Commission
Roger Kappler, Chairman

Manchester Property Owners...

Your land may be rezoned and you may not know it.

The Manchester Planning Commission has called for village-wide rezoning. Part of this scheme would rezone 11 family homes for commercial use. Another portion of the guidelines calls for one-half of Kirk Park to be rezoned for commercial uses. In addition, part of another parcel currently zoned for single-family residences will be rezoned for industrial use.

None of the affected property owners were informed of these changes. Why? Were you aware of the Kirk Park proposal?

Look for the rezoning maps, with definitions of zoning designations, posted throughout Manchester and at the Village Hall.

You can do something.

- The rezoning plan needs much more citizen input.
- Attend the next Commission meeting.
- Let them know you oppose the current plan.
- Put it in writing. Say you want your comments entered into meeting minutes. Ask that your letter be forwarded to the Village Council.
- Sign the petitions circulating throughout town.
- The plan next goes to Village Council.
- Write them directly at the Village Hall.

The next Planning Commission meeting is Tuesday, April 13, 7:30 PM at the Manchester Village Hall, 120 S. Clinton St.

Call 428-8735 for more rezoning information.

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SWWCOG To Hear About Road Patrols, Soil Erosion Ordinance

The April 8 meeting of the Southwest Washtenaw Council of Governments will be held at the Freedom Township Hall, 11508 Pleasant Lake Road at 7:30 PM.

Sheriff Ron Schebil will discuss the Sheriff Department's budget for 2000, including the possible impact on road patrols and other police services in the rural township areas of Washtenaw County.

A representative from the Washtenaw County Department of Environmental

and Infrastructure Services will also attend the meeting to discuss the County's Soil Erosion and Sedimentation Control Ordinance, passed in 1997 pursuant to a requirement of state law. Changes to the ordinance are being discussed. The current ordinance requires a permit or waiver of the permit requirement for projects involving earth moving.

Both involve paying fees to the County and doing paperwork in the County's office in Ann Arbor, as well as inspections and inspection fees when permits are required. Area local officials, farmers, builders and excavators have criticized the ordinance. Delays in work schedules, waiting periods, the amount of fees, travel time and the broad scope of the ordinance have been cited as problems.

The members of SWWCOG may also discuss a new County ordinance that has been proposed by the same Department.

This ordinance would require inspections of well and septic systems by county certified inspectors as a condition of property sale or change of use. Fees would be involved. Draft copies of the ordinance were mailed to local officials on March 30 for comment by April 2.

SWWCOG encourages members of the public to attend and observe the meetings. Participants in SWWCOG include Manchester Village, Bridgewater, Freedom, Manchester and Sharon Townships and the Manchester Schools.

- Wanda Fish

MANCHESTER BEAT

One question too far:

A defense attorney was cross-examining a police officer during a felony trial—it went like this:

Q: Officer, did you see my client fleeing the scene?

A: No sir, but I subsequently observed a person matching the description of the offender running several blocks away.

Q: Officer, who provided this description?

A: The officer who responded to the scene.

Q: A fellow officer provided the description of this so-called offender. Do you trust your fellow officers?

A: Yes sir, with my life.

Q: WITH YOUR LIFE? Let me ask you this then officer—do you have a locker room in the police station—a room where you change your clothes in preparation for your daily duties?

A: Yes sir, we do.

Q: And do you have a locker in that room?

A: Yes sir, I do.

Q: And do you have a lock on your locker?

A: Yes sir.

Q: Now why is it, officer, IF YOU TRUST YOUR FELLOW OFFICERS WITH YOUR LIFE, that you find it necessary to lock your locker in a room you share with those officers?

A: You see sir, we share the building with a court complex, and sometimes defense attorneys have been known to walk through that room.

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The Washtenaw County Emergency Management Division and the National Weather Service announces the following Skywarn spotter courses, free of charge to anyone over 18 years old who is interested in being trained in severe weather identification and reporting procedures. The basic course is two hours long, and identification codes are issued to all who complete the training. The instructor for all courses this year will again be Dr. Carl Ojala from Eastern Michigan University.

Basic Courses: Saturday April 17, 1999 1:00 PM to 3:30 PM - Washtenaw County Library, Washtenaw County Service Center Off Hogback Rd., Just North of Washtenaw, Follow the main drive all the way to the back, turn right and park.

Advanced Course for Amateur Radio Operators and Public Safety: Saturday April 17, 1999 3:30 PM to 6:00 PM Washtenaw County Service Center Off Hogback Rd. just North of Washtenaw. Follow the main drive all the way to the back turn right and park.

Pre-registration is required for all courses due to possible class size limitations, and basic course completion is required prior to advanced class attendance. For more information or to register for a course, contact the Washtenaw County Emergency Management Division at (734) 971-1152.

- Deputy Marcus Kirby <depkirby@yahoo.com>

Tentative Hearing Date is May 20

SHARON TOWNSHIP

RECEIVES MORE REZONING REQUESTS

Landowners Tom Ellis and James Schnearle submitted applications for rezoning parcels of land in Sharon Township from General Agriculture District (A-1) to Low Density Residential (R-2). R-2 zoning allows residences to be built on one-acre lots.

Mr. Ellis owns 87 acres in Section 28 of Sharon Township, with frontage on Pleasant Lake Road and on Sylvan Road. His proposal would create 13 lots, three of which would be two-acre and the remainder one-acre each. In addition, Mr. Ellis proposes to construct housing for farm workers.

Mr. Schnearle owns about 300 acres, also on Pleasant Lake Road and proposes to convert a portion to create 19 home sites of one or two-acre lots.

A tentative public hearing date has been set for May 20 by the Sharon Township Planning Commission.

Agenda Manchester Village Planning Commission

Regular Meeting

Tuesday April 13, 1999

7:30 PM

St. Marys Parish Center

1. Call meeting to order
2. Approval of Agenda
3. Approval of minutes from previous meeting.
4. Elections
5. Correspondence
6. Public participation
7. Old Business
 - a. Zoning Map Discussion
 - b. Other
8. New Business
 - a. Dimensional Variance 570 West Main
 - b. Use Variance Back Door Party Store
 - c. Zoning Request - 901 Parr Road
 - d. Other
9. Report from Administration
10. Adjourn

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING MANCHESTER VILLAGE COUNCIL APRIL 19, 1999

Notice is hereby given that the Manchester Village council will hold a public hearing on Monday, April 19, 1999 at 7:30 PM at the village Hall; 120 S. Clinton Street, Manchester, MI for the purpose of determining whether or not to approve the Industrial Facilities Exemption Application as requested by Collins & Aikman Plastics Ltd.

The purpose of the hearing is to receive public comment on the application prior to the Village Council resolution of approval or disapproval.

If you wish to comment on the application but are not able to attend the hearing, you may send written comments to Karen Tucker, Village Clerk, Village of Manchester, 120 S. Clinton St., Manchester, Michigan 48158, or deliver written comments to the Village Hall, no later than 4:00 PM on Monday, April 19, 1999.

Karen Tucker, Village Clerk

4-5-99

Freedom Township Spring Clean Up Day

Saturday, May 1, 1999 ~ 9:00 AM- 2:00 PM

Pleasant Lake School

Please Bring: Household Refuse, Discarded Furniture, Mattresses, Scrap Metal and Iron, Wood, Appliances*.

Please Do Not Bring: 55-Gallon Drums, Liquids of any kind, Tires, Fencing, Large Car Parts, Building Materials other than wood.

Please containerize refuse to aid in unloading. Recyclables can be prepared in Mister Rubbish recycle bags and dropped in the recycle bins at the townhall.

Drivers License or Property Tax Statements will be required for proof of township residency.

* All refrigerators, freezers, air conditioners or any other appliance with refrigerants must be tagged by a qualified technician who has removed the freon or they will not be accepted.

Telephone Charges - What You Need to Know

The Michigan Public Service Commission suggests you routinely review your itemized charges on your telephone bill. Some charges may have been added inappropriately or are incorrect. As bills have become more complex, it's harder to spot errors. The Public Service Commission does not regulate the rates and charges for optional services, and amounts may change with little or no notice. You may want to compare a current bill against previous bills to see what has changed and if that change is appropriate - did you order this service, for example? Did you or someone in your household make the toll calls?

In addition to the basic charge for local service, you may incur charges for optional services, such as voice messaging, inside wire maintenance, and customer calling features, such as call waiting. If the charge doesn't seem appropriate, call your telephone company and ask for an explanation.

Some unfamiliar charges may be:

* Federal Subscriber Line Charge - covers the cost of the local telephone network, with a maximum charge of \$3.50 for a single line and \$6.07 for additional residential lines. Business lines are higher.

* Universal Service Fund or School/Library Internet Charge - supports technology for public libraries and schools. Amounts vary depending on the company. This was the source of funds for federal awards recently announced by Governor Engler. Manchester schools received \$12,000 and the Township Library \$1240.

* 911 surcharge - covers the operating costs.

* State and Federal taxes.

* Cellular Phone and Paging Charges.

* Primary Interchange Carrier Charge (PICC) - covers costs of long distance, interstate and intrastate telephone networks for use of the local telephone company's network. Charges vary by company.

If you have a question about a charge or a service, contact your telephone company.

There's a number on your bill to call. And if you dispute a charge, such as a toll call, contact the company immediately. If you want to continue to dispute the charge after talking with a company representative, don't pay the disputed amount. Write a letter explaining the dispute, make the payment for all but the disputed amount and tell the company what the problem is. Tell them that if you do not hear back from them within 10 business days, in writing, you will assume they agree with you. Keep your correspondence. You can also contact the Michigan Public Service Commission Communications Division at 800-292-9555.

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Rustic Glen - Growing And Greening

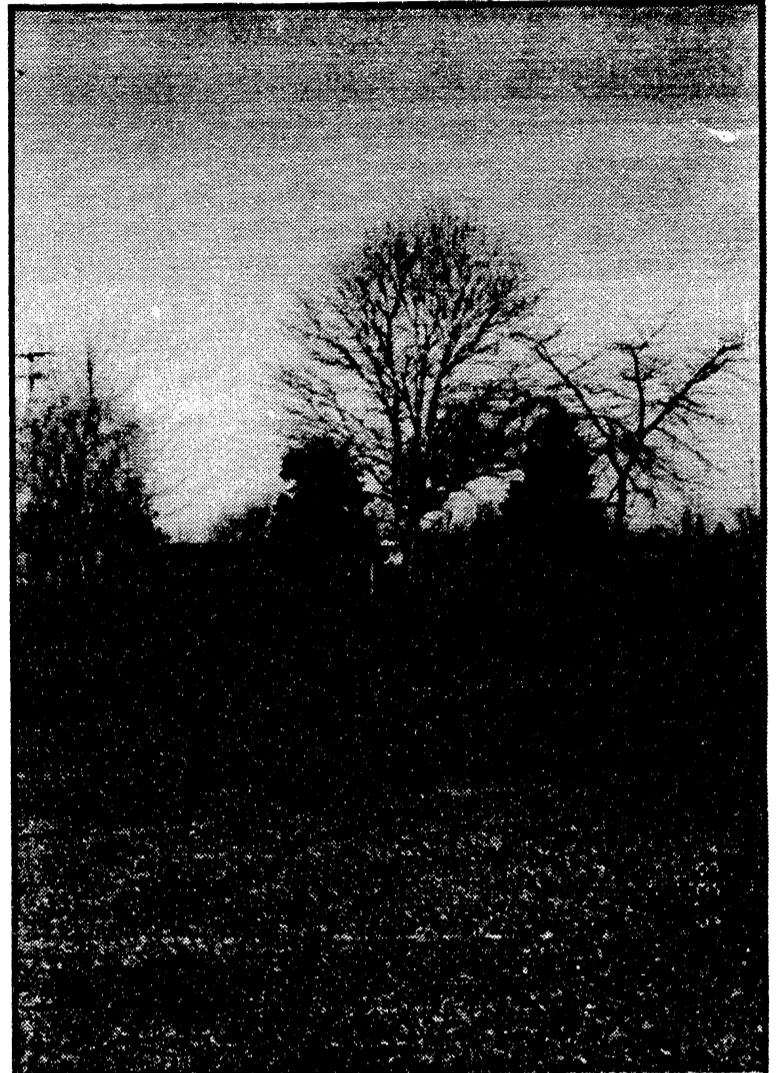
- Wanda Fish

The Rustic Glen Golf Course, located on US 12 at Willow Road in Bridgewater Township, is nearly ready to break ground on a new clubhouse. The 5000 square foot facility will be built by Bridgewater Lumber.

Greg and Harley Hodges, a father-son team, own and operate Rustic Glen. They have reconfigured the course to expand it to 18 holes. "The grass is greening nicely and the new areas are looking really good," according to Greg Hodges. "We believe we'll be ready to go by July."

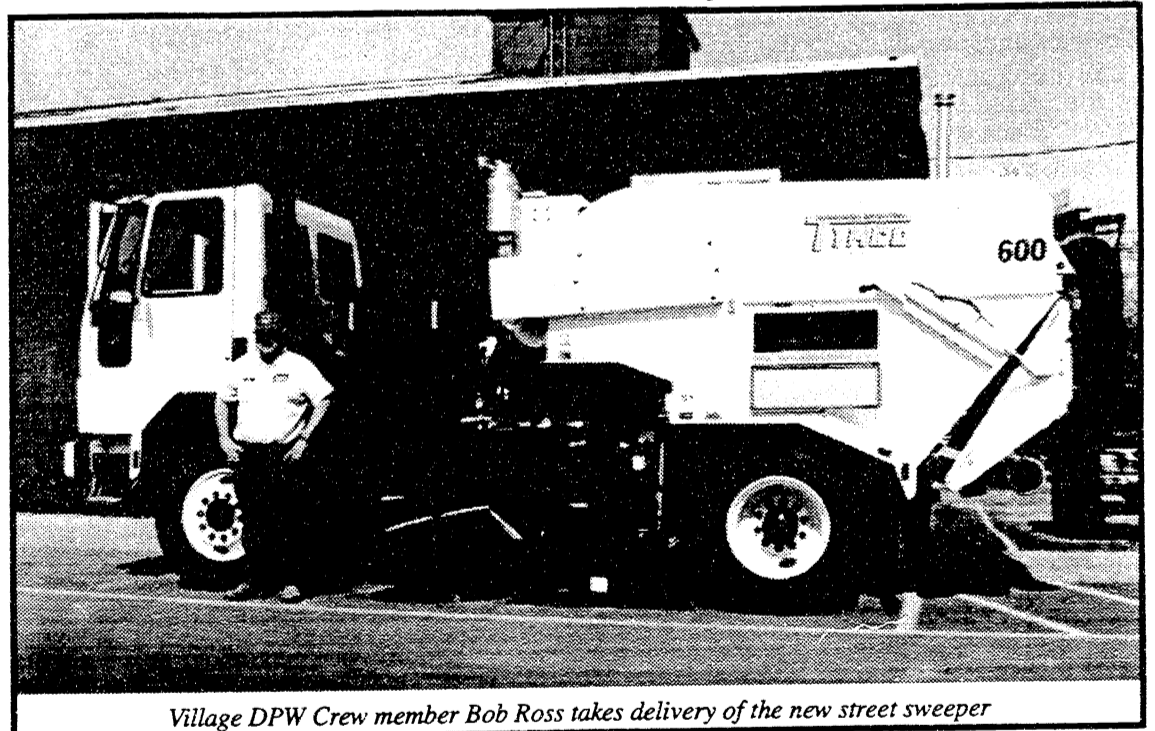
The clubhouse will feature a 2000 square foot restaurant that will serve grilled food and sandwiches, soft drinks, and beer, wine and liquor. "The restaurant will have lots of windows overlooking the course," Hodges said, "and a pleasant covered porch outside of that." Hodges also plans a "first class" pro shop and lessons will be available. New restrooms, offices and storage will also be located in the new clubhouse.

"Business has been really good for us. We've been very well received by local players and hope to add community golf outings and tournaments when the additional areas of the course open."



Rustic Glen Golf Course has a beautiful view from the clubhouse that is planned to be built this spring.

Village Takes Delivery of New Street Sweeper



Village DPW Crew member Bob Ross takes delivery of the new street sweeper

At the March 1 Village Council meeting the Council voted to purchase a TYMCO Street Sweeper, which was delivered on March 31.

"This sweeper will do everything the old one could do, but do it better," commented Gary Wiedmayer, DPW superintendent. "It will be used to clean catch basins and sweep the streets. One advantage is that it sweeps the entire width of the sweeper;

where the old one had only a three foot width for sweeping."

The main improvement will be that this sweeper is a "regenerative air" model, which will reduce the dust in the air. "You probably remember the cloud of dust that followed the old one," noted Wiedmayer. "We won't have that with this new sweeper." The vehicle also has dual steering so it can be navigated from either side. This will

help the DPW crew to see the curb better as they're sweeping. This machine is also much quieter than the old one - a real advantage for those early morning street-sweeping activities in residential neighborhoods.

After delivery late Wednesday afternoon, the equipment was put into immediate use on Thursday, Friday and Monday. "It's doing a real good job," said Wiedmayer.

- MJC

†BAPTIST CHURCHES†
NORTH SHARON BAPTIST CHURCH - Bobby Toler, Pastor; Robert Burton, Asst Pastor; Sylvan & Washburn Rds - 428-7222; SS 10 AM; Morning Church 11 AM; Eve Church 7 PM; Weds Bible Study & Youth 7:30 PM
VICTORY BAPTIST CHURCH (GARBC) - 419 S. Macomb, 428-7506, Sunday School 9:45 AM; Morning Worship 11 AM; Evening Worship 6 PM; Wednesday Bible Study & Prayer 7 PM

†CATHOLIC CHURCH†
ST. MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH - Rev. Fr Charles Irvin, Pastor; Telephone 428-8811; Masses: Monday 12:10 PM, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 8:30 AM; Thursday, 7 PM; Saturday 5 PM; Sunday 8:30 & 10:30 AM

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ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH - Rev. Erling Aaserud, Pastor; Austin Road, Bridgewater; 429-7434 Sunday School 9:15 AM; Worship 10:30; various mid week & Bible Study groups
ST. THOMAS LUTHERAN CHURCH - Rev. John Kayser, pastor; 10001 W. Ellsworth Road (5 miles north and 6-1/2 east of Manchester); 913-8691; Sunday School 9:30 AM; Worship Service 10:45 AM
ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH - Pastor David Hendricks; 3050 S Fletcher Rd., Chelsea; 475-8064; Sunday School 9:00 AM; Worship 10:15 AM

†UNITED METHODIST CHURCHES†
MANCHESTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH - Rev. Frank R. Leineke, Pastor; 501 Ann Arbor St. Parsonage 428-8013; church 428-8495. Sunday School, 9 AM, Worship 10:30 AM
SHARON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH - Minister Rev. Carter Garrigues - Cortelyou, Corner M-52 and Pleasant Lake. Parsonage 428-8430; church, 428-7714; Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00

†MORMON CHURCH†
CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS (MORMONS) - Gary Spooner, Branch Pres; 1330 Freer Rd., Chelsea, 475-1778; Sacrament 9:30 AM; Sunday School, 10:40; Relief Soc, Priesthood & Youth 11:40

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COMMUNITY BIBLE CHURCH - Pastor Bruce Selking; 8400 Sharon Hollow Rd., 428-8709; Worship 10 AM; Sunday School 11:30 AM; Sunday Night Worship 6 PM; High School Youth 7 PM; Wednesday Bible Study & Prayer 7:30 PM. All are welcome!
IRON CREEK COMMUNITY CHURCH - Tom Butterfield, Pastor; English & Sharon Hollow Rds.; Sunday School 10 AM; Morning Church 11 AM; Sunday Evening 7 PM

†PENTECOSTAL CHURCH†
CLINTON ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Rev. Richard Coury; 13080 Clinton Manchester Rd; 517-456-7510; Sunday School 9:30 AM; Worship 10:45 Sunday Eve 6:30; Weds Prayer, Bible Study, Youth 7 PM

†UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST†
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EMANUEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST - 324 E. Main; 428-8359; Sunday School 9:15 AM; Worship 10:30 AM; Fellowship 11:30 AM
ST. JOHN'S UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST - Rev. Dr. Nancy M. Doty, Pastor; 12376 Waters Road at Fletcher, Rogers Corners; Worship & Sunday School 9:30 AM

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MANCHESTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Thursday, April 8, 8:00 PM Bell Choir
 Sunday, April 11: 9:00 AM Sunday School, 10:30 AM Worship; 11:45 AM Choir Practice; 5:15 PM UMYF to Chelsea
 Monday, April 12: 6:30 PM DISCIPLE Bible Study
 Tuesday, April 13: 9:30 AM Senior Yoga
 Wednesday, April 14: 3:15 PM Scouts; 7:30 PM Care & Share
 Thursday, April 15: 7:00 PM Committee meeting; 8:00 PM Ad Council; 8:00 PM Bell Choir

EMANUEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Wednesday, April 7: 9:00 AM Emanuel Quilters; 9:30 AM Women of Emanuel; 6:00 PM Jazzercise; 6:30 PM Bell Choir; 7:30 PM Adult Choir
 Thursday, April 8: 9:30 AM Jazzercise; 12 Noon Sr. Meal; 4 & 7 PM Volleyball; 6:30 PM Girl Scouts; 6:30 PM Basket making; 7:00 PM Board of Deacons
 Friday, April 9: 7:00 PM AA
 Saturday, April 10: 9:00 AM Jazzercise; 10 AM Creative Memories

Sunday, April 11: 9:00 AM Sunday School; 9:15 AM Adult Sunday School; 10:30 AM Worship Service; 11:30 AM Fellowship Time; 2:00 PM Health Empowerment Seminar; 7:00 PM Germany Trip Meeting

Monday, April 12: 6:00 PM Jazzercise; 6:30 PM Optimists; 7:00 PM Board of Christian Education; 7:00 PM Golf Meeting; 8:00 PM Fair Board

Tuesday, April 13: 9:30 AM Jazzercise; 12 Noon Sr. Meal; 7:00 PM Boy Scouts; 7:00 PM Bootstomper

Wednesday, April 14: 9:00 AM Emanuel Quilters; 4:30 PM Chicken Dinner; 6:00 PM Jazzercise; 6:30 PM Bell Choir; 7:30 PM Adult Choir

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN, BRIDGEWATER

Wednesday, April 7: Bell Choir, 7 PM; Senior Choir 8:30
 Thursday, April 8: Mary Martha Circle, 7:30 PM
 Sunday, April 11: Sunday School, 9:15 AM; Worship, 10:30 AM; Fellowship Circle, 12 non; Youth Group, 6:30 PM
 Monday, April 12: Elders Bible Study, 7:30 PM
 Tuesday, April 13: Junior Choir, 6:30 PM
 Wednesday, April 14: Bell Choir 7 PM; Senior Choir 8:30 PM

BETHEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Sunday, April 11: Communion Sunday
 Monday, April 12: 7:30 PM Senior Choir
 Wednesday, April 14: 6:30 PM Children's Choir; 7:45 PM Handbell Choir

COMMUNITY BIBLE CHURCH

Wednesday, April 7: Bible Study & Prayer 7:30 PM
 Thursday, April 8: AWANA for kids, 6:15-8:30 PM
 Sunday, April 11: Worship 10:00 AM; Sunday School 11:30 AM

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Wednesday, April 7: Respite training 1-3 PM; Durable Power of Attorney informational meeting, 7 PM

Thursday, April 8: Altar Society Meeting, 7:30 PM

Friday, April 9: Children's Choir rehearsal 3:05-4:35 PM

Saturday, April 10: 2:00 PM Wedding; Confession 4-4:45; Sunday Mass at 5 PM

Sunday, April 11: Masses at 8:30, 10:30 AM; Pre/K Rel Ed. 10:30 AM; Adult Choir rehearsal; Teen Mass at 6:30 PM

Monday, April 12: Knights of Columbus meeting 8 PM; Fr. Charlie leaves for vacation through April 26

Tuesday, April 13: Rel Ed. Classes grades 1-8.

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH

Thursday, April 8: 1:30 PM Women of Zion Bible Study
 Saturday, April 10: 5:00 PM Informal Worship Service
 Sunday, April 11: 9:00 AM Sunday School; 10:15 AM Worship; New Member Sunday & Potluck; Catechism; deadline for pie orders; 7 PM Bible Study; Business management committee
 Monday, April 12: 7:00 PM Property Committee
 Tuesday, April 13: 7:30 PM Senior Choir; 6:30-8:00 PM Aerobics Class
 Wednesday, April 14: 7:30 PM Church Council

SHARON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Wednesday, April 7: Chancel Choir Practice
 Thursday, April 8: 7 PM Pastor/Parish Relations Committee; 8 PM Administrative Board
 Sunday, April 11: 125th Anniversary of Sharon Church; 10 AM Church School; 11 AM Worship; 12:45 PM Potluck; 2:00 PM Service of Rededication and "views" of the past.

Monday, April 12: 8 PM Rowe's Corners Cemetery Association Annual Meeting

Tuesday, April 13: 6:30 PM Disciple bible study

ST. JOHN'S UCC, ROGERS CORNERS

Sunday, April 11: Worship and Sunday School, 9:30 AM

ST. THOMAS LUTHERAN CHURCH

Wednesday, April 7: 7:30 PM Prayer & Praise

Sunday, April 11: 9:30 AM Sunday School and Bible Study; 10:45 AM Worship Service

Tuesday, April 13: 7:00 PM Basic Christian Beliefs

Wednesday, April 14: 7:30 PM Prayer & Praise

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John Young

John A. Young, aged 96 of Manchester, died March 29, 1999. John was born on September 18, 1902 in London, England the son of William and Elizabeth (Howe) Young. He married Mabel Wirts in 1932 and she survives. Mr. Young retired 31 years ago from the Ford Motor Co. working as a tool and die maker after 35 years of service. He also taught tool and die making at the Henry Ford Trade School. Mr. Young was a 32nd degree, life member of the Ionic Masonic Lodge in Detroit.

Besides his wife, John is survived by 1 son: Gary (Joanne) of Caleva, Mi.; 1 daughter: Sharon Hammang of Manchester; 14 grandchildren; numerous great grandchildren; several great great grandchildren, 1 sister: Mary MacLean and numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by 1 great grandson; 1 great great granddaughter; 3 brothers; and 1 sister

Funeral services were held Thursday, April 1 at 11:00 AM. at the Jenter-Braun Funeral Home, Manchester with Reverend Richard Hardy officiating. Burial Oak Grove Cemetery, Manchester.

HEALTH EMPOWERMENT SEMINAR

Emanuel United Church of Christ
324 Main Street Manchester, MI

**April 11, 1999
2:00 - 3:30 P.M.**

Lecture by Cynthia Browne, M.D., Ph.D.

Dr. Browne is an oncologist from Ann Arbor who lectures nationally on the role of nutrition in the prevention and treatment of chronic disease. Discover how nutrition can impact your health now and in the future. Find out which nutrients can help fight cancer, heart disease, depression, obesity and osteoporosis. Understand the need for nutritional supplementation and how to select the right multivitamin/mineral. General recommendations will be made referencing the Body Wise products. Dr. Browne will be available for brief nutritional consultations following the lecture.

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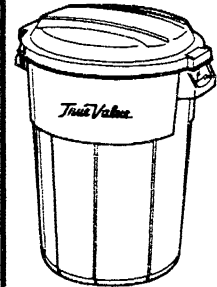
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My tax return won't be ready until April 15. What's the best way to get it to the Internal Revenue Service?

Use the U.S. Postal System. As long as your return is post-marked on April 15th, it will be deemed filed on time. You also may use specifically designated delivery services, such as FedEx, Airborne Express, DHL Worldwide Express and United Parcel Service. You also have the option of filing electronically, but to do so you must have a computer, modem, and the right tax preparation software or hire a CPA who can file it for you.

I found a mistake on one of my 1099 forms and haven't received a corrected one yet. What should I do?

You have two choices. Either pay the amount of tax that is due and file for an extension or file your return and send an

amended return later with an explanation.

How do I get an extension to file my tax return?

All you need to do is file Form 4868 to obtain an automatic extension to August 16, 1999, eliminating late-filing penalties. However, you'll still need to include any taxes you owe with your request for an extension.

What if I can't pay the balance of my taxes by April 15?

If you can show undue hardship, complete and mail Form 1127 on or before April 15 to extend the time of payment for up to six months. Your application must be accompanied by evidence supporting undue hardship, a statement of assets and liabilities, and receipts and disbursement for three months prior to the original due date of the return.

If you don't think you'll be able to pay off your outstanding tax bill in full within six months, you can file Form 9465 to request an installment agreement. However, you will be charged interest on your outstanding tax balance. As an alternative, you may want to consider getting a loan from a

family member, friend or bank.

If the Internal Revenue Service finds that I made a mistake and paid too little tax, will I be subject to any penalties?

That depends on the mistake. You may have to pay an accuracy-related penalty if you underpaid your taxes because of negligence or disregard of rules or regulations or because you substantially understated your income. In the eyes of the IRS, the underpayment is substantial if it is more than the larger of 10 percent of the tax required to be shown on the return or \$5,000. The accuracy related penalty is equal to 20 percent of the underpayment.

If I overpaid my taxes in error, how can I get a refund?

Simply file an amended return and either request a refund or apply all or part of your overpayment on your original return to your estimated taxes. If you choose to get a refund, it will be mailed to you separately from any refund indicated on your original return.


How much time do I have to amend my return?

In general, you have three years after the original timely return was due or filed, or two years from the date the tax was paid, whichever is later. Gen-

erally, failure to file an amended return within this time frame prevents you from receiving a tax refund, no matter how valid your claim.

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Village Won't Get A Traffic Light - Not Now

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What about the availability of alternate routes? Would this benefit the community?" Carter explained that with cutbacks in the M-DOT, both in funding and in personnel, they would not be able to commission a study; but suggested that the Village commission their own study to determine the impact of an alternate route. They also mentioned that recurring the intersection might provide better turning for semis.

Schaffer thanked Carter and Hodges for attending the meeting. "It has been most enlight-

ening. I think I speak for the whole Council when I say that we were not particularly inclined to have a traffic light at this intersection. We appreciate your honest appraisal of the situation."

After the M-DOT representatives left the meeting, Wallace noted, "With growth, it is important to note that these buttons will continue to be pushed. The key is, we need to work with the townships to develop and plan those alternative routes for the future. Otherwise, the property will get used for something else and the opportunity will be lost when we need it."

-Marsha Johnson Chartrand

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The Greater Michigan Ford Dealers are made up of 106 Ford Dealers throughout the State. Tom Hagen, Chairman of the Greater Michigan Ford Dealers stated, "We chose to become a FFA corporate co-sponsor because there is no greater resource than today's young people. They are tomorrow's leaders. Supporting their development through FFA is the best way we know to make sure they are ready for satisfying careers."

More than 2,500 FFA members, advisors and supporters gathered March 8-10 for the 71st State FFA Convention, held at

the Wharton Center on Michigan State University's campus. Seventeen Manchester FFA Students and ten Saline Students attended, with agriscience advisor Mr. Ryan Rowe.

The highest honor an FFA member can receive from the State Association is the State Degree, of which Manchester had two recipients - Julie Porter and Laura Haeussler. Laura received her state degree with a "Gold Award."

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School lunch menu

Week of April 12-16
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- Monday, April 12:** Beef Ravioli, Salad, Breadsticks, Fruit, Rice Krispie Treat & milk.
- Tuesday, April 13:** Chicken Nuggets, Crispy Fries, Fruit, Dinner Roll & Butter & milk
- Wednesday, April 14:** Chicken Pot Pie, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Peas & milk
- Thursday, April 15:** Ollie's Pizza, Salad, Fruit & milk
- Friday, April 16:** Nachos Supreme w/ Toppings, Corn, Ice Juicee & milk



Community Service Project: On Thursday April 1, Andy Burke, Justin Henderson, and Adam Knapp helped to clean up the banks of the River Raisin near the Main St. Bridge and Fellows Bridge, in preparation for the Annual Canoe Race. It was a community service project for their Ninth Grade Civics Class.

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Our first wrestling tournament started the week of March 20, 1999, traveling to Brooklyn/Columbia Central, where there were over 600 wrestlers. Since this was the first tournament of the season, our kids came to compete and did a great job. Out of 30 wrestlers we brought home 26 medals. We have a new Head Coach this year, Matt Clark. Matt has wrestled for the University of Michigan. He works great with the kids, and the kids love working with him.

This year four girls are making their debut in the Manchester Wrestling Club: Emily Bolan, Cassandra Feters, Kelly McCarthy and Katrina Tobias. Each are hard working, and optimistic in a predominantly boy's sport.

Medaling Friday in Greco Roman were: Group II: Bill Cloke 4th; Group III: Doug Sowle 1st; Cadets Jason Chase 2nd; Michael Sowle 2nd; and Derek Spiess, not medaling. Junior Will Slocum 3rd.

On Saturday, our Freestyle medalists were: Group I: Dakota Dotson 3rd; William Dotson 2nd; Patrick Dunn 1st; Jesse Forner 2nd; Jordan Stachnik 2nd. Not medaling but still hard wrestlers - Andrew Fischer and Calvin Briggs. Group II: Blake Salyer 1st; Jason Alber 3rd; Emily Bolan 4th; Scott Conway 3rd; Bill Cloke 4th; Kyle Dunn 1st; Ian Spurr 4th; Cevin Walker 3rd. Not medaling, but good wrestlers, were Joey Spurr, Nathan Powers, Ian Burkhart, and Sam Birgy. Group III: Bradley Alber 3rd;

Ryan Kleinschmidt 3rd; Joshua Scott 2nd; Doug Sowle; Daniel Warner 3rd. Group IV: Jamie Powers 1st; Mark Trinkle 2nd; Not medaling, Steve Gazlay.

Our wrestler of the week goes to Jamie Powers. Jamie is a Group IV wrestler who is going to grow into a superstar. Jamie is a little rusty this year because of taking off last year, but every day I see him wrestle, I'm impressed. Way to go, Jamie!

Our second week, we traveled to Jackson Northwest on March 27, where we showed more improvement. Our kids practiced hard the week before with Coach Clark, and it showed. It was a long day, but the kids came on with fire in their eyes, and did great.

Friday Greco: Group II: Bill Cloke 2nd; Group IV: Steven Gazlay 2nd; Junior: Will Slocum 2nd in Freestyle.

Saturday Freestyle: Group I: Jordan Stachnik 3rd; Will Dotson 3rd; Dakota Dotson 4th; Patrick Dunn 1st; Will Rickert 1st. Not medaling, but fought hard - Drew Fischer, Cameron Inglis, Jesse Powers, Patrick Palmer and Calvin Briggs. Group II: Kyle Dunn 3rd; Bill Cloke 3rd; Nathan Powers 3rd; Blake Salyer 2nd; Skyler McDowell 1st; Cevin Walker 1st. Not medaling, but gave it all they had - Katrina Tobias, Ryan Lannom, Ian Burkhart, Nathan Powers and Emily Bolan. Group III: Ryan Kleinschmidt 3rd; James Tobias 1st; Doug Sowle 2nd; Cassandra Feters 3rd. Group IV: Mark Trinkle 1st; Michael Bolan 4th; Jamie Powers 3rd.

We also had some of our wrestlers going to the Hudson Modified Tournament with Mike Sowle placing 3rd and Doug Sowle not medaling. Jeremiah Tobias traveled to Williamston and took a first, along with Steven Gazlay placing Second and Derek Spiess giving a good effort. Jordan Stachnik went to the Mason tournament on Sunday and placed first.

Our wrestler of the week for the second week is Mark Trinkle. Mark wrestles at 75# in Group IV and won a first place this week by winning his first match 22-11 and his second match 12-0. Mark placed second last week in BCC, when he lost to the National Champ in his class, 17-14. Coach Clark talked to Mark after the match and said, "you just wrestled pound for pound the best wrestler in the tournament." Great job, Mark! Dad's proud too.

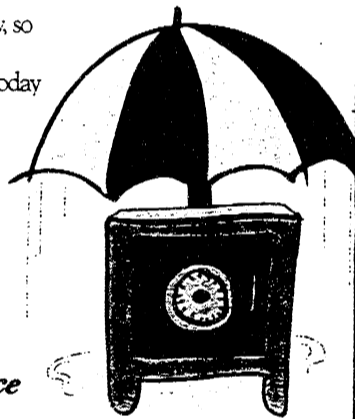
This past week we went to Dexter on Saturday. It was great outside, hot inside and the Manchester club keeps getting better. We had 24 out of 36 wrestlers bring home medals. We keep improving each practice, and it showed on Saturday. Coach Clark and I see the improvement and notice what they still need to work on.

Freestyle Group I: Patrick Dunn 1st; Drew Fischer 3rd; Jesse Forner 2nd; Cameron Inglis 3rd; Will Rickert 1st; Jordan Stachnik 1st. Not medaling, but still giving a great effort - Beau Kingsbury, Patrick Palmer and Calvin Briggs. Group II: Kyle Dunn 1st; Cevin Walker 1st; Ian Spurr 3rd; Joey Spurr 3rd; Jason Alber 1st; Blake Salyer 3rd; Bill Cloke 4th; Not medaling, but still keep trying - Katrina Tobias, Scott Conway, Emily Bolan and Ian Burkhart. Group III: James Tobias 2nd; Daniel Warner 3rd; Nickolas Burkhart 2nd; Doug Sowle 2nd. Not medaling but gave it their all - Bradley Alber, Josh Scott, Kelly McCarthy, Brett Kingsbury. Group IV: Mark Trinkle 2nd; Michael Bolan 4th; Jamie Powers 3rd; Jim McCarthy 2nd; Josh Knouase 2nd. Not medaling, but wrestled hard - Josh Tobias. Junior: Will Slocum 2nd; Cadet Mike Sowle 1st.

Our wrestler for this week is Cevin Walker. Cevin wrestles in Group II at 55# and has come a long way and keeps improving each week. Cevin started out the season with a strong third place finish, and has placed first in the last two tournaments. He has fun and works very hard. Keep your ears open because you will be hearing a lot more on this wrestler.

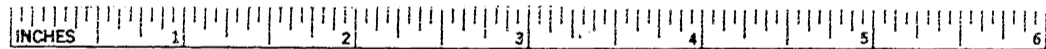
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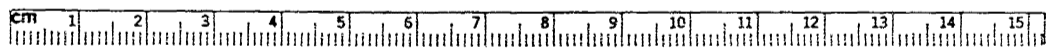


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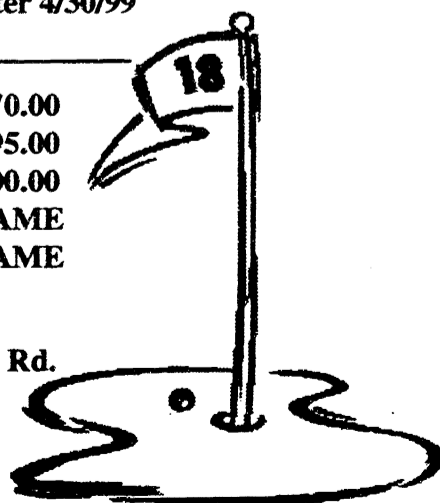
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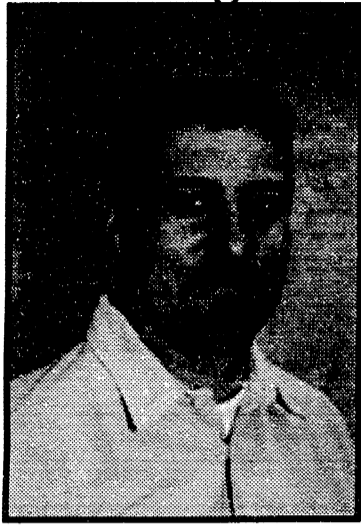
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Romund Named Area Manager



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Romund, who holds a bachelor's degree from Michigan State University, joined Great Lakes in 1997 as a Turn Manager in the Maintenance Department.

New Arrival

This Easter was especially happy for Debbie and Dan Burch as they welcomed Abigail Leigh Burch into their family. Abigail was born at 12:36, weighed 7 lbs, 8 oz., and was 20" long. Her brothers and sisters are Danielle, Sarah, Andrew, and Matthew. Her maternal grandparents are Tom and Ruth Burch of Manchester; paternal grandparents are Tim and Deloros Bauer of Clinton, and her great-grandmother is Rita Townson of Manchester.

MMPA Recognizes 35-year members

Twenty-two Michigan Milk Producers Association members were recognized as 35-Year members at the MMPA State Annual Delegate meeting held on March 16, 1999. MMPA President Elwood Kirkpatrick congratulated and praised the members for their dedication to the cooperative.

Kirkpatrick also commented on the vast changes the Michigan dairy industry has undergone in the past 35 years since these members began dairy farming. In 1964 when these members joined MMPA, the average milk price was \$3.86 per hundredweight; in 1998 the average price was \$14.78 per hundredweight. The average producer shipped 275,000 pounds of milk in 1964 compared to the average shipment today of 1,429,563 pounds of milk.

Among those who received recognition for 35-year membership was Earl Horning of Manchester.

Local Lutheran Brotherhood District Representative earns Industry Designation

Karen R. Bristle, ChFC, LUTCF, FIC, of Ann Arbor, recently earned the Chartered Financial Consultant (ChFC) professional designation from The American College, Bryn Mawr, PA. Bristle is a district representative with Lutheran Brotherhood's Southeast Michigan Agency in Rochester Hills.

The ChFC designation is awarded to individuals who successfully complete the ten course ChFC curriculum and fulfill stringent experience and ethical requirements. The program addresses such subjects as insurance, income taxation, investments, financial and estate planning and business planning, and concentrates on the financial strategy process. It is designed to provide both the knowledge and the credentials professionals need to best serve their clients' financial analysis needs.

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FACULTY HONORED DURING EMU'S SALUTE TO EXCELLENCE

Eastern Michigan University honored its top faculty members during the Division of Academic Affairs 22nd Annual Celebration of Faculty Excellence March 24 at McKenny Union.

"These awards are given to faculty that make a difference in the lives of students," said President William E. Shelton. "I'm proud of what they have accomplished and what they do day in and day out."

Among the 1998 Distinguished Faculty Award recipients is Gary L. Evans of Manchester, who received the Distinguished Faculty Teaching II Award. It is presented to a faculty member who has been at EMU for more than five years.

Evans has been a professor in the department of communication and theatre arts since 1964. Evans holds master's and doctorate degrees in communication from the University of Michigan and a bachelor's degree from Wayne State University. Evans has many interests, including the study of culture. He teaches intercultural communication and has a strong conviction that the University and society benefits from diversity.

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NEWS

- by T.V. Ludwick

From the desk of our Chairlady Dorothy Willingham comes the following. "Well, March is over—and after its predictable performance of pleasant and unpleasant weather, left like a sunny lamb, grazing on a warm windy hill. Once again, we are indebted to our many loyal kitchen volunteers from our host church, Emanuel United Church of Christ.

"Under the direction of our trustworthy Mary Smith, the list reads: Edna Difenderfer, Lucile Williams, Lorraine Mahrle, Hilda Arnold, Olive Feldkamp, Catherine Nickerson, Doris Hough, Trudi Kensler, Maxine Widmayer, Webb and Evelyn Seegert. Our sincere "Thanks" to each one of these special and wonderful people. They along with the other valuable individuals that assist each month make a notable and outstanding contribution to our food program. WE ARE GRATEFUL!

"Also a hearty "Thank You" to Pastor Carter Garrigues-Cortelyou from the Sharon United Methodist Church for his friendly and enjoyable introduction to himself and his family, Tuesday, March 16th. We are looking forward to his future clergy presentations.

"Then, too, a big "Thank You" to Carole DeHart for her entertaining and informative health presentation, "Heart Attacks", March 30th, and to Chelsea Community Hospital for sponsoring her appearance.

"Appreciate each and everyone of the many giving people that serve us so willingly and generously each month. We Are Blessed!"

Thursday, April 8: Senior Citizens Council meeting will start at 9:30 to be followed by work on the May & June calendar for the Trumpeter. Come with your ideas. Meanwhile, back at Emanuel, our cook Sue Miller will be preparing roast beef for our noon meal for all in our area who are 55 or older. Come try these 'more than you can eat' good and tasty meals. First, call in reservations to either Sharman at 428-8359 ahead, or Sue at 428-7630 between the hours

of 9-11 AM on meal days, then come and enjoy, or have your meal delivered to your home—and, if you don't want your meal that day, please call and cancel it out! At 12:30, come to the Center to enjoy bingo for seniors.

Friday, April 9: Beginning at 6 PM, the senior bus will pickup folks wishing to attend the Saline Senior Citizens Card Party. Call Marion Ahrens at 428-7865 for your ride.

Monday, April 12: Senior Bus will leave the Center at 9:30 for shopping at Oak Valley and Meijer's, Ann Arbor. Give Marion a call to go along.

Tuesday, April 13: Yoga Class begins at 9:30 at the Methodist Church for all who are 65 years or older sponsored by Washtenaw Community College (free to us). This is a

most beneficial hour each week that your aching limbs, etc. will thank you for attending these workouts. We have seen improvements! Teriyaki chicken is on the menu at Emanuel, come!

Thursday, April 15: Come at 11 AM and have your blood pressure taken by our volunteer nurse, Mae Sellers (thanks, Mae). Corned beef and cabbage will be on the table at 12 noon and who doesn't just love that? That good meal gives strength to holler "Bingo" starting at 12:30 at the Center, come on over.

Over to you again, Howard Parr! He almost never says no to any request and we sincerely thank this loyal soul. What would we do without Howard and Lenora?

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In March, nearly 3000 visitors viewed approximately 10,000 pages. The average visitor spent between eight and nine minutes at the site. Thursdays and Fridays are the busiest days at the site, but weekend traffic outpaced weekday traffic by 3 to 2.

The discussion forums receive a lot of traffic. Most of the visitors are reading the postings without contributing. It is great that they are viewing the postings but contributing to discussions will help keep them fresh.

Visitors came from United States, United Kingdom, Netherlands, Norway, Canada, Switzerland, Singapore, Sweden, Australia, Italy, France, Spain, Denmark, Greece, and Hong Kong.

The MACC webmaster and the MACC secretary received a number of inquiries from people who found our site and are planning on visiting the area.

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Please have your cans or bottles ready at your door.

If you live outside the village you may also donate by drop off at the rear entrance of Manchester Market or call 428-9255 for pickup of large amounts at your home.

Public Hearing On Pinnacle Engineering's Rezoning Request Scheduled For April 15

The Sharon Township Planning Commission will meet on April 15 to hear public comments about the rezoning request by Raymond VanLuven and Murray Smith to rezone five acres adjacent to the present Pinnacle Engineering building at 10250 M-52. It is also behind Wolverine Biological. The land is presently zoned for agricultural use and, if approved, will be rezoned for industrial use.

Mr. Smith, owner of Pinnacle Engineering, is purchasing the land from Mr. VanLuven. A portion of the land is cultivated.

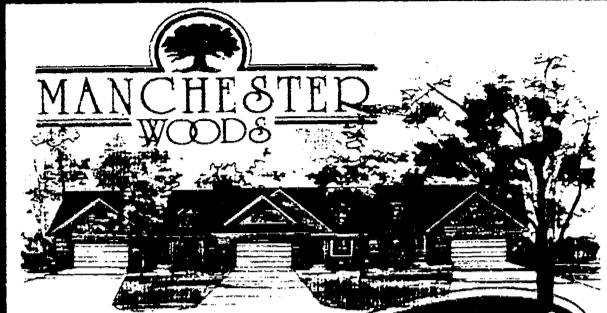
According to Mr. Smith, "The intent of acquiring this parcel...is primarily for future expansion. This expansion would be with a similar building to be used for storage and would enable us to maintain all equipment, supplies and related items under cover." Reached by telephone, Mr. Smith said that he "likes to keep the area very clean and neat. We're good neighbors."

The public hearing will be held April 15 at 8:00 PM at the Sharon Township Hall, 18010 Pleasant Lake Road.

It's Almost Time to Register for WCC Off-Campus Spring Classes

Registration begins soon for Washtenaw Community College off-campus classes in Chelsea and Dexter. There are 23 courses in three different subject areas offered at the Chelsea Community Education Center, Chelsea High School, and Dexter High School. Classes range from Introduction to Microsoft Access to Triangle Trig.

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Position is available immediately. Please call Karen Tucker at 428-7877 or stop by the Village Office between 8:30 AM and 4:30 PM.

Thank You

Thank you to all the people who sent cards during my recent illness. Reading them gave me inspiration and helped speed my recovery. A special thanks to my friend and neighbors who brought me food and gifts. Also many thanks to my children and their spouses for all the help they provided when I returned home from the hospital.

Della Widmayer

We would like to extend our heartfelt thanks to family and friends involved during the difficult weeks of our mother's hospitalization and her resulting death and the death of our grandmother. You have made a hard time easier. Again, thank you to all.

The Aaron Warner family

Garage Sales



Moving Sale - Friday, April 9, 9-3; Saturday, April 10, 9-1. Will accept all reasonable offers. 9670 Grossman Rd., 1-1/2 miles south of Austin Rd.

Lawn & Landscape

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Gardening

Gardening from the Ground Up

- by Ron & Barbara Kopp, Pine View Farms Nursery

How To Plant And Why

A successful landscape begins with proper planting. The following guidelines will help you give your new plants a proper start and thrive in their new homes.

If your plants arrive in:

- Plastic Pots** Remove plant by cutting down each side and peel open being careful to keep root ball intact.
- Paper Mache Balled & Burlap** Do not remove plant, but cut vertical slits in sides to speed decomposition. Remove twine from around trunk of plant and peel back, do not peel off from the root ball.
- Burlap & Wire Basket** Same as above, and do not remove wire basket

- Dig a hole 50% wider and slightly deeper than the plant ball.
- Add some dirt back into the hole so when the plant is placed into the hole, it will be at the level as it was growing in the container or field. (For very heavy plants, measure rather than lift the plant in and out of the hole.)
- Place plant in the hole, fill hole 1/2 way with water and start putting back former soil. Poke with a stick or shovel handle in the mud to removed trapped air around plant ball.
- If the native soil is poor, add rich dirt or humus such as peat, with the native soil as you re-fill the hole.
- Let the new plant settle one day and water again with a water soluble plant food designed to promote root development.
- We recommend putting a slow release fertilizer that lasts 3-4 months in a ring around the plant or tree working it in only in the top one inch of dirt. Never put fertilizer in the hole at planting time as it can severely burn the plant roots.
- Place shredded bark mulch (2-3 inches deep only) around the new plant. (This keeps the soil cool on hot days, helps keep weeds away, and prevents the soil from drying out, so less watering is needed.
- Do not over water your plants. Pull back mulch to check for moisture. If we do not have a decent rain, then once a week, thoroughly soak the soil around new plantings for the first year - second year, once in two weeks.
- Do not water foliage on sunny days as the young leaves can burn.
- Trees should be staked right after planting and staking removed after one year. This allows the tree to establish into the surrounding ground much quicker. (The wind rocks the tree and tears the roots as it tries to grow in its new home. Staking will keep it stable).

If the above steps are followed, your plants will thrive and you will be the envy of your friends as to what a green thumb you have.
Send your gardening questions to "Gardening From the Ground Up", c/o The Manchester Enterprise

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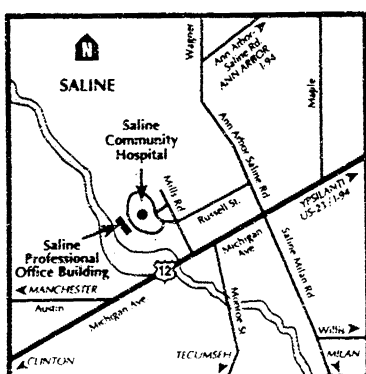
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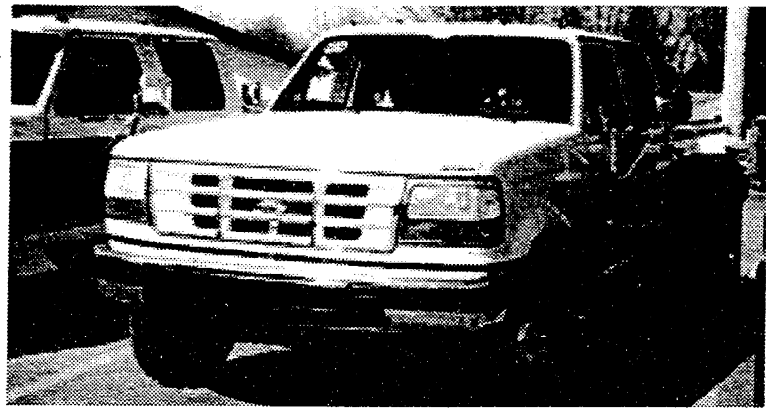
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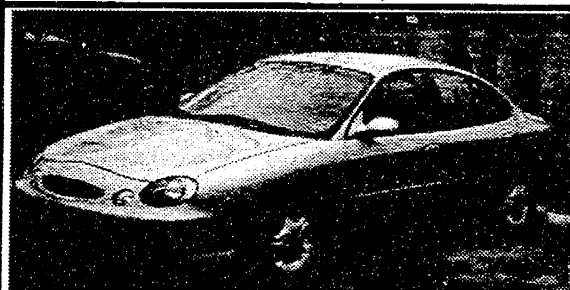
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