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ILLEGAL ALIENS ARRESTED IN MANCHESTER

Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) Detroit District Director, Carol Jenifer, announced Thursday that INS agents and agents of the Office of the Inspector General, Social Security Administration, arrested sixty one (61) illegal workers in Worksite Enforcement Operations conducted in Manchester at Pilot Metal Products on April 9, 1997. The plant, which has a work force of about 450, will continue their operations with fewer people, using overtime, while trying to hire more employees, according to Larry Gerhard, plant manager.

At approximately 3 PM on Wednesday, the INS positioned vans and agents surrounding the facility. Local sheriff's deputies were called in to assist. The sixty one illegal aliens were handcuffed and escorted from the building, to secured INS vans.

Of the 61 unauthorized workers arrested, 16 were

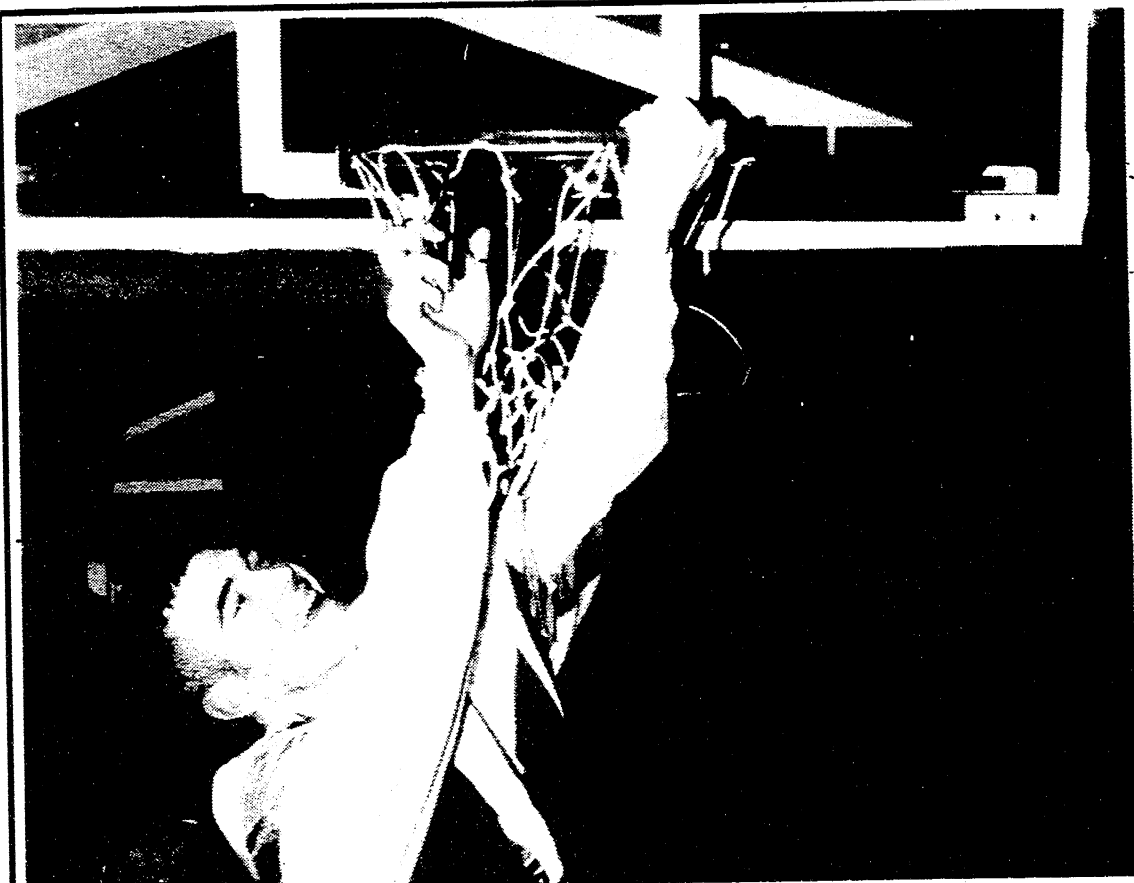
placed in removal proceedings. Forty-five unauthorized workers requested voluntary return to their country of citizenship. They remained in the custody of the Immigration Service and were removed from the United States within 72 hours. Illegal workers from Mexico and Guatemala were encountered during the operation.

INS did provide round-the-clock protection to Pilot Metal Products through Sunday. Sgt. Haensler noted that Pilot's management team cooperated through the entire proceedings.

Through the significant cooperation of a major components supplier to the automotive industry, over one hundred possible unauthorized workers were identified during a review of the Employment Eligibility Verification Forms (Form I-9). All of the arrested workers were using either fraudulent alien registration cards and/or fraudulent social security numbers to obtain employment.

"INS is committed to enforcing the immigration laws in the workplace and insuring that illegal workers do not take jobs from those who are authorized to work. Worksite enforcement is part of our strategy to reduce the job magnet for those who want to come to the US illegally. We want both employers and illegal workers to get the message that the INS is serious about worksite enforcement," said Jenifer.

The Immigration Reform and Control Act (IRCA) allows INS to fine employers who do not carry out their responsibilities to look at docu-



Paul Takes It ALL! Wrap up of his successful season with the Pacers, Second Front Page

ments and to verify that employees are eligible to work. Fines to the employer can range from \$250 to \$2000 per worker for knowingly hiring an illegal worker and from \$100 to \$1000 per worker for not properly completing the Employment Eligibility Verification Form (Form I-9).

"The INS is committed to insuring that legal workers do not have to compete for jobs with those who have no legal right to them" said Jenifer. "We will continue to investigate, arrest and remove those who violate our laws by working here illegally, and we will pursue employers who knowingly hire illegal workers."

Gerhard, who has only been manager at Pilot's Manchester facility for five weeks, was unavailable to comment to the **Enterprise** at press time. However, Tom Alberts, the spokesperson for Pilot Industries, when asked if Pilot had been fined, stated, "No, ma'am." Do they anticipate being fined for infractions of the IRCA? "We have been informed we will not be fined, based on Pilot's cooperation with INS. Pilot has always complied with all legal requirements."

- staff report

Firemen Approach Fund raising Goal

Fire Chief Gary Wiedmayer announced last week that the Dutchmen Firefighters Association is "well on their way" to their goal of \$140,000 toward a new rescue truck for the Fire Department.

"With the substantial contribution of 700 shares of Comerica Stock made by Mr. Disbrow; a grant from the Chicken Broil of \$15,000, and a donation of \$1,000 from the Men's Club, we were able to obtain a matching grant of \$50,000 from an anonymous donor. This puts us well on our way to purchasing the new truck," said Wiedmayer.

The Dutchmen Fire Fighters Association is still conducting their ongoing "300 Club" raffle, along with other efforts to raise the additional \$35,000 needed. If you or your organization wish to contribute to the fund raising efforts, please make your checks payable to the Dutchmen Fire Fighters Association

-MJC

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Community Calendar

Scheduled Meetings

Bridgewater Township
Carol Peacock, Supervisor
517/456-7303
Karen Weidmayer, Clerk
13360 E. Austin
428-8641
Planning Commission
2d Monday 7:30
Township Board Meeting
3d Wednesday, 7:30

Freedom Township
Town Hall 428-7545
11508 Pleasant Lake Rd.
Robert Little, Supervisor
428-8585
Julie Schaible, Clerk
13785 Pleasant Lake Rd.
428-7241
Township Meeting
2d Tuesday 8:00 PM
Planning Commission
7:30 First Tuesday

Manchester Township
Town Hall 428-7090
275 S. Macomb St.
Ron Mann Supervisor
Kathleen Hakes, Clerk
Township meeting
2d Monday 8:00
Planning Commission
4th Tuesday

FIRE DEPARTMENT
428-9439 non-emergency

Sharon Township
Supervisor Gary Blades
5340 Hazel Rd., Grass Lake
428-9518
Teri Aiuto, Clerk
428-7002, 17250 Bethel
Church Road
Township Meeting
1st Thursday 8:00
Planning Commission
2d or 3d Thursday

Manchester Board of Education
Paul Kluwe, President
Meetings
3d Monday 7:30
MHS Media Center
Superintendent - Ron
Niedzwiecki 428-9711

Village of Manchester
Larry Becktel, President
Jeff Wallace, Manager
428-7877
Village Council Meeting
1st & 3rd Monday, 7:00
Planning Commission
2d Tuesday after the first
Monday, 7:30 PM

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COMMUNITY EVENTS

Monday

1st Monday Manchester Township Library Board meets 7:30 PM
1st Monday: Manchester Masonic Lodge, business meeting 7:30 PM
1st & 3d Monday: Manchester Village Council, 7:00
2d Monday: Bridgewater Township Planning Commission meets 7:30
2d Monday: Manchester Knights of Columbus meets 8:00 PM. Grand Knight Ed Barnard
2d Monday: Manchester Township Board meets 8:00
2d & 4th Mondays: Manchester Optimist Club
3d Monday: School Board meets MHS Media Center 7:30
3d Monday: United Way Board meetings, 7:30 at First of America Bank

Tuesday

2d Tuesday: Freedom Township Board 8:00
2d Tuesday after 1st Monday: Village Planning Commission, 7:30 PM

2d Tuesday: Manchester Area Senior Citizens, 9:30 AM
2d Tuesday: 20th Century Club, 7:30 PM
2d & 4th Tuesday: Shakespeare Club, 1-3 PM
3d Tuesday: Manchester Historical Society, 7:30 at Blacksmith Shop
4th Tuesday: La Leche League 10 AM, call 428-8831 for location and info
4th Tuesday: Klager PTO 6:30 PM at school. Call 428-8321 for info.
4th Tuesday: Manchester Township Planning Commission

Wednesday

1st Wednesday: Raisin Valley Land Trust, at the Blacksmith Shop, 7:30 PM
1st Wednesday: Veterans of Foreign Wars, 7:30 PM
2d Wednesday: American Legion Auxiliary 7:30 PM
2d Wednesday: Manchester Recreation Task Force 7:30 PM

3d Wednesday: Manchester Men's Club 7:30 PM
3d Wednesday, WIC Program, 9:30-3:00 Senior Citizens Bldg.
3d Wednesday: Bridgewater Township Board, 7:30 PM
3d Wednesday: Chamber of Commerce Meeting
4th Wednesday: Manchester Township Fire Department meeting, 7:30 PM
Every Wednesday: Community Band - 7:30 PM
1st Thursday: Sharon Township Board meets 8:00

Thursday

1st Thursday: American Legion Post #117 7:30
2d or 3d Thursday: Sharon Township Planning Commission
3d Thursday: Cub Scout Pack Meeting, 7:00 PM
4th Thursday: Community Resource Center Board, 7:30
Every Thursday: AWANA 6:30-8:30 PM for kids ages 4-6th grade at Community Bible Church

Friday

Every Friday: AA MEETINGS 7:00 PM at Emanuel Church Kitchen. All are welcome, for more information call church office 428-8359

Notices

1st & 3rd Saturday: Manchester Kiwanis meets. Call 428-7722 for information on meeting place and time

1st Sunday of each month: Breakfast at the American Legion, 8 AM til noon, \$3.50 per person

3rd Sunday of each month: Breakfast at the St. Mary Parish Hall, sponsored by Boy Scouts

Coming Events

Saturday, April 19: Boater Safety Class, Freedom Town Hall

Thursday, April 24: Partnering for Enrichment, 7 PM At Middle School

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

Book Sale in Clinton

The Friends of the Clinton Township Public Library are holding their annual Better Book Sale on April 17 through 19. This year's sale includes the usual array of good fiction, biographies and first editions, as well as a big assortment of nonfiction. Topics here include books on religion, art, music, antiques and collectables, crafts and needlework. All volumes are in good to excellent condition and available at the bargain prices patrons of the sale have come to expect.

The sale will again be held in the Library's community room. The hours are, Thursday from eleven until eight, Friday from eleven until six, and Saturday from ten until two.

Boater Safety Class Scheduled

A Boater Safety Class, conducted by the Washtenaw County Sheriff's Department, will be held locally on April 19, from 9 AM to 3 PM.

The class will be held at the Freedom Township Hall, 11508 Pleasant Lake Road, and is free of charge. Registration is required, however; please call 428-1456 to register.

Dial-a-Garden 971-1129

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102 Pruning Flowering Shrubs
103 Growing Summer Flowering Bulbs
104 Dormant Sprays
105 Pruning Roses

201 Annual Weeds in Lawns
202 Pruning Grapes
203 Cucumbers, Melons & Squash
204 Growing Asparagus
205 Planting Bare Root Trees

301 Pruning New Fruit Trees
302 Growing Peppers & Eggplant
303 Prevent Lawn Mower Injury
304 Rhubarb
305 Growing Tomatoes

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Sat & Sun 1:00, 4:30, 7:15, 9:50

Daily 7:15, 9:40

LIAR, LIAR PG-13

Sat & Sun 12:30, 2:30, 4:40, 7:00, 9:15

Daily 4:40, 7:00, 9:15

SCREAM R

Daily 7:30, 9:45

MURDER AT 1600 R

Daily 4:40, 7:20, 9:50

Sat & Sun 2:00, 4:40, 7:20, 9:50

McHALE'S NAVY PG

Daily 4:20, 7:10, 9:30

Sat & Sun 1:10, 4:20, 7:10, 9:30

The Second Front Page

MVP For Junior National Championship

Paul Schulte takes all the awards in his last Junior Wheelchair Basketball National Tournament

The 1996/1997 wheelchair basketball season ended this past weekend in Charlotte, North Carolina with the top sixteen teams in the Junior National Championship tournament, the sweet sixteen of the NJWBA (National Junior Wheelchair Basketball Association).

It was Paul Schulte's last set of games as a High School age participant. Although Paul had already accepted a full ride scholarship to play for the University of Texas at Arlington in the Fall, it was his goal to end his Junior career impressively. He wanted to play better than he ever had. And so he did!

The first game was against ZIA of New Mexico. They were ranked 11th in the 16 team group with Paul's Junior Pacers being ranked 6th overall. The Pacer defense proved too much for the ZIA players right from the get-go. Final score Pacers 50, ZIA 24.

The second game brought

lots of attention from the fans and other teams. The Pacers were playing the 3rd ranked Nebraska Red Dawgs. Nebraska had beaten their first opponent 60 to 23 and were looking to handle the Pacers with not much more effort. It was a great time for Paul to catch fire. He drove to the net with finger roll lay-ups while the burned defenders unsuccessfully tried to double team his advance.

In the last seconds of the first half Nebraska triple teamed Paul to make sure he didn't get a clear shot at the net, so Paul pulled back four feet from the three point arc and launched a perfect "nothing but net" three point basket to end the half. In all, Paul scored 38 points in this 67 to 52 win but the stage had been set. With this win it was clear that the Pacers would be the team to beat.

The third game in the series was against the California Ranchos. Paul went cold



Paul Schulte and Pacers Coach, Lee Montgomery, surrounded by the memorabilia of the Pacers' - and Paul's - victories in the 1997 Junior Wheelchair National Championship

anxious to beat the Pacers for a start to finish National Championship Season. The Pacers played two types of defense - a full court press and a two-three press where the Pacer Coach Lee Montgomery hoped to use Paul's and the other Pacer guard, Brian Prichard's speed to create havoc for the Rebel's offense. Coach Montgomery was correct in his strategy: between turnovers and foul trouble the CAWS faltered. Paul and the Pacers were National Champions.

Paul was further honored by being chosen as part of the All Tournament Team, and finally, to the surprise of none and to the delight of all, Paul was named Most Valuable Player for the 1997 National Junior Wheelchair Basketball Tournament. From a pool of the 16 top teams, with an average of 12 players per team, this is a great achievement - but no surprise to any of his dedicated Manchester fans.

Paul has also been invited to play in the first ever International Juniors Cup Tournament in August. This will be held in Toronto, and include teams from all over the world.

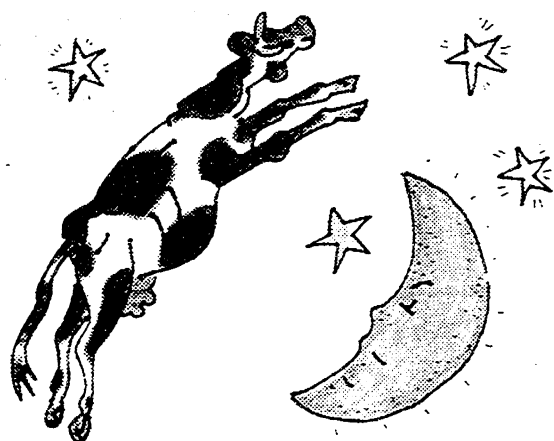
Good Luck as a Texas Maverick Paul! Thanks for the excitement, and thanks for being a role model to us all for persevering in adversity.

from the field but passed the ball well enough to help the Pacer center, Tim Dinkins, get a carrier high 24 points in the 62 to 47 victory.

The only other team to still be undefeated in the tournament was the Chicago CAWS Rebels with their out-

standing point guard, David Radbel. The Rebels were seeded second, behind the Wisconsin Horizons, but had just beaten the Horizons in the semi finals.

The fact was that the Rebels had gone all season without a defeat and were



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Editorial/Opinion Page

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This is an Editorial/Opinion Page. Views expressed on this page are the opinions of the writer.

Teresa M. Benedict, Editor



Out & About

- by gar

I am a golf nut! Have been since eleven years of age and acquiring a couple of old clubs from a family friend, Jack Wagner.

Thursday and Friday evening I watched the high light replays of the most prestigious annual Golf Tournament held in this country. Saturday and Sunday, CBS carried live coverage.

On Thursday, a rail thin, six foot two inch golfer (aptly named Tiger) with a steel straight left arm, over came first nine jitters to start an sub-par onslaught of the fabled Augusta National Golf Course and the Masters Tournament. Some thirty two years ago a pudgy lad

named Jack set a course record for this tournament.

This rail thin golfer, with straight left arm take away and body coil agility, struck the golf ball in a manner that most mortals can only dream. To watch Tigers ability to strike a golf ball consistently in excess of 300 yards was awesome. He was the envy of fellow touring professional's. This lad of twenty one years has a more complete game and shot making ability than Jack or any other pro past or present going back to Ben Hogan, Sam Snead, and all the rest.

Oh, and incidentally, Tiger is of Asian and Black descent, if that makes any difference in his abilities.

Dear Editor,
We think store keepers should limit the sale of Beanie Babies to 5 per person. Many people like them, if adults buy a lot at a time then some people won't get any.

We save our allowance and all the adults take a lot so we have none to buy. If adults buy them all where will kids get their Beanie Babies?

Samantha Spensley, Jason Hense, Patrick Spensley, Stacey Coval

Samantha, Jason, Patrick, Stacey, and all kids,

It is great that you took the time to write to the editor!

Since I am the editor and also the shop owner of Calamity Jane's I feel the need to respond immediately to you.

The beanie Babies have become a very hot item all over the country which I am sure you are aware of just by the news and coming into Calamity Jane's. I have thousands of Beanie Babies on order and never know when the company will ship them. The company is doing their best in keeping up with the demand.

Last Thursday when Calamity Jane's received a ship-

ment I held the Beanie Babies until 2:45 PM so as the students would have a chance to buy a Beanie Baby and many students did. I also put a limit to two per style for the people to buy. I hope this will help in allowing you to getting Beanie Babies.

Thank You for your input!
Teresa M. Benedict

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April 28, 29, & 30: 4:00 - 8:00 p.m.
May 1: 4:00 - 8:00 p.m.

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Please take notice that the Manchester Township Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on the application of Rick & Kathy Branham for a Conditional Use Permit to allow for a Indoor Archery Range (Video) on premises presently zoned AR, Agricultural-Recreational District. Property is located in Sec. 32, Manchester Township, on the West side of Sharon Hollow Road, app. 1/2 mile North of Wellwood Rd. at 14188 Sharon Hollow Road.

A public hearing will be held on Tuesday, April 22, 1997, at 8:00 PM. at the Manchester Township Hall, 275 S. Macomb St. Manchester, MI.

Further information is available for review at the Manchester Township Offices, 275 S. Macomb St., Manchester, MI during regular Township office hours.

Manchester Township will provide necessary reasonable auxiliary aids and services, such as signers for the hearing impaired and audio tapes of printed materials being considered at the meeting upon five days notice to the Clerk of Manchester Township.

Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact the Manchester Township Clerk at 313/428-7090 during office hours, which are Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, from 8:30 AM. to noon.

Michael Fusilier, Chair Manchester Township Planning Commission 4/17

Chipping Service Offered to Village Residents

The Village of Manchester will once again offer as a service to residents: A chipping machine will make curbside pickup of BRUSH ONLY up to 3" in diameter, on the first Monday of each month, throughout the spring and summer. If a holiday falls on a Monday, the pickup will be on the following day.

Pickup will begin on Monday, May 5. Please be prepared by having the brush piled in one direction with the cut-end towards the road, close to the curb or shoulder of the road but not in the street, by 7:00 AM.

Chips will be available at the stock pile at Chi-Bro Park for residents to pick up between the hours of 7:00 AM and 3:30 PM.

If you have any questions, contact Gary Wiedmayer at 428-8360 between the hours of 7:00 AM and 3:30 PM.

GRASS CLIPPINGS, LEAVES AND VEGETATION WILL NOT BE PICKED UP.

4/3, 4/17

SYNOPSIS OF BRIDGEWATER TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING

MARCH 19, 1997

Supervisor Peacock called the March meeting to order with all board members present and ten in attendance.

Agenda for the meeting was approved.

Clerk read the minutes of the previous meeting, they were approved with corrections.

Treasurer reported the monthly balance sheet.

Board reviewed the general fund balance being Budget Vs actual, motion to amend the selected line items was approved.

Clerk presented bills for March, board approved payment of bills.

Reports included: Planning Commission reported their approval for the Conditional Use for Wellman Veterinary Clinic with conditions.

Mineral Licensing Board reported adoption of their board procedures, election of officers, presentation by Adrian Sand and Stone regarding mineral license ordinance and consultants comments.

Old Business: Final plans were made for the March 24, 1997 township forum.

Spring Clean up day to be Saturday, May 3, 1997, 8-12 p.m. Board approved a service to remove freon for appliances on clean-up day. Board also encouraged roadside cleanup providing free garbage bags for roadside trash.

Board supported the recommendation of the Road Committee suggestions with 2 complete Brine Applications, and proposed Kies road project from Burmeister to Clinton road

Board approved to have Honey Creek Community Schools plant low growing trees beneath the utility lines in the front of the townhall in accordance with the Detroit Edison, Energy and Environment Mini Grant.

Board reviewed the proposed budget for 1997-98, being \$221,200.

Annual meeting date was set for March 29, 1997 at 1:00 PM Board also approved a special meeting March 29, 1997 after the annual meeting for the purpose of adopting a 1997-98 budget.

Discussion on Adrian Sand and Stone letter of credit and having a report for updating the mining areas and added value for the letter of credit.

Board supported a motion to revise income guidelines for hardship reduction to equal 175% of the federal poverty income level.

Next regular meeting April 16, 1997.

Karen Weidmayer, Bridgewater Township Clerk

Agenda Manchester Village Council

Monday, April 21, 1997
7:00 PM

1. Call Meeting to Order
2. Pledge of Allegiance to the flag
3. Minutes of the previous meeting
4. Approval of agenda
5. Correspondence
6. Public Participation
7. Council Committee Reports
8. Old Business
 - a. Fee Schedule Change
 - b. Revised Zoning Ordinance - First 3 Articles
 - c. Other
9. New Business
 - a. Approval of Enviroland Transfer
 - b. Other
10. Adjourn

Police Beat Station 4, Village of Manchester

Monday, April 7-Monday,
April 14

Monday, April 7: 9:49 AM
Warrant Arrest, Main St.
10:09 PM Warrant Arrest,
East Main

Tuesday, April 8: 5:01 PM
Animal Problem, Duncan
St; 5:29 PM Animal
Problem, Torrey St; 9:45
PM Warrant Arrest, City
Rd.

Thursday, April 10: 3:20
PM Hit & Run Crash,
Madison St; 8:53 PM
Juvenile Trouble, Clinton
St.

Monday, April 14: 7:04 AM
MDOP, E. Main St.

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VICTORY BAPTIST CHURCH - Jon King, Pastor; 423 S. Macomb, 428-7506, Sunday School 10 AM; Morning Worship 11 AM; Evening Public Bible Class 6:00 PM; Wednesday Praise & Prayer 7 PM

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EPISCOPAL CHURCH

ST. BARNABAS EPISCOPAL CHURCH - Rev. Jerrold F. Beaumont, OSP, MTh, DD; 20500 Old US-12; Chelsea; 475-8818; Worship Sundays at 10 AM

LUTHERAN CHURCHES

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ST. THOMAS LUTHERAN CHURCH - Rev. John Kayser, pastor; 10001 W. Ellsworth Road (5 miles north and 6-1/2 east of Manchester); 663-7511; Sunday School 9:30 AM; Worship 10:45

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH - Pastor David Hendricks; 3050 S Fletcher Rd., Chelsea; 475-8064; Sunday School 9 AM; Worship 10:15

UNITED METHODIST CHURCHES

MANCHESTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH - Rev. Thom Davenport, Pastor; 501 Ann Arbor St. Parsonage 428-8013; church 428-8495. Worship 10:30 AM

SHARON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH - Rev. Peggy Paige, Pastor, Corner M-52 and Pleasant Lake. Parsonage 428-8430; church, 428-7714; Sunday School 10 AM, Worship 11 AM

MORMON CHURCH

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

NON DENOMINATIONAL CHURCHES

COMMUNITY BIBLE CHURCH - Pastor Jody Riethmiller; 8400 Sharon Hollow Rd., 428-8709; Worship 10 AM; Sunday School 11:30 AM; Wednesday Bible Study & Prayer 7:30 PM. All are welcome!

IRON CREEK COMMUNITY CHURCH - Tom Butterfield, Pastor; English & Sharon Hollow Rds.; Sunday School 10 AM; Morning Church 11 AM; Sunday Evening 7 PM

CLINTON ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Rev. Richard Coury; 13300 Clinton Manchester Rd; 517-456-7510; Sunday School 9:30 AM; Worship 10:45; Sunday Eve 6:30; Weds Prayer, Bible Study, Youth 7 PM

UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

BETHEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST - Rev. Richard E. Hardy, minister - 10425 Bethel Church Rd. at Schneider; Parsonage & Church 429-7155/428-8000; Church Service 9:30 AM

EMANUEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST - Rev. Dr. Vincent Carroll, Pastor 324 E. Main; 428-8359; Sunday School 9:15 AM; Worship 10:30 AM; Fellowship 11:30 AM

ST. JOHN'S UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST - Rev. Dr. Nancy M. Doty, Pastor; 12376 Waters Road at Fletcher, Rogers Corners; Worship & Sunday School 9:30 AM

UNITY CHURCH

UNITY CHURCH OF JACKSON - 3385 Miles Road, Ackerson Lake, Jackson, 517-764-6900; 11 AM Sunday Services & Sunday School

COMMUNITY BIBLE CHURCH

Thursday, April 17: AWANA for youth, 6:30 PM
Sunday, April 20: 10:00 Worship; 11:30 Sunday School

MANCHESTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Wednesday, April 16: 1:00 PM. U.M.W.; 6:30 PM. DISCIPLE Bible Study

Thursday, April 17: 9:30 AM Senior Yoga; 7:00 PM. Ad Council; 8:00 PM. Bell Choir

Friday, April 18: Food preparation for Cass
Saturday, April 19: Serve Meal at Cass UMC

Sunday, April 20: 9:00 AM Sunday School; 10:30 AM Worship; 11:45 AM Choir; 2:00 PM Confirmation Class

Monday, April 21: 3:15 PM Scouts

Tuesday, April 22: 6:00 PM Scouts

Wednesday, April 23: 3:15 PM Scouts; 6:30 PM DISCIPLE Bible Study

SHARON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Wednesday, April 16: 10 AM The Martha Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Olive Stevens; 8:00 PM Administrative Board meeting

Thursday, April 17: 7:30 PM The Dorcas Fellowship will meet at the home of Mrs. Steven Milkey

Sunday, April 20: 11 AM Boys & Girls Fellowship; 6:30 PM Youth Fellowship

EMANUEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Wednesday, April 16: 9:00 AM Emanuel Quilters; 5:30 PM Jazzercise; 6:15 PM Girl Scouts; 6:30 PM Basket weaving; 6:30 PM Bell Choir; 7:30 PM Adult Choir

Thursday, April 17: 9:15 AM Jazzercise; No Worship or Bible Study; 5:00 PM Sauerkraut Supper

Friday, April 18: 7:00 PM AA

Saturday, April 19: 9:15 AM Jazzercise; 11:00 AM Boy Scout Pinewood Derby

Sunday, April 20: 9:15 AM

Sunday School; 10:30 AM Worship Service; 11:45 AM Usher/Layreader meeting; 3:00 PM Organ Recital; 6:00 PM Sr. Youth Practice

Monday, April 21: 7:30 AM WCC Breakfast; 5:30 PM Jazzercise; 7:00 PM Board of Stewardship/Mission; 7:00 PM Boy Scout Leader's meeting

Tuesday, April 22: 9:15 AM Jazzercise; 12 Noon Sr. Meal; 6:30 PM Daisies; 7:00 PM Boy Scouts; 7:00 PM Country Dance; NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

ST. MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH

Wednesday, April 16: Moms Prayer Group (church basement) 9-10 AM; Cub Scouts (church basement) 5:30-6:30 PM; BeFriends Meeting (church basement) 7-9 PM.

Thursday, April 17: Agape Group (parish center) 7:00 PM.

Friday, April 18: Children's Choir, 3:30-4:45 PM.

Saturday, April 19: Junior High Rally at Lansing Catholic High, 2-9 PM.

Sunday, April 20: Boy Scout Breakfast (parish center) 8:30 AM - 12 noon; Adult Choir, 9:30 & 11:30 AM; Rel Ed, Pre/Kind. (church basement) 10:30 a.m.; Thomas Group (church basement) 11:45 AM

Tuesday, April 22: Rel Ed Grades 1-4 @ Klager, 3:15-4:15 PM.; Rel Ed Grades 5 & 6 (parish center) 3:30-4:30 PM.

ST. JOHN'S UCC, ROGERS CORNERS

Sunday, April 20: 9:30 AM Worship & Sunday School

BETHEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Wednesday, April 16: 12:00 PM Seniors of Bethel - lunch & fellowship

Thursday, April 17: 6:15 PM Children's Choir; 7:00 PM Church Board meets; 7:00 PM Youth Choir Plus

Sunday, April 20: 9:30 AM Worship Service, Confirmation Class presentation; 3 & 4 & kdg SS; 10:30 AM Coffee Hour sponsored by Bd. of Christian

Ed; 10:30 AM SS Grades 1-8; 6:00 PM Confirmation Class meets

Monday, April 21: 7:45 PM Senior Choir

ST. THOMAS LUTHERAN CHURCH

Wednesday, April 16: 7:30 PM Prayer & Praise

Saturday, April 19: 8:30 AM Confirmation Class

Sunday, April 20: 9:30 AM Sunday School & Bible Study; 10:45 AM Worship Service

Wednesday, April 23: 7:30 PM Prayer & Praise

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH

Wednesday, April 16: 7:30 PM Pastoral Concerns

Thursday, April 17: 10 AM Cluster meeting at Zion, 7-9:30 PM Stephen Ministers training

Friday, April 18: Confirmation overnighter begins 7:00 PM

Saturday, April 19: 2 PM Bridal Shower in fellowship hall; Stewardship program in Livonia

Sunday, April 20: 9:00 AM Sunday School for all ages 3-adult; 10:15 AM Worship; Coffee Hour; Christian Education meeting

Monday, April 21: 7:00-9:30 PM Stephen Ministers Training

Tuesday, April 22: 6:30 PM LTS Meeting in Lake Orion; 7:30 PM Senior Choir

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN, BRIDGEWATER

Wednesday, April 16: Jr. Choir, 6:30; Bell Choir, 7 PM; Sr. Choir, 8:30

Thursday, April 17: 10-12 Washtenaw Cluster of Pastors; Men's Bible Study, 8 PM

Sunday, April 20: Sunday School, 9:15 AM Worship, 10:30 AM; Quarterly meeting; Youth Fellowship 6-8 PM

Monday, April 21: Church Council, 7:30 PM

Wednesday, April 23: Jr. Choir, 6:30; Bell Choir, 7 PM; Sr. Choir, 8:30

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National Library Week Events at the Manchester Township Library

Weekly story time at the Library begins on Wednesdays April 16 at 11:30 AM. Sessions will last for 30 to 45 minutes. No pre-registration is required. As long as there are participants, the library intends to continue story time indefinitely.

Members of the Library Board will take a turn at the circulation desk this week to better acquaint themselves with the day to day operations of the Library. They will also be available and eager to meet our customers and chat with them about library services. Bring your questions and concerns to your elected Trustees on Wednesday April 16 from 6 to 8 PM, Thursday from 3 to 5 PM and 6 to 8 PM, and Saturday from 11 AM to 1 PM.

Center for Behavior & Medicine to Offer Free Anxiety Screenings

The Center for Behavior and Medicine will be offering free information sessions on anxiety disorders, including free screenings for anxiety on Wednesday, May 7, 1997 as a participant in National Anxiety Disorders Screening Day. The program will be held during a "come and go" session from 5:00 - 8:00 PM in Ann Arbor, Brighton and Canton. The program will be held at the offices of the Center for Behavior and Medicine - in Ann Arbor at 2004 Hogback Road, Suite 6, in Brighton at 10299 E. Grand River, Suite I; and in Canton at 2200 Canton Center Rd., Suite 200B. All events are free, open to the public and no reservations are needed. For more information, call (313) 677-0809, ext. 400.

FREE Hearing Tests for Seniors

FREE Hearing tests for Seniors, age 55 years and older, will be held from April 28-May 2, 1:00 - 5:00 PM, at the Senior Health Building, 5361 McAuley Drive, in Ann Arbor. Call 313/429-1520 for an appointment.

TREE SALE PICK-UP SET

Persons who ordered tree seedlings through the Washtenaw County Conservation District Spring Tree Sale can pick-up their trees Friday, April 25, 2 - 7 p.m. and Saturday, April 26, 8 - 10 a.m. Pick-up location will be the Washtenaw County Farm Council Grounds, 5055 Ann Arbor-Saline Road, Ann Arbor. The Farm Council Grounds is located at the intersection of Ann Arbor-Saline Road and Pleasant Lake Road, 3 1/2 miles south of I-94, Exit #175, Ann

Arbor-Saline Road.

Those picking up tree orders should bring the post card they should have recently received by mail. The card includes an order number which speeds the pick-up process. If you placed a tree order but have not yet received a post card, contact the Conservation District office to find out your order number. Phone: (313) 761-6721.

Any extra trees will be sold beginning at 10:30 a.m., Saturday, April 26 at the Farm

Council Grounds. The sale is open to anyone and will be conducted using a number system. Numbers are available on a first-come, first-served basis and can be obtained at the tree pick-up location during the times noted previously.

Any questions regarding the Spring Tree Sale pick-up or sale of extra trees should be directed to the Conservation District Office, 7203 Jackson Road, Ann Arbor. Phone: (313) 761-6721.

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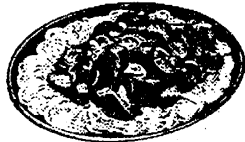
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GIRL SCOUTS

Organizations

20 Ways to Thank Girl Scout Leaders & Other Volunteers

National Volunteer Week (April 20 - 26), including Girl Scout Leader's Day (April 22), is the perfect time to express appreciation for the terrific job that Girl Scout volunteers do all year. Although we all know that Girl Scout volunteers serve "for the girls" and not for recognition, everyone likes that little "pat on the back," too.

1. Put a sign in her yard that says, "A Great Girl Scout Leader (Volunteer) lives here."
2. Tie green and blue ribbons around trees, bushes, lamp posts at her house.
3. Make a giant "thank you" card or scrapbook.
4. Wash her car windows - or better yet, the entire car.
5. Serenade her.
6. Present a book of coupons for services from troop members.
7. Provide baby-sitting.
8. Make a supper or a dessert for her family.
9. Walk or wash her dog.
10. Send flowers or balloons.
11. Put a "thank you" in the school newsletter.
12. Give a gift of bubble bath.
13. Give a surprise thank-you reception.
14. Give a Girl Scout T-shirt.
15. Surprise her with coffee and cake.
16. Give a potted plant.
17. Send a letter to her employer.
18. Give a certificate, plaque or pin.
19. Plant flowers in her yard.
20. Pay for her attendance at a conference.

Whatever you do, involve girls when thanking volunteers, so that they will see that Girl Scouting is made possible by the efforts of their dedicated leaders and other volunteers.

Scouting in Manchester involves the time and talents of many volunteers. Some are involved in both Girl Scouts and Boy Scouts. We have leaders, assistant leaders, cookie managers, first aiders, troop committee members, troop service unit managers, and our service unit manager, Lucile Bruner.

American Legion Auxiliary

The American Legion Auxiliary met at the Legion Hall on April 9, 1997 with 30 members present. The meeting was called to order by President Walkowe. Seven Unit members were initiated at this meeting and potluck was served after the ceremony. Roll Call was taken by the Secretary and minutes of the March 12, 1997 meeting were read corrected and approved.

Activities this past period as follows: Jill Corbin (newly initiated member) will coordinate river cleanup, Miss Poppy and Memorial Day Parade activities and meeting attendance by Junior members and Phyllis Baker report 132 paid members to date 3 over quota of 129. New members are Hilda Arnold and Roxanne Manthei (transfer from Brooklyn, MI Unit). Welcome aboard ladies.

Mary Smith reported poppies are in. Mary also spoke of the "Poppy Bonanza" taking place at the Grand Rapids Veterans Home where members are invited to view and learn how our poppies are made. Pres. Walkowe also suggested this might be an interesting and informative rip for anyone interested

from our Unit.; Maggie Tapping reminded members that bylaws will be addressed at the May meeting. She asked membership to be contemplating any changes and/or additions to same; Pres. Walkowe advised of report from District of the need for assistance with the "Transitional Living Program" (TLP) which provides care and direction to veterans with drug/alcohol related problems. This program is part of the Legion Villa and is proving very successful in the rehabilitation of all who participate.

Four ladies attended April District Meeting in Jackson. Very informative meeting and grand dinner enjoyed by all. Next meeting will be June 8th at Ida Post which will be the memorial meeting for all

fallen members during the past year. If you have never attended one of these "memorial" meetings, you should try to make this meeting. The service is most inspiring... you will come away with the "real meaning" of our aims and purposes. Anyone interested, call Pres. Walkowe.

Reminder that Annual Reports will be prepared at the Legion House on Wednesday, 6:30 PM. All Committee Chairmen are asked to attend. Also, reminder of Joint Installation of Officers on Friday, June 6th with catered dinner.

Meeting was adjourned at 9:00 PM with prayer by Chaplain, Mary Blossom. Refreshment Committee for May meeting will be Rita Huber, Bonnie Conley and Shirley Roller.



Scouting for Food



GIRL SCOUTS

It's that time of year already. If, during the week of April 12-19, you should find a plastic grocery-type bag on your doorstep, please don't throw it in the cupboard with all your other bags. This is a very special "Scouting for Food" bag.

On Saturday, April 19, all of the area scouts will be out to pick them up. In the meanwhile, if you could tidy up your cupboards and get rid of some of those canned goods, we will pick them up and deliver them to the CRC where they will be given to families in the Manchester area who need a little help.

Pick up begins at 8:00 AM sharp and will continue until all doorsteps have been

checked, and all bags picked up. Please help our Scouts in this community Service Project, and help the community help each other.

We are asking for canned goods; this means anything extra you have which comes in a tin can. Glass jars are not acceptable. Also, the Community Resource Center said they have plenty of French Cut Green Beans along with baked beans.

The area Scouts would like to thank you in advance for the generosity of their family, friends and neighbors; because we know how much the people in Manchester are always willing to do anything for the community.

-Junior Troop #17

Shakespeare Reading Club

-by Gail Curtis

On March 25th, the club met with Patty Swaney whose topic for the afternoon was "The Fifties." She reviewed the many events, political, social, cultural and historical, of the Eisenhower years, and then invited the members to recall how the 1950's had figured in and affected their lives.

United States power secured by its part in World War II and its sole possession of atomic technology was undisputed. Anti communist sentiment was building in the shadow of the bomb even as the U.S.S.R. was gaining its own atomic potential. The Russian launching of Sputnik in 1958 shattered the comparative complacency of the Post World War II years and the 'cold war' was on in earnest.

For the speaker the fifties had been childhood years. For others it was the busy years of child rearing and for one member present, the decade passed before she was born.

On April 8, the club met with Sallie Anderson whose topic was "The Olympics" which she and family members had attended in Atlanta last summer.

Her account, however, began with a review of almost 2800 years of the recorded history of the games from earliest days in Greece. Foot races were initially the main events. Rowing was first mentioned in 25 A.D. Both participants and judges were required to speak oaths of fair play to the Greek god, Zeus.

The games were abolished by the Christian Roman Emperor Theodosius in 394 A.D. When they were judged to be corrupted by pressures to win at any and all costs. They were later re-established with stricter rules against athletes participating for profit.

In our own time the Russians were found to be subsidizing their athletes and in 1978 the U.S. boycotted the summer games held in Moscow. The U.S.S.R. retaliated four years later when the games were held in Los Angeles.

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Spread out for viewing were the pictures, programs, and souvenirs of the Anderson's trip to the 1996 Olympics in Atlanta.

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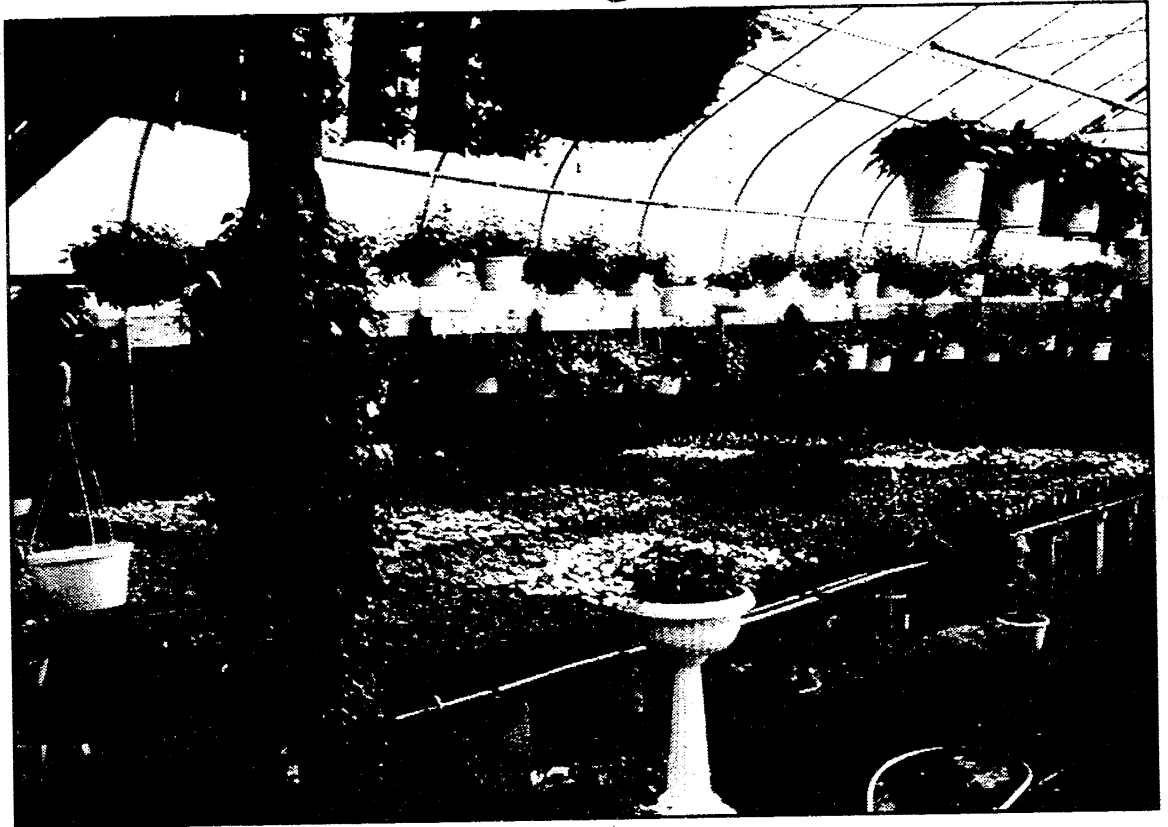
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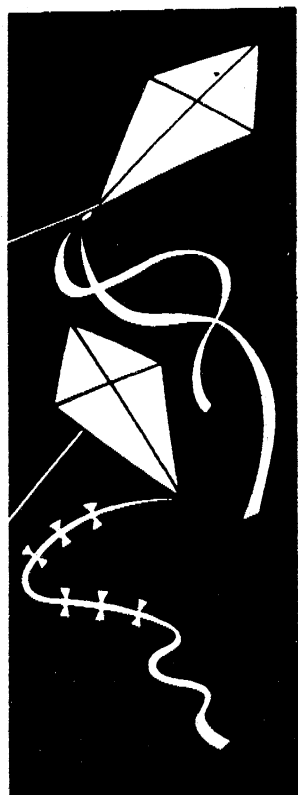
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Jason "Jake" also earned a place on the College of Technology Dean's List for the 1996 Fall Semester.



Look Out Manchester - Another Carson Boy is born!

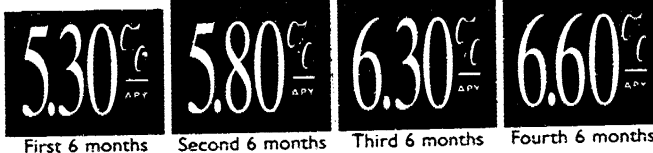
Jennifer and Chris Carson of Adrian, proudly announce the birth of Aaron Richard Walker Carson on March 27th. Aaron weighed 6 lbs. 11 oz., and was 18 - 1/2 inches long. He joins a brother, Colin, age 2. Maternal Grandparents are Richard and Katherine Hampton, Paternal Grandparents are Stephen and Hattie Carson, all of Manchester.

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MANCHESTER AREA SENIOR CITIZENS News

- by TV Ludwick

IF you were writing a weekly column, is it possible you would run out of topics and nothing comes to mind? Well, this is one of those back to the trivia days. Will begin with the Pig Calendar and "When Pigs Fly, They...Lose their soeeycases...Go through mudal detectors for sowcureity...Take a shoat nap on the flight...Chews an airloin with cheap fares, like Pan Ham...Hope for swill weather with no turbulinks...Barrow a sowtcase from Mudder and Fodder...Eat unsowvory airloin food...Hold hams with each other during takehoff ...Hope for a strong pigtail wind...Pork their automosqueal in the overnight lot...and Root and holler when the plane lands safely.

Then, from LM Boyd: What are three kinds of animals that walk naturally by alternately moving the two left feet, then the two right feet? Answer: Giraffes, camels and cats. And, on the mail theme: Germans once harnessed cows to pull mail wagons. U.S. Southwesterners put mail bags on camels. And you know how various folk of the Far North, besides Santa Claus, delivered mail with reindeer. Most curious, though, was the postal experiment by locals in Belgium's Liege. Numerous cats were rigged with small mail pouches and turned loose in the expectation the they'd go home. They didn't.

Thursday, April 17: We are learning many new

things each Thursday AM at 9:30 at yoga class in the Manchester Methodist Church and we invite all who are 65 years or older to join us. Some of these muscles and joints we are finding in our bodies are surprises to us as we bend and stretch. We began a new balancing act and how surprised we were that we could actually do this. Heard, "That makes my back feel good". Don't forget, there will be no senior lunch today at Emanuel. Bingo will be played at 12:30, unless otherwise notified.

Monday, April 21: A shopping trip to Jackson is planned and the bus leaves the Center at 9 AM. You may call Marion Ahrens to place your name on the list to go along.

Tuesday, April 22: Blood pressures will be taken by our local nurse beginning at 11. Chef's choice is listed as dinner menu at 12 noon (what will it be, come see). At 12:30, a representative from Upshaw Institute for the Blind will give a presentation. Then, at 5 PM, it is time to begin pickup by bus for the monthly travelog "Alcon."

Thursday, April 24: Calendar states this is the last yoga class...not true. We will continue through June 12. At senior lunch, Jan is serving ham loaf at Emanuel UCC dining room. We hope that you will come try these meals if you are 55 years or older and live in our area. Jan Barbour and kitchen crew

keep our stomachs very happy with good and nutritious meals each Tuesday and Thursday at noon and local church ladies continue to come to serve and clean up. To eat, first call either Sharman ahead at 428-8359, or Jan at 428-7630 before 10:30 AM on meal days. Enjoy bingo at the Center at 12:30 each Thursday and then come on out to Pleasant Lake's Freedom Township Hall at 7:30 for the senior sponsored public card party for any age euchre player! Senior bus begins pickup for the party at 6 PM, call Marion.

We look ahead to **Tuesday, April 29** and a presentation about "Paws with a Cause" which Jan Barbour has arranged.

ORGAN RECITAL

Sunday, April 20, 1997

3:00PM

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Monday, April 21:

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Tuesday, April 22:

Breakfast for Lunch - French Toast, Sausage, Mandarin oranges, yogurt & milk.

Wednesday, April 23:

Chicken Tenders, Mashed potatoes & Gravy, Green Beans, peaches & milk.

Thursday, April 24:

Nachos supreme, corn, ice juicee, & Milk

Friday, April 25: Pizza,

salad, fruit, cookie & milk

School

Partnering for Enrichment: Increasing Options for Middle School Learners

On Thursday, April 24 at 7:00 in room 108 at the Middle School, Sandy Trosien, Consultant for Student Talent Development of Washtenaw Intermediate School District, will review the many excellent programs which are being facilitated by parents and community members in other school districts. Sandy will discuss the various configurations with respect of time and coordination and how funding participation in such enrichment options is accomplished.

Sandy will address the following questions:

- What is enrichment?
- What kinds of enrichment are important and appropriate for early adolescents?
- What enrichment opportunities are already in place at the county level for middle school students?

Also, the Middle School Enrichment Organization would like to present the by-laws they have worked on after Sandy's presentation. We hope to see you there.

Manchester Middle School Students of the Day

Manchester Middle School has begun a program to recognize the positive effort, behavior and achievement of their students called "Student of the Day." We are recognizing: **EFFORT** - The student has shown effort in an academic subject or exploratory class through getting work done completely and on time consistently, asks questions when uncertain, and participates in class in a positive way. **BEHAVIOR** The student's conduct is thoughtful, courteous, and helpful in contributing to a positive and safe school environment. **ACHIEVEMENT** - The student has accomplished a standard of work and knowledge that is above average quality.

This year, we have put together a list of students that are eligible as "Student of the Day" and have randomly placed them on dates for the remainder of this year. Each week, the next week's candidates will be presented to their teachers. Student names will be crossed off for detentions, incomplete work and failed work. We acknowledge that all students will not get placed on this list. We will acknowledge the successful students by announcing names first hour, awarding certificates, pencils, and an extra credit pass. And we plan to submit a picture and their names each week for publication.

When you see these students please congratulate them for their good work!



(Left to right) Cori Chrestensen, Nicole Beach, Becky Curtis, Cara Callaway, Kevin Bancroft, Amber Cullip, Dawn Collins, and Randi Foster were Middle School Students of the Day on April 10 & 11

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Sorry, for taking a few months off from writing P.A.S.S. articles. As a mother of three with a full time career, the career sort of took over my life for a few months. Actually, for a learning disabled adult, having three large writing assignments due in a short period of time was a big challenge. But I have finished writing two chapters for a book and an extensive review article for a journal. Not too bad for someone who couldn't read in third grade and didn't successfully write anything until college.

Anyway, P.A.S.S. has made some changes. First, we have an e-mail address; reach us at passmom3@aol.com; second, we also have a web page (see <http://members.aol.com/passmom3>); and third, our previous phone number is now used for another purpose, so please call us at 428-7872 and leave a message. If kids answer, please tell them you want to leave a message on the answering machine and call right back.

Remember, we are volunteering our time to help your kids feel more successful at school, so please call if you have concerns. One of us will call you back or we can meet with you

as a group and go over your concerns. Our biggest requests are to read over IEPs, 504 plans, and evaluations so that parents and students understand what everything means. Many IEPs will be held in the next couple of months. Please call if you want us to go over yours with you.

We have donated some of our books to the Manchester Township Library. So far the following titles have been donated: Up from Underachievement, You Mean I'm Not Lazy, Stupid or Crazy, Performance Breakthroughs For Adolescents With Learning Disabilities and ADD and Do bananas chew gum? More will be donated including some of our favorites - which we couldn't donate, because they were literally worn out!

The big news is - we will be having a meeting on Wednesday, April 23 at the High School Library (also called the Media Center) at 7 PM. Sandra Dunn, our school psychologist, will come to talk to us about transitions, from Klager to Middle School and from Middle School to High School. She will also tell us about some of the great new plans and programs the school staff is implementing.

MANCHESTER COMMUNITY SCHOOLS BOARD OF EDUCATION

Regular Meeting - April 21, 1997 - 7:30 P.M.

Manchester High School Cafeteria & Media Center

- I. Call To Order/Pledge of Allegiance
- II. Roll Call of Board Members
- III. Presentation of MEAP Certificates
 - Reception
 - Reconvene Meeting in High School Media Center
- IV. Official Meeting Reports
 - A. Minutes of Regular Meeting—March 17, 1997
 - B. Minutes of Special Meeting—March 25, 1997; April 9, 1997
 - C. Treasurer's Report
- V. Communication
 - A. Correspondence
 - B. Visitor Input
 - C. Board President Report
- VI. New Business
 - A. WISD—Special Ed Waiver Request
 - B. Art Curriculum
 - C. Personnel Items
 - D. Tuition Students—1997-98
 - E. Growing Up Program—Reproductive Health Curriculum
 - F. Annual School Election Resolution
- VII. Discussion Items/Reports
 - A. Building Dedication Ceremonies
 - B. Athletic Department
 - 1. Winter Athletic Report
 - 2. Weight Room Project
 - 3. Equestrian Team
 - C. Technology
- VIII. Adjournment
 - Special accommodations for persons with handicapping conditions will be provided if such persons will contact the Manchester Community Schools, 313/428-9711, in advance of the meeting.

Sixth Grade Basketball Wins Their Division Again!



For the second straight year, a group of boys from Manchester have won the sixth grade division of out of county teams from the Ann Arbor recreation basketball league. This group of young men traveled to various tournaments in the area at the same time as they were competing in their league in Ann Arbor, so often they were playing up to 4-5 games a day or over the course of a weekend. The Ann Arbor league had two divisions with 26 teams total, of which 7 were from schools out of the Ann Arbor Public School system. The boys compiled a record of 8-3, with one of the losses coming by a single point. In the championship game against a group of young men from Dexter, the boys got off to a fast start running out to a 10-0 lead after the first quarter. Nathan Smith did most of the damage with four points, Jeff Galaska chipped in 2 as well as Joel Makielski and Tyler Harvey. The second quarter was tighter with a half time score of 15-7. The third quarter was a dogfight as Dexter tried to climb back into the game, Josh McCalla dumped in four while Jeff added two, at the end of three 21-16 the Flying Dutch ahead. The fourth quarter was a foul shooting contest as the Dreadnaughts fouled to get back in the contest. Manchester was up to the task as they sunk 8 out of 19 free throws to win the game by a final score of 33-25. Leading scorers were Nathan with 11, Josh had 5, Jeff, Joel and Tyler chipped in with 4. Also scoring were David Evilsizer, Ryan Hendricks with 2 each, and Kevin Walter added 1.

There were seven new players to the team this year, including four players who had not played in the Ann Arbor league previously. As the season went

on they did not lose the desire to improve, and they always put the team ahead of their own success. It was a pleasure to help coach them and I look forward to watching them play as they go on into the 7th grade. Many thanks to Coach Bob Smith, his wife Beth for keeping the book. Also thanks to Terry Walter for helping out at the Ann Arbor league games. Thanks to Ron Evilsizer for not only helping coach but donating \$50.00 towards out tournament fees. Also helping out to the tune of \$50.00

was Grant Harvey. A very special thanks to the divisions of Johnson Controls for their donation of \$200.00 towards our tournament costs. And a thank you to all of the parents for all of their support during the season. Team members were, Ryan Hendricks, Craig Lane, Tyler Harvey, Kevin Walter, Steven Jankins, Joel Makielski, Phil Hughes, Dave Evilsizer, Jeff Galaska, Nathan Smith and Josh McCalla. Thanks for a great season!!

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Addison Relays

The Manchester boy's track team opened their season at the Addison relays on Saturday. The weather was miserable, but the Flying Dutchmen ran through the wet and cold to get a meet under their belt. This was not like a normal meet whereas all the events were team events with a two member pole vault team, three member teams in the rest of the field events (shot put, discus, long jump, and high jump), and four member running events. There were 14 teams present, mainly class B schools, but the Dutchmen forged ahead in some areas to score points and win medals.

The discus team of Jason Miner, Ryan Fielder, and Landon Burkhardt threw the discus 117' 4", 113', and 111' 10" respectively for a combined toss of 342' 2" and a second place medal. The 400 meter relay team of Terry Coleman, Miner, Fielder, and Nick Davis finished third in 48.97 to earn their medals. The long jump team of Coleman (16' 7"), Derick Hanewald (16' 11"), and Korey Wenk (14' 4") finished 5th with a combined jump of 47' 11". Eli Bragg pole vaulted 8' 6" to propel our pole vault team to a 6th place finish. One last note, our 3200 relay team set a new high school record by running a 9:11.97. The team was comprised of Nick Weidmayer, Nick Davis, Jason Schaible, and Jeremy Smith. Congratulations to these gentlemen.

One last note, we have hired two assistant coaches for our Track & Field program. They are Bryan Hoeft and Scott Vitale. Bryan will work with our high jumpers, hurdlers, sprinters, and sprint relays. Scott will work with our weight lifting program, our shot put and discus throwers, and our long jumpers. John Leonard continues to be a volunteer coach for our distance and middle distance runners. We are excited to have these gentlemen aboard. They have been and continue to be great assets to our girls and boys teams. Denny Steele and myself wish to extend our thanks to these guys for the time and effort they put into our track & field program. They do a super job.

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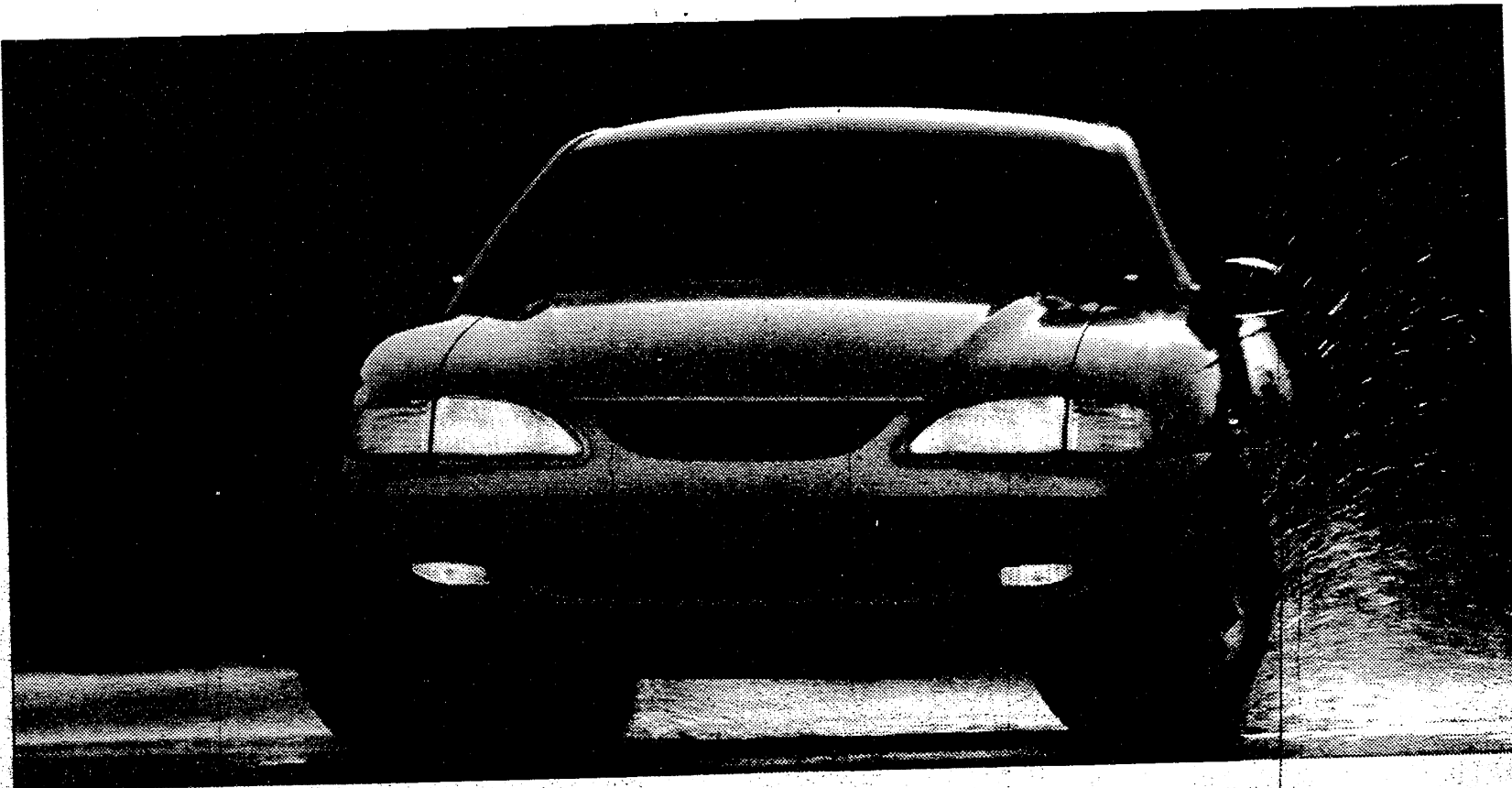
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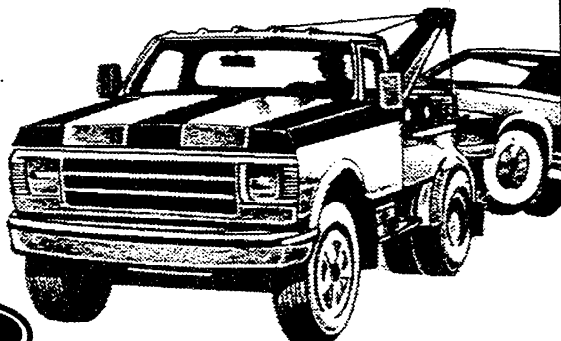
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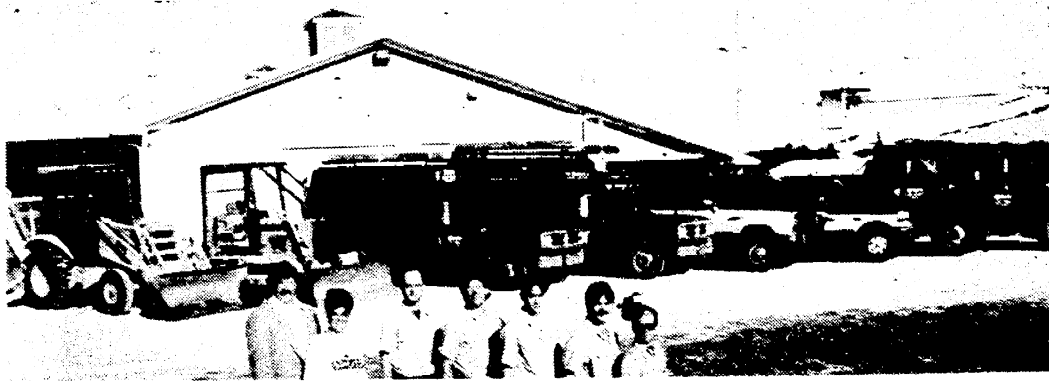
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