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Pumpkin carving contest

Key Club is hosting a free pumpkin carving contest for children up to sixth grade on Oct. 26 at Fusilier's Farm.

Contestants must be accompanied by an adult, and should arrive by 2 p.m. for the carving of the pumpkins. Judging will begin a 4 p.m

Halloween costume contest

Judging of Halloween costumes will be held after trick-or-treating in Manchester at St. Marv's Parish Center. The event is sponsored by Key Club and will take place from 7 to 9 p.m. on Oct. 31.

Christmas in the village parade plans under way

Any group wishing to have a float in the Christmas in the Village parade on Nov. 23, should contact Peg Chizmar at 428-9714.

Art center sets fall schedule

Chelsea Center for the Development of the Arts is taking registrations for the second session of fall art programs. Watercolor, fluid acrylics, collage and oil mono print classes are available for teens and adults, Cartooning, mosaics, printmaking, and painting classes are available for youth.

Youth classes are offered after school Monday through Thursday. Classes begin the week of Oct. 28 and advance registration is required; call 734.433.ARTS (2787).

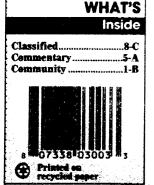
Church luncheon

St. Mary's monthly chicken and biscuit luncheon will be held at 11 a.m. on Wednesday at the Parish Center on Madison Street. All are welcome.

WARSP to meet

The November meeting of the Washtenaw Association of Retired School Personnel will be held at 11 a.m. Nov. 6 at Weber's Inn. The speaker is from Habitat for Humanity.

Have your check for \$11 made out to WARSP: send to Joan Van Orman, 102 Quiet Creek Circle. Chelsea. MI 48118, no later than noon Nov. 1.



Thursday, October 24, 2002

New school construction

■ School board adjusts budget, awards concrete and steel bids.

By Marsha Johnson Chartrand Associate Editor

After several adaptations to the budget for the new high school construction, the board adopted a revised plan that brings the anticipated costs of the project about \$116,000 under budget.

Some of the "aesthetic" changes suggested by Tim Johnson of Wolgast Corporation, the district's construction managers, drew mild criticism from audience member Mike Gregerson, who said that the building seemed somewhat plain already and urged the board to not make blanket changes in design without requesting visuals of the changes.

Some of Johnson's suggested

changes included eliminating brick detail near the top of the building. dormers on the north (back) side of the building in the media center. and reducing the height of a parapet designed to conceal mechanical equipment on the roof.

"It is a plain building in some ways." Finance Director Theresa Schenk said. "We never set out to build a Taj Mahal; the feedback from the community was clear-we preferred function over form."

An amendment to Wolgast's contract with the district will place Keith LaPratt as the field construction manager for the new high school and adjust the payment schedule and total compensation, resulting in an overall savings to the district. This amendment was unanimously approved by the board.

The board also accepted concrete and steel bids that were tabled from the Oct. 7 special meeting. The foun-

Corporation of Sterling Heights and the structural steel will be provided by Robertson Builders of Southfield. Total of the second-phase contracts was awarded at \$1.732 million, about \$16.000 less than the original projected cost.

"I think what Wolgast and the school district did with the steel and concrete bids was good value engineering." Schenk said.

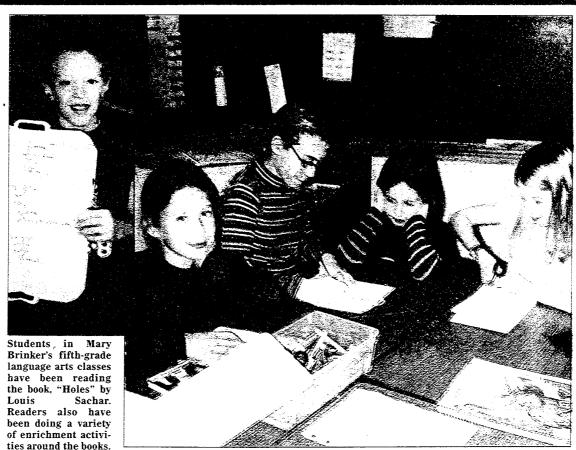
Treasurer Lyndon Uphaus asked Johnson when the board would see a detailed outline of the construction schedule for the high school. Johnson's response was that when the architect's drawings are finalized, then a schedule can be created. Currently, the construction managers have a working draft for their schedule but nothing is finalized.

It was noted that the district is approving payments to the contractors as work is completed and a determination of the degree of completion is made by a joint decision of the construction manager, architect and the facilities committee. The board then approves payment upon recommendation of the facilities committee.

Klager Elementary renovations are nearing completion and on-site manager Mike Van Wieren reported that the team is looking at a Noy. 1 goal for moving in. Carpeting was installed in the addition on Tuesday and bathroom fixtures are in place. One holdup was windows but Wolgast has received confirmation that the glass is at the contractor and should be ready on schedule.

The board also received good news from its auditors, Rehmann Robson. The audit was conducted for the district's fiscal year ended June 30 and was reported to have very positive results.

Bringing Books to Life



Claire Davis, Mollie Cole and Sjobhan Bamford worked on a list of what the main character. Stanley, would have needed to take with him to Camp Green Lake, a juvenile camp where he was wrongly imprisoned. Jesse Forner, inset, displays his suitcase "packed" with items he'd suggest to Stanley.

Regional plan nearing completion

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By Laura Merte Staff Writer

Southwest Washtenaw County's regional plan is finally nearing the end of what will be a nearly threeyear gestation period.

At an open house Oct. 9. the Southwest Washtenaw Council of Governments (SWWCOG) presented the latest version of the draft regional plan.

'I'm pleased that we've been able to get as far as we have." said SWWCOG chair Jim Fish. "It's been an excellent exercise.

The regional plan was conceived with the mission of protecting the rural character of southwest Washtenaw County, which has been dotted with fields and grazing pastures since its settlement in the 1830s.

In 1999, representatives

from Manchester Community Schools, the Village of Manchester, Sharon, Freedom, Bridgewater and Manchester Townships collaborated to form the entity

known as SWWCOG. which meets on a monthly basis to discuss issues from planning to traffic to ordinances.



The result Jim Fish of the group's work is the regional plan, first unveiled in May, then modified according to concerns and suggestions from residents and re-introduced Oct. 9 at a relatively uneventful public

"There were several comments, a few suggestions, but not very many." said Fish. "Most of the things that had been serious concerns were addressed at earlier sessions in May, so it was pretty uneventful.

SWWCOG is now focusing on fine-tuning the plan. Fish said.

"There really are no major changes in the sense that it changes the direction of the plan," he said. "When you get to this point it's just tweaking things-moving a little this way or that, adding something that may have been overlooked or recognizing characteristics that hadn't been considered before.

Fish estimates the project will be completed within three or four months, at which point the final draft will be submitted to the member municipalities for review.

Still, Fish notes, the council is proceeding cautiously towards finishing the plan.

"We want to do it right and not rush anything." he said.

"Fast-track suggestions were made but rejected because we felt we needed to go one step at a time.

This is the first time we've done anything like this, and the first time anybody has gotten this far with this detailed a document.

"We're very interested in being able to proceed correctly.

When the plan eventually passes review by the various municipalities, says Fish, it will continue to be a living document.

"We'll be updating the plan just like everyone updates their own plans. he says. "It's a guideline. one more thing to look at in terms of coordination. It's taking planning to a broader perspective.

SWWCOG will continue to adjust the plan at its next meeting. Nov. 13 in the Manchester High School media center.

Village passes right-of-way ordinance

■ Broadband providers will pay standardized fee.

By Scott Brockett Special Writer

At its Oct. 21 meeting the Manchester Village Council took steps to help potential providers of broadband services seeking rights-of-way in the village.

The council passed an ordinance and resolution implementing the Metropolitan Extension Telecommunication Rights-Of-Way Oversight Act. This statute, enacted last summer, standardizes and simplifies the permitting process and permit fees applied to providers seeking rights-of-way in Michigan.

The statute creates an oversight authority charged with collecting an annual maintenance fee from all telecommunications providers with facilities in the state. Beginning March 31, 2003, this fee will be \$.05 per linear foot. The oversight authority will

collect these fees from providers and distribute villages townships throughout Michigan. The distribution to each governmental unit will be based on a predetermined formula.

By complying with the statute before Nov. 1. the council ensured that Manchester will receive its allocated distributions from the authority.

According Village to Manager Jeff Wallace. the statute will not materially affect the right-of-way fees collected by Manchester during a typical year. Instead, the primary impact will be to broadband services expand from their bases in metropolitan areas to surrounding townships and villages.

These providers contend that a lack of simple, uniform standards has hindered their ability to expand through multiple villages and townships. Wallace said he believes the rapid growth of broadband services and the state's policy of extending their availability to less populous areas explains the timing of the statute.

IN OTHER business, the council approved expenditures for the repair and main-

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GETTING LISTED

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Thursday - Sunday Equestrian State Championships/ State Fairgrounds

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Wednesday: Pizza, salad, fruit and treat.

Thursday: Goulash, garlic bread, salad, fruit and treat. Chicken rings, mashed potatoes and gravy, hot apples and cookie.

STRAIGHT FACTS

avoid mistakes, sometimes they happen anyway. When that occurs, we rely on our readers to let us know about them. So, please help. To request a correction, e-mail Marsha Johnson Chartrand at mchartrand@heritage.com, or call

Community Resource Center Board meets at 7:30 p.m. on the fourth Thursday of each month at the center.

King's Volunteers meet on the fourth Thursday of each month at 1 p.m. at the Manchester United Methodist Church.

Oct. 25

Varsity football Cross over at Napoleon 4:00 game at Reading, 7:30 p.m. Alcoholics Anonymous

meets at 7 p.m. in the Emanuel United Church of Christ kitchen.

Al-Anon meets at 7 p.m. in the Emanuel United Church of Christ 3-4 grade class-room. Contact 428-8786 for information.

Oct. 26

Cross Country Regionals away TBA

Oct. 28

Euchre Night at the American Legion, 7 p.m. All are welcome.

Manchester Optimist Club meets at 6:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday of each month at Emanuel United Church of Christ.

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Cindy L. Triveline Formerly of Gemini Salon

Joan Schiller, age 75, died quietly at the Chelsea Retirement Community on Oct. 21, 2002 after a sudden illness. She was born in Delta, Ohio on June 19, 1927 to David and Mary (Carter) Rowe and moved to Manchester in 1943. graduating from Manchester Freshman Girls' basketball High School in 1945. She married Frederick W. Schiller in 1948 and had two children.

At the age of 35 she attend-Eastern Michigan University and received bachelor's and master's degrees in business. She worked for National Bank of Ypsilanti and was responsible for the development of a new Bankcard. She visited all the merchants in downtown Ypsilanti to commit them to accepting a bankcard, which later became known as Master card, in lieu of cash or check.

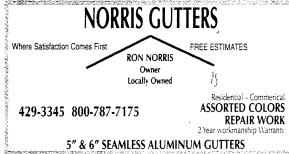
Mrs. Schiller returned to Eastern Michigan University and for the next 23 years advised thousands of students in their choices of classes and careers as a guidance counselor. After her retirement in 1996, she moved to Punta Gorda, Fla., but spent sum-Douglas Manchester.

She was a member of

Manchester, Business and Professional Women's organization in Ypsilanti, the Planning Manchester Commission, Harbor Heights Garden Club, Harbor Heights Yacht Club and Civic Center and the Orchid Club. She also did curriculum development for Learning in Retirement for Edison College in Punta

Gorda. She is survived by her son David (Debra) Schiller of St. Charles, Ill., a daughter Cynthia (Earl) Carver of Manchester; a brother Jack (Marjorie) Rowe Manchester and Richard Lawson of Onsted; and sister Mary Louise Tippins of Port Charlotte, Fla. Her grandchildren were Jessica and Daniel Schiller and Jeffrey and Robert Carver. She was loving aunt to many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband and

A memorial service will be at 11 a.m. Friday at the Emanuel United Church of Christ in Manchester with visitation at the family farm. 9590 Kies Road on Thursday 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. Arrangements by the Jenter and Braun Funeral Home, Manchester Chapel. Donations may be made to Arbor Hospice, Chelsea Retirement Community or Emanuel United Church of





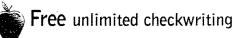


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Footloose and fancy-free

■ Lifelong love of -music brings local woman to featured role.

By Marsha Johnson Chartrand Associate Editor

Sandra Winzenz has been singing her whole life. And now she really has something to sing about.

Winzenz recently was cast in a stage production of "Footloose" in the featured role of Ethel McCormack. "Footloose" is the inaugural production of the newlyformed Stages Theatre Company based in Ann Arbor. Stages attracts participants and audiences from the entire Washtenaw County area and is unique because of its emphasis on intergenerational participation in all aspects of its productions.

"The roles have all been age appropriately cast,' said Georgie Pachella, a member of the theatre company's Board of Directors.

Winzenz added that many of those involved are donating their time and talents to help get the new theatre troupe off the ground. including her voice teacher, Jennifer Larson, an opera singer who holds a Ph.D. in music from the University of Michigan and is the musical director for "Footloose." Larson's husband, Scott, is



Sandra Winzenz

conducting the orchestra and cast.

"It's a great, energizing group of people who just came together." Winzenz said. "The teenagers in particular are just fabulous. It will be a wonderful, heartwarming production.

The cast of "Footloose" comes from Ann Arbor, Ypsilanti, Chelsea, Saline and Manchester.

"We have cast members who range from age 10 to 60," Pachella said. "We were very fortunate to have an incredibly high turnout at our auditions and for this reason have been able to cast unbelievably talented actors and dancers.

Several Chelsea and Saline area teens are featured in the production, including Jessica Oberholtzer, Spencer Gallagher, Dave Fernandes, Sarah Maynard, Matt Baker, Alyssa

from Chelsea, and Alex Grazier G'Sell and Chris Perino from Saline.

Scott Mancha, the theatre manager at the Chelsea Community Educational Center is the light and set designer for the production.

"Footloose was produced a number of years ago on Broadway," Winzenz said. "It came back as a motion picture and it is as current today as it was back then-it is basically the story of those tough years when teens and parents need to figure out how to interact with one another.

"Everyone will come away from the production with an impact.'

Winzenz, who studied music at the University of Michigan as an undergraduate, has performed in choirs and chorales in high school and an opera in college as well as in productions at the Croswell in Adrian. She also sang in the U-M Choral Union, including several years in the May festivals.

But the demands of raising a family-Winzenz has three grown sons-took time away from her pursuit of music. For the past three years, she has been taking voice lessons from Larson and decided to participate in this new venture.

"It's putting into action what I've been learning,' she said.

"Footloose." Ren In McCormack and his mother. Ethel, move from Chicago to the small rural town of Bomont. The town is still in mourning after a tragic car accident takes the lives of four teenagers. In an effort to protect the youth, the Rev. Shaw Moore (Tyler Oliphant) institutes prohibitions against rock-and-roll and dancing. It takes an out-

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Some of the Chelsea and Saline teens featured in the upcoming production of "Footloose" include (from left) Miranda Keebler, Jessica Oberholtzer, Ben Garrison, Alex Grazier G'Sell, Matt Baker, Alyssa Warren and Chris Perino. Manchester resident Sandy Winzenz is cast as Ethel McCormack, the mother of Ren, played by Ben Garrison.

perspective and to show the town how to value the joy of music and end the battle between teenagers and adults.

Garrison, a high school junior, is a member of the Washington Street Show Choir. Oberholzer. who plays Ariel, the female lead. is a Chelsea graduate, currently a freshman at the University of Michigan.

"Ben is so amazing, Winzenz said of her co-star. "He seems to have the capability of learning everything

sider (Ren), to put things in so quickly. He energizes the cast ... he's a lot of fun.

> Winzenz looks forward to the pre-Thanksgiving production with anticipation and excitement.

"There are so many talented people involved with this musical," Winzenz said. "I feel very fortunate to be able to work with this group!

Performances of "Footloose" will be Nov. 21-24 at the Old Chelsea High School auditorium on Washington Street. Tickets are available by calling 332-9114.

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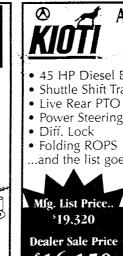
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Legion Auxiliary starts busy year

By Marsha Johnson Chartrand Associate Editor

As the American Legion Auxiliary began its 2002-2003 year on Sept. 11, the group commemorated the anniversary of last year's terrorist attacks in a short ceremony prior to the regular meeting.

An assistant from the funeral chapel released a white dove in memory of the victims of the attacks.

The membership quota for this year is 142 members and the auxiliary is close to reaching this goal. Members who have not yet renewed are urged to pay their dues and all are encouraged to invite eligible women to become new members of the

The unit is busy preparing for this year's Christmas in the Village event which is being held at the American Legion Hall. Rita Huber is coordinating booth rentals for the craft show.

Two members of the auxiliary, Vivian Heckaman and Edna Knauss, have recently died and their memories

October meeting.

The unit officers are meeting regularly with officers of the American Legion post to help coordinate activities and improve communication between the two groups. A New Year's Eve party is one topic under discussion. Members also are

urged to voice their con-

matters can be discussed.

The auxiliary will be collecting paper products for the Manchester Family Service holiday boxes at its

next meeting set for Nov. 13. Regular meetings of the Emil Jacob Unit #117 are held at 7:30 p.m. on the second Wednesday of each



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Everyone knows that State Representative Gene DeRossett has worked hard to represent the residents of Washtenaw County in Lansing since 1998. But Gene DeRossett is more than just an independent,



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ssociation (NRA)

32 years

Past President of the Saline Rotary Club Recipient of Saline Jaycees' Outstanding

Past Treasurer of the Saline Economic

Development Council, Saline Tax Increment Finance Authority

Founder of DeRossett Construction, Inc. and a licensed general contractor for

Past Treasurer of the Painters Allied Trade

Past President of the Jensen School Parent

Young Man Award Life member of the National Rifle

Teacher Organization (PTO) Supporter of the Saline Fiddlers Philharmonic and other community

Member of the Shriner Moslem Temple of Detroit (Shriners Crippled Children Hospitals

Member of the Washtenaw County Scottish Rites Club

Gene DeRossett is a Family Man

Gene has been married to his wife Sandy for 38 years and has two married children— Lori and Alan—and four grandchildren named Emily, Eric, Ethan and Eli.

Gene DeRossett is a 50-Year Washtenaw **County Resident**

Gene has been a Washtenaw County resident for 50 years, residing in Saline before moving to Manchester in 1993.

State Representative

Gene DeRossett

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Enterprise COMMENTARY

Maybe there really is a check in the mail

ing I really love to get mail.

When I was six years old, I wrote a letter to then-President John F. Kennedy. When I got a reply from his press secretary, I was thrilled. It's probably safe to say that this is when my love for correspondence began.

I started collecting post cards that my grandpa always sent me from his hunting trips up north. They usually had bears or deer on them, but the neatest part was that he had written me a note on the back.

My family moved to a new home when I was about to start fourth grade. How exciting it was to discover that my new across-thestreet neighbor had a birthday the day after mine! We became fast friends and when I moved away three years later we started writing to each other regularly.

We've kept it up for more than 35 years. Although we don't write as frequently as



MARSHA JOHNSON **CHARTRAND**

AFTER THOUGHTS

teenagers, we always keep in touch at birthdays and the holiday season.

For most of that time, we were patrons of the United States Postal Service. Now, however, we more frequently use e-mail to keep in touch.

So it's not surprising that I usually love to get e-mail. I've read some great jokes and touching essays, made new friends and kept in contact with old ones more easily. Just like regular mail, I thought, each e-mail message can carry the potential of great surprise or joyous

side to e-mail that I'm only beginning to learn about. It's the dark underworld of spam.

I'm not talking about that product. canned meat 'Spam" is to e-mail as "junk mail" is to what comes in your mail box. But there is more of it and it can be harder to sort out than tradition-

I get three times the normal amount of spam in my emailbox at work, because there are three addresses that all forward into the same inbox.

Spam-senders have to be extremely clever in order to get you to read their messages. Some think of catchy phrases for their subject lines, like "Click here now!" Others have neat screen names. (I will warn you, however-if the screen names resemble "Foxylady," "Hotdude" or something similar, it's a really bad idea to open that message.)

sages with, "This message is not a spam or junk mail. It's a Press Release being sent to the Press.'

Gee, at least these people Newspapers is "the Press." I get a lot of e-mail from those who evidently think The Manchester Enterprise is a real estate firm.

"We guarantee you will be flooded with listing appointments using this step-by-step marketing system that draws clients to you like a magnet! There is nothing else like it in real estate today!"

I can hardly wait to read

Stock tips abound via email. Who'd have thought? If you're interested in playing the market during these bear days, I could forward you plenty of advice ... if I haven't already deleted the 15 or more messages that arrive each day.

For those who are interested in refinancing to lower Some are more mundane. their debt, there's no doubt

with someone more than willing to help you out.

the holidays And as approach, I have to admire the creativity and sheer pluck of this message from "Shanta." The subject line is, "The Christmas Gift that Keeps on Giving ...

Opening it up, I read, Now, YOU can Receive Generic Viagra for as low as \$2.50 per 50 mg dose, with a FREE Physician's Consultation and Discreet shipment to the privacy of your home or office!!"

Great. I can also order X10d MALE FORMULA, an all-in-one dietary supplement that will do impossible things to my body. There's a really good reason to choose a more feminine screen name than simply, "mchartrand.

Then there are the aspiring (sometimes referred to "inspiring") journalists and writers who hope I will print their columns on our opinion pages. Sometimes

wish I could use them. Others are further away from being among cream-of-the-crop of the writing world. A few could definitely use some lessons in the power of the written word.

Monday mornings can be particularly exciting. There are people who must spend their entire weekends writing 12-page letters to the editor (that I receive three times). Others (probably Foxylady and Hotdude) spend their weekends hawking websites that I'd rather not discuss.

For all of that, I'm not giving up on e-mail—or snailmail either. There's always an element of surprise involved, whether you open up a virtual envelope or a real one.

And some day, that "check in the mail" story just might come true. Better that than finding generic Viagra or X10d Male Formula in my post-office box.

Biggest issues are ignored this election year

Well, it is getting very close to the 2002 elections.

As I wrote several months ago, there does seem to be an avoidance of the biggest issue in Michigan by every candidate. single candidate. The deficit for the state is growing by the month and I haven't seen one word in print or on the broadcast media on how the situation will be addressed.

In case you missed it, several weeks ago the state reported that this year's finances were worse than expected so they had to dip into next year's money to shore up this year. The bad point is that next year was



DAVID HELISEK

THIS 'N' THAT

already in red ink so that just leaves another \$200-300 million hole in the budget.

So far, the candidates have said what they won't do to fill the hole—that is, raise taxes. I would really like to know what is going to spending is concerned.

It is simple. If you don't have income you slash spending, our state constitution demands a balanced budget.

cities. townships. school boards, and villages who know that the reality is coming but they aren't saying anything yet either. I

in avoiding what the solution will be, but I think that incumbents might bear a

beneficial bills since his

election, but his work on

land use issues has been par-

ticularly important as we

debate complex land use

policies. I believe Gene has

demonstrated his outstand-

ing leadership skills in

Lansing. representing Wash-

tenaw County during the last

four years and has earned

our continuing support and

Pam Byrnes, who is run-

in the 52nd district.

ning for State Representa-

works particularly hard for

wise land use and protection

of the environment. She is

endorsed by the Sierra Club.

She wants to make early

childhood education avail-

able to all and classroom size

smaller in order to improve

the quality of our schools.

She will fight to reduce the

by builders' lobbies, is a life-

time member of the NRA, is

endorsed by Michigan Right

to Life committee and has

sponsored a bill to repeal

Michigan's motorcycle hel-

met law. The latter bears

social costs and burdens

shared by all motorists who

end up paying for the cost of

motorcyclists' serious in-

juries. It has been proven

that crash helmets reduce

significantly the injuries and

their subsequent cost. Let's

not risk foolishly adding to

Vote smart and choose Pam

Janine Easter

Ann Arbor

Byrnes for the 52nd district.

Byrnes is a leader in

preserving open space.

When it comes to preserv-

ing farmland, there is really

only one way to accomplish

our tax burden.

To the editor:

Her opponent is supported

cost of prescription drugs.

Peter M. Cornell

Ann Arbor

re-election.

Vote Smart!

To the editor:

little more scrutiny than their challengers. After all, it's great to be a politician when times are good and vou can cut taxes always expecting the economy to

But now is the time when it's not good enough to be good ole John Doe, political friend to all. All the pictures in the paper presenting awards do nothing when it's time to be a real leader. Incumbents made the mess; they shouldn't be allowed to avoid answers until Nov.

Also, it seems that the faith community is hung up on the one issue of abortion. I agree that it is important to get the accurate stance of the candidates on this issue, but I think that respecting human includes more than just one

The mental health program in our state is virtually gone, what of those lives? Medicaid and Medicare services are slowly but surely being cut. I have a mother who had a stroke; I know now what was available several years ago and what the cuts mean in today's terms.

There is less care available for seniors and the disabled. There is less reimbursement to your family doctor, thus they provide less service. What of the lives affected by this?

It just seems to me that these days as long as a candidate is anti-abortion. that's wonderful to the churches, but if the poor. mentally ill or elderly die because of lack of care it doesn't matter. That used to matter to the faith communities.

I've written before that no matter what your viewpoint. your duty as a citizen is to get out and vote. The same applies this year.

Talk to you soon.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Support Hammerstrom in effort to help kids.

To the editor:

Senator Bev Hammerstrom has worked hard to protect our kids-she promised and she delivered. I appreciate having a legislator that shares my values and stands firm in their beliefs. Bev is pro-life with a track record for standing strong for our children.

She has sponsored bills that make a difference, from making playgrounds safer and increasing the tax deduction for each child, to helping more families beresented me when she was in the House of Representatives and I will be proud to have Bev as my next State

Senator. This Nov. 5 I will be voting to keep her in Lansing. Won't you join me in supporting Bev Hammerstrom by voting to elect Bev as our next State Senator?

Thank you for taking the time to consider my family's view and my five little ones' voices that depend us to provide them with the quality of living they deserve.

Daniel T. and Deborah S. **Burch and family**

Byrnes has interests of our children at heart.

To the Editor:

Township in the 52nd State House district and a former educator, I am motivated to write this letter in support of Democratic candidate Pam

The voting record of the Republican opponent, Gene DeRossett, on educational issues is appalling. Specifically:

· He voted against establishing a reading improvement program in grades K-3.

He voted against the creation of a core curriculum

program.

• He voted against requiring that income from tax revenues sent to the school aid fund not fall below the prior year's funding level.

· He voted against redirecting \$10 million earmarked for state lottery marketing school funding for grades K-12. (He was one of only 34 no votes.)

I could cite two—even three-times as many no votes on issues that impact our children. These are only a few examples that suggest DeRossett has not focused his legislative efforts on the educational welfare of our

Pam Byrnes has enthusiastically signed the Michigan Education Pledge which states she will:

- Keep the promise of Proposal A:
- Not raise property taxes; • Not try to balance the budget on the backs of our school children by cutting school funding:
- Not support school vouchers; and.
- · Work to improve early childhood development programs.

If you believe, as I do, that children need to be our top priority, then you will want to cast your vote Nov. 5 for Pam Byrnes.

Stephanie Pyne Dexter

As a resident of Webster DeRossett strong on land use issues.

To the editor:

I am writing to strongly endorse State Rep. Gene DeRossett in his re-election campaign for the 52 State House District. I have known Gene for many years and have always found him to be open to different opinions and perspectives and always willing to take the necessary action on behalf of our community.

Gene has sponsored many

I'm sure that there are

think that soon after Nov. 5, the papers will be full of story if it isn't moved out by the Iraq story. I include all candidates

it: purchasing development rights. Farmers get access to the equity they have in their land without selling it for development. Thousands of acres in the new 52nd state house district have applied for PDR through the Michigan Department of Agriculture's program, but few receive it due to a lack of funding.

I found it amusing that Rep. Gene DeRossett is claiming that he supports farmland preservation, yet in his four years in Lansing he has done nothing to identify or advocate funding for PDR. Moreover, he is endorsed in his campaign literature by a "Washtenaw County Farmer" who just sold his land for development and moved to another state. Rep. DeRossett is both a licensed real estate agent and founder of his own residential construction company, the two powerful lobbies in Lansing staunchly opposed to any action standing in the way of converting Michigan's rural landscapes to housing devel-

opments. Pam Byrnes cited farmland preservation through PDR as a primary goal of her candidacy from the beginning, and has identified a number of potential sources for funding. Pam knows that farmers must be able to acquire the lands they now rent if they are to stay in business. PDR is the means for farmers to do that, and she will be a strong advocate for funding in Lansing. If true preservation of the

52nd district's farmlandand the quality of life for all district residents—is an important issue for you. Pam Byrnes is the candidate of choice on Nov. 5.

Barry Lonik Dexter

DeRossett is the best. To the editor: Rep. Gene DeRossett has been an energetic and compassionate legislator is his four years in the state house.

He has been an effective leader as chairperson of the House Agriculture and Resource Management Committee. Gene has supported legislation which would tax farmland at its agricultural value, rather than its development value. He also authored a bill that establishes programs to prevent pollution from agricultural and private landowner activities through voluntary.

incentive-driven strategies. Gene has pursued an agenda that emphasizes preserving open space, improved planning and protecting

I ask you to support Gene DeRossett on Nov. 5 as he is the clear choice.

Dorothy Mann Manchester

DeRossett working

for seniors. To the editor:

We plan to vote for Rep. Gene DeRossett because he has fought in Lansing for seniors. We also support Gene because he cares deeply about our community and our citizens and he is a problem-solver who is intelligent, compassionate, and honest. Gene has sponsored a bill

in the End of Life Care Package, which is intended to improve the quality of end-of-life care and pain and symptom management received by Michigan residents. He's supported resolutions calling on Congress to preserve Social Security, and to provide a prescription drug benefit in Medicare. Rep. DeRossett has also worked to protect nursing home patients from abuse and neglect by requiring background checks of employees. He has also helped make prescription drugs more affordable to seniors by a new senior citizen drug

program known as EPIC. We are grateful for Gene's support of these important issues. We need to keep Rep. DeRossett in Lansing working hard for us.

Vote DeRossett on Nov. 5.

Anna Alber Irma Weidmayer Manchester Noreen Schuelke Grass Lake

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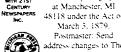
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not necessary! Most activities are held in the senior rooms at the village hall, unless otherwise Lunches on specified. Tuesday and Thursday are held in the dining hall at Emanuel UCC, and are a bargain at \$3.50 for seniors, and \$4 for non-seniors. Please call ahead of time, 428-7630, so the meals can be planned accord-

To request bus pick-up for the many excursions, call

Today: Noon lunch will be each week in the front section chicken and biscuits, with games to follow at 12:30 p.m.for senior fellowship.

Saturday: Leave promptly at 8 a.m. for a day of fun at the Motor City Casino. Bring your Monday: The bus is on

request for pick-ups for the 9:30 a.m. shopping trip to Brooklyn. Tuesday: Make your reser-

vations for a lunch of baked whitefish at noon, then come to a work session at the village hall at 12:30 p.m. your Wednesday: Flex

limbs at 9:30 a.m. yoga class, open to all seniors 65 and above, free of charge.

Next Thursday: Roast pork will provide a filling lunch at noon, with an afternoon of games to follow at the village Tootie Armentrout at 428- hall, starting at 12:30 p.m.

Oral history workshop kicks off vets project An upcoming oral history downtown workshop will launch a new

program designed to record the stories of those who served America in war during the 20th century, both on the battlefield and on the home front. The Michigan Veteran's

History Project Oral History Workshop, taking place from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Nov. 9, is designed for both novice and experienced oral historians who are interested in capturing and preserving America's wartime experiences. The workshop, presented by the friends of Michigan History, co-sponsored by the History Michigan Oral Association (MOHA), Michigan State University Museum, and the Michigan Department of History, Arts and Libraries (HAL).

All events will be held at the Michigan Library and Historical Center, located at 702 W. Kalamazoo Street in

Attendees will be able to select from a variety of sessions, grouped into tracks for both the novice and experienced oral historian. The program will include a model interview conducted with a well-known veteran.

Because space is limited, those wanting to attend are strongly encouraged to register in advance by Nov. 2. Information is available at www.michigan.gov/hal.

The workshop also will provide valuable information on the national Veterans History Project and activities in Michigan. Among the speakers will be representative of the Library of Congress, which is coordinating the national Veterans History Project. Workshop attendees will enjoy this overview of the programs' many components, including the collection and preservation of oral histories.

"We're delighted to be a part if this workshop and to play an important role in the state Veterans History Project activities," said Jim Cameron, MOHA President.

In the past year, MOHA volunteers have conducted workshops in Sault Ste. Marie, Comins, Dearborn. and Rochester Hills. Approximately 300 Michigan residents are active in the organization, which is an affiliate of the Oral History Association.

In Michigan, the state Veterans History Project is coordinated by a partnerbetween the MSU

Museum and HAL.

Through the collection and sharing of these stories of war and home front experiences, everyone can contribute to guaranteeing that this and future generations will better remember and understand these important eras of history," Dr. Marsha MacDowell, Coordinator, MacDowell, Michigan Traditional Arts Program/MSU Museum.

The MSU Museum is the state partner for the Library American Congress' Folklife Center and, through the Museum's Michigan Traditional Arts Program (a statewide partnership program with the Michigan Council for Arts Cultural Affairs), has a long tradition of preserving and presenting our past through the power of oral history and the spoken word.

Key. components of the Michigan Veterans History Project include:

Oral history training for both novice and experienced col-

Partnerships among the broad spectrum of individuals and organizations collecting, preserving and sharing veterans stories;

Educational resources that strengthen use of collected stories in K-12 and university classrooms:

Public access to the materials collected and held in community-based libraries, societies and historical museums throughout the state.

"The Veterans History Project is an exciting calling endeavor

everyone to help preserve the wartime experience of Americans," said William M. Anderson, director of HAL. "It is critical that these stories be collected and made available to everyone who wants to know more about how Americans were shaped by military conflict in the 20th century."

As the Michigan Veterans History Project unfolds, it is anticipated that many organizations and individuals around the state will join in the effort. Interested individuals or organizations can find more about the oral history workshop at www.michigan.gov/hal (517-241-2236) or h t t p : / / w w w . h net.msu.edu/~moha/(517-321-1746). Information on the national project is available at http://www.loc.gov/folkife/vcts/.

The Nov. 9 event is part of exciting Veterans Weekend. On Nov. 10, veterans and supporters from all across the state will gather at the Library and Historical Center for a tribute to Vietnam Era veterans, sponsored by the Friends of Michigan History and the Military Order of the World Wars. Veterans, patriotic, civic and Scout groups are urged to participate in the Massing of the Colors portion of the program. Activities start at 1:30 p.m.

More information is available from Chris Dancisak. phone (517) 373-1668 or DancisakC@mich-

BOOK NOTES

The Manchester District library's collection are: Library has a variety of new non-fiction books available Legacy by Jane Leavey to patrons.

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Books on religion and philosophy-

Abraham: A Journey to the Heart of Three Faiths by

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Authentic Happiness by Martin E. P. Seligman

Thankfully, his lengthy homage to happiness may actually live up to the ambitious promise of its subtitle. Seligman doesn't just preach the merits of happiness e.g., happy people are healthier, more productive and contentedly married than their unhappy counterparts but he also presents brief tests and even an interactive Web site (the launch date is set for mid-August) to help readers increase the happiness quotient in their own lives."-Publisher's Weekly

Among the new biographies and memoirs in the Sandy Koufax: A Lefty's

"Koufax was a hero to a generation on the basis of pitching accomplishments. This biography will earn him further respect for a life well lived."—Booklist

Jackie Robinson and the Integration of Baseball by Scott Simon

"No athlete performed at higher level through greater stress than Jackie Robinson." -Scott Simon

Lucky by Alice Sebold

"Addressing rape as a larger social issue. Sebold's account reveals that there are clear emotional boundaries between those who have been victims of violence and those who have not, though the author attempts to blur these lines as much as possible to show that violence touches many more lives than solely the victim's." —Publisher's Weekly

More new books available or on order at the library include the following:

The Butlerian Jihad (Dune Series) by Brian Hebert and Kevin J. Anderson Sandra Caramelo

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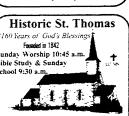
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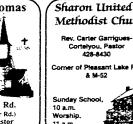
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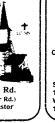
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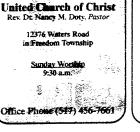
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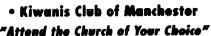
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Manchester Family Service sets Christmas shop dates

The Manchester Family Service will hold its annual Christmas shop from 9 a.m. to 12 noon on Dec. 14 at the St. Mary's Parish Center, 106 E. Madison St., in Manchester

At the "shop", the many low-income families and individuals in our community who are assisted by MFS will receive Christmas gifts, items of food and clothing and grocery and retail store certificates. All this is made possible by generous contributions from people in the Manchester area. There are several ways contributions can be made and you are invited to consider one or more of them.

The popular "Christmas Adoption" project is for organizations, local businesses and families or individuals that wish to enter into the spirit of giving by purchasing gifts for one of our seniors, singles and /or families who have indicated that they would like to be adopted. Information on gender, age and gift ideas for each individual as well as a suggested range of

spending is available.
Gifts should not

wrapped. If you wish to take part in this project, contact Mary Frances Fielder at 428-8506 for a senior or single or Pat Smith at 428-9846 for a family. All names are kept confidential.

Donations of gifts (unwrapped please) for all ages from infants, children and vouth to adults and especially seniors are always welcome. Toys, linens, sweaters, coats and jackets, scarves, gloves and mittens are items that have always been given in the past. "Like new" items of linens and warm clothing also will be accepted. These will all be distributed at the

The in-gathering day for bringing gifts and other items is Dec. 13 between the hours of 9 a.m. and 8 p.m. On that day, the paper and nonperishable food items that have been collected by the Scouts and Manchester Community Schools also are brought. In the afternoon. all items are sorted and packed. Volunteering to help during this time is yet

another way in which you can help.

And last but not least, financial contributions are encouraged. This money is put toward purchasing grocery and retail store certificates given through the shop. Any excess is used for family services' expenditures during the year for assistance and food. This year, the Food Gatherers expenses will go up considerably because Manchester Family Service will be charged a per-pound fee for USDA product that in years past was free. Send your donation by Dec. 1 to Manchester Family Service, John Sahakian, Treasurer, P.O. Box 472, Manchester, MI

With your help, MFS looks forward to another successful year of bringing "Christmas" to families and individuals that are less fortunate. If you have questions regarding the Christmas Shop, please contact Harvey Gregerson at 428-7152 or Mary Sue Moore at



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The Manchester Area Historical Society met on Oct. 15 at the Village Hall. Pam Newhouse, co-founder of Ann Arbor Civil War Roundtable presented a program on the sinking of the Sultana.

Newhouse's great-great grandfather was killed when the Sultana exploded and sank on April 26, 1865, It was the worst marine disaster in this country's history. Union prisoners of war who had been detained in

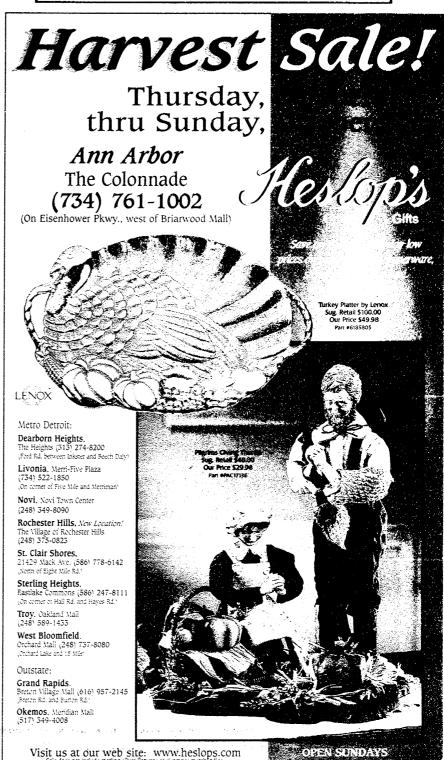
Alabama home to Michigan, Indiana and Ohio.

The ship was overloaded capacity. An Army Board of Inquiry decided that a faulty boiler caused the explosion that killed 1547 soldiers, 30 more people than were killed during the sinking of the Titanic in 1912. The ship had boiler trouble from the time it set sail from New Orleans. North of Memphis, the boiler exploded. The Mississippi River was at flood stage. Some soldiers were thrown from the ship in the explosion and drowned and some were scalded with hot water from the boiler.

The Sultana burned for one and one-half hours. Ships coming up the river saved as many men as they could. Newhouse's greatgreat grandfather was 42 years old and left behind a wife and three daughters. with about eight times its. His body was never recovered.

The Nov. 19 meeting will feature Howard Parr. who served in the Signal Corps in the South Pacific during World War II. Everyone is: welcome to join the society at 7:30 p.m. in the Blacksmith Shop on East Main

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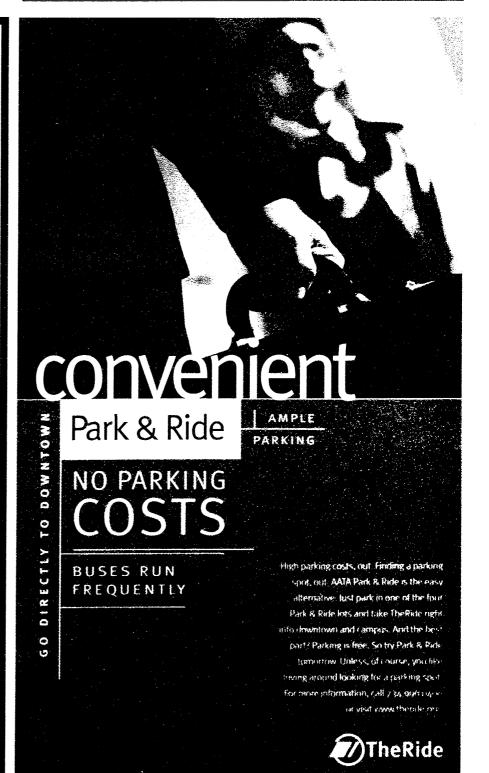
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Byrnes is pro-choice. To the editor:

I support Pam Byrnes for Byrnes. State Representative from the 52nd District.

In Dec. 2001, the State House passed a bill to "defund" Planned Parenthood from the state family planning program. The bill said that organizations that do not perform abortions or refer pregwomen to abortion providers should be given a priority for federal and state funding for family planning services. H.B. 4655 was clearly targeted at Planned Parenthood.

If Pam Byrnes were in the House, she would strongly oppose this type of legislation. placing Planned Parenthood at the back of the line for funding, the health care for poor and uninsured women will suffer. State program audits have consistently shown Planned Parenthood among the most cost-effective

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Michigan families, as she has done by serving on the Boards of Child and Family Services and Children at Risk.

I encourage voters in the 52nd District to elect Pam

Carol A. Peacock

Vote for DeRossett

To the editor:

The intent of our constitution is that elected officials would represent the needs of the people. Gene DeRossett has been that kind of servant. Countless hours are used holding area meetings, listening to concerns of his constituents. When called by phone, he always responds.

I emphasize the necessity of having a representative who has been successful in business. I foresee difficult times in the future economy. We must have a person with common sense and accountability dealing with the issues of employment, retirement and

Many representatives ignore their people's needs, promoting their own ideas. We re-elect Gene need to DeRossett.

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4. Cover the dough and refrigerate for 30 minutes. 5. Preheat the oven to 325 F.

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refrigerator for a little while. Place fingers on an ungreased cookie sheet about 3 inches apart.

7. Use a butter knife to make knuckle marks on the finger cookies. Slightly flatten the front of the cookie to create a nail.

8. Bake 20 to 25 minutes, until fingers are slightly golden. Remove from the oven and let cool. Meanwhile, prepare the Icing Glue. 9. Attach almond slice fingernails to the tips of the fingers with Icing Glue. Let glue dry for about 30 min-

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Teen Angels

Three Manchester youths recognized for their life-saving heroics

■ Youthful life-savers honored by Red Cross.

The quick thinking of three Manchester teenagers saved the lives of a Chelsea family in May, and the trio was recognized as "Everyday Heroes" at a Red Cross banquet last Thursday.

Jonathon Jameson, 16, Lauren Engel, 16, and Andrew Mahony, 17, were on their way home just before midnight when they drove past the home of the Stribe family on Taylor Street in Chelsea.

A wall of the home was in flames. Engel called 911 while Mahony beat on the door, trying to wake the occupants. When he got no response, he looked around and spotted a garden hose. Jameson turned on the hose,

and Mahony tried to douse the fire as they waited for the fire department.

Firemen were also unable to wake the family until they entered the house. The family was asleep in the rear of the house with two fans running. They hadn't heard a

"We knew what to do, and we did it," Engel said. "After it was over, we realized we were all a bit scared but during the moment, we just did what had to be done.'

The Washtenaw County Chapter of the American Red Cross is proud to honor these and other outstanding individuals who made the choice to save someone's life, whether by donating blood or bone marrow, or by simply stepping up to the challenge of giving of themThey are out-of-the-ordinary Everyday Heroes who deserve thanks and praise.

The American Red Cross applauds Jameson, Engel and Mahony for knowing how to respond to an emergency. Every year the American Red Cross provides food, shelter and clothing to local families who are victims of disasters, and we provide disaster education and training.

Knowing how to prevent, prepare for and respond in an emergency saves lives. For their quick action and immediate response to help a family in harm's way, the Red Cross is privileged to honor these young adults as "everyday" lifesaving



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4-H: A century of service

and their need for a better agricultural education. In 1902, a large percent of Americans lived on farms. The community club model engaged youth through "learning by doing."

Organized outside of school, parents served as volunteer leaders partnering with educators to provide appropriate curriculum and materials.

No one individual is credited with originating the 4-H program; rather it was founded through collective efforts over the course of a few years. However, it was in 1902, that A.B. Graham, Superintendent of Schools in Clark County, Ohio, organized a boys' and girls' agriculture club.

In 1907, the first boys' and girls' demonstration clubs under USDA sponsorship were begun in Holmes County, Mississippi.

In 1907 or 1908, the first emblem was used nationally

4-H programs began in designed by O.H. Benson. It response to young people was the three-leaf clover representing head, heart and hands. In 1911, Benson suggested a fourth leaf and H be added. Originally, the fourth H was to stand for hustle, but it was later changed to health.

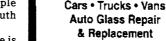
By 1912, 96,000 youth were enrolled in 4-H club work and in 1914, the passage of the Smith-Lever Act established the Cooperative Extension Service of which 4-H is a part. In 1918, the first use of the term "4-H Club" appeared in a federal document.

Today, 6.8 million youth, ages 5 to 19, are involved in 4-H. There are an estimated 60 million 4-H alumni. 4-H programs exist in all 3,150 counties, U.S. territories, and the District of Colum-

H participants live in urban communities and about 30 percent represent minority, racial, cultural, and ethnic populations.

As in 1902, 4-Her's today are involved in experimental learning in projects that are important and of interest to them. Today's project areas range from aerospace to zoology. In Washtenaw County, 4500 young people participate in 4-H youth programs.

Wherever you live there is a 4-H youth development program. For more information about 4-H call (734) 997-1678 or visit http://www. ewashtenaw.org/government/departments/extension/ex_ext4hyou.html.

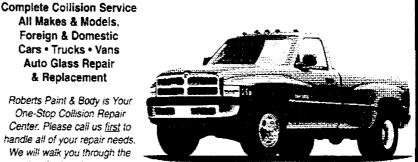


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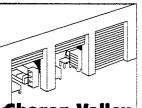
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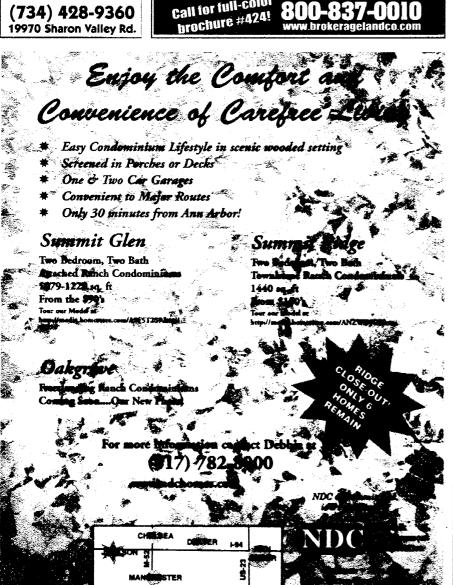
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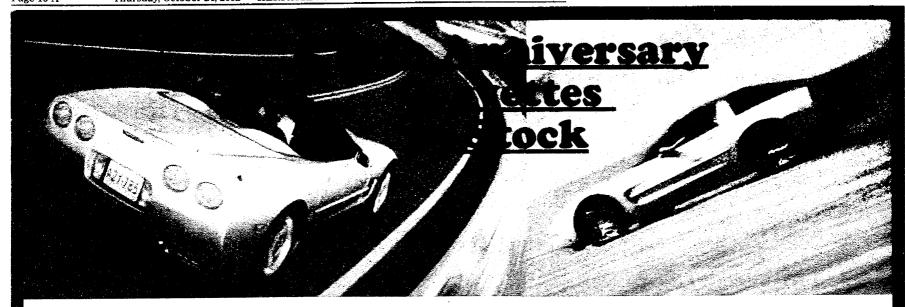
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Doctors call attention to mental illness issues

■ Bipolar disorder being diagnosed in younger children.

By Lisa Carolin

Special Writer
Did you know that if you filled up the University of Michigan Stadium, you would find 17,000 people, or 11 percent of the crowd, suffers from depression?

There are twice as many women suffering from the disease as men. One in 33 suffering is a child and one in eight is an adolescent.

Half of those with depression are not diagnosed, and 30 percent are diagnosed but get no treatment. Of the remaining 20 percent, only half get appropriate treat-

This is according to Dr. John Greden, chairman of the Depression Center at the University of Michigan

One year ago, the U of M Board of Regents endorsed the center. There is no actual building at this time, but there is a clinical core that involves many departments. from pediatrics, women's health and family medicine, to cancer, geriatrics and cardiovascular.

"The vision and philosophy of the Depression Center is that the best way to prevent the progression of depression is to identify it early, intervene effectively and maintain wellness." Greden said. "That must involve improved primary

"Our view is that the expert clinicians should move to those settings rather than expecting patients to come to psychiatry settings.

Depression is an illness of the brain. Some 20 percent of women and 12 percent of men have a high lifetime risk of experiencing at least one episode of depression. Symptoms include:

- Feeling sad or down.
- ·Loss of interest or enjoyment in activities.
- ·Change in appetite or weight.
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 •Difficulty sleeping. or
- oversleeping.
- ·Feeling restless slowed down.
- •Energy loss or fatigue.

ness or inappropriate guilt. •Difficulty thinking, concentrating or making deci-

·Recurrent thoughts of death or suicide.

Major depression is marked by at least five of the above symptoms present at once, and impairment of usual functions nearly every day during a two-week peri-

Depression can strike at any time during life. The good news is that depression is highly treatable, once an accurate diagnosis is made.

The Depression Center Network brings together researchers and clinicians from the medical and academic campus to investigate new education, research and treatment strategies.

On Oct. 4, the Depression Center held a media workshop as a means of introduction to the general public as of Mental Health Awareness Month.

"We must reduce the stigma." Greden said. "One third of all people say depression is a state of mind, and doctors contribute to that falsehood by using labels like stress, exhaustion and low blood sugar.

Greden mentioned a long list of celebrities who suffer from depression, including Mike Wallace, Tipper Gore. Larry King, Barbara Bush, Queen Elizabeth, Harrison Ford. Billy Joel, Paul Simon and Jennifer Lopez.

Marianne Udow. a vice president at Blue Cross Blue Shield, said that even at her company, which is the largest health-care planner in Michigan, there are myths about depression.

"People think that depression is something that you can overcome if you want to," she said. "There won't be mental health parity in this country anytime soon.

Dr. Jerry Rushton, a pediatrician at the Depression Center, said it's important to diagnose depression at an early age. He said that among children and adolescents. symptoms include irritable moods, failure to gain expected weight, and academic failure and absen-

is the third top killer of 10- to 19-year-olds. He said depression is a chronic condition that needs to be detected as early as possible, and that primary-care providers must take an active role in diag-

nosing it. University of Pittsburgh psychiatrist Dr. Neal Ryan said that episodes of depression can last anywhere from three to nine months and will most likely recur within five years

He said that 20 to 40 percent of people with depression are eventually diagnosed as having bipolar disorder, also known as manic depression. Both depression and bipolar disorder often run in families.

Dr. Cheryl King, a psychologist at the Depression Center, spoke about teen suicide and the YST approach to stopping it. YST stands for Youth-Nominated Support Team, an intervention used for teens who are suicidal.

Each teen is encouraged to choose four people that they know, such as parents, relatives, friends, coaches, teachers and clergy, to be part of a support group. Each person involved is asked to contact the teen at least once a week. King said that the program has been especially effective for girls.

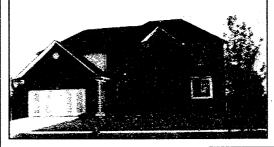
Martha Hellander, executive director of the Child and Adolescent Bipolar Foundation, also addressed the topic at the media workshop. Part of a family that has suffered from bipolar disorder for five generations, she said that the disorder is an inheritable illness. Although treatment has been available since 1970. it is only recently that children have been treated for it.

"Some kids with attention deficit hyperactivity disorder and some with conduct disorder meet the criteria for bipolar disorder," she said. "However, symptoms grandiosity. elated like moods and daredevil acts are more closely related to bipolar disorder.'

The University of Michigan Depression Center is going beyond traditional boundaries of mental-health by getting more involved in primary and specialty care

Rushton said that suicide

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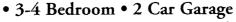


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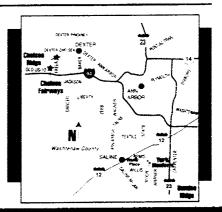
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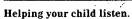


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In working with speech development and communication, comes a very key element. That element is having your child listen and understand you. Your child must be able to do two things to understand what you say to her.

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Second, your child must be able to listen well.

Listening is a skill that develops with practice. It is important in developing social relationships, gaining new information, and instrucunderstanding tions—all key factors in school readiness and success.

In order to listen well, your child must focus her attention on the person speaking to her. Often that person is you!

Some of the ways to help vour child become a good listener:

•Get your child's attention by calling her name or touching her on the shoulder. Encourage her to make

eye contact with you. Speak slowly and clearly, using short sentences and words your toddler will understand.

•Talk about things your child is interested in. Use parallel talk (tell your child what you are doing) to focus your child's attention on your words.

·Play games using verbal directions. "Find your teddy bear in the bedroom." Look in your high chair for a surprise." Show pleasure and excitement when your child succeeds and she will want to play these games again and again.

•Teach your child rhymes, chants and finger plays. She will be delighted when you use your voice to portray different characters or emphasize parts of the rhyme or finger play. Be creative and have fun and your child will do the same.

·When reading books, use your voice and gestures to focus your child's attention so she can listen to the words.

•Talk to your child about the sounds around her. Point things out like the dog barking or the sound shopping carts make in the grocerv store.

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This opportunity is open and all Jackson Washtenaw County resi-

A brief list of materials faccepted include: oil-based paint, flammable materials such as old gas, aerosols. home repair and cleaning products, pesticides, fertillizers, herbicides, mercury containing items such as thermometers, thermostates witches, and fluorescent lights.

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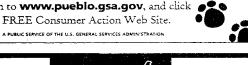
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Manchester Enterprise THURSDAY, NOV. 14 **DEADLINE:**

Tuesday, November ó

2002 Holiday Recipes is sure to be a supplement that area households will keep and reference throughout the year.

In this special upcoming section we will

provide you the opportunity to illustrate the valuable products and services you desire to offer our readers. The holidays are fast approaching and food is always a big part of family and friend get-togethers, so take advantage of a captive audience by advertising in our 2002 Holiday Recipes. It's filled with recipes, featuring all the category and grand prize winners.

The deadline to reserve your 2002 Holiday Recipes advertising space, seen by more than 30,000 potential customers, is Tuesday, November 6.

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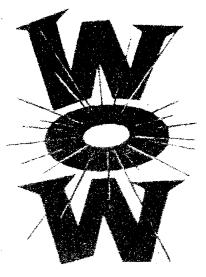


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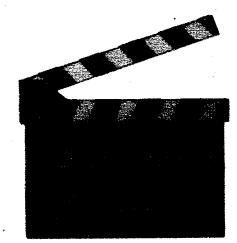
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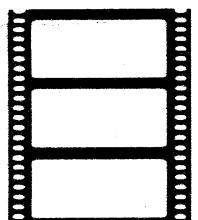
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What can we do now to improve your movie rental experience?"

- ✓ starting in November, a monthly newsletter will give you all the fun and informative happenings at the Revolution.
- ✓ We will be adding more lighting to our outside patio area.
- ✓ We will continue making needed changes as our customers want them.





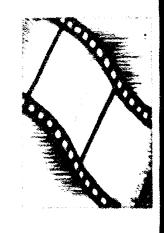
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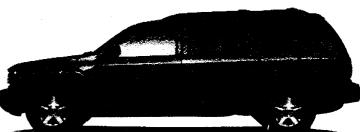
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THURSDAY

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FRIDAY HIGH: 48°-52° Rather cloudy LOW: 32°-36°

SATURDAY HIGH: 50°-54°

Clouds and LOW: 31°-35°

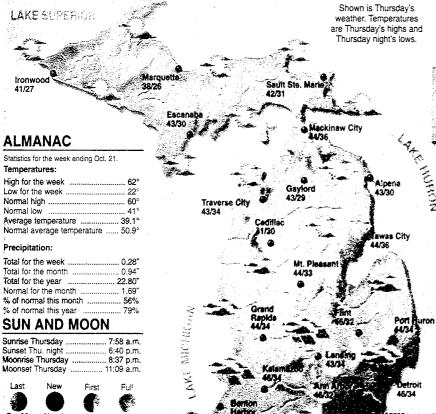
SUNDAY HIGH: 48°-52° Sun and some LOW: 27"-31"

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MONDAY HIGH: 50°-54° Mostly sunny. LOW: 25 -29"

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High pressure to the north combined with low pressure from the south will bring clouds and 0.10-0.40 of an inch of rainfall. especially Thursday afternoon and Thurs-

REAL FEEL TEMPTM

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SOLUNAR TABLE Four-day forecast indicates peak feeding times for fish and game.

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WORLD CITIES

	Thur.	Fri.		Thur.	Fri.
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Acapulco	89/75/c	92/75/pc	Kiev	55/38/r	46/36/sh
Algiers	74 56 s	83/60/s	Lima	73/62/pc	72/62/pc
Amsterdam	50/41/pc	57/46/c	Lisbon	69/60/c	72/60/pc
Athens	79-60 c	72/54/00	London	52.48 pc	59:48/sh
Auckland	65/57/s	69/55/7	Madrid	59/51/r	63/49/pc
Bangkok	88.73 c	87/72.c	Manila	90.77 pc	90.77/pc
Barbados	85/79/t	87/78/pc	Mexico City	68/52/r	72/51/c
Beijing	49/27 s	43 25 pc	Montreal	37.29 c	39/34 pc
Beirut	83/71/s	82/73/pc	Moscow	41/39/1	43/34/1
Belgrade	55 36 c	56/53 pc	Nairobi	79 57 c	81/55/pc
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Bogota	67.54 r	64 56 sh	Panama	87.76/t	86.761
Buenos Aires	78/56/s	80/59/pc	Paris	47/45/1	55.45 pc
Cairo	86/64/s	85/61/s	Rio de Janeiro	70 64 pc	78/67/c
Calgary	43/20/s	39/21/pc	Rome	65/50/pc	66/59/pc
Cape Town	63/46 s	65:46:pc	San Juan	86 76 sh	8676 sn
Copenhagen	44/36/pc	45/44/7	Santiago	70/41/oc	70/45/pc
Dublin	50/48/1	53/40/r	Seou:	59 45 sh	53/36/pc
Frankfurt	43/42/7	49/41/pc	Singapore	91/77/c	91/76/pc
Geneva	48/42 r	51 43/pc	Stockholm	42/34 r	42/37/pc
Hong Kong	78/73/c	81/71/7	Sydney	69/48/s	76/58/pc
Istanbul	71/59/1	60 45 pc	Tehran	75 57 pc	79 58 s
Jakarta	91/75/s	93/75/s	Tokyo	62/55/c	65/60/sh
Jerusalem	84/63/s	78/54/s	Vancouver	53 36 s	56/36/pc
Johannesburo	88/53/s	78/63/pc	Vienna	48/39/pc	51/49/pc
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ENTERPRISE COMMUNITY

The end of an era

Mill's history spanned the 20th century

■ A piece of the past leaves with E.G. Mann this week.

By Nancy Hebb Special Writer

In 1988 when E.G. Mann and Sons threw a picnic party to celebrate 50 years of the family's service to area farmers, more than 600 customers and friends joined the Manns for food and fun.

Back then, the future looked bright, with the family's fourth generation entering the business as Eric Mann graduated from Michigan State University.

Last month, customers and friends came to the E. G Mann and Sons mill and store on Boettner Road in Bridgewater to commiserate, reminisce, and buy. It was the last chance to get bulk fertilizer and other field applications, feeds, and farming essentials from the historic business, whose doors closed at the end of September.

Glen Mann, the family historian, talked to farmers outside the store as Vic FEED Mann wrote out bulk fertilizer orders and Glen's wife Pat and their daughter Kerry Mann McGuire took care of customers looking for everything from bird feeders to cat toys. Kerry's brother Eric moved between store and mill, doing whatever

needed doing.

More than a few older men in farm boots hung around, the smiles on their faces bit tersweet.

The closing of E. G. Mann and Sons marks the passing of an era that actually began in 1915. Back then, when Bridgewater was a daily stop on the New York Central rail line, Charles Schurer and William Rentschler built the first Bridgewater Elevator.

Schurer and Rentschler were farmers. wool buyers and sellers, and entrepre-

started neurs. Bridgewater Bank, and Schurer continued to manage the elevator after 1918 when it became a cooperative, farmers' Farmers Produce Company, consisting of 80 farmer stockholders.

Ernest G. Mann, Glen and Vic's grandfather, started working at the co-op in 1926. By 1927 he was the manager, so devoted to the

mill and elevator operation that he moved from his farm, located in Freedom Township where Hickory Sticks Golf Course now stands, to Mr. Schurer's house in Bridgewater.

By 1938, Mann was eager to branch out from bulk grains and standard milling operations. He proposed selling bagged feeds, but met with resistance from the other shareholders. August Henes and Rentschler Ray bought out the other elevator stockholders that same year.

shareholders. Mann

rented the old dance hall locat- cents a bushel for wheat: Mann & Sons Road, bought a new truck, and sent his son Earl (Vic and Glen's father) to Ohio for a load f bagged feeds.

"When the guys at the mill saw Earl driving by in that new truck, they asked Ernest what Earl was doing," Glen said with a grin. "When my grandfather told them he was opening a feed store in the old dance hall, they said 'Come inside. we need to talk."

Ernest opened his feed store in the dance hall on Feb. 7. 1938. A week later, together

with his sons Willard and Earl, he purchased Farmers Produce Co. and moved the bagged feed business to the company's current office and store location next to the elevator. So began the history of E. G. Mann

At that time, farmers were getting 88



With a view to the This building on Boettner Road is likely the oldest of the several that comprised the E.G. Mann and Sons future, and unbe-feed mill that closed on Sept. 30. Up until that time, all signs (right) indicated that the business coulf knownst to the co-op fill a variety of needs for local farmers.

ed further north on Boettner charged 62 cents a bushel for corn and 48 cents a bushel for oats. Chicken feed was \$2.10 for a hundred pounds, 16% protein dairy cow feed cost \$1.90 for a hundred pounds, feed grade livestock salt was \$1.10 for a hundred pounds, and a five-seater Ford car could be bought for \$600-\$700. about the same amount a Model T cost in 1915 when the elevator was built.

After only two years, the Manns bought the Manchester Mill from William Blaess. Willard became the manager in Manchester, and took an active role in the business there until he retired in 1976.

In 1952. Ernest sold his portion of the business to his grandsons Glen and Vic. Willard's son Ron also became a shareholder. The company incorporated in 1963 with Earl and his wife Billie, and Willard and his wife Dorothy, as principal stockholders. When Earl died in 1968, Glen, Vic and their cousin Ron took over more shares.

Willard retired in 1976, and his stock in

E.G. Mann and Sons was bought out by Billie, Glen and Vic. Ron Mann becand owner of the Manchester Mill, running it Mann's Feed Mill.

"Mom did a lot of the bookkeeping at paperwork." Glen said. She was her almost every day and was an important pap of the business," just as Glen's wife Pat and their children, Eric and Kerry, became,

"Mom and I work really well together." Kerry Mann McGuire proclaims.

Together, they hope to open a retail and service business in Bridgewater, taking the king-of-the-counter cat. Waffles, to the new establishment.

"He'll enjoy basking in the sun as we'll there as here. I imagine." Pat hopes

While Vic Mann plans on managing a bagged feed and animal supplies busines for Bridgewater Lumber, the other Manus aren't sure what their future holds.

Right now, Glen and Eric are looking forward to hunting season

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Answering a cal

ple to leave on mission to Ukra

By Rita Fischer Special Writer

When Ron and Joanne Pieper listened to missionaries speak at their church or the church's annual Family Camp, they would often come away feeling inspired to help, too.

'The interest in missions brought with it a number of questions, such as where would we go or what would we do," Joanne Pieper says.

She and her husband wondered if there was a specific country or group of people they would be called to help. They also speculated whether it was a calling from God and how they could get started.

They're no longer wondering. The Lyndon Township couple. members of Chelsea Free Methodist Church, will leave next month for a mission in the Ukraine.

"It all began last January. when our pastor. Mearl Bradley, attended a conference for Free Methodist pastors." Pieper says.

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"By this time, however, we had become very sure that God was calling us into

missions," Pieper says. Miller told the couple of

With their two children grown, the Piepers were ready to make plans. Joanne left her job at USArtQuest in Grass Lake last month, and Ron will

take leave from Uniloy Milicron in Manchester. where he works as a mechanical engineer.

The pair is trying to tie up loose ends, arranging to rent out their home and sell two cars and two boats.

Joanne has been working on raising \$38,000, completing paperwork and arranging for speaking engagements in other churches She has also been corresponding with missionaries in the Ukraine.

The couple plans to leave Nov. 30 to become part of a team of five missionaries working with a new church in the city of Rivne. The city, with a population of about 250.000. lies between the capital of Kiev and the Polish border.

The Piepers will be there for at least a year, working with orphanages and leading small groups in Bible studies.

Pieper says the Ukrainian people are struggling in an extremely poor economy, in a downturn since the collapse of the Soviet Union. Businesses have closed and unemployment is rampant.

"People who have jobs are often not paid for months at a time." Pieper says. "Many children live in

orphanages, either because they are true orphans or because their parents caus care for them.

"It's common for people to turn to alcohol, drugs by sex to cope."

Pieper says when people become Christians, they have joy and peace and the strength to overcome addictive habits.

"Even the government has noticed this and is encouraging teachers to teach Christian othics in the public schools." she says.

"What we hope to do in Ukraine is meet some of the physical needs that people have, and then help them develop a relationship with Christ that will fulfill their spiritual needs."

Pieper says she and her husband are experiencing a mixture of feelings as the make final preparations.

"We alternate between super excited assent one new adverture and med whelmed by all that still has to be done before we leave," she says.

Rita Fischer is a free-lance writer. She can be reached via e-mail at ritafisch@yahoo .com.



The scouts of Wolf Den 8 decorated the entrance to Klager Elementary School last week for the fall season. Pictured are Brian Robert (left), Andy Galicki, Matthew Franz, Dane Smith, Den Leader Margene Dunsmore. James Schriber. Kyle

Buying a home with less than perfect credit

Low rates attract a variety of buyers.

While rates have stayed at historic lows it seems that everyone is jumping on the home ownership bandwagon. Even though average home prices have gone up around the country, the affordability of loans has kept many people in the housing market, including those with a spotted credit history.

"We're seeing rates being offered to people with a his-

tory of credit mistakes that are much lower than in the past." said Steve Rhode, president and co-founder of Myvesta, a financial health center. "Lenders also are being more lenient with their loan qualifications. Those two things are giving more people the opportunity to buy a home.

But the opportunity for home ownership hasn't been granted to everyone.

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Rhode said. "Start by paying down any credit card debt you might have and putting as much as you can into savings for a down payment. Having money in the bank for a down payment and closing costs shows commitment and responsibility to a lender.

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paying your bills late.

"If you find it difficult to do even one of those things. you might not be ready for homeownership." Rhode added. "That's when it's time to enlist the help of a professional who can work with you and help you realize your goals."

More information about buying a home with marks on your credit, as well as extensive debt advising, can be found online at Myvesta.

Local agency urges radon testing

Department of Environmental Health Regulation is observing Oct. 20 to 26 as National Radon Action Week. This annual event encourages residents to test their homes for radon, and, if necessary, take measures to reduce high radon levels. Current estimates show that as many as 40 to 45 percent of homes in Washtenaw County have elevated levels of radon

Radon is a tasteless, colorless, and odorless radioactive gas. It is found in nearly all types of soil and rock. It can enter homes through cracks in the foundation, dirt floors, hollow-block walls, and openings around floor drains and sump pumps.

High levels of radon can damage lung tissue and eventually lead to lung cancer. Radon is the second leading cause of lung cancer for smokers, and the leading cause of lung cancer for nonsmokers. Radon is associated with 14.000 lung cancer deaths each year in the United States.

Although no level of radon considered absolutely safe, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) recommends taking action when

levels are above 4.0 pCi/L inside a home. If a home is found to have elevated levels of radon, a mitigation company can fix the problem for approximately \$1.000.

The age or size of a home does not determine the presence or absence of radon. In addition, radon levels vary from house to house, even within the same neighbor-

The only way to determine a home's radon level is to test. The radon test is easy and inexpensive, and the Washtenaw County Departof Environmental Health Regulation is making the test even more affordable by offering half-priced shortterm and long-term test kits from Oct. 15 to 31. Short-term test kits will be \$5, and longterm kits will be \$10. The cost of either kit includes postage and laboratory analysis.

The kits may be purchased from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday at the Western County Service Center in Ann Arbor, located at 705 N. Zeeb Rd. just north of the I-94 interchange.

For more information, contact the Washtenaw County Department of Environ-mental Health Regulation at (734) 222-3869.

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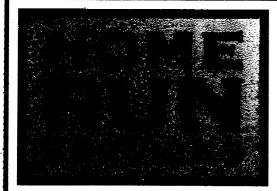






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And the nominees are...

By Laura Merte Staff Writer

The Community Resource Center's annual banquet, set for 6:30 p.m. Nov. 15 at Chelsea Community Hospital, will recognize a number of volunteers for their service to the Manchester community. Organizations have submitted their candidate nominations for the 2002 Claire Reck Outstanding Volunteer Community Award, which will be announced at the banquet. The Enterprise will feature the nominees over the next four weeks.

MARY SUE MOORE has been nominated by Manchester Family Service, Inc. As current secretary of the organization, Moore has

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sion to close now.

"It's economics," Glen

explaining the family's deci-

Not only is the number of

farms decreasing, but farm commodities themselves haven't kept pace with the

rest of the country's economy. While land values and

taxes increase, farm equipment prices rise, seed and

fertilizer increase in cost, but the value of what the

farmer produces hasn't

high and the 50th anniver-

sary picnic took place. oats

were \$2 per bushel compared to 48 cents in '38.

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pared to 62 cents fifty years before, and feed grade salt was \$9.90 for a hundred

pounds, compared to \$1.10 when the company began. On Sept. 19, as the family contemplated the close of

their four-generation mill,

elevator, and store, corn was \$2.42 a bushel, just three

cents more than 15 years

before or just under four times the 1938 price: wheat

was \$3.84 a bushel com-

pared to the 88 cents it brought in '38, and oats were

\$1.78 a bushel, just three

and a half times the value 65

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would be able to buy a fiveperson car for somewhere

between around \$2.000 to

With so much agricultural

land now converted to

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corn

dedicated five years of service to the board of directors.

She also is the coordinator of the food distribution program, which provides between 50 and 80 families and individuals in the community with groceries on a monthly basis. Maintaining records, ordering food and monitoring participation are only a few of the responsibilities she entails. Plus, she is there each month for the physical task of distributing the food.

Family "Manchester Service prides itself on its all volunteer status and considers Mary Sue Moore to be the kind of selfless worker who epitomizes the best of community volunteerism," said board president Harvey Gregerson.

"I guess I just like helping people," Moore says about why she volunteers.

of "In the case Manchester Family Service, you hear about a lot of family situations and you're able to help sometimes pointing them in the right direction for other assistance.

Moore has lived Manchester for 46 years, moving from Ann Arbor with her husband when they "outgrew the house." as she puts it. Their children all attended Manchester schools, attending Pleasant Lake School while it was still an elementary school.

coming to the Since Manchester area, Moore has contributed more than 30 years to the congregation at Bethel United Church of Christ, guiding the musical aspect of the services as both organist and director

pride in servicing the farm

community for 65 years and

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The Mann family has

earned a crucial place in

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"Music was always part of my life." says Moore, who also taught piano lessons for 27 years.

"Mary Sue is as intensely active in the church as anywhere else," says the Rev. Richard Hardy of Bethel UCC. "She's very forthright, involves other people, likes details and puts them together in a well-organized

"What strikes me is the variety of people she has in her choirs, and how she manages them all. Adults respond to her as well as children. Usually when you have such a hard-working person, children tend to stay away. But not Mary Sue. Children respond to her very well."

Gregerson sums it up for both Manchester Family Service and Bethel United Church of Christ, calling Moore "a tireless volunteer in carrying out the work of our organization and her church family."

Last week, Windtalkers. topped the rental list at the Revolution Manchester. Rounding out the top five were Enough, Insomnia, Monsters, Inc. and Panic Room.

This week the true identities of the "Video Voice" reviewers are revealed as DVD Revolution owners Veronica White and Kerry Hayslip.

The couple reviewed 'Frailty" with Bill Paxton this week.

"I only have one VHS and one DVD of this movie and it never stays in," White said. "It seems that this would be one of the top five if I had more copies.

"It's another movie that word-of-mouth is making popular."

"She says .. After wondering about all the hoopla over this movie, Veronica gives "Frailty" a 9.5 out of 10 rating.

"I had to find out and so we watched it." she said. "I

expected a lot of gore. What I got was an excellent sus pense-scare. Now I can understand why even nonscary genre people are

enjoying this movie. "And what a surprise end ing! It actually makes me wonder about the D.C. sniper situation because of that card he left at one of the shootings ... It is a must,

"He says ..."

"The only thing I didn't; like about this movie was that it seemed very subdued." Kerry said, giving "Frailty" an 8.5 out of 10 rating.

"It was a very suspenseful! story and the plot provides; some wonderful twists and turns. We look at apparent insanity, abuse and murder. all the while examining the nature of faith. All in all a great movie: it just could have been more so."

New this week at the DVD Revolution is Mr. Deeds. starring Adam Sandler.

Family run for 64 years



Weighing in as a seven-person team, E.G. Mann & Sons crew includes (left) Eric Mann, Fred Feldkamp, Carrie McGuire, Glenn Mann, Pat Mann, Vic Mann and Jamie Stevens.

But, "there just aren't as

many farms needing our

While the equipment and

G. Mann and Sons may fall

under the auctioneer's

gavel soon, the family's the area.

services." Glen concludes.

Krazy Kash Knight returns

They're Back ... ready to help their community once again with another exciting raffle. And the Kiwanis Club of Manchester is looking for projects to receive the proceeds!

The Kiwanis is sponsoring its fourth "Kiwanis Krazy Kash Knight Raffle" on March 1, 2003, at the American Legion Manchester. In previous years, thanks to generous community participation and support, the Kiwanis Club has been able to purchase the Klager school playscape, new pianos for the high school and middle school, musical instruments for Klager, two batting cages, donate more than

\$12,000 for new school library books and buy an art kiln.

The only requirements for a project to be considered are that it must be specific tangible items (not a onetime trip or event) and benefit members of the community of any age.

Applications to partner with Kiwanis and receive project proceeds will be accepted until Nov. 30. Application forms are available at the school offices. the Manchester Enterprise. the Community Resource Center or by calling Pat Vailliencourt at 428-7751. Partners must help plan. organize and work the night of the raffle.

Be sure to mark March 1 on your next year's calendar and look forward to a terrific evening with opportunities to win lots of cash and prizes. Admission tickets will be available in late December.

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field applications in the immediate area has diminished almost as significantly as the price of automobiles has inflated. Unless someone takes over the elevator and mill with an eye to continuing the services E. G. Manns provided, farmers will have to go further to fill their bulk grain and field application needs.

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Pastel Hues:

Sharon Township artist moves from politics to painting

Special Writer

As a youngster in Grand Rapids, MaryBeth Koeze submitted a piece of artwork in a local art show — and was "floored" when her work was accepted.

The girl who always enjoyed drawing later found she didn't have much time to indulge her interest in art.

Despite earning a bachelor's degree in fine arts from the University of Wisconsin. Koeze found herself too busy in the political arena in Washington, D.C., to commit

"I would visit various art museums and look at the art work of others and think I could do this." Koeze says. "My hands would itch like mad whenever I saw good

art.
"I finally put the brush in my hand and painted my own art. The itch to paint went away.

Sharon Township from the nation's capital, politics' loss was painting's gain.

On her rural acres Koeze enjoys painting, riding dressage horses or working in her flower garden.

Those same flowers loom large in her work, brought to vivid life in large-scale pastel paintings. In recent years, she has begun working on landscape and still life paintings in both pastel and oil on canvas.

Koeze, who keeps a camera handy in the car to capture local scenery and remind her of a place, mood or light effect, says that painting is like an intimate expression of herself.

She finds inspiration in many artists, especially Cezanne for his use of graphic space and Vermeer for his play of light and subtlety of

"I like what light does, and the abstract patterns it creates," she says. "I'm seduced by the shadows created by the sun coming in at an angle, early in the morning or late in the afternoon.

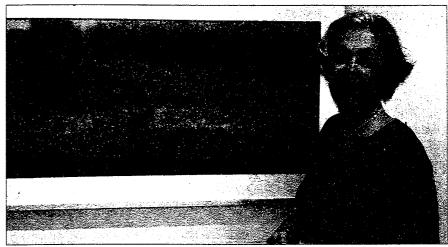
"This light abstracts shapes within shapes and color within color.'

Koeze also pays credit to Dexter art instructor Mary Rush, who has offered support and guidance for two decades.

"Mary knew how to encourage and inspire me to try new things," Koeze says. Her constructive criticism kept me moving forward to where I am now.

Koeze is a member of the Great Lakes Pastel Society, which honored her with a gold award in 2000, a bronze award in 2001 and a best of show in 1999.

Her work has received numerous awards and has been featured in "200 Great Painting Ideas for Artists" from North Light Books, "Art Calendar" and "The Artist's



MaryBeth Koeze

In April she appeared as a featured artist in an article "American Artist" magazine, and in "The Pastel Journal" as part of its 2002 National Pastel Competition.

Koeze's landscapes, color studies of Michigan farms. light-flooded interiors and still life paintings are featured in an exhibit running through Nov. 9 at River

Gallery, 121. S. Main St. in Chelsea. The gallery is open noon to 5 p.m. Wednesday through Friday and noon to 8 p.m. Saturday. For information call 433-0826.

Eager readers



The Manchester District Library's summer reading program was a success this year, rewarding participants for finishing 30 books over the summer. Pictured at top are Maddison Kemner, 4, and her brother Matthew, 7. Bottom: Alia Benedict, 5, and her sister Maya, 7.



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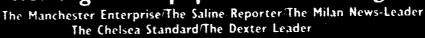
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The end of an era

Mill's history spanned the 20th century

■ A piece of the past leaves with E.G. Mann this week.

By Nancy Hebb

In 1988 when E.G. Mann and Sons threw a picnic party to celebrate 50 years of the family's service to area farmers, more than 600 customers and friends joined the Manns for food and fun.

Back then, the future looked bright, with the family's fourth generation entering the graduated from Michigan State University. versity.

Last month, customers and friends came to the E. G. Mann and Sons mill and on Boettner store Road in Bridgewater to commiserate, reminisce, and buy. It was the last chance to get bulk fertilizer and other DOG: FOOD field applications, feeds. and farming essentials from the historic business, whose doors closed at the end of September.

Glen Mann, the family historian, talked to farmers outside the store as Vic Mann wrote out bulk fertilizer orders and Glen's wife Pat and their daughter Kerry Mann McGuire took care of customers looking for everything from bird feeders to cat toys. Kerry's brother Eric moved between store and mill, doing whatever needed doing. More than a few older men in

farm boots hung around, the smiles on their faces bittersweet.

The closing of E. G. Mann and Sons marks the passing of an era that actually began in 1915. Back then, when Bridgewater was a daily stop on the New York Central rail line, Charles Schurer and

William Rentschler built the first Bridge water Elevator. Schurer and Rentschler were farmers, wool buyers and sellers, and entrepre-

Bridgewater Bank, and Schurer continued to manage the eleva-tor after 1918 when it became a cooperative. farmers' Farmers Produce Company, con-

sisting of 80 farmer stockholders. Ernest G. Mann, Glen and Vic's grandfather, started working at the co-op in 1926. By 1927 he was the manager, so devoted to the

mill and elevator operation that he moved from his farm. located in Freedom Township where Hickory Sticks Golf Course now stands, to Mr. Schurer's house in Bridgewater.

By 1938, Mann was eager to branch out from bulk grains and standard milling operations. He proposed selling bagged feeds, but met with resistance from the other shareholders. August Henes and Rentschler Ray bought out the other elevator stockholders that same year.

shareholders. Mann

ed further north on Boettner Road, bought a new truck, and sent his son Earl (Vic and Glen's father) to Ohio for a load of bagged feeds.

"When the guys at the mill saw Earl driving by in that new truck, they asked Ernest what Earl was doing," Glen said with a grin. "When my grandfather told them he was opening a feed store in the old dance hall, they said 'Come inside, we need to talk.

Ernest opened his feed store in the dance hall on Feb.

7, 1938. A week later, together with his sons Willard and Earl, he purchased Farmers Produce Co. and moved the bagged feed business to the company's current office and store location next to the elevator. So began the history of E. G. Mann

At that time, farmers were getting 88



With a view to the This building on Boettner Road is likely the oldest of the several that comprised the E.G. Mann and Son future, and unbe-feed mill that closed on Sept. 30. Up until that time, all signs (right) indicated that the business coulf knownst to the co-op fill a variety of needs for local farmers.

rented the old dance hall locat- cents a bushel for wheat; Mann & Sons charged 62 cents a bushel for corn and 48 cents a bushel for oats. Chicken feed was \$2.10 for a hundred pounds. 16% protein dairy cow feed cost \$1.90 for a hundred pounds, feed grade livestock salt was \$1.10 for a hundred pounds, and a five-seater Ford car could be bought for \$600-\$700. about the same amount a Model T cost in 1915 when the elevator was built.

After only two years, the Manns bought the Manchester Mill from William Blaess. Willard became the manager Manchester, and took an active role in the business there until he retired in 1976.

In 1952, Ernest sold his portion of the business to his grandsons Glen and Vic. Willard's son Ron also became a shareholder. The company incorporated in 1963 with Earl and his wife Billie, and Willard and his wife Dorothy, as principal stockholders. When Earl died in 1968. Glen. Vic and their cousin Ron took over more shares.

Willard retired in 1976, and his stock in

E.G. Mann and Sons was bought out by Billie, Glen and Vic. Ron Mann became owner of the Manchester Mill, running it as Mann's Feed Mill.

"Mom did a lot of the bookkeeping and paperwork." Glen said. "She was her almost every day and was an important part of the business," just as Glen's wife Pat and their children, Eric and Kerry, became.

"Mom and I work really well together." Kerry Mann McGuire proclaims.

Together, they hope to open a retail and service business in Bridgewater, taking the king-of-the-counter cat. Waffles, to thek new establishment.

"He'll enjoy basking in the sun as we'll there as here. I imagine." Pat hopes.

While Vic Mann plans on managing & bagged feed and animal supplies business for Bridgewater Lumber, the other Manns aren't sure what their future holds.

Right now, Glen and Evic are looking for ward to hunting season.

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Answering a cal

Local couple to leave on mission to Ukraine

By Rita Fischer Special Writer

When Ron and Joanne Pieper listened to missionaries speak at their church or the church's annual Family Camp, they would often come away feeling inspired to help, too.

"The interest in missions brought with it a number of questions, such as where would we go or what would we do," Joanne Pieper says.

She and her husband wondered if there was a specific country or group of people they would be called to help. They also speculated whether it was a calling from God and how they could get started.

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Joanne and Ron Pieper, members of Chelsea Free Methodist Church, will leave on a mission to the Ukraine at the end of November.

Africa never came.

"By this time, however, we had become very sure that God was calling us into missions," Pieper says.

Miller told the couple of

With their two children grown, the Piepers were ready to make plans. Joanne left her job at USArtQuest in Grass Lake last month, and Ron will

take leave from Uniloy Milicron in Manchester. where he works as a mechanical engineer.

The pair is trying to tie up loose ends, arranging to rent out their home and sell two cars and two boats.

Joanne has been working on raising \$38,000, completing paperwork and arranging for speaking engagements in other churches. She has also been corresponding with missionaries in the Ukraine.

The couple plans to leave Nov. 30 to become part of a team of five missionaries working with a new church in the city of Rivne. The city, with a population of about 250.000, lies between the capital of Kiev and the Polish border.

The Piepers will be there for at least a year, working with orphanages and leading small groups in Bible studies.

Pieper says the Ukrainian people are struggling in an extremely poor economy, in a downturn since the collapse of the Soviet Union. Businesses have closed and unemployment is rampant.

"People who have jobs are often not paid for months at a time." Pieper says, "Many children live in

orphanages, either because they are true orphans or because their parents can't care for them.

"It's common for people to turn to alcohol, drugs or sex to cope."

Pieper says when people become Christians, they have joy and peace on I the strength to overcome addictive habits.

"Even the government has noticed this and is encouraging teachers to teach Christian ethics 🤀 the public schools," sht

"What we hope to do in Ukraine is meet some of the physical needs that people have, and then bely them develop a relationship with Christ that will fulfill their spiritual needs "

Pieper says she and his husband are experiencing a mixture of feelings as these make final preparations.

"We alternate between super-excited about our new adventure and see whelmed by all that still has to be done before ap-leave." she says.

Bita Fischer is a free-lance writer. She can be reached vie e-mail at ritafisch@vahoo .com.



The scouts of Wolf Den 8 decorated the entrance to Klager Elementary School last week for the fall season. Pictured are Brian Robert (left), Andy Galicki, Matthew Franz, Dane Smith, Den Leader Margene Dunsmore, James Schriber, Kyle Strahle, Justin Reyst, Zachary Dunsmore and Nathaniel Bazydlo.

Buying a home with less than perfect credit

Low rates attract a variety of buyers.

While rates have staved at historic lows it seems that everyone is jumping on the home ownership bandwagon. Even though average home prices have gone up around the country, the affordability of loans has kept many people in the housing market, including those with a spotted credit history.

"We're seeing rates being offered to people with a history of credit mistakes that are much lower than in the past," said Steve Rhode. president and co-founder of Myvesta, a financial health center. "Lenders also are being more lenient with loan qualifications. Those two things are giving more people the opportunity to buy a home.

But the opportunity for home ownership hasn't been granted to everyone.

"If you find that you are being turned down for a mortgage, take the necessary steps to make yourself more

lenders." Rhode said. "Start by paying down any credit card debt you might have and putting as much as you can into savings for a down payment. Having money in the bank for a down payment and closing costs shows commitment and responsibility to a lender.

"Also, don't apply for or open, any new lines of credit in the months before you are going to be applying for your mortgage. And make sure you are paying your bills on time every month. Nothing lowers a credit score like paying your bills late.

"If you find it difficult to do even one of those things. you might not be ready for homeownership." Rhode added. "That's when it's time to enlist the help of a professional who can work with you and help you realize your goals.

More information about buying a home with marks on your credit, as well as extensive debt advising, can be found online at Myvesta.

Local agency urges radon testing

The Washtenaw County Department of Environmental Health Regulation is observing Oct. 20 to 26 as National Radon Action Week. This annual event encourages residents to test their homes for radon, and, if necessary, take measures to reduce high radon levels. Current estimates show that as many as 40 to 45 percent of homes in Washtenaw County have elevated levels of

Radon is a tasteless, colorless, and odorless radioactive gas. It is found in nearly all types of soil and rock. It can enter homes through cracks in the foundation, dirt floors, hollow-block walls, and openings around floor drains and sump pumps.

High levels of radon can damage lung tissue and eventually lead to lung cancer. Radon is the second leading cause of lung cancer for smokers, and the leading cause of lung cancer for nonsmokers. Radon is associated with 14.000 lung cancer deaths each year in the United States.

Although no level of radon is considered absolutely safe, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) recommends taking action when

levels are above 4.0 pCi/L inside a home. If a home is found to have elevated levels of radon, a mitigation company can fix the problem for approximately \$1,000.

The age or size of a home does not determine the presence or absence of radon. In addition, radon levels vary from house to house, even within the same neighbor-

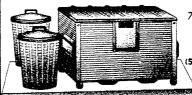
The only way to determine a home's radon level is to test. The radon test is easy and inexpensive, and the Washtenaw County Department of Environmental Health Regulation is making the test even more affordable by offering half-priced shortterm and long-term test kits from Oct. 15 to 31. Short-term test kits will be \$5, and longterm kits will be \$10. The cost of either kit includes postage and laboratory analysis.

The kits may be purchased from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday at the Western County Service Center in Ann Arbor, located at 705 N. Zeeb Rd. just north of the I-94 interchange.

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And the nominees are...

By Laura Merte Staff Writer

The Community Resource Center's annual banquet, set for 6:30 p.m. Nov. 15 at Chelsea Community Hospital, will recognize a number of volunteers for their service to the Manchester community. Organizations have submitted their candidate nominations for the 2002 Claire Reck Outstanding Community Volunteer Award, which will be announced at the banquet. The Enterprise will feature the nominees over the next four weeks.

MARY SUE MOORE has been nominated by Manchester Family Service, Inc. As current secretary of

the organization. Moore has

dedicated five years of service to the board of direc-

She also is the coordinator of the food distribution program, which provides between 50 and 80 families and individuals in the community with groceries on a monthly basis. Maintaining records, ordering food and monitoring participation are only a few of the responsibilities she entails. Plus, she is there each month for the physical task of distributing the food.

"Manchester Service prides itself on its all volunteer status and considers Mary Sue Moore to be the kind of selfless worker who epitomizes the best of community volunteerism," said board president Harvey Gregerson.

"I guess I just like helping people," Moore says about why she volunteers.

you hear about a lot of family situations and you're able to help sometimes pointing them in the right direction for other assistance '

has lived in Moore Manchester for 46 years, moving from Ann Arbor with her husband when they "outgrew the house," as she puts it. Their children all attended Manchester schools, attending Pleasant Lake School while it was still an elementary school.

Since coming to the Manchester area, Moore has contributed more than 30 years to the congregation at Bethel United Church of Christ, guiding the musical aspect of the services as both organist and director

"In the case of "Music was always part of Manchester Family Service. my life," says Moore, who also taught piano lessons for 27 years.

> "Mary Sue is as intensely active in the church as anywhere else," says the Rev. Richard Hardy of Bethel UCC, "She's very forthright. involves other people, likes details and puts them together in a well-organized fashion.

"What strikes me is the "What strikes me is the The couple reviewed variety of people she has in "Frailty" with Bill Paxton her choirs, and how she manages them all. Adults respond to her as well as children. Usually when you have such a hard-working person, children tend to stay away. But not Mary Sue. Children respond to her very well.

Gregerson sums it up for both Manchester Family Service and Bethel United Church of Christ, calling Moore "a tireless volunteer in carrying out the work of our organization and her

Last week Windtalkers

topped the rental list at the Revolution in Manchester. Rounding out the top five were Enough, Insomnia, Monsters, Inc. and Panic Room.

IDEO

This week the true identities of the "Video Voice" reviewers are revealed as DVD Revolution owners Veronica White and Kerry Hayslip.

this week.

"I only have one VHS and one DVD of this movie and it never stays in." White said. "It seems that this would be one of the top five if I had more copies.

"It's another movie that word-of-mouth is making popular."

"She says ..

After wondering about all the hoopla over this movie. Veronica gives "Frailty" a 9.5 out of 10 rating.

"I had to find out and so we watched it," she said. "I expected a lot of gore. What I got was an excellent suspense-scare. Now I can understand why even nonscary genre people are

enjoying this movie. And what a surprise ending! It actually makes mewonder about the D.C. sniper situation because of that card he left at one of the shootings ... It is a must-

see. "He says ...

"The only thing I didn't like about this movie was: that it seemed very subdued," Kerry said, giving "Frailty" an 8.5 out of 10 rating.

"It was a very suspenseful." story and the plot provides: some wonderful twists and turns. We look at apparent; insanity, abuse and murdent all the while examining the nature of faith. All in all a great movie; it just could have been more so."

New this week at the DVD: Revolution is Mr. Deeds. starring Adam Sandler.

Family run for 64 years



Weighing in as a seven-person team, E.G. Mann & Sons crew includes (left) Eric Mann, Fred Feldkamp, Carrie McGuire, Glenn Mann, Pat Mann, Vic Mann and Jamie Stevens.

MILL

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"It's economics." Glen said in summary when buildings that comprise E. explaining the family's decision to close now.

Not only is the number of farms decreasing, but farm commodities themselves haven't kept pace with the rest of the country's economy. While land values and taxes increase, farm equipment prices rise, seed and fertilizer increase in cost. but the value of what the farmer produces hasn't risen proportionately.

In 1988 when spirits were high and the 50th anniversary picnic took place. oats were \$2 per bushel comnared to 48 cents in '38 corn was \$2.39 per bushel compared to 62 cents fifty years before, and feed grade salt was \$9.90 for a hundred pounds, compared to \$1.10 when the company began.

On Sept. 19. as the family contemplated the close of their four-generation mill. elevator, and store, corn was \$2.42 a bushel, just three cents more than 15 years before or just under four times the 1938 price: wheat was \$3.84 a bushel compared to the 88 cents it brought in '38, and oats were \$1.78 a bushel, just three and a half times the value 65 years ago.

Putting that into perspective, if car prices rose at the same pace as grain. we would be able to buy a fiveperson car for somewhere between around \$2.000 to \$3,000 today.

With so much agricultural land now converted to smaller parcels and residential tracts, the need for a 70,000-bushel capacity elevator and bulk fertilizer and field applications in the immediate area has diminished almost as significantly as the price of automobiles has inflated. Unless someone takes over the elevator and mill with an eye to continuing the services E. G. Manns provided, farmers will have to go further to fill their bulk grain and field application needs.

But, "there just aren't as many farms needing our services." Glen concludes.

While the equipment and G. Mann and Sons may fall under the auctioneer's gavel soon, the family's the area.

pride in servicing the farm community for 65 years and four generations will not be so easily disbursed.

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The Kiwanis is sponsoring its fourth "Kiwanis Krazy Kash Knight Raffle" on March 1, 2003, at the American Legion in Manchester. In previous years, thanks to generous community participation and support, the Kiwanis Club has been able to purchase the Klager school playscape, new pianos for the high school and middle school, musical instruments for Klager, two batting cages, donate more than

\$12,000 for new school library books and buy an art on your next year's calendar kiln.

The only requirements for a project to be considered tangible items (not a onetime trip or event) and benefit members of the community of any age.

Applications to partner with Kiwanis and receive project proceeds will be accepted until Nov. 30. Application forms are available at the school offices. the Manchester Enterprise. the Community Resource Center or by calling Pat Vailliencourt at 428-7751. Partners must help plan. organize and work the night of the raffle.

Be sure to mark March 3 and look forward to a terrific evening with opportunities to win lots of cash and are that it must be specific prizes. Admission tickets will be available in late December.

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Pastel Hues:

Sharon Township artist moves from politics to painting

By Rita Fischer Special Writer

As a youngster in Grand Rapids, MaryBeth Koeze submitted a piece of artwork in a local art show — and was "floored" when her work was accepted.

The girl who always enjoyed drawing later found she didn't have much time to indulge her interest in art.

Despite earning a bachelor's degree in fine arts from the University of Wisconsin, Koeze found herself too busy in the political arena in Washington, D.C., to commit

to art.
"I would visit various art museums and look at the art work of others and think I could do this," Koeze says. "My hands would itch like mad whenever I saw good

"I finally put the brush in my hand and painted my own art. The itch to paint When Koeze moved to Sharon Township from the nation's capital, politics' loss was painting's gain.

On her rural acres Koeze enjoys painting, riding dressage horses or working in her flower garden.

Those same flowers loom large in her work, brought to vivid life in large-scale pastel paintings. In recent years, she has begun work-ing on landscape and still life paintings in both pastel and oil on canvas.

Koeze, who keeps a cam-

era handy in the car to capture local scenery and remind her of a place, mood or light effect, says that painting is like an intimate expression of herself.

She finds inspiration in many artists, especially Cezanne for his use of graphic space and Vermeer for his play of light and subtlety of

"I like what light does, and the abstract patterns it creby the shadows created by the sun coming in at an angle, early in the morning or late in the afternoon.

"This light abstracts shapes within shapes and color within color."

Koeze also pays credit to Dexter art instructor Mary Rush, who has offered support and guidance for two decades.

"Mary knew how to encourage and inspire me to try new things," Koeze says.
"Her constructive criticism kept me moving forward to where I am now.

Koeze is a member of the Great Lakes Pastel Society, which honored her with a gold award in 2000, a bronze award in 2001 and a best of show in 1999.

Her work has received numerous awards and has been featured in "200 Great Painting Ideas for Artists" from North Light Books, "Art Calendar" and "The Artist's



MaryBeth Koeze

Magazine.

In April she appeared as a featured artist in an article in "American Artist" magazine, and in "The Pastel Journal" as part of its 2002 National Pastel Competition.

Koeze's landscapes, color studies of Michigan farms, light-flooded interiors and still life paintings are featured in an exhibit running through Nov. 9 at River

Gallery, 121. S. Main St. in Chelsea. The gallery is open noon to 5 p.m. Wednesday through Friday and noon to 8 p.m. Saturday. For information call 433-0826.

Eager readers



The Manchester District Library's summer reading program was a success this year. rewarding participants for finishing 30 books over the summer. Pictured at top are Maddison Kemner, 4. and her brother Matthew, 7. Bottom: Alia Benedict, 5, and her sister Maya, 7



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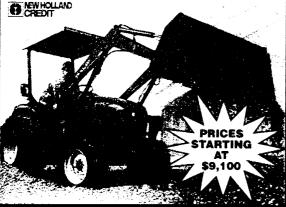
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Players of the game

This week's varsity football players of the week, selected by the varsity coaching staff, included:

Offensive player of the game: Andrew Coutts

Defensive player: Ken Schwab Special Teams play-

er: Jeff Miller Scout player: Dan Fleck.

This week, no "Red Zone" player of the week was named.

When they got to the 'red zone,' we didn't stop them," Varsity coach Wes Gall said. "They picked us up and moved us out of their way."

Championship game set for Saturday

The championship game between the Cascades and Big Eight conferences will be held at Napoleon this year, featuring two undefeated teams.

Jonesville will face the Pirates of Napoleon at 7:30 p.m. Saturday on the Napoleon High School field.

The pride of the Cascades Conference is at stake as each of the seven remaining members of the conference face a Big Eight opponent on Friday night.

At the halftime of the championship game, the all-conference teams will be introduced. While varsity players will not know the official outcome of the all-conference team selections until after Friday night's game, Gall knows that his team will be represented.

"In the meanwhile, I want them to play hard and finish the season well," Gall said.

Manchester faces Reading High School at 7:30 p.m. in Reading on Friday night.

Soccer league to organize for coming year

After a very successful first season, a meeting is being planned to form a board of directors for the Manchester youth soccer league for the coming year.

The meeting will be held at 7 p.m. Monday in the high school cafeteria.

The public is encouraged to attend. For information, call 428-

Seeking player profile nominees

The Manchester Enterprise will again profile student athletes this year. Player profiles are not limited to members of the senior class

A coach, teacher. parent or counselor may wish to nominate a player who exemplifies the spirit of athletics both on and off the playing field.

To make a nomination, contact Marsha Johnson Chartrand by e-mail at mchartrand@heritage.com

Varsity heads to crossover game Friday

■ Dutchmen fall to Hanover-Horton in Parent's Night game.

By Marsha Johnson Chartrand Associate Editor

"We knew going in this would be a tough game for us," Manchester coach Wes Gall said of Friday night's conference finale against Hanover-Horton. "And we thought our kids played really well for three quar-

But the varsity Dutchmen faced a 28-12 loss to the Comets following their Parent's Night activities.

After giving up an early touchdown in the first quarter. Gall said the team improved its momentum and the defense maintained the score at 6-0 till the middle of the fourth quarter.

"We had fumbled the ball and they took it," he said. "They scored on a 26-vard pass play. It's tough to recover when you have an early turnover like that.

At 7:13 in the fourth quarter, the Comet's tailback ran in two yards for a second touchdown and an added two-point conversion to leave the Dutchmen down

"Once we got the ball back, on our second play we had a 79-yard touchdown pass from Jordan Tallman to Brett Melcher," Gall said.

That gave the Dutchmen six points on the scoreboard with 6:25 left to play in the game and a reason to keep up an offensive drive with the hopes of evening up the

But the Comets marched the ball back down the field and scored another time with 4:04 remaining in the quarter. A two-point conversion pass failed, leaving the score at 20-6.

The Dutch were not ready to quit vet, and they did not. We got the ball back and on the very next play had a 68-yard pass from Melcher

to Dyon Evans for another touchdown," Gall said. The conversion pass failed and the Dutchmen were again within reach of

the Comets at 20-12. But after a 47-yard punt



in the contest, leaving them with a 3-4 season conference

Photo by David Jose Jamie Powers had 70 yards on 16 carries in last Friday's game against Hanover-Horton, but the Dutchmen fell 28-12

return, Hanover's Moore Dutch varsity leaves them took the ball and ran another 47 yards for the Comets' final touchdown, followed by a two-point conversion to put the game away at 28-12.

A valiant effort by the

record.

with a 3-4 conference record.

"You could see in the fourth quarter, our kids on defense were doing a lot more arm tackles; reaching

for the tackle." Gall said "We just couldn't stop their offensive line and their blocking.

"That was our worry going into the game, because that was Hanover's strength.'

He added that his entire team played well for the three quarters in between the first two scoring efforts by Hanover.

"They gave a great effort," he said. "We were hoping to be able to score early and keep them on the defensive, but that didn't happen."

Another missed opportunity came in the third quarter when the Dutch were first and goal on the 14-yard line.

"We had needed to score on that drive," Gall said. "That took a lot of the heart out of the team.

"We moved the ball extremely well down the field till we got to the 14. and we just didn't finish that

Andrew Coutts ran the ball 12 times for a total of 35 yards and Jamie Powers had

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Junior Lady Dutch get split for week

■ Trojans prove tough competition again.

By Marsha Johnson Chartrand Associate Editor

The junior varsity girls'

basketball team started off Horton. the second half of its season with a split, leaving the team with an 11-3 record.

with a close 29-26 win Hanover-Tuesday over

The week's play began

"Hanover always plays us tough." Manchester coach Mark Ball said. "They were winless in conference play and almost pulled off the big upset.

turnovers.

The game was characterized by several changes in lead, with the Lady Comets ahead at the end of the first and third quarters and the Dutch leading at the half-

time and ending buzzers. "Once again, our defense saved us." Ball said. "We had 25 steals and caused 40

"If it weren't for our defense, we'd be having some problems this year."

Sam Mahan led the team in scoring with seven points, and also had four rebounds and three steals. She was followed by Lindsay Ellison with six Carolyn Billetdeaux with five.

Katelyn Gall scored four allowed them to score easy

points and also had three boards. five steals and two

Roz Harvey scored three points and was "a monster on the boards," according to Ball. grabbing 10 rebounds. Brandi Walter and Shelley Schulze each scored two points.

"Carolyn came in and gave us a spark offensively," Ball added.

Thursday's game against the East Jackson Trojans did not end so satisfactorily.

"Just like the Napoleon game, the second quarter was what killed us," Ball said. "We were outscored 10-3 which sent us into half-

time down 21-11." In the second half the Lady Dutch improved to a more aggressive offense.

"But we were way too tentative against their press. Ball said. "Also, we kept fouling too much. which free throws."

Gall scored 15 points with four rebounds, three steals and two blocked shots. Mahan had six points with nine boards and three steals and Brandi Walter had five points, including a big three-pointer in the last quarter which brought the team within two points of the lead.

"After that, we committed three straight turnovers. which led to six easy points (for the Trojans), and the game was theirs," Ball said.

Sweet and Ellison each four added points: Billetdeaux and Schulze two points each and Bri King added one point to the team's final score.

The junior varsity headed to Michigan Center on Tuesday and will be in Grass Lake tonight. Game time is 5:30 p.m.

Equestrians head to state finals today

the Michigan State Fair Grounds this weekend.

Competition at this fourday meet will be tough, but the entire team feels up to the challenge.

These kids have full plates. There sports practices. Key Club and band

The Manchester Eques- practice, as well as eques- the biggest challenge yet. trian team is looking for- trian team practices four Generous donations from ward to the state finals at nights a week. Yet each many businesses and organmember has still been able to maintain grades that allow them to compete at this weekend's event.

The junior Lady Dutch played a close game against visiting

the Hanover-Horton Comets last week and came out with a

Scheduling is not the only challenge. With stall fees for all the horses costing \$1,100 for the four-day event. fund raising may be

izations have helped.

The team is prepared for its next test At the final meet Sept. 29. Manchester proved they could not be touched, winning the regional's Triple Crown.

The Saddle Seat team and its experienced riders. Nicole Feldkamp. Megan Kanta, Val Kanta, Katie McConnell and Amanda Scott. These girls are always in the placings and anticipate knocking the socks off the other contestants. With a total of 153 points amongst them, this power will be tough competition for any opposing team.

Nicole Feldkamp. Cody Hamilton, Heidi Hakken, Val Kanta, Clint McCalla, Kelly McCarthy and Becky Steiner all have played a part in the Hunt Seat division. If not riding bareback or presenting their horses in Fitting and Showing, some of these equestrians ride their horses over jumps that are two and one-half feet tall

With class sizes of up to 40 entrants, the Dutchmen consistently took one-third of the available points in this division.

Freshmen Sara DeSautel. Craig Heilmann and Travis Hone have all given Western



Heidi Hakken and her horse make a successful jump over the 30-inch tall hurdles in Hunt Seat equitation during equestrian season competition. Left, Katie McConnell prepares for her Saddle Seat competition.

Fitting and Showing a go. Though leading your horse around an arena may not seem terribly difficult, getting an 1.100-pound animal to pivot off the hindquarters, while his back feet remain planted in one spot. can make even the most seasoned show veteran anxious.

Just ask the other Western

division team Hamilton. Feldkamp. Kanta, McCalla, McCarthy, Emily McConnell and senior Becky Steiner-how much practice it takes. Rumor has it that Feldkamp practiced changing into different show outfits, and got the time down to three minutes per outfit, allowing her

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Varsity begins second half of season with victory

■ Week concludes with a close loss to East Jackson.

By Marsha Johnson Chartrand Associate Editor

After overcoming a halftime deficit, the Manchester Lady Dutch outscored Hanover-Horton 21-4 in the third quarter last Tuesday to come out with a victory as the second half of the basketball season started.

We were one point down at half-time and then we put the game away in the third quarter," Manchester coach John Wilkins said.

Liz Okey led the team in scoring with 16 points, and rebounds with 11 plus three blocked shots. Fallynne Schlosser followed up with points and

Kate Meyer had five points, while leading the team with four assists and seven steals. Katie Meranuck and Cori Chrestensen each scored four points; Michelle Slocum and Katie Sharp each had three points and three assists.

Thursday the team met East Jackson on the home court and the outcome was not so pleasant.

The final score showed 55-44 in the Lady Trojans' favor.

"It actually was a lot closer than the final score Wilkins said. "We shows." were in the lead with about three minutes left. But we had a couple key turnovers in the last few minutes that they turned into scores.

"Then we had to foul them and they made their free

Wilkins said that Thursday's contest was "a game in which we played pretty well for three and a half quarters," while the Dutch made some key mistakes that turned the game in East Jackson's favor.

Okey again led her team in scoring with 14 points.

"Julia Steinaway played an outstanding game for us,' Wilkins said.

Steinaway scored 12 points and added five rebounds, three assists and three steals to the Lady Dutch effort.

Chrestensen had eight points and Meyer six points; Caitlin Sewell scored four points and grabbed seven rebounds, while Sydni Johnson added two points.

This week the Dutch meet Michigan Center and Grass

ond place in the league, but Wilkins said that the conference championship is still in limbo.

"In the conference, every game's a battle," he said.

In the Lady Dutch's first round against Michigan Center the team led at the half but experienced shooting problems in the second half and the Grass Lake game also was close with the Dutch losing on free throws at the end.

"We seem to be close in every game," Wilkins said. "And then we have a few key mistakes that hurt us.

"We're trying to eliminate those key mistakes at the end of games. If we can do that we can improve our success.



tain Liz Okev led her team in scoring in both week. She scored 16 points in Tuesday's victory over Hanover-Horton and 14 points in the team's attempt to overcome the East Jackson Trojans.

Photo by David Jose

Lake, both in away games.

■ *Eighth-grade hoops* back in the groove.

By Marsha Johnson Chartrand Associate Editor

The eighth-grade girls' basketball team earned two victories this week, raising its record to 6-4 for the season.

The first victory came on Oct. 14 when the Lady Dutch traveled to Grass Lake and brought home a 26-8 win. Starting slowly with a 7-4 first quarter lead, the Dutch picked up the pace both offensively and defensively. shutting out the Lady Warriors in the second quarter and taking a 15-4 half-time

Liz Little led the team with 13 points and five rebounds. followed by Brittany Melcher with eight points. Also on the scoreboard were Tarah Bondy and Jessica Stollsteimer with two points each.

"Stacey Volk also played a strong defensive game, grabbing 4 rebounds and sinking a free throw," Manchester coach Sue eighth-grade Maher said.

On Wednesday it was Hanover-Horton's turn to take a beating as the Lady Dutch handed them a 27-12 defeat.

"We played one of our best games all season," Maher said. "We had quick, aggressive defense and strong rebounding, leading to many fast break opportunities.'

Little again led the Lady Dutch with eight points and an incredible 17 rebounds, followed by Brittany Melcher with six points and Amanda Pratt with four points.

Also scoring for the Dutch

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70 yards on 16 carries. Craig Van Bogelen had four runs for a total of 13 yards.

Senior quarterback Josh McCalla completed three of eight passes for a total of 21 yards. Tallman had one pass for a 79 yard touchdown and Melcher was one-for-one with a 68-yard touchdown

Defensively, McCalla was in on six tackles and broke up one pass while Tallman was in on nine tackles and Austin Scott on eight. Senior co-captain Tyler Harvey participated on 15 tackles and fellow senior Ken Schwab

Ben Wojtas had two solo tackles, both for a Hanover loss, and participated in five additional tackles. Jeff Miller was in on eight tackles and Jason Lindemann on

This week's challenge for the varsity Dutchmen has been to regroup and come back tomorrow night against Reading in the Big Eight-Cascades Crossover game. The game will be held in Reading at 7:30 p.m.

"Reading is of equal ability to us," Gall said. "They are 3-4, as we are: they have a potent offense: they can

move the ball pretty well. "They have too good running backs and a good receiver. We should be able to play some good football and hopefully come back with a victory for our last game of the season."

were Crystal Poertner with three points, while Bondy, Bolan and Alex Fairbanks ended the game with two points each.

This week's play wraps up

the middle school season.

"We are facing two tough teams." Maher said.

The team met East Jackson at their gym on and Columbia Tuesday.

Central on the home court Wednesday.

"Hopefully, our hard work will pay off and we'll come away with two more victories!" Maher said.



The Lady Dutch are in good position, both with their league record and in their victory over Hanover-Horton last Wednesday.

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to compete in fitting and showing in all three divisions. She says the key to changing quickly is having your clothes and accessories Young lady Dutch record at 6-4 organized and ready to go for the next class. That and having my Dad hold my horse Cami while I'm changing helps too," she Emily McConnell is enjoying her first year on the team and says the fun part about showing in the Western division is "Just being ther, and of course

getting all dressed up."
She also enjoys "When I come out of the ring, laughing at all the mistakes I made while I was in my class.

Brad Burmeister. Travis McCalla and Amanda Scott. often working in pairs, make

up the contesting team. They have been consistent point makers for the team. accumulating 71 to 80 points at each meet.

It was common to see this group take first, second, and third at all of the regional meets.

Third-year equestrian team member Brad Burmeister, when asked what he liked best about contesting. "Hearing the replied. crowd, including the other schools, cheer when I rode

in the arena." These kids realize without the guidance of head coach Robin McCarthy and cocoaches Heather Armstrong. Leslie Buckner. Scott Powers and Arlene Suffernick, they would not be in the desirable position they now find themselves.

McCarthy's placement of Hone, Megan Kanta, Clint this year's equestrians has proven to be a winning tick-







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Building a new tradit



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Quiet concentration helped junior golfer Jon Schaible to lead the Manchester High School golf team in last week's state finals. Schaible shot an 84, his low score of the season on an 18-hole course Friday.

Flu shots still available

It came on suddenly last winter: nausea, body aches, a sore throat and possibly a fever. And, more than likely, this acute viral infection known as influenza (the flu) forced you or someone you know to miss several days of work or school.

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■ Golf team achieves this year's goals, sets eves on next season.

By Marsha Johnson Chartrand Associate Editor

Rain, wind and cold weather couldn't keep them from their appointed rounds last Friday.

But no, they are not mail

Through a miserable drizzle, the Manchester High School golf team faithfully made the 18-hole rounds of the El Dorado par-71 Golf Course in Mason for the school's second-ever appearance at the state high school golf finals.

Junior Jon Schaible shot his best-ever 18-hole score of 84 to lead the golfers to 20th place in the state to conclude this year's season.

And despite the cold, windy, rainy weather. Manchester had several fans lining the fairways for this historic performance—the Manchester community has not had a team reach statewide competition since 1977.

Among the spectators was Rik Stetler, a member of the 1977 team that went to state finals.

"He braved the nasty weather Friday to follow our team and lend his support." Man-

golf coach Dan Galaska said. "I was really surprised to see him there.

He also donated \$100 to take the team out to dinner."

Parents and community members also came out to show their support for the golfers

Following Schaible were seniors Nate Smith with 86, Jeff Galaska with 87 and Nick Strobl with 100, while junior Mike Taddonio finished with a score of 105.

"The team has had a great year," Galaska said. "They accomplished their goals from the start of the season."

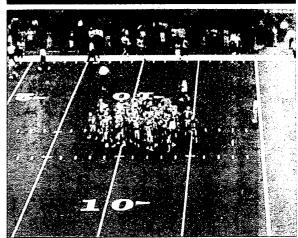
The team finished in second place in the Cascades Conference league and their appearance at state finals topped off a banner year for Manchester golf.

Galaska also thanked the parents and community members that supported the team, as well as volunteer Bill Wagner who has assisted the team throughout the season.

In closing, Galaska commended his team for a season filled with hard work and many rewards, including Galaska and Smith achieving all-conference status.

"Building tradition will take time and a lot of hard work." he said. "But having a supportive community such as Manchester is a great start.

<u>Lions game</u>

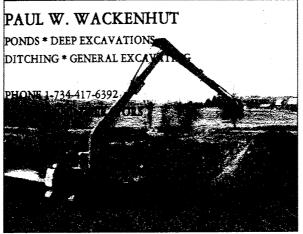


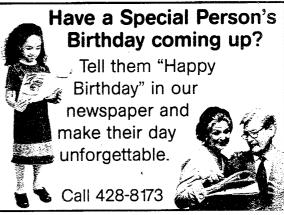
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Fan of the Week



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Juwanda Evans was named fan of the week by the MHS Cheer Team at the homecoming game Oct. 4. Evans was cheering on her son, Dyon, for his participation in the game.

Seventh-grade girls on a roll

■ Hoops team holds 9-1 record as season draws to a close.

By Marsha Johnson Chartrand Associate Editor

The seventh-grade girls' basketball team continues to improve its overall game with just two games left in its season.

The team defeated the Grass Lake Warriors on the road Oct. 14 by a score of 30-12, returning to the home court Oct. 16 to beat Hanover Horton 30-15.

At Grass Lake, the girls were up by just 8-5 at the half.

"But we came back in the second with a half court trap and put more pressure on the ball, which created some fast break opportunities for us," Manchester coach Pat Ridenour said.

Brittany Fusilier had a strong game offensively with 10 points, Laura Coltre added 5, followed by Allyson Way, Julie Fielder and Marissa Olmstead, each with 4 points. Amanda Mutchler chipped in with 2 points, and Danielle Lee added one.

"Julie and Amanda led the defense with their inside play by contesting every shot, and limiting Grass Lake's quality scoring chances," Ridenour added.

On Wednesday, the Dutch hosted Hanover Horton. Within the first minute of the second half, the girls lost a substantial lead after Hanover scored the first six points of the second half.

"Their press caused us to turn the ball over." Ridenour said. "We settled down

after that. We did a better job of slowing things down and looking ahead for the open person.

This strategy created some easy shots for the Lady Dutch in the fourth quarter, helping them out-

score the Comets 12-2. "We did a good job of passing the ball, and looking inside for the open shot most of the game," Ridenour said.

Mutchler had a strong game with eight points, followed by Way and Stephanie Preston with six points each.

Fielder added five, Coltre had three and Fusilier followed up with two points.

This week's games were at East Jackson on Tuesday and the last game was at home last night against Columbia.

Keeping kids healthy at Halloween — and year round

kids, Halloween means candy. Sugary, sticky, chocolaty, gooey candy, collected by the bagful and just waiting to be gobbled down. Forget healthy eating, it's trick-or-treat time!

says Not quite, University of Michigan Health System children's nutrition expert. In fact, she adds. Halloween is the perfect time of year for parents to teach kids about healthy eating. And the lessons they learn now can help them eat better throughout the yearwhich can help keep them from becoming overweight or obese.

dietitian Pediatric Michelle Cleland, R.D., isn't saying that kids should be denied their annual quest for treats, nor that parents should take away the pillowcase of sweets as soon as the holiday ends. But she wants parents to realize that this time of year is great for getting kids to think about what they eat, how much they eat,

Setting rules ahead of Halloween about how much candy children can eat each

day, and providing healthy meals before they head out for trick-or-treating and in the days afterward, are important tips for parents to follow, says Cleland. She calls this parental guidance "modeling"—setting example that children can follow.

She also recommends that parents set a limit on how long kids can keep their Halloween loot.

"My rule of thumb about keeping candy would be to the next holiday, such as Thanksgiving. That's a good four-week period that gives them time to enjoy candy and spread it out evenly throughout that time," she says. Leftovers can then either be discarded, frozen for another time, or donated to a charity.

day out of the year won't be detrimental to a child's diet. but if it keeps occurring and guidelines aren't set, it can lead to childhood obesity." That's an issue that Cleland

Overweight and obesity during childhood and adolescence can lead to health problems now, such as diabetes and sleep problems, and later, such as heart disease, high blood pressure, stroke, joint problems and some forms of cancer.

Obesity can also be a major social stigma for children and teens, when their peers tease them for being 'fat" or they feel self-conscious. And overweight kids tend to become overweight adults, making obesity a lifelong chronic condition that can greatly reduce overall

But parents can help their children avoid the health and social problems that can come with being overweight. Cleland says.

"Children tend to be obese All in all, she adds, "One because of a combination of both lifestyle and food choices," she notes. "Most of the studies to date have shown it's high-calorie beverages. processed foods, and sitting still and not participating in and other childhood nutri- sports or other physical tion experts are alarmed activities." Parents need to

guide their kids to choose example, parents can set limsays, and urge them to be

"Parents can help their children by providing a balanced diet when they're home. Parents won't always be around to help guide their children, but if you keep it in the back of the child's mind, they will start to make better choices," Cleland explains.

If you need help developing better habits for yourself and your children, ask your child's doctor about making an appointment with a nutritionist-preferably one with experience with kids.

But parents can do a lot on their own, she says. Look at your child's diet over the course of a week she advises, rather than focusing on making every meal and snack perfectly healthy. It's all right to have candy once in a while, in small quantities, as long as the rest of the week they eat mostly lowerfat, lower-calorie choices.

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better foods and drinks, she its on how long kids can be sedentary—sitting in front of the television, video games or computer, for example, And for every half hour of TV they watch or games they play, Cleland recommends parents plan a half hour of physical activity, such as a family walk.

Just as with food, a parent can set an example with exercise and activity: Children will follow the pattern their parents establish.

"Exercise doesn't have to be the treadmill three days a week for 45 minutes." Cleland advises. "There are all sorts of different fun





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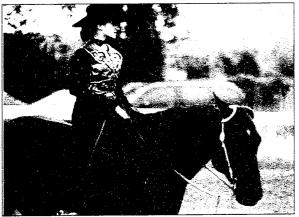
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VERY GOOD POTTERY, EARTHENWARE & PORCELAIN: Several wash bowls and pitchers signed by Cannonsburg, Burgess & Goddard, W.S. George, Virginia, Verus, colonial, kermit chamber pots, several old Prussian platters, old whiskey jugs & crocks, old stoneware bottles, blue stenciled crocks & jugs.

stoneware crocks w/blue, good early blue & yellow ware, 6" Etna Weller pitcher, early Nippon handled bowl, marblehead pottery vase w/blue glaze (early ship marks), 4 different butter plate sets. German signed porcelain vase. Roseville 76-8" water lily vase, numerous old hand painted plates & bowls incl: Wedgewood, Flow Blue Washington plate. Australia, German, Nippon, 6 hand-painted miniature fern wall plaques, yelloware eagle mug, very old Spongeware pitcher, mini teapot w/flurdelis, rare Aurora Transferware platter, Bennington pieces

2-color chamberpot w/lid, old matching 8-pc. parlour set incls: pitcher/bowl, covered soap, chamberpot, (2) pitchers, hair receiver & slop pot; 3 Madam dresser set, 2 goldleaf pieces. Clark signed pitcher, ceramic pickle figural covered dish, Honds handle signed Wedgewood pitcher, several early McCov pottery pieces incl: Scarce signed Hyacinth vase & much more. This will be a full day of outstanding smaller items. However, the property of the

items. If you're an Ebay'er, do not miss this fantastic Estate Auction!!!

PRIMITIVES NATIVE AMERICAN INDIAN ITEMS & VINTAGE LIGHTING: Rare primitive black ball vote box. (10) wooden butter molds incl: rare duck head mold, old rolling pins. (8) wooden butter bowls measuring 10"-17". (5) butter paddle plus other wooden mashers & mailiots, antique sugar bucket, signed - Ephraim Murdoc, in original mustard paint, 9" wooden turned candlesticks, 15" wooden turned candle stick, 2 coffee mills, one signed-Brighton, old bird cage signed-Hendryx, 2 Victorian bird cages w/water & feed bowls, one signed Bing & other signed Bemann New York: cast iron train/ship bell 6" diw/water & teed bowls, one signed Bing & other signed bemann New York: cast fron train/ship belt o' dram, on stand 8.25 tall, pair extremely rare Early American hand forged ice skates, old copper boiler, extremely rare round 12 hole candle moid w/applied handles, old copper steam cooker by Arnold-Rochester, NY, very old & fine hand woven baskets & pottery incl. pot sig. Acoma, New Mexico, rare iron tea kettle dated 1869 Beaver Falls, PA: (3) 3-legged iron pots diam. T', 8" & 9" has lid; very old shaving mirror stand, vintage rug beaters. New Haven Keywind wall clock, old hats & linens, good tapestry items & fantastic mint unused 6½x9 handsewn quilt. LIGHTING: Victorian wall mounted kerosene lamp in original gold paint, fantastic scrolled brass hanging kitchen lamp, kerosene lantern, NY, NY US-A Dietz-Monaroth potters oil lamp w/floral design miniature milk. Monarch, pottery oil lamp w/black glaze, miniature press, glass oil lamp w/floral design, miniature milk glass oil lamp hand-painted, 2 old finger oil lamps, 9" press glass oil lamp, violet tint glass, 9.5" oil lamp 4" base, 3-oil lamps, 10" molded, 10" and 12" old pressed glass, (2) 8" & 9" glass oil lamp, old shades incl: one mission style, 5" diameter hand painted flowers & orange color, oc crystal, nice blue, painted shade, and others. 19th C. miniature finger candlestick lamp, deco. filigree floor lamp w/spiderweb finial, agate base floor lamp, rare signed A.M.W. Newark bronze lamp w/slag paneled shade, etc. GOOD GLASSWARE & ADVERTISING COLLECTIBLES: 4" blown Cranberry pitcher, good early

carnival glass, 6 early glass pitchers, old 8" cake pedestal, 8" pressed glass bowl, 4 Spooners pressed w/pineapple design, another w/diamond & swirl, old vases, very ornate pressed sugar bowl, old pressed covered butter dish, 3 pcs. Iris design glassware incl. cream pitcher, tumbler, covered bowl, 9 salt dips (one

master), early pattern glass pitchers, spooners, battle ship dish, chez. luster teapot & cream pitcher, several good pieces of McCoy & others, very old bone handle silverware, 1847 Rogers, Rogers nickel, OVB solid nick & other, mustache cups & shaving mugs, numerous pieces glassware from early 19th century thru depres sion era includes: opalescent, modern tome, cobalt. green ruby, pattern glass, and others. Green Depr. Federal triple lipped cooking cup, scarce signed

"Kelloggs" pink triple lipped cooking cup, pewter vase & pickle bowl, old hand-made brass items, old Dupont crates, Royal Crown cola, several quality old hand irons, old calendars, early tin w/forged handle, coal bucket signed Reeves. 3 min. whiskey adv. jugs, C. Howard Hunt pen adv. box w/old stock. Akro "gypsy" green agate smokers set in org. box. Sampon glass & ash tray set in orig. box. old Vict. photo album w/photos, 9" thick scrapbook w/die cuts & postcards, National Biscuit Co. adv. counter display w/metal & glass sliding door lid, 1921 RCA radiolal loud speaker model 100, Vapo Cresoline w/ box, colored milk S&P shakers. Green Depression Biscuit Jar w/lid, old green & pink depression pieces & sets, fine

Noritake condiment set orig. tray & spoon, amber candy dish, handmade paper wornase comment set orig. (14) & spoon, amort campy usin, nanomate paper machie old artwork incl: Pories & Larkspur by M. Streckenbach, Bull Fight Oil on Canvas dated 6/17/59 by A. Janosik, 1893 Ulman Color Seacape, Alexi Floral Print, 1919 750" Panoramic of Camp Sherman Cinci, OH.; 1901 C. Gustrine "Our Martyrs" Lincoln, McKinley & Garfield, 1906 "He's a Mason." 1898 G.A. Coffin "Famous Vessels Litho, c. 1900 Firest Flower by Frank Desch, Currier & Ives 4-Season print

grinder, B&D jigsaw, Dunlap drill press, Dremei sander/polisher in case, old Holo-Krome Hartford wrenches. Feversham punch set in woodbox, Ace superset taps & dies, (2) bench size lathes metal & woodworking. There are numerous old tools and 3 good Stanley signed wood planes plus two full sheds

ANTIQUE FURNITURE & HOUSEHOLD ITEMS: Empire curved leg end table. (2) large steamer trunks, 54" oak tiger stripe table w/(4) barrel back chairs, matched pair grain finish bubble glass frames. Victorian White Dress Master sewing machine stand w/orig, accessories, mahogany table 2" high, curved glass china cabinet w/no glass on door, mahogany lamp table in parts. Philco radio & record player, Wagner Waffle Gridle pat. Sept. 15, 1925, iron stove pot 8" diam, alum, cast teapot, set of (6) "Burt" Bakelite sundae compotes, corn planter, assortment of old baskets, Cromwell brass coffee set. Universal Bakelite sundae compotes, corn planter, assortment of oil baskets. Crimwen bask of the Sac Christopher Coffee pot & tray w/celluloid handles. (2) Early Kodak cameras models 2-A & 2-C. Daisey Mod. 95 air riele, large 50th Anniv. Mickey Mouse wall watch, Singer sewing machine ser. #AM540891, old wood carved statue, nice steel patio set w/4 chairs, excellent Grand Rapids furniture: solid oak dining set w/china cabinet, table w/10 leaves & 10 matching chairs, long mirrored bureau & serving table, solid oak curved glass china cabinet, excellent estate auction. Almost everything is old or antique.

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COIN COLLECTION: Uncirculated Rolls & Old Proof Sets – (1954-62 found in a locked box.) Mint State 1954 Half dollar roll, 1956 of dime roll, 1958 Nickel roll, (6) 1957 Nickel rolls, 1965 Nickel roll, (25) PROOF sets from 1954-1962 in original envelopes, 1969-8, (2) 1970-8, (2) 1971-8 Proof Sets, (2) 1968 P. & Smint sets, 1959 P&D mint set, 1962 P&D mint set, (2) 71-8 Proof Sets, (2) 1968 P. & Smint sets, 1969 P. & D mint set, 1961 P&D mint set, (2) 71-8 Proof Sets, (2) 1968 P. & Smint sets, 1959 P&D mint set, 1962 P&D mint set, (2) 71-8 Proof Sets, (2) 7 Ikes (MS) in orig. envelopes, 1876 Seated Quarter Dollar, Morgan dollars 1878, 1879-S. 1886-O, 1891, 1898-O, 1899-O, 1904-O, 1921 P&D, Peace 1922 & 25, Large lot of silver coins dimes, quarters & halves 1920's-50s (unsorted), box of old Canadian, small purse of foreign, some old tin &





And the band played on



Photo by David J

A standing tradition at the Parent's Night football game is to have eighth-grade band members join the Manchester High School marching band on the field for pre-game and halftime performances. The brass section was strengthened by the participation of many eighth-graders.

Promoting Healthy Communities



hoto by David Jo

Becky Pazkowski (left) and Jeff Wallace of the Healthy Communities Initiative spearheaded by Chelsea Community Hospital passed out free refillable water bottles at the concession stand at Friday night's football game. Brian Uhr was one of the lucky recipients of the bottles, which were provided to the first 100 water-buyers from the Athletic Boosters' concession.

ESTATE AND RETIREMENT PROTECTION FREE WORKSHOP



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Speaker

Michael A. Flory, Attorney at Law Specializing in Financial, Trust-Centered, and Tax Planning

Wednesday November 6, 2002

2 sessions to choose from

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Held at Comfort Inn and Conference Center 1645 Commerce Park Dr., Chelsea, MI.

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WASHTENAW COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS PUBLIC NOTICE

The Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners is looking for citizens to volunteer for a slate of positions with the various Boards, Committees and Commissions. The Board of Commissioners has postponed these appointments until their November 20, 2002 session at 6:45 p.m. in the Board Room, Administration Building, 220 North Main Street, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Individuals interested in applying should submit a letter of interest and resume, including a home address to Tammy Richards, County Administrator's Office, P.O. Box 8645, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48107. Letters and resumes may be received via the internet by sending to <u>richardt@ewashtenaw.org</u> or faxing Tammy Richards, County Administrator's Office at (734) 222-6715.

Those resumes received by <u>November 8, 2002</u> will be submitted to the Board of Commissioners for its consideration on November 20, 2002. The appointments will become effective January 1, 2003. These appointments will include:

Accommodations Ordinance Commission. The Board is looking to fill two positions for one-year terms expiring on December 31, 2003. The Accommodations Ordinance Commission was established in 1975 with the purpose of enhancing the economy of Washtenaw County, through the promotion of the area as a destination for overnight visitors.

➤ Brownfield Redevelopment Authority. The Board is looking to fill three positions representing County Municipality, Development Company, and nonprofit community group for three-year terms expiring on December 31, 2005. The Brownfield Redevelopment Authority was established in 1999 in conformity with Act 381 of 1996. The purpose of this authority is to facilitate the redevelopment of previously developed sites, consistent with the community's commitment to sustainability and its vision for the future.

➤ Building Code/Construction Appeals Board. The Board is looking to fill seven positions representing building, architect, engineer, mechanical, electrical, and piumbing. The appointment shall serve for a two-year term expiring December 31, 2004. The Building Code/Construction Appeals Board was established in 1974. A member of the Board of Appeals should be qualified by experience or training to perform the duties of members of the Board of Appeals.

➤ Citizens Advisory Council for Children in the Family Court. The Board is looking to fill one position for a three-year term expiring December 31, 2005. The Citizens Advisory Council for the Children in the Family Court's purpose it to promote programs to aid children in the Family Court.

➤ Community Action Board. The Board is looking to fill two positions representing the consumer sector for three-year terms expiring December 31, 2005. They are also looking for a public sector representative to serve for the remainder of a three-year term expiring December 31, 2003. The Community Action Board was established in 1990 for the purpose of providing community services programs to the community. The Board consists of 12 members who represent three sectors: Consumer (1/3), Private (1/3) and Public (1/3).

Economic Development Corporation: The Board is looking to fill a general public representative for a six-year term expiring December 31, 2008. The Economic Development Corporation was established for the purpose to alleviate and prevent conditions of unemployment, to assist and retain local industries and commercial enterprises, to strengthen and revitalize the economy of the County. In addition, to provide the means and methods for the encouragement and assistance of industrial and commercial enterprise in locating, purchasing, constructing, reconstructing, modernizing, improving, maintaining, repairing, furnishing, equipping and expanding in the County. The Economic Development Corporation encourages the location and expansion of commercial enterprise to provide needed services and facilities to the County and the residents.

Emergency Medical Services Commission. The Board is looking to fill two positions representing the

➤ Emergency Medical Services Commission. The Board is looking to fill two positions representing the Criminal Justice Association and the St. Joseph Hospital Executive for the remainder of a three-year term expiring December 31, 2003. The Emergency Medical Services Commission was established in 1978 with the purpose to plan, monitor and evaluate the Washtenaw County Emergency Medical Services system in concert with the Washtenaw -Livingston Medical Control Authority Board. In addition to plan, monitor and evaluate the pre-hospital aspects of the County Emergency Operations Plan.
➤ Emergency Telephone District Board. The Board is looking to fill a fire fighter position for a three-year

➤ Emergency Telephone District Board. The Board is looking to fill a fire fighter position for a three-year term expiring December 31, 2005. The Emergency Telephone District Board was established in 1995 to provide emergency telephone services for the people of Washtenaw County. The Emergency Telephone District Board is assigned the responsibility of assuring the fiscal integrity of the Emergency Telephone District through the monitoring of the expenditures of 9.1.1 surpharms monitoring compliance with applicable state law

the monitoring of the expenditures of 9-1-1 surcharge monies, assuring compliance with applicable state law.

Enhanced Access Board. The Board is looking to fill four positions representing Board of Commissioners. Technology Attorney and Banking Community for three year terms expiring December 31, 2005. The Enhanced Access Board was established to provide oversight and establish the convenience fee for all e-government applications within the specified fee structure developed.

Family Independence Agency Board. The Board is looking to fill one position for a three year term expiring December 31, 2004. The Family Independence Agency Board is a three member body appointed to carry out the goals and visions of Washtenaw County and the State of Michigan by protecting children and vulnerable adults, delivering juvenile justice services and providing support to strengthen families and individuals striving for independence.

Friend of the Court Advisory Committee. The Board is looking to fill a Family Law Attorney position, a MH Professional Family Counseling position, and a General Public position. The terms are for three-years expiring December 31, 2004. They are also looking to fill a Non-Custodial Parents position for the remainder of a 3 year term expiring December 31, 2003. The Friend of the Court Advisory Committee was established in 1996 in conformity with MCLA 552.501. Public Act 366 of 1996 and consists of nine members. The Friend of the Court Advisory Committee is an advisory committee to review and investigate grievances filed with the committee concerning the Friend of the Court operations, advise on the Friend of the Court's duties and performances, and community needs relating to office services and submit an annual report of its activities.

➢ Grading/Soil Erosion and Sedimentation Control Appeals Board. The Board is looking to fill one position representing the Soil Conservation District for a three-year term expiring December 31, 2004. The Grading/Soil Erosion and Sedimentation Control Appeals Board was established in 1998 for the purpose of being available for the right of an appeal and the interpretation of the ordinance.

➤ Health Code Board of Appeals/Public Health Advisory Committee. The Board is looking to fill one position for a five-year term expiring December 31, 2006. The Health Code Board of Appeals/Public Health Advisory Committee was established in 1988 to provide review and advice on matters pertaining to Public Health and/or the organization and operation of the Environmental Health Division of the Department of Environment & Infrastructure Services/DEIS. In addition, the board shall have such authority to hear appeals of environmental actions by the Division and to grant variances from local environmental ordinances and state regulations as was previously vested in the Board of Health. The Health Code Board of Appeals/Public Health Advisory Committee consists of five members.

➢ Historic District Commission. The Board is looking to fill one positions for a three-year term expiring December 31, 2004. The Washtenaw County Historic District Commission was established in 1975 and is composed of 7 members. The Board ensures that efforts are made to safeguard the heritage of Washtenaw County by identifying and preserving sites, structures, objects and other resources of historical, cultural, archaeological, economic, political, or architectural significance. The commission seeks to promote the establishment and use of historic districts, markers and other programs for the education, pleasure and welfare of the people of this county.

> Library Board of Trustees. The Board is looking to fill one position for a five-year term expiring December 31, 2006. The Library Board of Trustees was established pursuant to 1917 PA 138 (MCL 391.301 et.seq.) and have the powers enumerated in section 2, 1917 138 (MCLA 397.302). The Library Board of Trustees is a five-member board responsible for providing specialized services and programs to the commu-

Local Emergency Planning Committee. The Board is looking to fill thirty-two positions representing the areas of Elected Sate, Elected Locai, Law Enforcement, Fire Fighting, First Aid, Health, Local Environment, Hospitals, Transportation, Broadcast Media. Print Media, Community Groups, Owner/Operator of Title III Facility, Civil Defense/Emergency Management, Education, and Agriculture. The positions are for three year terms expiring December 31, 2004. The Local Emergency Planning Committee was established in 1986, to serve as an emergency planning district under Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986. The purpose of this committee is to report on hazardous and toxic chemicals in the community as it pertains to the Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act of 1986.

> Neighborhood Advisory Council for the Huron Street Shelter. The Board is looking to fill positions representing the Old West Side Neighborhood Association (nominated by the association). West Park Neighborhood Association (nominated by the association) and the Huron-Jackson Neighborhood Association (nominated by the association). The appointments will be for three years expiring December 31, 2004. The Board is looking to fill a position representing a Commercial Property owner/operator within ½ mile for the remainder of a term expiring December 31, 2002. The Neighborhood Advisory Council for the Huron Street Shelter is to communicate current issues, concerns and information, as needed, in the Washtenaw Housing Alliance meetings (Operations Committee). The Neighborhood Advisory Council for the Huron Street Shelter serves as an education and outreach resource for the community.

➤ Parks and Recreation Commission. The Board is looking to fill two positions for three-year terms expiring December 31, 2004. The Parks and Recreation Commission was established in 1965 in conformity with MCLA 46,351. The Parks & Recreation Commission's purpose is to provide county residents with more recreational opportunities. It is the primary endeavor of the commission to conserve large natural open space land, and/or water sites for regional public use and enjoyment, and to provide special recreation facilities, activities,

and programs not generally available or adequately provided within municipalities throughout the county.

> Planning Commission. The Board is looking to fill three positions for three-year terms expiring December 31, 2004. The Planning Commission was established in conformity with MCLA 125.102 to carry out a comprehensive community-wide planning program for Washtenaw County.

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>>>> Board of Public Works. The Board is looking to fill two positions for three-year terms expiring December 31, 2004. The Board of Public Works was established in accordance with MCLA 123.732 to assist communities in the construction of infrastructure improvements and provide planning and coordination of solid waste, wastewater, lake level improvements and recycling issues with Washtenaw County.

➤ Sheriff's Community Relations Advisory Board. The Board is looking to fill five positions for three-year terms expiring December 31, 2004. They are also looking to fill one position for the remainder of a three-year term expiring December 31, 2002. The Sheriff's Community Relations Advisory Board was established in 1991 to act as an official liaison between the Sheriff and the surrounding communities.

➤ Washtenaw County/City of Ann Arbor Community Corrections Advisory Board. The Board is looking to fill nine positions representing the areas of Service Area. Prosecuting Attorney, Communications Media. Sheriff Department. Chief of City-Police Department. Judge of Circuit Court. Judge of District Court. Judge of Probate Court- Juvenile. and City Councilperson. The terms are three-years expiring December 31, 2004. The Board was established in 1991 and is responsible for designing, implementing, monitoring, assessing, and evaluating Community Corrections programs in Washtenaw County, Its' objectives are to provide the appropriate alternative sanctioning options for the non-violent offender: to address the unique needs of the local offender population: to reduce the likelihood of recidivism: to provide the means to improve the utilization of the county jail, and to target at-risk population groups such as youthful offenders, special population groups, domestic violence and pre-trial offenders for programming designed to address their specific needs.

> Washtenaw County Workforce Development Board. The Board is looking to fill eight positions representing the areas of Economic Development, Organized Labor/CBO. Public Assistance, and Private. The terms are for three-years expiring December 31, 2004. The Board is also looking to fill one position representing private for the remainder of a term expiring December 31, 2002. Individuals interested in appointment to the private sector must submit resumes through their local chamber of commerce. The Workforce Development Board was established in 1995 to provide oversight and management of employment training initiatives and programs within the community.

For additional information please contact Tammy Richards, Washtenaw County Administration. (734) 222-6731 or email: richardt@co.washtenaw.mi.us

RELEASED: September 2001

Fall back

Daylight saving time is good for many reasons

By Will Keeler Staff Writer

Flowers are like a sundial. They turn and follow the sun as it runs its course of the day.

People follow in the same path and seek the sun until it

the cold weather comes, the sun will set a little earlier.

Most Americans will add another hour to their schedule this weekend, marking the end of Daylight Saving Time. Clocks, watches and digital calendars will revert to 1 a.m. at 2 a.m. Saturday.

Clocks are typically moved ahead one hour the first Sunday in April. This year, Daylight Saving Time began April 7.

However, some areas of the United States don't observe the time changes. including such places as Hawaii, American Samoa,

Guam, Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands and portions of Indiana.

According to the U.S. Department of Transportation, the main purpose of Daylight Saving Time is to make better use of time during daylight hours and conserve energy.

Studies done recently by the Department of Transportation show that Daylight Saving Time trims the entire country's electricity usage as much as one percent from April to October.

Stephen Margolis, spokesperson with the Department of Transportation, said Friday that we save energy during the evening and the morning because we use less energy for lighting and appliances.

"In the average home, 30 percent of all the electricity we use is for lighting and for the use of small appliances, like radios, TVs and VCRs.

Margolis said.

"A good percentage of energy consumed by lighting occurs in the evening. By moving the clock one hour, we can cut the amount of electricity we use each day." he said.

People also see the beginning and end of Daylight Saving Time as a time to check the batteries in their smoke detectors.

"October is Fire Prevention month, and as people set their clocks back for the time change, they should also take time to check the batteries in their smoke detectors and make sure to test them," said Dexter firefighter Scott Gochis.

"It only takes a few minutes to change the batteries. and this is the best time." Gochis said.

The idea of adjusting time to fit into our daily lives has a long history. Daylight Saving Time was

introduced to the United States and many European countries during World War

At the time, Germany and Austria needed to conserve fuel to produce electric power. In an effort to conserve the energy, the countries advanced their clocks by one hour April 16, 1916, until October of that year.

The plan wasn't formally introduced and accepted in the United States until 1918, but faced opposition from Congress.

For the next six decades. the country mulled the idea of Daylight Saving Time, until the energy crisis of the 1970s. In 1974, President Richard Nixon signed into law the Daylight Saving Time Energy Act.

Staff Writer Will Keeler can be reached at 475-1371 or via e-mail at wkeeler@heritage.com.

Parkinson group to meet

The Parkinson Education and Support Group of Washtenaw County will meet at 1:30 p.m. Nov. 10 at the St. Joseph Mercy Hospital Education Center, Building 5305, Huron River Dr., in Ann Arbor, Mi. (near Parking Lot P).

Everyone is always welcome. Bring your questions

and ideas. The meetings begin with social time and singing

This meeting will center around a discussion on first aid in the home led by Dori McDowell from the Huron Valley Ambulance Co.

Refreshments will

TOWNSHIP OF BRIDGEWATER NOTICE OF **PUBLIC ACCURACY TEST**

The Township of Bridgewater will hold its required test for public accuracy on the optical scan voting equipment for the Primary Election to be held Tuesday, November 5, 2002. This test will be conducted Thursday, October 24, 2002 at 4:30 P.M. at the Clerk Office, 13360 East Austin Road

Bridgewater Township Clerk

SHARON TOWNSHIP PUBLIC NOTICE

ber 5, 2002 general election will be conducted at 11:00 A.M. on Friday October 25, 2002 at the Sharon Township Hall, 18010 Pleasant Lake Rd. Manchester MI

The accuracy test is conducted to determine that the program and the computer being used to tabulate the results of the lection counts the votes in the manner prescribed by law

Sharon Township Clerk

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public accuracy test for the Novem

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FREEDOM TOWNSHIP PUBLIC NOTICE PUBLIC ACCURACY TEST

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Public Accuracy test for the November 5, 2002 General Election will be conducted on October 28, 2002 at 4:30 p.m. in the Freedom Township Hall located at 11508 Pleasant Lake Road, Manchester, Ml.

The Public Accuracy test is conducted to demonstrate that the program and computer that will be used to tabulate the results of the primary have been prepared in accordance with the law.

> Sara Bassett Freedom Township Clerk

MANCHESTER TOWNSHIP PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public accuracy test for the November 5, 2002 General Election will be conducted at 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday, October 30, 2002 at the Manchester Township Office, 275 South Macomb Street, Manchester, MI.

This accuracy test is conducted to determine that the program and the computer being used to tabulate the results of the election counts the votes in the manner prescribed by law.

Kathleen M. Hakes Manchester Township Clerk

Publication Date: 10/24/02

FREEDOM TOWNSHIP D SYNOPSIS OF REGULAR BOARD MEETING PROPOSED SYNOP

Supervisor Little called the meeting to order at 8:00 p.m. Board mem bers Little. Bassett, Bossory, Horning and Weidmayer were present as wel as residents. Minutes of the September 10 Board meeting were approved Treasurer's Report was approved.

Audience participation: Several residents were concerned about light ollution, especially from the pumping station near Pleasant Lake.

Reports: Planning Commission - Chair Tschiltz reported that residents are concerned about water quality, and Barrett Paving Materials will test some residents' wells. The Planning Commission is also concerned about the Barrett pit withdrawing their DEQ permit application, when they contin ue to extract below the water table without the necessary DEQ permit. The Township will meet with the Barrett pit operator. Two land splits were approved. A special work session will be held on 10/29/02 at 7:30 p.m. to review the Mining Ordinance.

The Ordinance Enforcement Officer made 5 calls for car, extraction junk, and other violations. The <u>Zoning Inspector</u> issued 2 permits for a new home and a deck. <u>Library</u>: The library is changing over to TLN. The Library Network, providing many benefits. On November 23rd, there will be a book sale at the Village Offices. History Project: Bob Miller expressed concern about the storage of materials. Peter DeLoof arranged for TCF National Bank to donate a 4-drawer fire-proof file cabinet worth about \$2,000. If anyone has historical information. Miller can include it in the History project. The <u>Clerk's Report</u> included administrative issues such as a thank you letter to The Ecology Center. The Board approved the letter.

Business: Little reported that the Building Authority refunded \$1,787.08 Freedom Township that had been paid for start up costs. More may be refunded in the future. Other options were discussed for Township recycling, because the township may lose the current funding. The Township will continue to seek electronic copies of documents developed by the Township Planner so that residents and applicants can be better served The Pleasant Lake Property Owners Association presented petitions for a special assessment to control weeds with weevils. Linda Herrst will turn in petitions for chemical control of the weeds. The Recodification Ordinance #19 was approved, one new ordinance will be considered at each succes sive Board meeting, Huron Valley Watershed Council gave a presentation on the Mill Creek Watershed project. The Board approved all warrants for payment. The meeting was adjourned at 9:48 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted

Karen Weidmaye

FREEDOM TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION BOARD TUESDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2002 AT 7:30 P.M. AT FREEDOM TOWN HALL 11508 PLEASANT LAKE RD

PURPOSE: TO REVIEW THE

FREEDOM TOWNSHIP

JOINT WORK SESSION

EXTRACTION ORDINANCE THE FREEDOM TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION WILL HOLD ITS REGULAR NOVEMBER MEETING ON THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2002

FREEDOM TOWNSHIP RECODIFICATION **ORDINANCE #19**

AN ORDINANCE TO REVISE, REPEAL AND RECODIFY THE ORDI-ANCES OF THE TOWNSHIP OF FREEDOM, PURSUANT TO THE PRO-VISIONS OF THE ACT 144 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1969. THE TOWNSHIP OF FREEDOM HEREBY ORDAINS:

Section 1. <u>TITLE</u>
This ordinance shall be known and cited as the Freedom Township

Recedification Ordinance.

Section 2. ORDINANCES REPEALED The following ordinances previously adopted by Freedom Township are

nereby repealed:

Ordinance 3: Electrical Ordinance Ordinance 4: Consumer Power Company Ordinance

Ordinance 10: BOCA Building Code Ordinance Ordinance 13: Solid Waste Transfer Site Ordinance

e. Ordinance 24: Mich Con Gas Franchise Ordinance Section 3. <u>QRDINANCES RENUMBERED</u>

The now existing and previously enacted ordinances of Freedom Township, not repealed by this or any other ordinance shall hereafter be renumbered as follows: Zoning Ordinance, formerly Ordinance 28 Freedom Lake Speed Ordinance, formerly Ordi Ordinance 2:

Burning Ordinance, formerly Ordinance 5 Ordinance 3: Ordinance 4: Fiscal Year Ordinance, formerly Ordinance 9. Ordinance 5: Electrical Franchise Ordinance, formerly Ordi-

nance 14. Animal Control Ordinance, formerly Ordinance 16 Ordinance 7:

Ordinance Enforcement Officer, formerly Ordi-Ordinance 8: nance 17. Dangerous Building, formerly Ordinance 18.
Landfill Evaluation Fee Ordinance, formerly Ordi-Ordinance 9: Ordinance 10:

nance 19. Littering, formerly Ordinance 20 Ordinance 12:

Private Road Ordinance, formerly Ordinance 21, Consumers Power Company Gas Franchise Ordinance, formerly Ordinance 22.

Ordinance 14: Mining Ordinance, formerly Ordinance 23. Fire and Emergency Medical Charge Ordinance. Ordinance 15: ٥. formerly Ordinance 25. Liquor License Ordinance, formerly Ordinance 26 Ordinance 16:

Ordinance 17: Telecommunications Ordinance, formerly Ordi-Ordinance 18: Purchase of Development Rights, formerly Ordi-

Section 4. RECODIFICATION The renumbered ordinances of the Freedom Township shall hereafter be et forth in a Ordinance Code Book and the chapters of the Code Book

shall be as set forth herein: Zoning Ordinance Chapter 1: Chanter 2 Ordinance 2 - Freedom Lake Speed Ordinance - Burning Ordinance. Chapter 3: Chapter 4: Ordinance 4 - Fiscal Year Ordinance

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Chapter 17: Chapter 18: Ordinance 18 - Purchase of Development Rights This Ordinance shall take effect immediately after its publication in the

lanchester Enterprise, a newspaper of general circulation. YEAS, Little, Bassett, Bossory, Horning, Weidmayer

ORDINANCE DECLARED ADOPTED ON OCTOBER 8, 2002. Robert Little

Supervisor for Freedom Township

ELECTION NOTICE TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF BRIDGEWATER, FREEDOM, **MANCHESTER AND SHARON TOWNSHIPS** NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A PRIMARY ELECTION WILL BE HELD IN SAID **GOVERNMENTAL UNITS ON** TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2002 FROM 7:00 A.M. TO 8:00 P.M.

For the purpose of nominating candidates for the following offices: Partisan:

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Washtenaw County Commissioner (District 3) Bridgewater Township Trustee Freedom Township Treasure

Non-Partisan: Justice of the Supreme Court Judge of the Court of Appeals 3rd District Judge of the Circuit Court 22 Circuit

Judge of the District Court (/Districts 14A, 14B and 15) Judge of the Probate Court Washtenaw Community College Board of Trustees

ALSO, to vote on the following State proposals:
MICHIGAN PROPOSAL 02-1

A REFERENDUM ON PUBLIC ACT 269 OF 2001 - AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN SECTIONS OF MICHGIAN ELECTION LAW Public act 269 of 2001 would:

 Eliminate "straight party" vote option aon partisan general election ballots. · Require Secretary of State to obtain training reports from local

election officials. Require registered voters who do not appear on registration list to

show picture identification before voting a challenged ballot.

Require expedited canvass if presidential vote differential is under · Require ballot counting equipment to screen ballots for voting

errors to ensure the accurate tabulation of absentee ballots. Permit voters in polls to correct errors. Provide penalties for stealing campaign signs or accepting pay-ment for campaign work while being paid as a public employee to

perform election duties. Should this law be approved?

YES NO

MICHIGAN PROPOSAL 02-2 A PROPOSAL TO AUTHORIZE BONDS FOR SEWAGE TREATMENT WORKS PROJECTS, STORM WATER PROJECTS AND WATER POLLUTION PROJECTS

The proposal would:

• Authorize the State of Michigan to borrow a sum not to exceed \$1 billion to improve the quality of the waters of the state by financing sewage treatment works projects, storm water projects and water pollution projects.

Authorize the state to issue general obligation bonds pledging the full faith and credit of the state for the payment of principal and interest on the bonds.

• Provide for repayment of the bonds from the general fund of the

Should this law be approved?

NO MICHIGAN PROPOSAL 02-3 A PROPOSAL TO AMEND THE STATE CONSTITUTION TO GRANT STATE CLASSIFIED EMPLOYEES THE CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHT TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING

WITH BINDING ARBITRATION The proposed constitutional amendment would:

· Grant state classified employees, in appropriate bargaining units determined by the Civil Service Commission, the right to elect bargaining representatives for the purpose of collective bargaining with the state employer.

Require the state to bargain in good faith for the purpose of reach ing a binding collective bargaining agreement with any elected bargaining representatives over wages, hours, pensions and other terms and conditions of employment.

• Extend the bargaining representatives the right to submit any unresolved disputes over the terms of a collective bargaining agreement to binding arbitration 30 days after the commencement of bargaining.

Should this law be approved? YES I

MICHIGAN PROPOSAL 02-4 A PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO REALLOCATE THE "TOBACCO SETTLEMENT REVENUE" RECEIVED BY THE STATE FROM

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Increase in Number of Trustees A new state law requires that townships of the size of Manchester Township submit to the electors the question of adding two trustees to the Township Board. Adding two trustees would increase the member-

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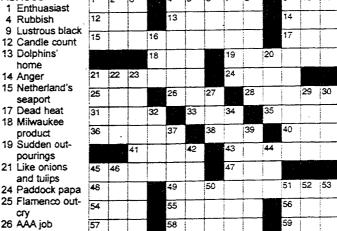
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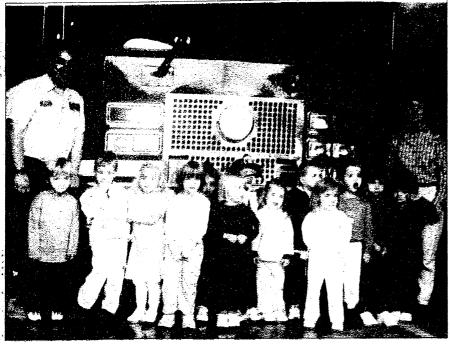
practice calling 911 in case with the children. At the fire of an emergency.

Teacher Arlene Walz had been practicing the importance of stop, drop and roll

department, each child practiced by getting on their hands and knees to crawl under a black sheet representing smoke.

Then the students got a tour of the fire truck, with each one had a chance to sit behind the driver's wheel. At the completion of the tour. each child got a sticker and a packet of pages to color

The preschool would like to thank all of those who work hard at the fire department to keep them safe.



Manchester Co-op preschoolers and, from left Firefighter Scott Baker, Alex Cole, Jacob Jacovetty, Katy Knight. Danielle Primeau, Alivia Johnson, Amelia Herron, Christopher Zahn, Lillian St. Charles, Daniel Green, Victoria St. Charles, Samuel Long, Caitlyn Baskin, Abbey Burch and Ms. Arlene, teacher.

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Saint Joseph Mercy Senior Health Services will present a Senior Health Day on Nov. 5 from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. It will be held at Saint Joseph Mercy Health Stop, located in Briarwood Mall in Ann Arbor

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feature Dr. Alan Dengiz. Medical Director, Saint Joseph Mercy Senior Health Services. Dr. Dengiz will discuss how to determine if you have the flu, what can be done for a cold, how to minimize the risks of getting sick. when to call the doctor and the effectiveness of homeopathic remedies.

Senior Health Day will begin at 8:30 a.m. with flu shots given on a first come. first served basis. A \$5 donation will be accepted for a flu shot. Dr. Dengiz's lecture begins at 10 a.m. There will also be samples of healthy food plus door prizes.

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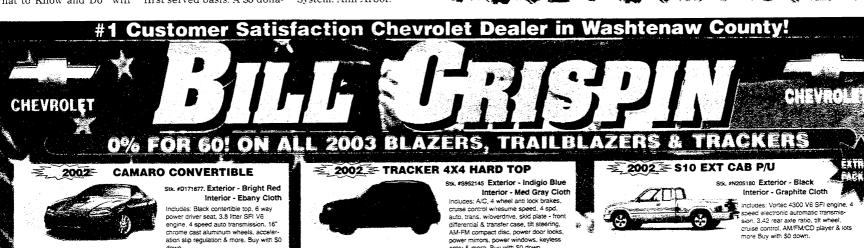
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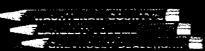
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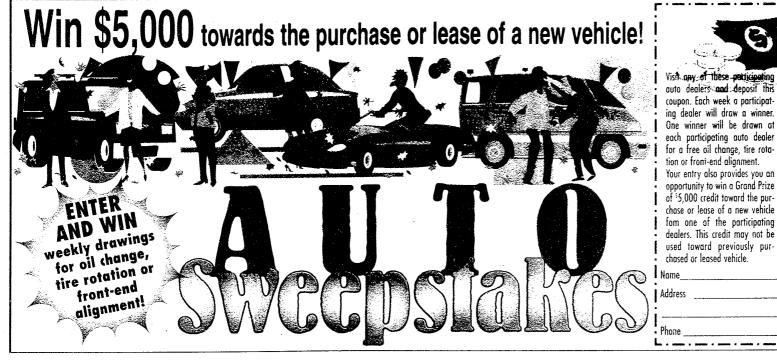
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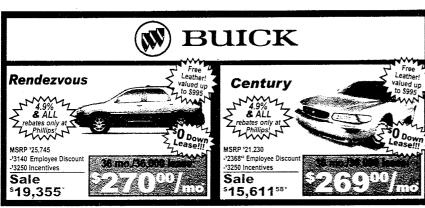












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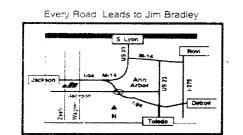
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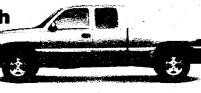


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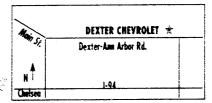
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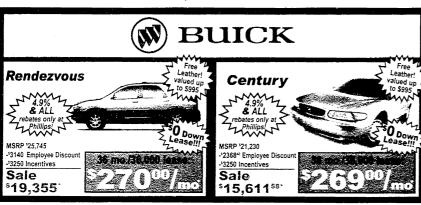


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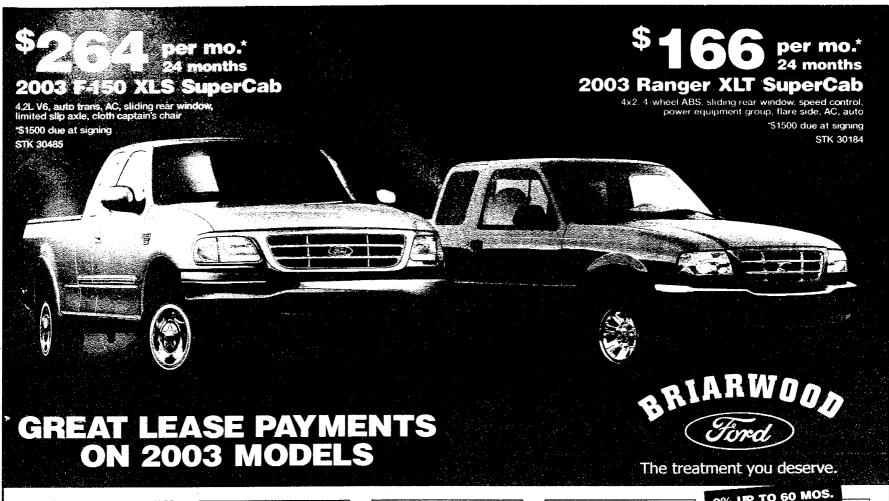


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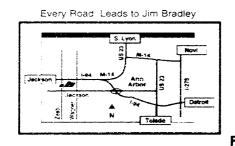
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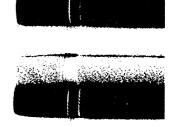


















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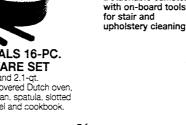
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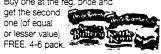
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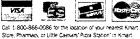




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