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Frank Tomko Receives Claire Reck Outstanding Volunteer Award



Frank Tomko, of the Knights of Columbus Council #4354, receives the Claire Reck Outstanding Volunteer Service Award from Anita Greca, award winner in 1996, at the Community Resource Center Tenth Annual Benefit Banquet on October 29th.

As stated by Grand Knight Ed Barnard, Frank is quiet about what he does. As a "behind the scenes" man, he has many years of volunteer service to support that statement. Frank has been a member of the Manchester community since 1946, when he came from Pennsylvania to

work at Ford Motor Co. He and his wife, Florence, have raised three daughters and a son here.

Since 1981, Frank has worked at the Knights' Fish Fries and at Bingo, and also drives Fred Heinrich on his rounds of the shut in members of the community.

The Community appreciates Frank's contributions! See more on the CRC Banquet on The Second Front Page.

Three Juveniles Arrested for Breaking & Entering

On Friday, November 7, three Manchester youths were arrested for breaking into a residence on East Main Street. Sgt. Jerry Haensler and Deputy Marcus Kirby were dispatched to the in-progress complaint, where the homeowner was holding the suspects at bay.

Upon arrival two juveniles were still in the residence and were taken into custody. A third suspect who had bolted from the

premises was later identified and came to the Manchester station for questioning. All three suspects were petitioned into juvenile court on Monday on breaking and entering charges.

The youths had alcohol, allegedly stolen from the home's liquor cabinet, in their possession when they were apprehended by the homeowner. Breaking and entering is a felony punishable by 15 years in prison.

School Board Plans Town Meeting To Discuss Future of our Schools

Manchester Community Schools invites you to participate in a Town Meeting, on Monday, November 17, 1997 at 7:30 PM in the High School Band Room.

At this meeting, you can share your ideas with the Board, of what Manchester Community Schools should look like and be in the twenty-first century.

"The Board wants to in-

volve the community in developing a vision for the Manchester Community Schools," states Superintendent Ron Niedzwiecki. "This provides an excellent opportunity for community members to share their ideas."

The meeting will follow a format similar to the "Town Meeting" held by the Chamber of Commerce in early October, where a general discussion will be followed by small breakout groups to allow individual time to discuss the future of our school district.

-MJC

Bus Inspection "So-So," says Superintendent

A surprise bus inspection last week, conducted by the State Police post in Jackson, resulted in nine red-tagged buses and one yellow-tagged bus for Manchester Community Schools. Brian Martin of the Motor Carrier Division performed the inspections.

According to Niedzwiecki, "We fared so-so," on this inspection. Several of the red-tagged items were as simple to fix as the buzzers on emergency doors. Any safety-related violation automatically results in a red tag.

"A couple of brake problems involved two buses with brakes out of adjustment," reported Niedzwiecki, and one with a caliper problem. Rumors claimed that brake problems were rampant on several buses, and some brake pads were completely worn down. These rumors were not accurate, according to the information on the inspection reports.

Four buses whose frame rails had previously been repaired, were cracked and needed welding.

The school will work on their pre-trip inspections and preventive maintenance, says Niedzwiecki. A decision to hire a new bus mechanic has not been made, as the school explores future needs within the transportation department.

Results are still incomplete from the June bus inspections, and the superintendent assures us he is still following up on this matter.

-MJC

"Our Miss Brooks"



"Miss Brooks" (Alyssa Chartrand) and Coach Hugo Longacre (Matt Laskowski) discuss a last-minute crisis in Saturday's MHS Drama Club production. Story and more pictures, page 12

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

Village of Manchester
Larry Becketl, 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

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
2nd Tuesday: Manchester Computer Club, 7 PM at Chapters & Verses

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
Every Tuesday: Boot Stompers at Emanuel Church 7-9 PM
Every Tuesday at Your Home: RECYCLE - containers at curb by 7:30 AM

Wednesday

1st Wednesday: Raisin Valley Land Trust, at the Blacksmith Shop, 7:30 PM
1st Wednesday: Veterans of Foreign Wars, 7:30 PM
2d Wednesday: American

Legion Auxiliary 7:30 PM
2d Wednesday: Manchester Recreation Task Force 7:30 PM
3d Wednesday: Manchester Men's Club 7:30 PM
3d Wednesday, WIC Program, 9:30-3:00 Senior Citizens Bldg.
3d Wednesday: Bridgewater Township Board, 7:30 PM
3rd Wednesday: Chamber of Commerce Meeting
4th Wednesday: Manchester Township Fire Department meeting, 7:30 PM
Every Wednesday: Community Band - 7:30 PM

Thursday

1st Thursday: Sharon Township Board meets 8:00
1st Thursday: American Legion Post #117 7:30
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, \$4.00 per person

Coming Events


• Christmas in the Village, November 22

Overeaters Anonymous will begin weekly meetings, on Monday, November 3, from 7:30 - 8:30 PM at Chelsea United Methodist Church, 128 Park Street. Contact 475-4264 for questions.

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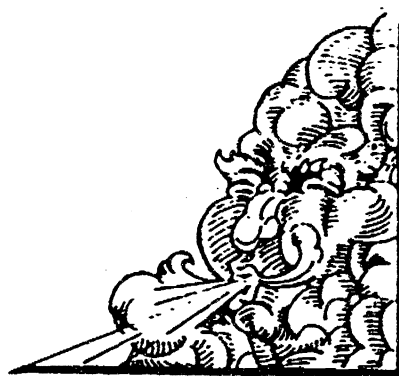
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The Second Front Page

CRC Recognizes Volunteers

Building A Healthy Community

On Wednesday, October 29, 72 people attended the Tenth Annual Benefit Banquet for the Community Resource Center at Chelsea Community Hospital. The theme was BUILDING A HEALTHY COMMUNITY. Rev. Bob Macfarlane served as Master of Ceremonies. He shared his joy about being asked to return to Manchester to celebrate the successes of the Community Resource Center (CRC).

Rev. Macfarlane was the chairman of the committee which organized the agency to assist dislocated workers after the closing of Double A Products Co. David Little and Dick Kuntz, also a part of that committee, have served on the CRC Board for ten years. Dick, who served as treasurer for most of the ten years, retired in March of 1997 and was given a plaque for his outstanding service and a gift of honorary membership on the CRC Board of Directors.

Dianne Schwab, Director of the Community Resource Center, was presented an award in recognition of her ten years as Director of the Community Resource Center.

The program for the evening was CRC: Past and Present. Dick and Dave discussed their roles as members of a group of 52 Manchester and County residents who were instrumental in making the Center a reality.

The unemployed and low-income people have been a priority for focus of service for the CRC. However, two other programs are examples of programs that target additional populations in the community at the present time.

George Patak, member of the Coalition for Drug Free Youth discussed the mission/goal of the coalition and the strategies being used to accomplish its goal. Pat Parr, employee of Chelsea Community Hospital and a local resident explained the priorities identified for the Manchester Coalition for Health, a local group orga-

nized as part of the Washtenaw County Health Improvement Plan to improve the health in Washtenaw County residents.

Linda Mussio, CRC Board Member, presented nine certificates to volunteers nominated by community organizations to be recognized for their community service.

The volunteers are: Manchester Optimist Club member, **Robert Little**, Kiwanis Club members, **Doreen Birnie and Vickie Bolan**, Knights of Columbus member **Frank Tomko**,

Manchester Recreation Task Force representative, **Dianne Slocum**, Manchester Girl Scouts, **Cheryl Smail**, Manchester Area Historical Society members, **Lou and Elvira Vogel** and American Legion member **Jay Clouse**.

All volunteers received a certificate of recognition. Frank Tomko was awarded the Claire Reck Outstanding Volunteer Award.

Comments from the Director focused on the idea that from the first days of the CRC the theme has centered around the health of the



Rev Bob Macfarlane and Dianne Schwab share a joke at the podium at the CRC's annual volunteer recognition banquet



CRC Board president Sue Gisting and Board member Rick Taepke present Dianne with a plaque in recognition of her ten years of service to the CRC

people in the community of Manchester. What is health? A healthy person needs employment, recreation, health care, food, housing and spiritual direction.

Dianne challenges the community to develop a vi-

sion for the future of the Community Resource Center. What kind of partnerships or collaboration might we form to take care of our growing community? Drop by the CRC at 122 W. Main St. to share your thoughts.

Read all about it!

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Editorial/Opinion Page

Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor,

I would like to praise the students of the Manchester Alternative School for their fine citizenship exhibited in several ways on the afternoon of October 31, 1997.

For Halloween, the entire MAS student body was involved in assisting at parties and events in the Manchester schools. Some were assigned to help at Klager Elementary parties, and others were involved in taking photos of costumes at the Middle School.

While traveling to Manchester from the Pleasant Lake School, five of the students witnessed a dramatic car accident on Pleasant Lake Rd. An oncoming vehicle apparently lost control, became airborne, and ultimately landed upside down in the westbound lane in front of them. The five students pulled over and quickly went into action. Boyce Jones went across the road to the nearest house and called 911 to report the accident. Brian Klepi, William Batalucco, and Cameron Lehr assisted the two victims from their vehicle. Brian then directed traffic around the overturned car. Rachel Vanover as-

sisted the most seriously injured victim as he lay on the ground awaiting the arrival of EMS.

I happened upon the accident scene at this point (traveling from Pleasant Lake School to a Klager Halloween party myself). Seeing that a victim was lying along side the road, I stopped to offer Nursing/First Aid assistance. The Manchester teens were very calm, and had the scene well under control. Once the first EMS personnel arrived, I departed.

About an hour later, I encountered the MAS teacher, Kathy MacKercher in my son's third grade classroom. She was looking in on one of her students, Deanna, who came to assist with our party activities. From Kathy I learned that once her students had given their statement about the accident to the authorities at the scene, they proceeded on to the Manchester schools as planned.

I am so impressed with these teens. They remained calm, took appropriate emergency action, stayed at the scene, and still followed up with their prior obligations at Klager and the Middle School for the afternoon.

I am a clinical instructor with the High School Health Sciences class held at Pleasant Lake School (SWW Consortium). Although we hold classes in the same building, I had not met the MAS students prior to this week. I did go to their classroom on Monday, Nov. 3rd however, to meet them and to compliment them on a job well done! They showed a high level of responsibility, reliability, and plain good sense. Their dedication of time and energy to the younger school kids in Manchester also shows a great sense of community. What a busy and productive afternoon it was for them!

Debbie Kelly

Out & About



- by gar

We lost a wonderful woman and a beautiful lady this past week, Mary Boutell. Mary was a quiet person who was most gracious and charming. Mary's husband Dan and I are bridge partners, and after a poor evening of cards and gar's ineptness, Mary always had a kind and forgiving comment that would put me at ease.

Many of the younger folks in town probably never had the opportunity to meet her when she was a librarian. Mary never failed to find the book, article or research piece that one would need. We bridge players will miss her and know that she will be in our memories for the kind compassionate person she was.

On another note! The fans from that school south and east of Lansing are on cloud nine now that they are #1 in one poll and #2 in the other. Must admit they are pretty impressive; let's hope they can go undefeated in the next two weeks and represent themselves well in Pasadena.

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SHARON TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION

The Public Hearing scheduled for November 20, 1997 at 8:00 P.M. for the application by George and Mary McAtee of Jackson, MI, The Wind Mill Water Co., dba, HAS BEEN POSTPONED until December upon the request of the applicant.

Teri L. Aiuto
Sharon Township Clerk
(313)428-7002

SHARON TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION

Public Hearing and Meeting

On Thursday, November 20, 1997, at 8:00 pm EDT, at the Sharon Township Hall, 18010 Pleasant Lake Road, the Sharon Township Planning Commission will hold a Public Hearing to receive comments on the following proposals:

1. An amendment to the Sharon Township Zoning Ordinance adding Section 11.11, "Commercial Communication Towers and Antennae," establishing standards and procedures for the placement, use and eventual removal of such structures, including cellular phone towers.

2. An amendment to the Sharon Township Zoning Ordinance adding Article 4, "Open Space Community District." The proposed amendment provides for the establishment of Open Space Overlay zones and provides standards for housing development within these zones.

Written comments may be sent to Roger Kappler, Chairman, Sharon Township Planning Commission, 19163 Bethel Church Road, Manchester, Michigan 48158, and must be received by November 19, 1997.

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

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

Sharon Township Planning Commission

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Notice is hereby given that the Village of Manchester, Michigan, will hold a public hearing on the proposed Village of Manchester Draft Project Plan for improvements to the existing water system. The hearing will be held at 7:30 PM on Monday, December 15, 1997 at the Village offices, 120 South Clinton, Manchester, Michigan 48158.

The purpose of this hearing is to receive comments and views of interested persons on the Draft Project Plan and the environmental impacts of the proposed water system alternatives. The hearing is a requirement of the Michigan Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (DWRF) loan program, from which the Village of Manchester is pursuing project funding.

The recommended plan includes the construction of the following elements:

-Construct approximately 400 feet of 12-inch water main, from Macomb Street extending north across the River Raisin to Riverbend Street providing a second source to the residents of the north service area.

-Replace approximately 850 feet of deteriorating 4-inch water main along Hibbard Street between Duncan Street and City Road (M-52).

-Replace approximately 600 feet of undersized (2-inch) water main with 8-inch water main along M-52 north of Mound Street.

-Construct approximately 800 feet of 12-inch water main along Sooten Road to the existing Village Industrial Park as a second source of water for the purpose of system reliability.

-Construct approximately 600 feet of 12-inch water main along M-52 from Johnson Controls to SGF, as a second source for the purpose of system reliability.

-Construct a loop of approximately 400 feet from the water main on Macomb Street at the railroad track to the water main dead end on Union Street.

-Construct a loop of approximately 600 feet from the water main at the intersection of Territorial Street and Elton Street to the water main dead end on Schaffer Court.

-Construct a loop of approximately 2,400 feet from the water main at M-52, extending east to the Manchester Woods development.

-Replace 10 inoperable water valves located throughout the water distribution system.

-Construct a hydrant at the westernmost end of the existing water main on West Main Street.

-Construct a new 60,000 gallon backwash detention tank at the water treatment facility.

The opinion of probable cost of the proposed project is \$720,000. The estimated costs to a typical residential customer is not expected to be increased, due to available resources included in the existing Village of Manchester Millage.

Copies of the plan detailing the proposed project will be available for public inspection 30 days prior to the hearing at the Village offices, 120 South Clinton, Manchester, Michigan 48158.

Written comments may be sent to Mrs. Karen Tucker, Village Clerk, at the Office of the Village Clerk, 120 South Clinton,

Police Beat - WCSD Station 4, Village of Manchester

Monday, 11/3/97: 10:36 AM Animal Problem, S. Union St.

Tuesday, 11/4/97: 12:46 AM Larceny, E. Duncan; 11:13 AM Parking Violation, E. Main; 10:30 PM Noise Complaint, N. Clinton

Wednesday, 11/5/97: 6:37 AM Parking Violation, E. Austin; 7:31 AM Traffic Violation, Parr Rd.; 7:34 PM OUIL/OUID, W. Main

Thursday, 11/6/97: 10:12 AM Larceny, E. Duncan; 3:28 PM Crash, E. Main; 4:28 PM Fraud, W. Main; 5:38 PM Traffic Crash, Ann Arbor Hill

Friday, 11/7/97: 12:28 PM Parking Violation, N. Washington; 3:41 PM Burglary, E. Main; 8:38 PM Suspicious incident, E. Main

Saturday, 11/8/97: 1:27 AM General Assistance, E. Main; 5:18 AM Family trouble, N. Washington; 7:51 PM VPHC/VCSA, Clinton St.

Sunday, 11/9/97: 12:00 Noon Drive Off, E. Main; 6:14 PM Traffic Crash, Southbound M-52

AGENDA MANCHESTER VILLAGE COUNCIL

**Monday, November 17, 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 ZBA-JOHNSON VARIANCE PUBLIC HEARING 7:30 PM
7. Council Committee Reports
8. Old Business
 - a. River Ridge Development Agreement
 - b. SRLF Water Improvements Update
 - c. Other
9. New Business
 - a. Washtenaw County Sheriff Dept. 1998 Contract
 - b. Other
10. Adjourn

Michigan Department of State Police Manchester Detachment Police Beat

Monday, 11/3/97: General patrol locally concentrated on Clinton Rd., reference citizen complaints of speeders. Multiple citations issued for speed.

Tuesday, 11/4/97: 7:30 AM: Dispatched to a PI Crash on US-12 near Lima Center Road. The crash involved an E/B vehicle which attempted to conduct a U-turn and failed to yield to oncoming W/B traffic. The E/B vehicle was broadsided as the driver conducted the U-turn. Both drivers were transported to area hospitals and treated for minor injuries. The driver of the E/B vehicle was issued a citation for the U-turn/failure to yield.

General patrol on local Township roadways.

Wednesday, 11/5/97: General patrol and court. 12:30 PM Traffic stop on Clinton Rd. near Wilbur in Bridgewater Township. This traffic stop was a result of a gravel hauling dump truck observed to be towing another gravel hauling tractor trailer semi with a chain. Both trucks were stopped and the drivers were cited for Motor Vehicle Code violations. The trucks were both found to be unfit for driving and ordered parked until the necessary repairs could be made. Assistance was provided on this traffic stop from the Ypsilanti Post Motor Carrier Officer.

Around Town

Christmas in the Village

Saturday, November 22 will be a very busy day here in Manchester as we present our annual "Christmas in the Village."

Many businesses will be participating and they will be all decked out for Christmas to get you in the mood for the holiday season - which is just around the corner!

Area churches will hold bake sales, a cookie walk, an arts and crafts show, caricature drawings, and much more.

Mark your calendars now to spend your day in Manchester next Saturday and see what our community has to offer.

Santa will be visiting too, and we hear he'll be available for photo opportunities. See next week's *Enterprise* for all the details

Tell your out-of-town family and friends to meet you in Manchester for a fun filled day - right here in the quaint town you call home.

Preschool Auction Raises \$5000



Manchester Co-Op Preschool's annual auction on Sunday was full of competitive bidding for the wide variety of goods and services offered by local merchants and individuals. A bigger success than ever before, this year's event raised \$5,454 to support the preschool's programs for children.

"The hottest items were the Beanie babies," said Chairman Debbie Kastanis, adding that one 'retired' baby brought in a \$50 bid. "There was a lot of competitive bidding; people didn't get as many bargains this year, but every item sold." One hotly contested item was a doll with a complete handmade wardrobe (including shoes), contributed by Mary Blossom, which sold for \$130.

A good turnout and supportive merchants are credited with this year's successful auction. The preschool is already eagerly planning for next year's auction to be bigger and better than ever.

Leaves In Road Present Dangers

Just a friendly reminder, those wishing to dispose of their leaves are to place them at the edge of the roadway, not in the street. Local, as well as state, laws prohibit placing objects (including leaves) on the roadway which may cause a traffic hazard. Additionally, leaves which are not picked up become the property owners responsibility for removal. Failure to do so may result in a citation being issued for the violation.

The leaves on the roadway pose some major concerns; 1) when wet, the leaves present a problem for vehicles operating on the roadway, 2) the leaves are a potential fire hazard for those who park their vehicles on or near the leaves, 3) the leaves block catch basins, posing potential flooding problems in the area, and 4) children have been seen playing in the leaves, causing an extremely dangerous situation.

For those of you who have raked your leaves, please make sure they are not on the road. If you haven't raked yet, I hope this explains our concerns. If you have any questions, I can be reached at (313) 971-9036 extension 7159 (voice mail), (313) 428-8829 (fax), or cgarcia@safety.bf.umich.edu (e-mail).

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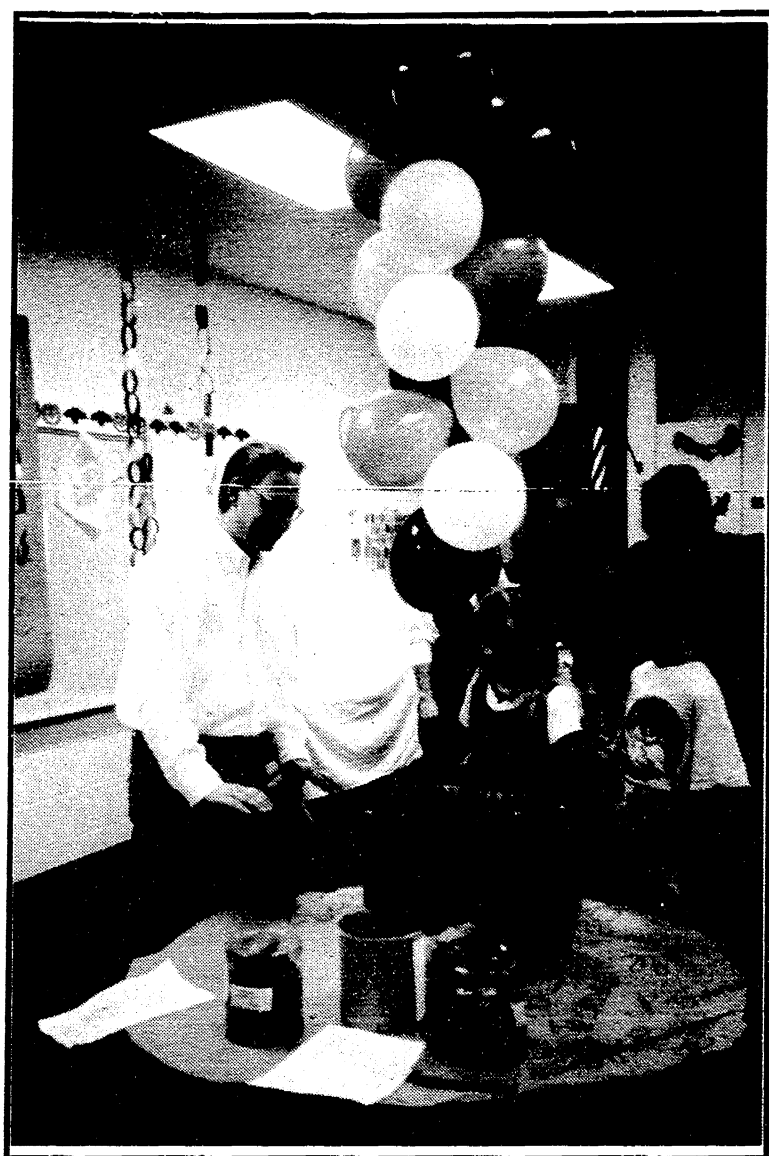
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There was fun for everyone at the Klager Fright Night. According to the Chairman of the Fright Night Committee, Teri Jobkar, "The highlight was the Beanie Baby walk. This year, instead of a cake walk, we had beanie babies instead. The kids loved it! We also had a lot of fantastic raffle items." In addition, there was a Haunted House, the ever-popular Wheel of Fortune, and a host of other games and activities.

"The business community gave us a lot of support; not only area businesses but many from Ann Arbor and even further away participated," Jobkar continued. "We had Small Town Sounds provide the music for the evening and that was also a good attraction."

All in all, the evening went very smoothly and the new, larger facility made everyone more comfortable.

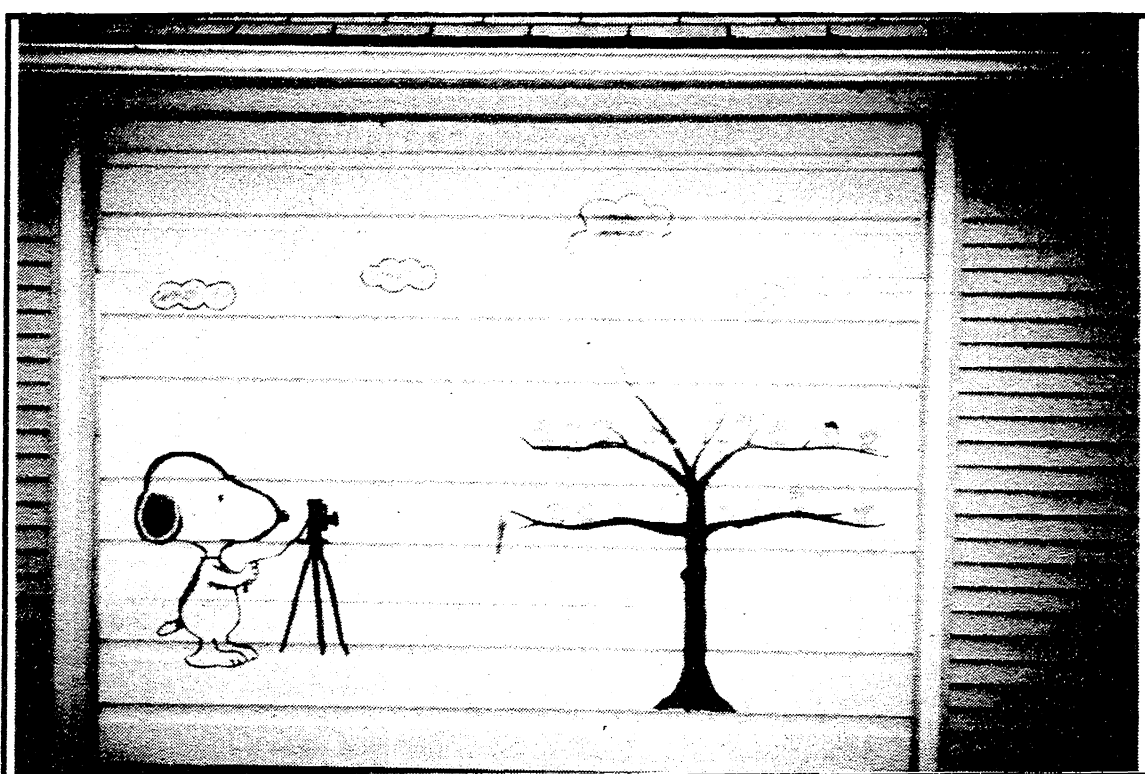
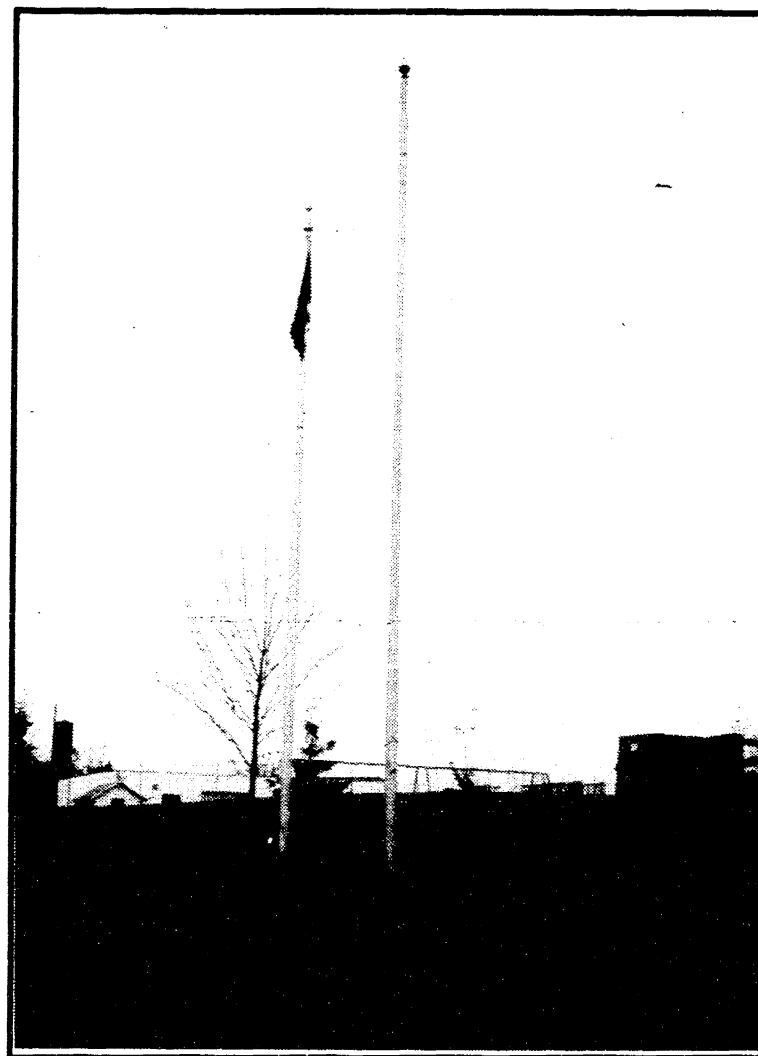
Klager Principal Brian Kissman offered a huge "Hats Off," to Teri and her committee. "The carnival made more this year than in prior years, and they had a great turn out. These parents worked hard to make it a successful fund raiser for the P.T.O."

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Marilyn LaRock, on the corner of West Main Street and Territorial, wanted a little something different for her garage door. She decided to have a local student, James Fuerstnau, paint Snoopy and "a few" Woodstocks for her. One of the little birds in particular (wearing a hat) reminds Marilyn of "someone she used to know."

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MANCHESTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Wednesday, November 12: 3:15 PM. Scouts; 7:30 PM. Bell Choir

Thursday, November 13: 3:15 PM. Scouts; 7:00 PM. Trustees

Saturday, November 15: 9:30 AM. Women at the Well at Tina Zimmerman's for brunch; 1:00 PM. Youth Conference in Flint

Sunday, November 16: 9:00 AM. Sunday School; 10:30 AM. Worship; 11:45 AM. Choir Practice; 6:00 PM. SCOTT FREE Concert

Monday, November 17: 3:15 PM. Scouts

Tuesday, November 18: 9:30 AM. Senior Yoga; 5:00 PM. Scouts; 7:00 PM. Finance Committee

Wednesday, November 19: 1:00 PM. UMW Thank Offering Program; 7:30 PM. Bell Choir

EMANUEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Wednesday, November 12: 1:00 PM Emanuel Quilters; 4:30 - 7:00 PM Roast Beef Dinner 5:30 PM Jazzercise; 6:00 PM Cub Scouts; 6:30 PM Bell Choir; 6:30 PM Weblo's; 7:00 PM Basket weaving; 7:30 PM Adult Choir

Thursday, November 13: 9:30 AM Jazzercise; 12 Noon Sr. Meal; 2:00 PM Memorial Committee Meeting; 6:30 PM Brownies; No Worship or Bible Study; 7:30 PM Volleyball; 7:30 PM Board of Deacons

Friday, November 14: 7:00 PM AA

Saturday, November 15: 9:30 AM Jazzercise

Sunday, November 16: 9:00 AM Sunday School; 10:30 AM Worship Service; 11:30 AM Fellowship Time; 11:45 AM Confirmation Class; 12:00 Noon Sr. Member Potluck and Presentation

Monday, November 17: 5:30 PM Jazzercise; 6:30 PM Daisies

Tuesday, November 18: 9:30 AM Jazzercise; 12:00 PM

Sr. Meal; 7:00 PM Boy Scouts; 7:00 PM Church Council; 7:00 PM Country Dance; NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

BETHEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Wednesday, November 12: 7:00 PM Women's Circle meeting

Thursday, November 13: 7:30-8:30 PM Aerobics; 7:00 PM Youth Choir Plus Rehearsal

Saturday, November 15: Orchestra Rehearsal; 7: PM Hieber/Francis wedding

Sunday, November 16: 9:30 AM Worship; Sermon "Landing in Hell Gracefully"; 10:30 AM Sunday School & Adult Bible Study

Monday, November 17: 6:30 PM Children's Choir Rehearsal; 7:30 PM Senior Choir Rehearsal

Wednesday, November 19: Senior Luncheon

ST. JOHN'S UCC, ROGERS CORNERS

Sunday, November 16: 9:30 AM Worship & Sunday School

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN, BRIDGEWATER

Sunday, November 16: 9:00 AM Catechism Classes, 9:15 AM Sunday School; 10:30 AM Worship Service

ST. THOMAS LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday, November 16: 9:30 AM Sunday School & Bible Class, 10:45 AM Worship Service

COMMUNITY BIBLE CHURCH

Thursday, November 13: Awana Clubs for children ages 4-6th grade 6:30-8:30 PM

Sunday, November 16: 10:00 Worship; 11:30 Sunday School

ST. MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH

Wednesday, November 12: 7-8:30 PM Agape Group

Thursday, November 13: 5-6:30 PM Cub Scout meeting,

Church hall; 7:45 PM Altar Society meeting

Friday, November 14: 3:30-4:45 PM Children's Choir

Saturday, November 15: 9:00 AM Faith Inquiry - Morning Reflection

Sunday, November 16: Adult Choir 9:30 & 11:30; Pre/K 10:30 AM; Aquinas Group, 6:30 PM

Tuesday, November 18: 3:15 -4:15 PM Rel Ed 5 & 6 @ Parish Center; 3:30-4:30 PM Grades 1-4@ Klager; 7-8 PM 7/8 Rel Ed; 7:30 PM Faith Inquiry

Wednesday, November 19: 7-8:30 PM Agape Group

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday, November 16: 9:00 Sunday School for all ages; 10:15 AM Worship Service

SHARON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Wednesday, November 12: 8:15 PM Chancel choir practice;

Thursday, November 13: 7:30 PM Visioning Committee

Sunday, November 16: 11 AM Boys & Girls Fellowship

Monday, November 17: 7:00 PM Staff meet with Pastor/ Staff-Parish Relations Committee

Wednesday, November 19: 9:30 AM Membership Audit Committee; 10 AM Martha Circle; 8:15 PM Chancel Choir Practice

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH

Wednesday, September 12: 7:30 PM Church Council

Friday, November 14: 1:30 PM Women of Zion Bible Study

Sunday, November 16: 9:00 AM Sunday School for all ages; 10:15 AM Worship - LORRM Speaker

Tuesday, November 18: 10 AM Sewing Activity Day & Noon Potluck; 7:30 PM Senior Choir

Wednesday, November 19: 7:30 PM In depth Bible Study

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OBITUARIES

Esther M. Kuyda

Esther M. Kuyda, age 81, died suddenly on Monday, November 10, 1997 at her home. She was born December 16, 1915 in Wayne, Michigan, the daughter of Tracy and Jessie (Chaffee) McMurtry. On October 2, 1927 in Wayne, Michigan, she married Thaddeus R. Kuyda and he preceded her in death on October 12, 1996.

She and her husband had farmed together from 1940 until 1952 and became a Manchester resident in 1980. Mrs. Kuyda was a member of the St. Andrew Catholic Church of Saline where she was past president of the St. Andrew Altar Society and helped organize the first Harvest Dinner at St. Andrew's.

Survivors include one daughter Mary Shaw and son-in-law Gerald of Manchester; one sister Velma Sumner of Romulus and several nieces and nephews; three grandcats Blueberry, Buster and Pumpkin and a granddog Henry; and all of her loving friends from St. Andrew Catholic Church and Klager School in Manchester.

A Mass of the Christian Burial will be held on Thursday, November 13, 1997 at 11:00 AM from the St. Andrew Catholic Church with Rev. Fr. William J. Stevenson, celebrant. Burial will take place in Oakwood Cemetery, Saline.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the St. Andrew Catholic Church building fund. Envelopes will be available at the Robison-Bahnmler Funeral Home, Saline, where friends may begin calling on Tuesday between the hours of 7-9 PM. A rosary will be recited at 8:00 PM at the funeral home. Visitation will continue on Wednesday between the hours of 2-5 and 7-9 PM, with a scripture service to be held at 7:30 PM.

Mary E. Boutell

Mary E. Boutell, 82, of Manchester passed away on November 6, 1997. Mary was born in Mulberry, IN on December 29, 1914, the daughter of Clinton and Patsy (Black) Morrill. On December 24, 1936, she was married to Daniel J. Boutell and he survives. Mary was a member of Emanuel United Church of Christ and very active in the Manchester community for the 47 years she lived here. She was past matron of the Order of Eastern Star and past president and honorary member of the Twentieth Cen-

tury Club. She was known by many for her work at the Manchester Township Library where she was librarian for several years.

Besides her husband, Dan, Mary is also survived by son David (Heide) Boutell of Kalamazoo, daughter Martha (John) England of Orchard Lake, MI, grandchildren Daniel and Katharina Boutell, sisters Gertrude Huffman of Chardon, OH, Catherine Milbourne of Ft. Myers, FL, and Helen (Vern) Cooper of Mishakawa, IN, a sister-in-law, Rhea Morrill of Edmonds, WA, and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by one son in infancy, and two brothers. The Boutell family will have visitation on Sunday from 2-4 & 7-9 PM at the Jenter-Braun Funeral Home, Manchester. Funeral services will be on Monday, November 10, 1997 at 11 am from Emanuel United Church of Christ with Rev. Vincent Carroll officiating. Interment will be in the Roselawn Cemetery, Perry, MI. Expressions of sympathy may be made to the Manchester Township Library or Emanuel United Church of Christ.

Edith E. Miller

Edith E. Miller, 85, of Manchester passed away on November 4, 1997. Edith was born in Marshall, Michigan on May 21, 1912, the daughter of Aden and Lyda (Thunder) McGee. On September 30, 1939 she was married to George Miller and he preceded her in death in 1972. Edith was a housekeeper for several families in the Manchester area.

She is survived by two sons, James (Deborah) Miller of Norvell and Fred (Mary) Johnson of Adrian; a daughter, Dorene (Isaac) Poore of Dandridge, TN; twelve grandchildren; several great-grandchildren; a brother, Edward McGee; and sisters Hattie Hulbert and Olive Antone.

She was also preceded her in death by her first husband, Arthur Johnson; one son in infancy; two brothers, and one grandson.

Visitation was held on Wednesday and Thursday with funeral services on Friday, November 7, 1997 at 11 AM, from the Jenter Braun Funeral Home in Manchester, with Pastor Bob Toler officiating. Interment will be in Lyon Lake Cemetery, Fredonia Township, MI. Expressions of sympathy may be made to charity of choice.



On October 26, the Manchester United Methodist Church Youth Group sponsored the Ann Arbor District Youth Rally. Despite the heavy rain during the day, 75 area youth and leaders attended. The main attraction of the day was that of the band B.U.C.K. (Brothers Under Christ's Kingdom) which played Ska music, a mixture of rock with trumpets. Everyone had a great time and there was plenty of moshing (dancing) going on.

"Scott Free" to perform at Manchester United Methodist

"Scott Free" is made up of two Scott Wilkinsons, though they are unrelated. Dr. Scott Wilkinson is an ophthalmologist practicing in Pontiac, Michigan, and Rev. Scott Wilkinson is a United Methodist Minister at Prospect United Methodist Church in West Yanceyville, North Carolina. They first met in June of 1981 when Rev. Scott was transferred from North Carolina to Michigan to join the pastoral staff at Metropolitan United Methodist Church. Dr. Scott had just begun medical school at Wayne State University. The two Scotts met and realized that they shared more than just the same name. They

both sing tenor, play guitar, compose their own songs and have an enthusiastic Christian faith. In a very short time, they performed as a duo and picked a catchy name. Over the last 16 years, Scott Free has performed several hundred concerts and sold several thousand copies of their cassettes and CD's.

In July of 1995, Rev. Scott felt the need to move back closer to his parents in North Carolina. Before he left, he and his singing partner made a vow to do two short concert tours per year, one in Michigan and one in North Carolina. "Scott Free" will be in concert in Michigan the week of November 10 and will

appear at Manchester United Methodist Church, 501 Ann Arbor Street, Manchester, Michigan, (313)428-8495, on Sunday November 16, 1997 at 6:00 PM. The concert is free (however a free will offering will be received).

"Scott Free" will perform their own compositions in a variety of new musical styles. Their subject matter ranges from serious social and spiritual issues to story telling through song and comedy, as well as children's music. Their concerts are entertaining for people of all ages.

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Adoptees Seek Roots

1995 Adoption Law Allows Birth Family Members To Reunite

Adoptees and their birth parents have an effective, but little known, option that enables them to be reunited. Even though a new state law was created in 1995 allowing adult birth family members to petition the court to search for and locate their birth parents, adult birth siblings, or adult adopted child, surprisingly few people know about the law change.

The law, introduced by Senator Bouchard, reflects the understanding of lawmakers that birth family members desire to locate each other with the assistance of the court. This law requires courts to appoint a confidential intermediary to review the closed file, search for the individual and to contact the individual discreetly and confidentially to ascertain whether the individual is willing to release information, or to meet or communicate with the former family member. It also allows the release of identifying information in the event the former family member is deceased. The Michigan Probate Judges Association has sponsored training that most judges require in order to be eligible for appointment as a confidential intermediary.

Annette Zsenyuk, a Confidential Intermediary serv-

ing Michigan courts, said "Many birth family members are not aware of how effective this new law is. By the time I speak with them, many have searched on their own for years. I am usually able to locate their family member within one week or so. Many who do know of the change are not sure whom to contact because they are not sure where they were adopted." She advises adoptees to check with the probate court in the county where their adoptive parents lived at the time the adoption took place; while birth parents can ask the agency that they worked with at the time.

The law is a good one in that it allows birth family members who wish to be reunited to make contact, and it also requires respect for privacy. To the credit of those who do not wish to communicate, they are almost always willing to exchange photographs and medical history.

Zsenyuk said that birth family members, although surprised at the contact from her, have many immediate questions. "It's evident that these families have been in pain for years. The birth parents always wondered if their child was safe and had a happy life, the adoptees want

to know about their heritage and their medical history. It's gratifying to bring peace of mind to so many people."

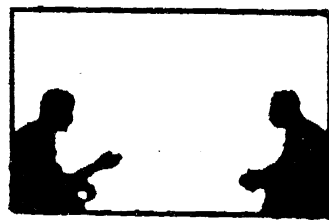
Zsenyuk says that she has been able to locate at least one former family member in 100% of her cases, and a whopping 98% agree to some form of contact with their family member. She believes it's especially important for confidential intermediaries to have a strong respect for all parties to the adoption.

Confidential Intermediaries must sometimes be creative in helping birth family

members. "I have arranged for post office boxes and provided telephone calls for adoptees or birth parents to allow privacy when one is not ready or able to share their interest in their former family member with their spouse or adoptive parents. Although I encourage everyone to be honest with their loved ones, I also recognize that is not always possible. I want to serve birth families in whatever way I can to make this experience a positive one."

Zsenyuk encourages anyone with questions about the

new law to contact their local probate court. Zsenyuk will answer questions via e-mail at AZSENYUK@compuserve.com or by sending a self-addressed, stamped envelope to her at P.O. Box 70, Manchester, Michigan 48158.



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"Our Miss Brooks" Surprises, Delights and Entertains

Last weekend's production of "Our Miss Brooks" by the MHS Drama Club, provided two nights of entertainment to the Manchester community. Two large and appreciative crowds enjoyed the talents of the Manchester High School actors and actresses, a perfect combination of fresh talent and experienced performers.

Seniors Alyssa Chartrand and Matt Laskowski are Miss Brooks and Hugo Longacre, two teachers with conflicting interests in theatre and sports - but there is a spark of common interest between them, as well. Miss Brooks learns of Hugo's penchant for sailing and becomes a sudden "expert" on the topic - with help from Miss Finch, the Librarian, ably played by Hydy Paige, who provides her with research assistance.

Cooper), Miss Brooks is reluctant to add more controversy by directing this year's play - and the band director, Miss Audubon (Lauren Adler) is willing to do the job. But when problems ensue, the overbearing and dictatorial principal, Mr. Wadsworth - creatively played to perfection by Junior Mike Santos - decides that Miss Brooks needs to take over.

Miss Brooks finds herself in the hot seat again. With a cast of enthusiastic students, this "play within a play" goes on - but not without the expected controversies. The lead role in "Lost Horizon" is coveted by Rhonda Allen, the Board president's daughter (Senior Erin Braddock) - especially when she finds out her boyfriend, Ted Wilder (played by Junior Peter Schulte) is trying out for the male lead. However, a starry-eyed

of sarcasm, which was perfect for the role.

Sophomore Rachel Elliot played the role of Jane with well-mannered charm and just the right amount of shyness. Those who saw Rachel as a "she-devil" in last spring's performance of Rest Assured, may not have recognized her in this role, but will certainly recognize her versatility in playing against type. This member of the Young Actors Guild in Ann Arbor hopes to be in a Broadway musical some day, but we hope Manchester will see much more of this talented actress.

Peter Schulte as Ted Wilder once again showed his knack for adapting to his role, whether it be a student or a mature gentleman, with humor and ease. His comedic talents are always a welcome addition to Drama Club performances, and fortunately Manchester audiences can look forward to another full year of Pete's acting.

Freshman Audrey Luck, in her role as a student added new dimension and color to the Drama Club's production; and it wasn't just the color of her hair (purple). We can look forward to many more performances from this clever actress in the years to come.

Talented lead actors Alyssa and Matt are both veterans on the

MHS stage and their experience and leadership were appreciated by the cast and directors alike. They played their respective roles with ease and conviction. Matt's genius for ad-libs always makes it fun to watch him, while Alyssa's expressive features convey as much as her words.

An enthusiastic and dedicated supporting cast, including both upper- and lower-classmen, filled out the stage. Under the direction of Mrs. Mary Nosbisch and Ms. Carrie VanWasshova, the students performed to their

utmost. Mrs. Nosbisch related, "I am amazed at the depth we have been able to get from these actors and actresses." It is certainly a credit to the directors' abilities and their devotion that the student actors did such a great job. The months of rehearsal really showed.

Next spring's performance will be directed by Mrs. June Weiland and promises to be a musical. Stay tuned for the next exciting Drama Club production!

-MJC



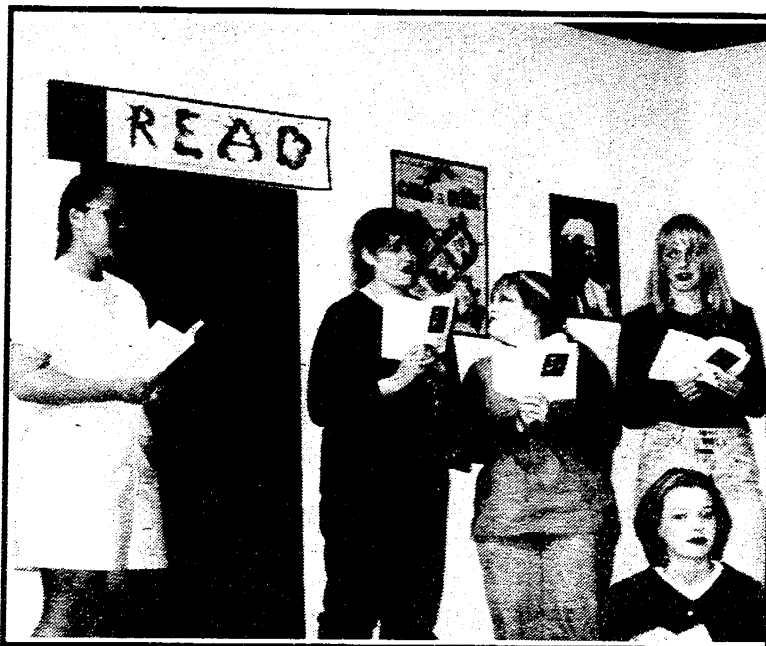
Ted Wilder (Peter Schulte) considers whether the role of a "disillusioned British Diplomat" suits him.

With the possibility of a romance between them, and fresh from another conflict with a student who is the daughter of the School Board President (Anji

aspiring actress is much more convincing in the role, perhaps due to her not-so-secret crush on Ted. Erin convincingly portrayed the indulged Rhonda Allen with a touch



Erin Braddock, Erika Kornow, Sara Cooper, Kristen Taddonio, James Montgomery, and Audrey Luck prepare for their performance.



Aspiring actresses (in real life as well as in the play) Rachel Elliot, Erika Kornow, Jenny Manwaring, Kristen Taddonio and Elesa Walakonis, prepare for their tryouts

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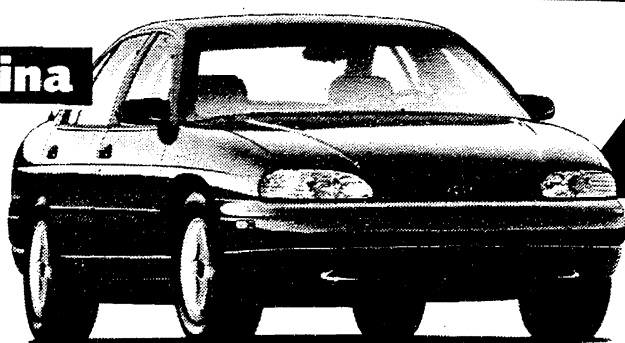
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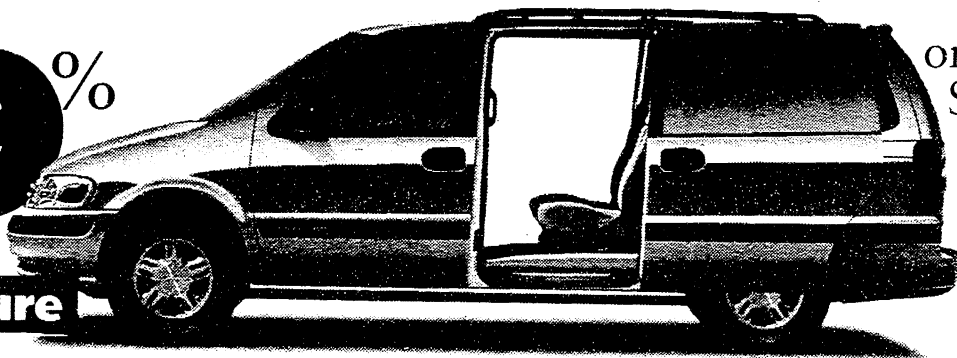


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MANCHESTER AREA SENIOR CITIZENS NEWS

- by T.V. Ludwick

A week later, we are still eating trick-or-treat candy and popcorn. Del helps to fill small plastic bags with both and tightly sealed, it is still a treat. Had only 90 energetic youngsters at our door this year which left us with 25 "leftovers". I've thought it would be fun some year to dress up too. Leaving off lip-stick, I put on and hubby arranged the head-cloth purchased in Israel. Most youngsters accepted me, but one wee pirate with beautiful brown eyes kept staring while accepting his treat. The longer he gazed, the larger those brown eyes seemed to grow...these are the 'treats' we oldsters will long remember.

Thursday, November 13: Senior Council meeting is held this morning starting at 9:30. Please note this change from the usual Tuesday date. And, Jan and loyal crew will produce the very best Chinese dinner at 12 noon in Emanuel's Fellowship Hall. Call either

Sharman ahead of meals at 428-8359, or Jan before 10:30 on meal days at 428-7630 to reserve your spot at the table. We welcome our just-turned 55 folks and need more! What a birthday meal we had on the 6th...sorry you missed it. Then, you may join seniors who love the game of bingo at the Center at 12:30.

Friday, November 14: The Saline Senior Citizens' Card Party will be held this evening. You may go along by calling Marion Ahrens at 428-7865 for the 6 PM pickup starting time.

Monday, November 17: Seniors will leave the Center for shopping at Adrian...call Marion to go along.

Tuesday, November 18: Rev. Hardy from Bethel UCC will give the clergy presentation at 11:15. Don't miss these talks from our local pastors who have seen and done so much. We will enjoy Jan's chicken (some-way, but good). Beginning at 12:30, Brenda Marshall begins the first of 4 workshops



Floyd Mahrle, Dorothy Purfield & Milda Koebbe celebrated their November birthdays last Thursday at Senior luncheon at Emanuel Church

to instruct interested senior citizens in the art of writing. Where to find ideas for stories, how to get started writing, how to keep journals. The other three workshops will be held in February, May and August for a two hour period each time. Further information is available by calling either Dianne Schwab at 428- 7722 or Dorothy Willingham at 517-456-7252.

Thursday, November 20: The very best meat loaf will be provided by our kitchen crew (don't they say it tastes better because of the large amount

and the cook who prepares it?). Come and see and then stay for bingo at the Center.

Tonight beginning at 7:30, you are invited to come play euchre with the 'masters' at Freedom Township Hall. The card party is sponsored by our Senior Citizens and the public of any age is invited to attend. Light refreshments are served and it's fun, fun! This is a week early because of the holiday and the last one 'til spring (when the snow goes away a little). Come on out! Bus pickup begins at 6 PM.

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Friday, 6:45 p.m.

Manchester American Legion
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School lunch menu

November 17-21, 1997

Monday, November 17:

Ham & Cheese Sandwich w/ chips; carrot sticks, fruit; vanilla pudding, milk.

Tuesday, November 18:

Chicken Nuggets, crispy fries, roll & butter, pears

Wednesday, November 19:

Sub Sandwich w/chips, vegetable soup, fruit, rice krispie treat, milk

Thursday, November 20:

Nachos supreme, corn, ice juice, milk

Friday, November 21:

Thanksgiving dinner, turkey, stuffing, mashed potatoes, gravy, corn, roll, cranberry sauce, pumpkin pie

Manchester Community Schools Board of Education

Regular Meeting -

November 17, 1997 - 7:00 PM

Manchester High School Media Center

- I. Call To Order/Pledge of Allegiance
- II. Roll Call of Board Members
- III. Official meeting Reports
 - A. Minutes of Regular Meeting - October 20, 1997
 - B. Treasurer's Report
- IV. Communication
 - A. Correspondence
 - B. Visitor Input
- V. New Business
 - A. Personnel
 - B. Community Ed - Building Rental fees

Recess

- VI. Discussion Items/Reports
 - A. Town Meeting
- VII. 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.

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School

School Board will hold TOWN MEETING to discuss the future of our schools

Manchester Community Schools' Board of Education has scheduled a Town Meeting to be held in the High School Band Room at 7:30 PM on November 17, 1997. The Board wants to involve the community in developing the vision for the Manchester Community Schools. This is an excellent opportunity to share your ideas with the Board of what Manchester Schools should look like and be in the 21st Century.

Become involved in the future of our schools. Please join us at 7:30 PM on Monday, November 17.

HIGH SCHOOL HONOR ROLL - 1ST MARKING PERIOD

Seniors

All A - Lisa DuRussel, Lindsay Jacob, Jane Kallewaard, Jennifer Manwaring, Hydy Paige, Justin Turk And Jill Weidmayer.

Honor Roll - Kelly Acree, Jessica Baker, Erin Braddock, Jennette Branch, Randy Burkhardt, Rebekah Butterfield, Alyssa Chartrand, Jennifer Clark, Angela Cooper, Adam Corwin, Nick Davis, Samantha Dzengeleski, Leanne Ellsworth, Jodi Feldkamp, Hannah Goodrich, Noah Gordon, Meghan Greenwald, Kevin Haeussler, Derek Hanselman, Stacey Heldt, Lisa Herschelman, Tim Hollosy, Rebekah Jackowski, Nichole Jensen, Carmen Kapa, Chris Kemner, Kris Kiomall, Lindsay Kloster, Matt Laskowski, Melissa Lawrence, Catherine Lobbestael, Leigh Lobbestael, Herb Mahony, Mike Meranuck, Shane Neigebauer, Nick Niehaus, Kelly Parr, Bryan Piendel, Ben Pietrowski Katie Roberts, Michelle Roos, Stefan Spork, Tracey Staples, Stacey Turner, John Ulicne, Eric VanBogelen And Elesa Walakonis.

Juniors

All A - Erika Kornow And Paula Young.

Honor Roll - Michelle Barker, Mary Barrett, Eli Bragg, Brandon Brown, James Fuerstnau, Danielle Funk, Amy Gall, Elise Geyer, Nicole Hlavka, Melissa Hoeft, Andrew Hughes, Sarah Jefferson, Megan Kennedy, Denise Koffman, Marilyn Maher Sarah McGuire, Kirsten Miller, Amanda Pierson, Julie Porter, Alexis PUNCHES, Amy Saunders, Peter Schulte, Patrick Schulz, Emily Tucker And Ahja Zang.

Sophomores

All A - Lauren Adler, Brandon Baier, Kyle Harris, Ann Hinkley, Daniel Johnson, Lilia Kluwe, Brandon Maggetti, Katherine Sondeen And Erin Wiley.

Honor Roll - Brandy Aiken, Kari Binder Michael Boehmer, Lisa Burmeister, Sara Cooper, Amanda Coutts, Danielle Croghan, Patrick DuRussel, Rachel Elliott, Joanne Eversole, Rachel Fleck, Jason Flint, Erin Fox, Nicholas Gordon, Amber Hoeft, Mark Hollosy, Jaclyn Hughes, Matthew Jones, Philip Krall, Elisabeth O'Dell, Katherine Okey, Emily Parr, Nicholas Pieske, Jessica Randall, Josiah Shurtliff, Elizabeth Sodt, Meghan Staffeld, Jeremiah Tobias, Angela Tyler, Abra Wise And Ryan Witcher.

Freshmen

All A - Audrey Bennett And Jacqueline Palms.

Honor Roll - Elizabeth Bauer, David Canter, Jami Coopridner, Amber Cullip, Michael DeBurghraeve, David DuRussel, Elizabeth Elliott, Heidi Ernst, Randi Foster, Shannon Gaal, Shannon Green, Meggie Hartley, Jennifer Heskett, Holly Horodeczny, Kathryn Horodeczny, Emily Hughes, Rachel Jefferson, Andrew Jones, Tristan Kladzyk, Rachel Landry, Taryn Miller, Jason Orzechowski, Rachel Pfaus, Amy Preston, Stephanie Schleicher, Ashleigh Sewell, William Slocum, Anthony Smith, Derrick Smith, Holly Sutton, Kristen Taddonio And Mindy Weir.

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• Band-aids, on the other hand, are a way to cover things up, to make them seem better. They don't fix anything. In most cases they are a temporary thing. Almost every three year old needs a band-aid for every bump and scratch they get. By the time the same child is eight, they don't want a band-aid for even a serious abrasion. If it doesn't fix it they don't want it.

Here are some examples of assistive technology that has been an enormous aid to some people. These items have changed peoples lives, made them more independent, made them feel good about themselves.

Braille - is used by the blind to read printed material. Most kids are introduced to Braille in elementary school. They receive little cards showing how Braille works. Even I am fascinated at how people can learn to run their fingers over the different constellation of bumps and "read". There are now scanners, that can scan a book and translate it quickly to Braille (go to the Washtenaw Library for the Blind to see these for yourself). The band-aid for a blind person would be to have a person read to them. Turning text into Braille is the assistive technology to allow them to read it to themselves.

Closed-captions - is used by the deaf to watch and "hear" television programs and movies on video tapes. A couple a years ago, we got a new TV with closed-captions capabilities. I often turn it on for a serious movie and news broadcast so that I can hear and see what is being said. Almost all programs and movies are available on closed-caption. The band-aid for the deaf is to have a person sign what is being said. Turning words into text is the assistive technology to allow them to hear for themselves.

Chair-lift - is used by people with physical disabilities which require them to be in wheel chairs. These lifts work on vehicles so that people can get from the vehicle to the ground without having to get in and out of their chairs. The band-aid would be to have a person as they are coming and going to help them make the transaction. The lifts are the assistive technology to allow them to be independent.

These are examples of assistive technology for disabled people which allow them to be independent. Although these are very important and significantly affect the lives of these people, the percentage of people that need these items is relatively small. 20% of the population suffer from a disability - called learning disabilities.

What assistive technology is available for this huge number of people? Through a series of articles over the next few weeks, we will tell you about some of them - and we will tell you how you can try them out!

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For more information, please contact Jim Watson at 428-9075.

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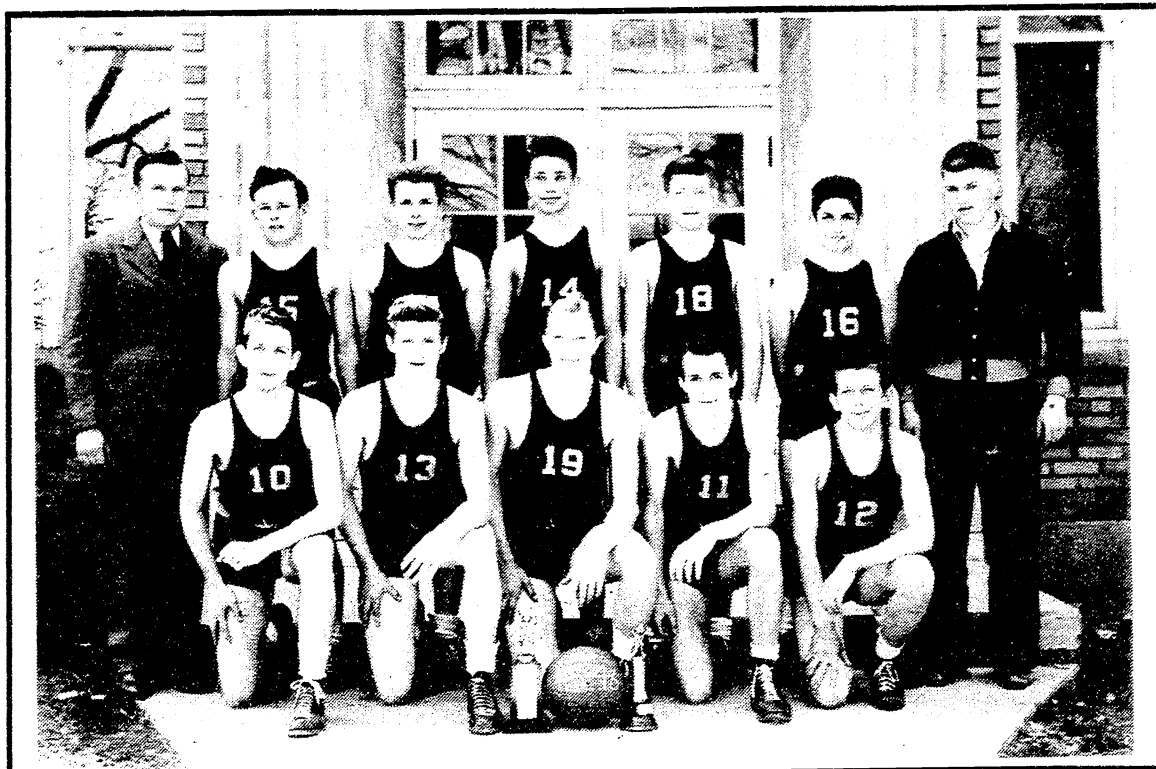
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The time has come to organize our 1998 season. Please join us on Wednesday November 19th at St. Mary's Parish Center at 7:00 PM.

This is a general membership meeting to elect board members from the general membership and to get feedback from you on what you would like from YOUR club.

Refreshments will be provided; please make arrangements for your children as we would like this to be an adult only meeting. At this time we will be introducing our new head coach Lanny Green. Lanny is a two-time All-American from the University of Michigan. Questions? Call Joel Tobias at 428-9372



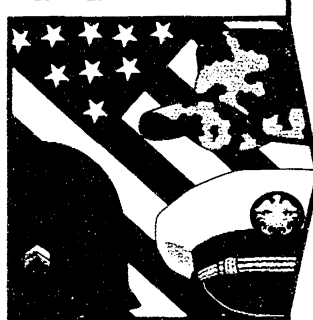
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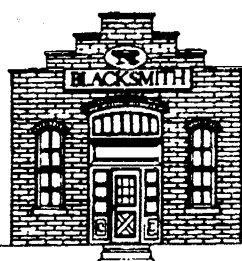
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Organizations

Manchester Area Historical Society



Manchester Historical Society to Explore the Local KKK

News of terrorism dominates the headlines, almost on a weekly basis. But the concept, especially in the United States, is nothing new. The first such well known "terrorist" group in the United States, the Ku Klux Klan, started shortly after the American Civil War. Then, there was Michigan's "The Black Legion."

Michael Clinansmith will share his nearly 27 years of research on this local offshoot of the KKK, "The Black Legion," at the November 18 General Membership meeting of the Manchester Historical Society.

The Black Legion struck fear in the hearts of many locals during their brief reign of terror in the 1930s. Secret memberships, group rallies, an intolerance for reform and clandestine nighttime visits were all part of the Legion's activities. The group was a 1920s offshoot of the KKK that had a brief impact in a number of Michigan counties and several surrounding states from the mid-to-late 1930s. Clinansmith said he has copies of several FBI files that show the group also gained some national notoriety as well.

The meeting starts at 7:30 PM and is in the historic Blacksmith Shop on West Main Street in Manchester. The public is invited to attend this and every general membership meeting, the third Tuesday of the month.



Townline Workers 4-H Club Celebrates 50 Years

A 50th Anniversary Celebration for Past and Present members, leaders and families of the Townline Workers 4-H Club, will be held at the Washtenaw Farm Council Grounds on Sunday, November 23, from 1-4 PM. The theme will be "Thanks For the Memories" - please bring your photos to share.

A potluck dinner with meat, drink and table service will be provided. If your name begins with A-H, please bring a side dish; I-R, bring potatoes; and S-Z, dessert. RSVP to 662-8439 or 429-1031 by November 19th.



Manchester Area Chamber Of Commerce

November Dinner Meeting

The next general meeting of the Manchester Area Chamber of Commerce will be an evening dinner meeting at Haarer's Restaurant on Wednesday November 19, 1997 beginning at 5 30 PM.

We will begin with a social hour from 5 30 6 30 and then will have dinner served at 6 30. At 7 00 PM, the general meeting will be held and will consist of a discussion of the preliminary budget proposed for the Chamber for the upcoming year and the rough draft of the Chamber's Plan of Action that will focus on the coming year, but will also encompass the next five years growth.

Because the Chamber is growing so quickly, (membership has grown by 40% in the last 12 months) the budget and the Action Plan are crucial to the organization and function of the Chamber. Members are asked to attend this meeting to help the Board of Directors make the decisions necessary to keeping the Chamber running smoothly.

An outline of the budget proposal and a copy of the Plan of Action may be obtained from the Chamber office. You are encouraged to look these over and jot down any questions or suggestions you may have.

The charge for dinner will be \$7.00 for Chamber members and \$12.00 for nonmembers. You are asked to make reservations with the Chamber office at 428-MACC. Advanced payment is not required. We hope to see everyone there.



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There is a service flag with Blue Stars hanging near the sanctuary in a little church where a mother came to pray.

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So Mary dearest mother, tenderly care for him til they send him home and, dear God, don't let that Blue Star turn Gold but bring him safely back to me, I pray.

Spare all mothers' boys and dear God grant to all the mothers who are called upon to sacrifice her boy the grace and courage her cross to bear.

Pour down thy blessing abundantly upon them and bring us peace, everlasting peace, that they who gave their lives in the service of their country may not have died in vain.

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MANCHESTER RECREATION TASK FORCE 5TH AND 6TH GRADE SKATING PARTY

The Manchester Recreation Task Force is sponsoring a roller skating party for all 5th and 6th graders on November 18 from 4:45 to 8:30 P.M. at the Adrian Skatery. Buses will leave the Middle School playground promptly at 5:15 P.M. and will return there at 8:30 P.M.

Please, Please, Please, Please, get your permission slip in by November 14th to the office, NOT the teacher. We had a great turnout for the first party of the year - Thank you kids and parents!

Kids can be dropped off at 4:45 and need to have their money ready, they will be check in and put on the buss for their grade as soon as they arrive. Remember, we must have 75 participating in order to continue.

Fee for the skating party is \$3.50 - this includes the skate rental. If you have any questions, please call the Community Resource Center at 428-7722 or you can page Kendra, the Skating Party chairman, at 313-958-6818. If you sign up to chaperone and can't make it please let me know.

Thank you, from the Manchester Recreation Task Force.

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For more information contact Jim Watson at 428-9075

Attention Senior Citizens

Manchester novelist Brenda K. Marshall (author of *Mavis*) is offering a series of four free writing workshops to interested seniors. In these workshops we will discuss how to get started writing, where to find ideas for stories, and how to keep journals.

The first session will be held at Emanuel United Church of Christ, 324 W. Main Street, on Tuesday, November 18 from 12:30-2:20 PM.

Each session will be an informal get-together in which we share ideas, stories, and the experiences behind the stories. Seniors are welcome to attend any and all of the two-hour workshops.

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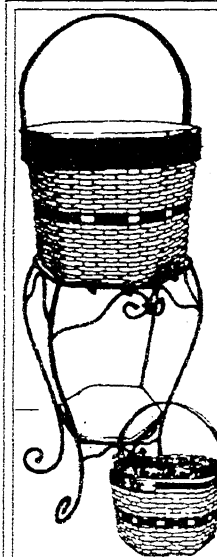
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WE NEED YOU! St. Joseph Mercy Home Care, a department of St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, is currently seeking caregivers to work in the Manchester area. Previous nursing home, hospital, or home care experience is desirable. Good transportation, reliability, a kind heart and good character are required! Afternoon shifts and weekends are in high demand! Additional shifts and cases are located in Saline, Chelsea, Ann Arbor, Ypsilanti, and Tecumseh. Qualified candidates should call or mail resume to: St. Joseph Mercy Home Care Attn.: Nancy Bowerbank 806 Airport Blvd. Ann Arbor, MI 48108 (313)327-3212 or toll free at 1-888-418-5572. 11/20

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Please fax resumes to: 313-662-5449 or stop by for an application. 100 N. Staebler (off Jackson Road) Ann Arbor, EOE. 11/27

Announcement

Hunters & Public Welcome

BOY SCOUT BREAKFAST

Sun. Nov. 16 8:30 - 12:00 at St. Mary's Parish Center. Eggs, Pancakes, Sausage, Fruit Cocktail & Coffee. Sr. \$3.00 Adults \$3.50 Children \$2.00

Misc.

FREE CASH GRANTS! College. Scholarships. Business. Medical bills. Never repay. Toll Free 1-800-218-9000 ext. G-11792. 12/4

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Mother with 6 years experience at Beaumont Baby Unit. CRR certified. \$80/week. Snacks, meals provided. If interested, 428-0447. License Pending. 11/13

Prayer to St. Jude

St. Jude, may the Sacred Heart of Jesus be adored, glorified, loved, and preserved throughout the world now and forever. Sacred Heart of Jesus, pray for us. St. Jude, helper of the hopeless, pray for us. Amen. Say the prayer nine times a day. By the eighth day, your prayer will be answered. It has never been known to fail. Publication must be promised. **CRG** 11/27

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Homes For Sale

Well-kept and updated 2 story Colonial in quiet village of Manchester currently is a duplex, but could easily be converted into single family home with 3/4 bedrooms and 2 full baths. Only \$109,900. Mark VanBogelen. 313-428-0738.


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Open House--Sunday, Nov. 16. 1-4 pm. 12444 Trinkle Road. 1700 square ft. home in beautiful country setting. One acre wooded lot adjacent to 20 more. Three bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, fireplace, 2 car garage, Chelsea Schools. Easy access to I-94, 15 minutes to Ann Arbor. The perfect first home! 313-475-9069. 11/13

Thank You

I wish to express my deepest and sincerest thanks to the MANY who were a terrific support to me on my recent heart problems and resulting surgery. Naturally the Manchester Township Fire Department comes to mind first. Their quick response, professional and caring administration of the emergency services I needed was very comforting.

The visits/prayers of Father Irvin, Father Murray, Father Inglot, Reverend Carroll, and Reverend Davenport were especially valued. Add to this the dozens of cards received makes my recovery a very positive experience.

When my wife and I moved to Manchester in 1954, I remember thinking that such a small village has so little to offer. What I have learned many times over since then is that this particular village has a TON of very caring and thoughtful people. With that there is little need for anything else. What a privilege it is to call Manchester my home! Again, thank you to everyone.

Ted Tapping

For Rent

Building on Main Street 428-8190. Office/Retail. TFN

2 bedroom apartment for rent. \$550/month. Pets additional, water included, first floor. Call 428-9380 or 428-8052 evenings. 12/4

Clinton: Office space upstairs-on Main Street. Approximately 1000 sq. ft. Has kitchen, full bath. Newly remodeled. Could also be apartment. Call 517-522-4064. tfn

1500 sq. ft. bldg. zoned business - just off Main St. 102 Clinton St. 428-8116. 11/13

3 bedroom farmhouse for rent. \$550/month plus utilities. Call 517-456-6126. 11/13

1 Bedroom Apartment, downtown Manchester. \$425 per month. Leave message at 428-7051 for Diane. 11/13

Golden Retriever Found

Tucker is Home. He and his family want to Thank all who supported us in our search for him. The out pouring of concern and support touched our hearts deeply. We feel fortunate to be part of such a caring community.

Thanks Again
Walt & June
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ADS placed after deadline will be placed in the next issue.



Nicholas David Jackson

Dawn & Randy Jackson of Manchester welcomed their third child, Nicholas David, on Thursday, October 30.

Matthew James Burch

Dan and Deborah Burch proudly announce the birth of their son, Matthew James, born 9:10 AM on Monday, November 10th, weighing 8 pounds, 9 ounces. Big sisters Danielle and Sarah, and big brother Andrew, await Matthew's arrival at home.

Grandparents are Jim & Dolores Bauer and Tom & Ruth Burch. Great grandmother is Rita Townsend, all of Manchester.

COLLEGE NEWS

Angelo Petrino, a 1997 graduate of Manchester High School, is among the 356 freshmen who are new members of the Carl and Winifred Lee Honors College at Western Michigan University this fall.

These students have excelled academically in their high schools and displayed commitment to their schools and local communities through an impressive list of co-curricular activities and volunteer service.

These talented students have recorded achievement beyond traditional academic skills by participating in high school sports, musical organizations and journalism as well as community service projects.

Angelo is majoring in Electrical Engineering at Western Michigan University.

Olivet College Community Service Scholarships Awarded

Olivet College announced that **Stacy Mann** has received a Community Responsibility Scholarship for the academic year 1997-98.

Stacy is a 1997 graduate of Manchester High School where she was very involved in athletics. She has worked at Jr. High sports clinics and been a member of 4-H and Girl Scouts. Stacy is an active member of Bethel United Church of Christ where she has given many volunteer hours.

Olivet College is a co-educational independent college located 30 miles south of Lansing, Michigan. Founded in 1844 as the first College by charter, and the second by circumstance, to admit women and people of various racial and ethnic backgrounds on an equal basis, Olivet College is also the first college in the country to reward civic responsibility by making community service the cornerstone of its entire financial aid program.

People Manchester Counselor Elected Washtenaw Counseling Association President

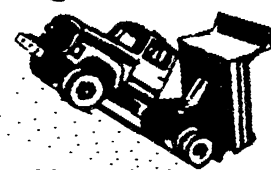
Terri Monkiewicz, Licensed Professional Counselor with the Manchester Area Schools, has been elected WCA's President for a two year term. Monkiewicz, a Saline resident, is presently a Counselor at Manchester Middle School. She is active in the Saline Optimist Club and St. Andrews Catholic Church of Saline.

WCA immediate past-president is John B. Boshoven, a Counselor at Ann Arbor's Community High School.

The Washtenaw Counseling Association (WCA) is a not-for-profit fellowship of school and agency counselors. WCA sponsors regular staff development and training programs for area counseling professionals.

Congratulations Terri!!

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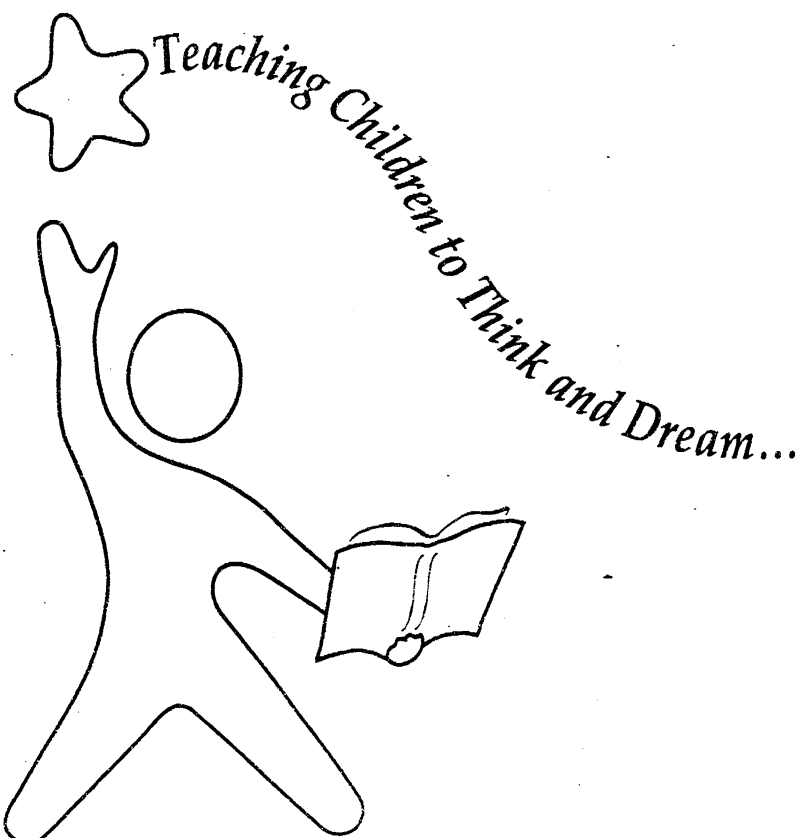
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Total of Monthly Payments	\$6,187			
Total Mileage Allowed	24,000			
Mileage Charge Over 24,000 15¢/mile				
Rebate	\$500			
Monthly Lease Payment	\$257*			

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Cash Down Payment	\$1,200		Stu Evans Discount	\$1,523
Total Amount Due at Inception	\$2,004		Your Cost	\$18,752
Total of Monthly Payments	\$7,628			
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Rebate	\$1,500			
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Cash Down Payment	\$1,000		Stu Evans Discount	\$1,280
Total Amount Due at Inception	\$1,747		Your Cost	\$16,995*
Total of Monthly Payments	\$7,180			
Total Mileage Allowed	24,000			
Mileage Charge Over 24,000 15¢/mile				
Rebate	\$750			
Monthly Lease Payment	\$298*			

THE ARITHMETIC		OR	THE ARITHMETIC	
Number of Months	24		List Price	\$23,335
Refundable Security Deposit	\$175		Rebate	\$500
Cash Down Payment	\$1,000		Stu Evans Discount	\$1,948
Total Amount Due at Inception	\$1,438		Your Cost	\$11,837*
Total of Monthly Payments	\$4,156			
Total Mileage Allowed	24,000			
Mileage Charge Over 24,000 15¢/mile				
Rebate	\$500			
Monthly Lease Payment	\$163*			

RANGER XLT

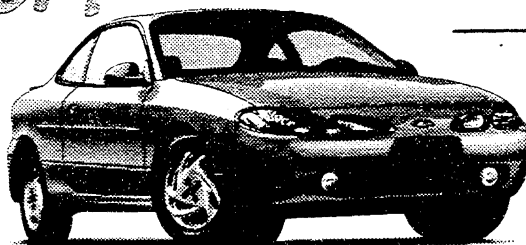


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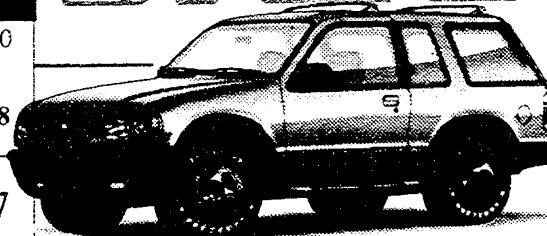


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Refundable Security Deposit	\$250		Rebate	\$500
Cash Down Payment	\$1,000		Stu Evans Discount	\$938
Total Amount Due at Inception	\$1,575		Your Cost	\$14,007
Total of Monthly Payments	\$5,328			
Total Mileage Allowed	24,000			
Mileage Charge Over 24,000 15¢/mile				
Rebate	\$500			
Monthly Lease Payment	\$222			

THE ARITHMETIC		OR	THE ARITHMETIC	
Number of Months	24		List Price	\$14,410
Refundable Security Deposit	\$375		Stu Evans Discount	\$1,948
Cash Down Payment	\$1,000		Your Cost	\$21,387
Total Amount Due at Inception	\$806			
Total of Monthly Payments	\$8,410			
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