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## NEWS BRIEFS

### World Community Day activities set

World Community Day will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Friday at the Emanuel United Church of Christ fellowship hall. The Women of Emanuel are hosting the program, and refreshments will follow.

All women of the community are invited to attend this ecumenical celebration.

### American Legion breakfast set this weekend

An all-you-care-to-eat breakfast will be held Sunday at the American Legion Hall from 8 a.m. to noon.

The cost is \$4.50 per person.

### Bethel Church to hold sauerkraut supper

A sauerkraut dinner honoring the late Elvira Vogel, to be held from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. on Nov. 9, will benefit a United Church of Christ scholarship fund established in her memory.

Tickets for the dinner will be available through tomorrow at the law offices of Sula Jeffers, all Bridgewater Lumber locations and by calling the church at 428-8000.

Tickets must be purchased in advance.

### Co-op preschool sets annual auction

The seventh annual Manchester Coop Preschool Auction will be held at 2 p.m. on Nov. 11 at the Emanuel United Church of Christ gymnasium.

Viewing will begin at 1 p.m. and childcare will be provided. Some of the items up for bid include a Game Boy Advance and a DVD player. A wide variety of items for children and adults will be on the block starting at 2 p.m.

See the window display at Bakers Dozen, and call Kari at 428-0299 if you still have new items to donate to this fund-raiser.

### Historical society to hold public meeting

The Manchester Area Historical Society is seeking public input on the outcome of the old Village Hall.

The society is interested in the historic preservation of this building that dates to 1887 and is adjacent to the downtown business district.

A meeting will be held on Tuesday, Nov. 20, with the public invited.

## Optimists select October Student of the Month

■ Student enjoys variety of activities.

By Laura Merte

Staff Writer

William Cole has been selected as the Optimist Student of the Month for October.

The son of Robert and Susan Cole of Manchester, William has an excellent academic record at the high school. He is a current member of the National Honor Society, and has been on the Academic Games Social Studies and Writing teams.

William has also been involved in the Drama Club, performing in six productions while in high school: *Lagooned*, *You're a Good Man Charlie Brown*, *Murders in the Heir*, *Campaign Capers at Taff High*, *Virgil's Wedding*, and *My Cousin Lino* where he played the leading role.

William's extracurricular activities also include Key Club and Equations team. He

played one season each of junior varsity baseball and track, and is in his second season with the varsity cross country team. Musically, he has been in the marching band for four years and plays with the Symphony band.

William and his family have hosted German exchange students for two years. He attends Zion Lutheran Church where he participated in the July 2000 mission trip to Tacate, Mexico, and is active with the Children of God Youth Ministry.

More activities include: writing poetry, building Lego models, listening to rock music, running and playing the didgeridoo.

After high school he plans to attend college; his choices include the University of Michigan, Western Michigan University, Central Michigan University, or the University of Central Florida. Undecided in his major, William is interested in studying Aerospace Engineering, Drama and Theatre, Architecture, Psychology or Journalism.



William Cole is pictured receiving his award from Optimist president Ed Whelan. His parents, Susan and Robert Cole, also are pictured.

## Red Ribbon Day



Photo by Marsha Johnson Chartrand

Elizabeth Little (left), Sarah Uphaus and Brittany Melcher take the pledge to remain drug-free during Red Ribbon Week at Manchester Middle School. Each day last week, the students focused on drug-free awareness and prevention activities. Special spirit days also were part of the week's program.

## Bridgewater finalizes plans for sewer system

■ Public reaction varies but board proceeds with original plan.

By Marsha Johnson Chartrand

Associate Editor

An informational presentation followed by a public hearing on the sewer system in Bridgewater last week brought out about 50 residents to the Bridgewater Township Hall.

"Our consultants who were there, noted that there weren't that many objections, and they felt it went well," Supervisor Carol Peacock said. "They've seen a number of these types of projects, many of them much larger than ours."

Though the meeting was considered lively by Bridgewater Township standards, the board, too, had a positive reaction to the outcome.

The special assessment district established by the board at the meeting will affect about 50 homes, 10 businesses and the Lutheran church in the hamlet of Bridgewater. Peacock said that a few of the residents in attendance at the meeting were not actually included in the district, but came because of their interest in the project.

Ultimately, the board voted to move ahead with plans for the

sewer system in the township. "We approved the special assessment district without making any changes and approved the special assessment roll," Peacock said.

The amount of each assessment will total \$16,475 for residential users. Businesses may be assessed for either one or two hookups.

Of the 11 people who made comments about the project at the public hearing, a few were objecting, some wanted their properties removed from the special assessment district and some spoke in favor. There also were questions from members of the audience.

A petition was presented, signed by 26 people who seriously objected to the proposed district.

"From a legal standpoint, the petition could not stop the action of the board, but our board considered it and addressed some of the issues," Peacock said.

"The petition protested that the project was environmentally insensitive to the Saline River watershed. But (the board) thinks that if we don't do anything about the situation, it will be much harder, and continue to be an environmental problem."

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## Nearly two-thirds of school property is buildable

■ 28 acres of Gourley property could be considered wetlands.

By Marsha Johnson Chartrand

Associate Editor

When the Manchester Community School district recently announced that a consultant had classified more acreage as "wetlands" in a soil survey, the measured amount of that additional property was undetermined.

Tilton and Associates, a wetland management, ecological restoration, landscape architecture and resource policy firm, prepared a wetland evaluation for the Gourley parcel on which the school has an option to purchase.

If the property were completely unsuitable for the purpose of building a school, there are contingencies in the sales agreement that would allow the district to back out if necessary.

Representatives from Tilton walked the site, flagged the probable wetland areas and have had computers calculate the actual acreage. The amount of 28 acres is approximately one-third of the total of nearly 90 acres in the entire Gourley parcel.

"The 28 acres looks to be pri-

marily on the parcel the school intends to purchase," Theresa Schenk, finance director for Manchester Community Schools, said last week.

The property will be divided into two parcels, one with the Gourley's home and an additional 76.06 acres for the school's needs.

"That means there would be at least 48 acres of the property the school is buying that is suitable for building, based on the information we have right now," Schenk said.

A Nov. 6 meeting is set with Rick Schramm of the Department of Environmental Quality to get a better idea of how much of the property the DEQ would classify as wetlands.

"If we don't get a determination at that meeting, we should get an idea, and we'll be closer to nailing down what the DEQ will consider wetlands," Schenk said.

Normally, the DEQ does not walk any sites between Sept. 30 and early spring, but the school filed a permit application to begin preparation for building. The district was thus able to obtain a meeting with Schramm and avoided waiting until spring to begin site preparations.

Schenk said that a retention pond would be a requirement

of the construction of the 131,500-square foot building planned for the new high school.

With large impervious surfaces including roads, parking

lots and the building itself, the runoff increases. This water must be retained and filtered before returning to the ground water.

"A portion of the wetland

property can be used for the retention pond," Schenk said.

The school's engineer will have to calculate the actual size requirements of a retention pond, she added.

## Agreement provides potential solution

■ 425 agreement offers possible compromise for school-township dispute.

By Laura Merte

Staff Writer

A little-known, seldom-used act passed by the Michigan legislature could allow the new high school, located in Sharon Township, to be serviced by the village of Manchester without the property being annexed.

Public Act 425 of 1984 makes it possible for two governing bodies to transfer an area of land, with a written agreement detailing such matters as police & fire coverage, water & sewer supply, tax revenue distribution, growth control, and zoning. The agreement can last for a term of up to 50 years, and extended once for a total of 100 years.

Typically, 425 agreements are used in cases of economic development, when the distri-

bution of tax money or state-shared revenue is in question. In Manchester Community Schools' case, however, the main issues involve utility, police, and fire coverage. A 425 would allow the village of Manchester to provide these services to the new high school.

The advantage of a 425 is that it provides detailed parameters for how the property can be used for the duration of the contract.

A 425 agreement can be a faster and easier alternative to annexation. It also prevents any part of the property from being annexed for the duration of the contract.

What is most crucial to the process of forming a 425 agreement is complete cooperation from all parties involved. Unrestrained sharing of information is critical on the part of the village and the township, especially since the method is relatively new and runs against the way

things have traditionally been done in Manchester.

The possibility of using P.A. 425 to bring village utilities to the new high school site was brought up at the Oct. 15 meeting of the Manchester school board. If the board decides to pursue such a contract as an option, several things will have to take place.

Both parties will have to make decisions regarding the length of the contract, tax revenue sharing, enforcement of the contract, and who has jurisdiction over the property upon termination of the agreement.

A variety of additional items may be written into the contract, including provisions for water and sewer supply, and police and fire coverage.

At least one public hearing is required by the act, and the final decision to enter into the contract will be made through a majority vote by representatives of both the village and township.

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# COMMUNITY CALENDAR

**Nov. 1**  
Girls basketball at Vandercook Lake, 5:30 p.m.  
Sharon Township Board of Trustees meets at 8 p.m. at the township hall.  
American Legion Post 117 meets at 7:30 p.m. at the American Legion Home.  
Manchester Township Planning Commission meets at 8 p.m. at the township hall.  
**Nov. 2**  
Alcoholics Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. in the Emanuel United Church of Christ kitchen.  
Al-Anon meets at 7 p.m. at Emanuel United Church of Christ, in the third and fourth-grade room.  
**Nov. 3**  
Manchester Kiwanis Club meets at 8 a.m. at the village hall. Call 428-8976 for membership information.  
**Nov. 4**  
American Legion breakfast is held from 8 a.m. to noon at the American Legion Hall.  
**Nov. 5**  
Euchre Night at the American Legion, 7 p.m. All are welcome.  
Manchester Village Council meets at 7 p.m. at the village hall.  
Preceptor Gamma Theta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi meets. For more information call Diana Sloat at 428-7253.  
Masonic Lodge business meeting takes place at 7:30 p.m.  
**Nov. 6**  
Alzheimer's Family Caregiver Support Group meets from 1 to 3 p.m. at Turner Senior Resource Center, 2401 Plymouth Road, Suite C, Ann Arbor. Contact the Alzheimer's Association at (800) 337-3827 or (734) 677-3081.  
Girls basketball vs. Napoleon at home, 5:30 p.m.  
Boostompers meet at 7 p.m. at Emanuel United Church of Christ.  
Manchester Band Boosters meet at 7 p.m. in the high school band room.  
Freedom Township Planning Commission meets at 7:30 p.m. at the Freedom Township Hall.  
**Nov. 7**  
Awana Clubs meet at 6:30 p.m. at Community Bible Church.  
Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners meets at 7 p.m. at the County Administration Building.  
Raisin Valley Land Trust meets at 7:30 p.m. at the Blacksmith Shop.

Shop.  
Veterans of Foreign Wars meets at 7:30 p.m. at the American Legion Home.  
**Nov. 8**  
Male Caregiver Support Group for husbands, sons and partners of someone with Alzheimer's disease or related dementia meets from 9:30 to 11 a.m. at Westside United Methodist Church, 900 S. Seventh St., Ann Arbor.  
Girls basketball vs. Western at home, 5:30 p.m. Parents Night.  
**Coming Events**  
Veteran's Day Dinner at American Legion Hall 1 p.m. Nov. 11. Veterans and their families are invited to partake in a potluck dinner. Bring a dish to pass.  
Christmas in the Village, is set for Nov. 17. Featuring downtown merchants, craft show at American Legion, home businesses and lunch with Santa at Klager Elementary School, bake sale at Manchester United Methodist Church. The Nutcracker skits and more.

## MANCHESTER

**Thursday**  
Sharon Township Board of Trustees meets at 8 p.m. on the first Thursday of each month at the township hall.  
American Legion Post 117 meets at 7:30 p.m. the first Thursday of the month at the American Legion Home.  
Manchester Township Planning Commission meets at 8 p.m. on the first and third Thursday of each month at the township hall.  
Manchester Cub Scout Pack meets at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of each month at St. Mary's Catholic Church Parish Center.  
Sharon Township Planning Commission meets at 8 p.m. on the third Thursday of each month at the township hall.  
United Way Board meets at 12 p.m. on the third Thursday of each month at the St. Mary's Catholic Church Parish Hall.  
Community Resource Center Board meets at 7:30 p.m. on the fourth Thursday of each month at the center.  
King's Volunteers meet on the fourth Thursday of each month at 1 p.m. at the Manchester United Methodist Church.  
**Friday**  
Alcoholics Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. each Friday in the Emanuel United Church of Christ kitchen.  
Al-Anon meets at 7 p.m. each Friday in the Emanuel United Church of Christ 3-4 grade classroom.  
**Saturday**  
Manchester Kiwanis Club meets at 8 a.m. on the first and

third Saturday at the village hall. Call 428-8976 for membership information.  
**Sunday**  
American Legion breakfast is held from 8 a.m. to noon on the first Sunday of each month, October through June, at the American Legion Hall.  
Parkinson Education and Support Group meets at 1:30 p.m. on the second Sunday of each month. Call 930-6335 for information.  
Taize Worship on the second Sunday of each month, 7 p.m. at the United Methodist Church.  
Boy Scout breakfast on the third Sunday of each month, September through May, at St. Mary's Catholic Church Parish Center.  
**Monday**  
Euchre Night at the American Legion, 7 p.m. each Monday from October through May. All are welcome.  
Manchester Village Council meets at 7 p.m. on the first and third Monday of each month at the village hall.  
Preceptor Gamma Theta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi meets on the first and third Monday of each month. For more information call Diana Sloat at 428-7253.  
Masonic Lodge business meeting takes place at 7:30 p.m. on the first Monday of each month.  
Manchester Optimist Club meets at 6:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday of each month at Emanuel United Church of Christ.  
Manchester Area Chamber of Commerce Board meets on the second Monday of each month at 7:30 a.m. at the new Village Hall. All chamber members may attend.  
Manchester District Library Board meets at 7:00 p.m. on the second Monday of each month at the new village hall, 912 City Road.  
Bridgewater Township Planning Commission meets at 7:30 p.m. on the second Monday of each month at the Bridgewater Township Hall.  
Manchester Knights of Columbus meets at 8 p.m. on the second Monday of each month at St. Mary's Catholic Church Parish Center.  
Manchester Community Fair Board meets at 8 p.m. on the second Monday of each month at the village building.  
Manchester Township Board meets at 8 p.m. on the second Monday of each month at the Manchester Township Hall.  
Manchester Board of Education meets at 7:00 p.m. on the third Monday of each month in the high school media center.  
**Tuesday**  
Boostompers meet at 7 p.m. each Tuesday at Emanuel United Church of Christ.

Manchester Band Boosters meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month in the high school band room.  
Freedom Township Planning Commission meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month at the Freedom Township Hall.  
Manchester Area Senior Citizens meet at 9:30 a.m. on the second Tuesday of each month at the senior center.  
Little League organizational meeting at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of each month at the high school, room 104.  
Manchester Village Planning Commission meets at 7:30 p.m. on the second Tuesday of each month at the Village Hall.  
20th Century Club meets at 7:30 p.m. on the second Tuesday of each month.  
Freedom Township Board meets at 8 p.m. on the second Tuesday of each month at the Freedom Township Hall.  
Shakespeare Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second and fourth Tuesday of each month.  
Ackerson Middle School PTA meets at 7 p.m. on the third Tuesday of each month at the middle school.  
Manchester Historical Society meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Tuesday of each month at the Blacksmith Shop.  
La Leche League of Western Washtenaw County meets at 10 a.m. on the fourth Tuesday of each month. Call 428-8831 or 475-2094 for location or information.  
Klager Elementary School PTO meets at 6:30 p.m. on the fourth Tuesday of each month. Call 428-8321 for location.  
**Wednesday**  
Awana Clubs meet at 6:30 p.m.

each Wednesday at Community Bible Church.  
Manchester Community Brass Band meets at 7:30 p.m. each Wednesday.  
Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners meets at 7 p.m. on the first Wednesday of each month at the County Administration Building.  
Raisin Valley Land Trust meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Wednesday of each month at the Blacksmith Shop.  
Veterans of Foreign Wars meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Wednesday of each month at the American Legion Home.  
Athletic Boosters meet at 7:30 p.m. on the second Wednesday of each month in the high school media center.  
American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. on the second Wednesday of each month at the American Legion Home.  
Southwest Washtenaw Council of Governments meets at 7:30 p.m. on the second Wednesday of each month. Call (517) 456-4642 for information.  
Women and Infant Children program meets from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the senior center.  
Bridgewater Township Board meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Bridgewater Township Hall.  
Manchester Men's Club meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of each month.  
Manchester Family Services

Community Food Gatherers program takes place from 1 to 3 p.m. on the third Wednesday of each month at St. Mary's Catholic Church Parish Center kitchen.  
Manchester Township Fire Department Board meets at 7:30 p.m. on the fourth Wednesday of each month at the fire hall.  
The Manchester Garden Club meets informally on the fourth Wednesday of each month. Gardeners of all levels of experience are welcome. Call JoAnn Okey at 428-9667 for details.

## ELSEWHERE

Alzheimer's Family Caregiver Support Group meets from 1 to 3 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at Turner Senior Resource Center, 2401 Plymouth Road, Suite C, Ann Arbor. Contact the Alzheimer's Association at (800) 337-3827 or (734) 677-3081.

## GETTING LISTED

If you would like to have your group or organization's event listed in the Community Calendar, call The Manchester Enterprise at 428-8173, fax your copy to 428-9044 or mail to The Manchester Enterprise, 109 East Main Street, Manchester, MI 48158. Calendar events may also be submitted by e-mail to mchartrand@heritage.com. Deadline to have items listed in the Community Calendar is 5 p.m. Friday for the following Thursday's paper.

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# Chamber and merchants finalizing plans for Christmas in the Village

■ A unique holiday tradition.

By Marsha Johnson Chartrand  
Associate Editor

It's the 10th year for Manchester's annual Christmas in the Village celebration and new features will make this a don't-miss experience, whether it is your first or your tenth time in attendance.

Mark Saturday, Nov. 17 on the calendar and enjoy the village atmosphere beginning with a Santa parade on Main Street, a craft show at the American Legion, bake sale at the United Methodist Church on the hill, and open houses at the downtown shops.

Under the 'what's new' category, experience the magic of The

Nutcracker with a preview of excerpts from the holiday classic ballet presented at the Manchester United Methodist Church at 11:30 a.m. A repeat performance be presented during "Lunch With Santa" at 1:30 p.m.

The Youth Dance Theater of Michigan features a troupe of more than 70 local dancers from Manchester and the surrounding area.

A mailbox for letters to Santa will be placed downtown beginning that day. All letters will be answered, so be sure a return address appears on the envelope!

The smell of freshly baked breads, cookies, candies and more will greet you at the doors to Manchester United Methodist Church. The famous "cookie

walk" will be the featured attraction with tables of German and other specialties offered by the local churches. A light lunch will be served at noon.

A Christmas shoppers' paradise will be found at the American Legion Hall with crafts galore, a coffee bar, luncheon hosted by the women of Emanuel United Church of Christ and a respite for tired shoppers 15-minute foot or chair massages offered by Healing Hands II Massage Therapy.

The Manchester High School Key Club and Community Education, will sponsor lunch with Santa Claus from 12 noon to 2 p.m. at Klager Elementary School. A special time of games, prizes and lunch for kids ages 5 to 12 is just \$5. Children four and under must be accompanied by a parent.

Parents can browse the hallways of the school and view the offerings of home based businesses as their children are occupied with Santa activities.

Pick up a flyer in any downtown business that will direct you to the many offerings on Main Street and more. For a special gift for the Manchester Flying Dutchmen fans on your holiday list, stop at the Village Laundry to purchase Dutch wear sponsored by the Manchester Athletic Boosters. After shopping-till-you-drop, lunch and dinner specials are offered at area eateries, too.

Experience shopping the old-fashioned way in quaint downtown Manchester, and start a new hometown tradition for the holidays. See you at Christmas in the Village!



The parade featuring Santa Claus is always a popular attraction at Christmas in the Village.

## Hidden Lake Gardens sets month's classes

By Marsha Johnson Chartrand  
Associate Editor

A three part class in Perennial Gardening Basics will be held from 7 to 9 p.m. on Tuesdays, Nov. 6, 13, and 20 at Hidden Lake Gardens in Tipton. The gardens are located on M-50, three miles west of M-52, and are owned and maintained by Michigan State University.

Endearing, enduring perennials are planted once and enjoyed for years. Learn how to choose, plant and grow them—preparing the bed, choosing perennials for a particular site,

buying wisely, arranging the plants for best effect, and caring for them after they are planted. The instructor, Janet Macunovich, has been designing, planting and caring for perennial gardens in Southeast Michigan since 1984.

The cost of the class is \$36, or \$30 to Friends of Hidden Lake Gardens.

Learn from gourmet cook and Master Gardener, Diane Newell, how herbs bring a delicious, unique taste to meals. Her class, Cooking With Herbs From The Garden, will be held from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Nov. 10.

This lecture-demonstration will show you how herbs can improve basic meals. After sampling, you will take home some of Diane's favorite recipes.

The class will be held in the demonstration kitchen at the Lenawee County, MSU Extension office in Adrian. Directions will be furnished upon registering for class.

The charge for this class is \$12 or \$10 to Friends of Hidden Lake Gardens.

Brighten the gray days of winter with the colors of spring flowers. The workshop, "Forcing Flowering Bulbs," will be held

from 6:30 to 8 p.m. on Nov. 15 and will cover techniques used in forcing bulbs and also forcing branches from flowering trees.

You will plant your own tray of spring bulbs to take home and force into bloom over the winter. Diane Schaldach, Conservatory Manager and Bob Bricault, Education Coordinator, will be the instructors for this program.

The price of \$20, \$18 to Friends of Hidden Lake Gardens, includes materials.

Pre-register to ensure a place in any class, by phoning (517) 431-2060.

## Teen drug abuse seminars set locally

By Marsha Johnson Chartrand  
Associate Editor

"Teens using drugs: How to know and what to do," is a free, ongoing community education series presented by social worker Ron Harrison in the St. Joseph Mercy Hospital Education Center, Classroom EC4, 5305 Elliot Drive in Ypsilanti.

Harrison is a social worker with 28 years of experience working with substance-involved adolescents and their families. The series has been

making a difference to families and others struggling to understand and deal with teen substance abuse. Parents, teens and people who work with teens all are welcome.

Part one will be presented on Tuesday from 7:30 to 9 p.m. It will provide information on how to recognize a teen substance abuse problem, understand the progression of substance abuse, and know when to take action.

Part two, will be presented on Nov. 13 from 7:30 to 9 p.m. It will provide information on what should or should not be done

when a teen substance abuse problem is identified, and will include a recovering teen speaker.

The presentations are free and open to the public. Free literature and refreshments are provided. There will be an opportunity to speak with the presenter after the workshop.

The workshops are sponsored by Dawn Farm, the Livingston/Washtenaw Safe and Drug Free Schools and Communities Act Consortium and the St. Joseph Mercy Health System Healthy Communities department.

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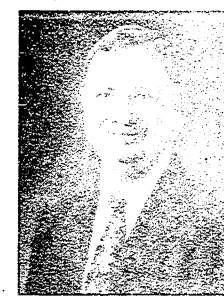
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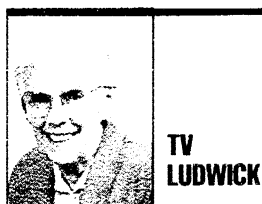
We have again discovered radio on the last two nights when our cable television was off. We were lucky that the strong winds didn't blow something else down besides my small bird feeder. I am also surprised to see both front maples with the leaves intact, as those raked up and to the curb are now once again in the side yard. We were also very fortunate that the heat stayed on. I looked at the temperature about 3 a.m.; it was 37 degrees!

The November-December Senior Trumpet is finished and ready to be picked up at either the senior meals or from Rubena Boelter (she says she carries a few around).

And, here it is the first of November and time for all November-born seniors 55 and older to come to Emanuel's Fellowship Hall to celebrate your birthday. If you haven't been to senior meals, please come try; you'll enjoy these good meals at \$3.25. Just call in reservations to Kelly (ahead) at 428-8359, or to Tod (on meal days, 9 to 10 a.m.) at 428-7630. Cook Sue Miller will prepare teriyaki chicken and birthday cake for your pleasure. Come early to have your picture taken with the others born this month. You may extend your birthday fun by playing cards and bingo at our new room at the Village Hall.

**Monday:** Go along on the senior bus shopping at Adrian. Pickup begins at 9:30 a.m. Call Marion Ahrens at 428-7865 for your ride.

**Tuesday:** Good old roast pork is on the menu for today and you may be able to talk Tod out of another piece (maybe the size of a quarter). What fun! We all enjoy this meal and there are several side dishes to go with our meals: come try them. Then, go to the Village Hall and help straighten out the village Christmas lights which the



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seniors do each year, as they are "tangled."

**Wednesday:** We are so glad to see new seniors (65 and older) who are showing up at yoga class. As instructor Donna Pointer says, "If you'd look in to watch, you'd wonder if we did anything much in the way of exercise." We are! We are stretching out bodies to make circulation better and spines straightened, and she makes us work at it. This is a free class sponsored by Washtenaw Community College for all in our area who qualify in the age limit. We ask that you come just once, maybe to watch. Bring a mat or blanket and a towel rolled-up with rubber bands, or a small pillow for your head. Then come and enjoy!

**Thursday:** Senior Council meeting begins at 9:30 a.m., bring your ideas. The meal today is meat loaf with cards and bingo to follow.

**Friday:** Bethel Church is planning its sauerkraut supper from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. which is held in memory of Elvira Vogel. She was very active in education, and proceeds will go to a scholarship fund in her memory. You may get tickets in town at Sula Jeffers' law office in the bank building, or you may call Mary Sue Moore at 428-9697 to make arrangements for tickets.

Saline Senior Citizens card party is tonight; pickup begins at 6 p.m. Call Mildred Stoll at 428-7828 to attend.

## New bus on the road for senior citizens

Seniors travel in style!

By Laura Merte  
Staff Writer

Manchester Senior Citizens are anxiously awaiting the arrival of a new bus to transport them between the many activities in which they participate.

After eight years and 90,000 miles, the '92 bus is still legally roadworthy, but its worn appearance spurred the decision to acquire a more up-to-date vehicle.

A loaner bus was launched last week to temporarily serve the seniors' needs until a new bus can be produced and delivered.

The new unit is smaller and can be operated with a chauffeur's license, rather than the more complicated commercial driver's license required for the old one.

For 20 years, the senior citizens have applied for and received assistance to operate a transportation program for

senior and disabled citizens. Transportation to meals, and meal delivery to home-bound patrons are the primary roles of the program. In addition, shopping, medical, dial-a-ride, and recreational trips also are planned for the seniors.

Funding for the transportation program comes from a variety of sources, including a grant from Manchester Township, federal and state appropriations, and fees from patrons who are able to pay for the service.

Many hours of volunteer time are spent planning, supervising operations, maintaining the bus and keeping records. Local garages and Manchester area schools' bus garage are generous and helpful with maintenance needs.

The drivers work for a modest salary and provide an essential component of the program. More are always appreciated, and those interested should contact Howard Parr at 428-9233 or Marion Ahrens at 428-7865.



Photo by Marsha Johnson Chartrand  
Maynard Blossom, one of the volunteer drivers for the senior citizens, returns from making a lunchtime run for the Meals On Wheels program.

## Manchester Market looking good

Renovations nearing completion.

By Laura Merte  
Staff Writer

Passing by the Manchester Market, it is difficult not to see the changes taking place. A fresh brick exterior and addition to the rear of the store are only the most visible changes to the Manchester store.

Major alterations inside include the addition of a delicatessen and a new interior décor package. The addition allows for three more aisles and, as a result, an expansion in every department, especially perishable goods.

The market now will carry a larger selection of produce, dairy products, meat, and frozen foods.

"Our goal is to have a store to reflect the growing needs of the community," says co-owner Jeff Tanner.

Renovations began in response to the rising demand for specialty items that the store did not have room to stock, as well as numerous requests for a deli.

The market has been under construction since the beginning of August, and though there is no concrete date for a "Grand Re-opening," Tanner estimates completion at the end of this month.



Photo by Laura Merte  
Something old and something new blends at the Manchester Market as renovations continue. Completion of the project is anticipated for late November.

## Volunteers Honored

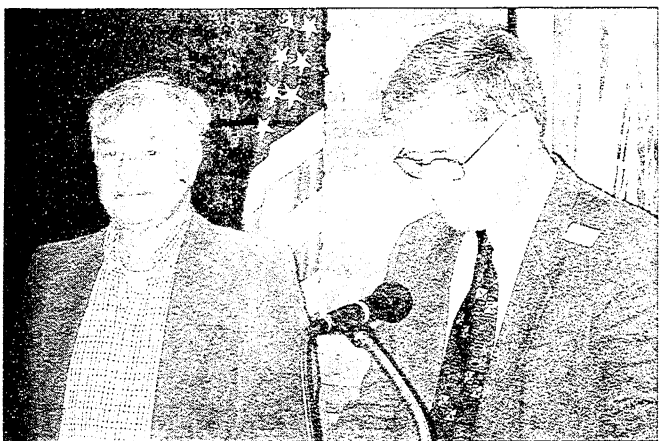


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Don Limpert (left) was honored by the Manchester Area Historical Society for his extensive volunteer work with the organization, at the CRC volunteer banquet on Oct. 20. Pictured with Limpert is Reno Feldkamp of the historical society board.

## Get most from doctor visit

Senior Health Services of Saint Joseph Mercy Health System—Ann Arbor (SJMHS) will present Senior Health Day on Tuesday, from 9 to 11:30 a.m. at Health Stop in Briarwood Mall, just off I-94 at the State Street exit. Health Stop is the health education center of Saint Joseph Mercy Health System.

"How to get the Most From Your Doctor Visit" will feature a presentation by Bharati Srivasta, MD, a geriatric physician, and Debra Longo, MSW, a social worker with Senior Health Services of SJMHS. The speakers will discuss common concerns of patients during a visit to the doctor.

Senior Health Day will begin with flu shots from 9 to 10 a.m. for a \$5 donation. Flu shots are provided on a first come, first served basis. The health lecture will begin at 10 a.m. There also will be healthy foods to sample.

free gifts and prize drawings.

The event is free but reservations are required. Call Health Stop at (734) 827-3777.

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# The ENTERPRISE COMMENTARY

## Street Talk

By Kim Smail

What is your favorite book?



"Harry Potter & the Goblet of Fire." (by J.K. Rowling)  
Rosie Sondeen



"A Child Called It." (by David J. Pelzer)  
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"Girl with a Pearl Earring." (by Tracy Chevalier)  
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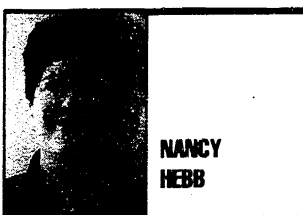
"The Red Badge of Courage." (by Stephen Crane)  
Chris Moutinho

## Canadians' approach to war coverage differs

Daytime television, chicken soup, and a PB&J sandwich were the cure-all for childhood colds. Today they sound like a sentence passed down by an inventive judge. Unless, of course, you're miserable and stuffed up and living in a 102-degree funk. Childhood habits die hard.

So it was purely due to the flu that I happened on the Canadian Broadcasting Company's coverage of their sailors and soldiers heading off to war. From across the continent, Canadians and their families flocked to Halifax, Nova Scotia, to give departing troops a huge send-off.

The daytime news featured interviews with families, details of which armed divisions were involved (but not their destination), and the tradition behind the processional "sail by" performed to give sailors and civilians alike a last wave of "fare well" wishes as the huge ships left port for the Middle East. Not a single serviceman on those ships could have doubted the support of those left at home.



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The news coverage was in-depth, somber, and proud. The faces showed more than the words what worries, regrets, hopes and dedications were weighting the minds and hearts of those on deck and their counterparts on shore. The program lasted longer than what U.S. channels broadcast at the same hour. It was repeated and enlarged for the evening news presentations.

Where, I wondered, was America's equivalent media coverage? Did I miss it? In the rush and numbness following Sept. 11, were there indeed programs paying homage to humans heading into war that I overlooked between the replay-

ing of disaster sites? Were there send-offs equal in pomp and appreciation in Virginia?

Local stations do broadcast still photos of servicemen. It seems almost emotionless, compared to the Canadian coverage.

Or was this an illustration of the different approach taken by American news departments and those abroad? While we focus on anthrax and conjecture, analyzing who is or isn't doing their job correctly, political fallout and images of long-distance bombs hitting objectives, Canada unashamedly embraces the patriotism and emotion of individuals. The immediacy of their very real personal sacrifice is illustrated and applauded. The Canadian public saw faces, not faceless troops, during that program. It had value.

I couldn't help comparing the Canadian coverage of this event to WWII newsreels I'm familiar with only as historical icons of my parents' generation.

What impact would similar coverage, of their classmates

heading overseas, have on Americans younger than I; on their parents and grandparents; on troop and civilian morale? Was a corporate decision made to ignore similar farewells from our country in favor of rehashing "situations" no American could remain unaware of by now? Did the fall-out from Vietnam scare broadcasters away from any lauding of armed servicemen and women?

Would emphasis on our military "farewells" compromise national security?

Would it take our minds off fears of anthrax and insecure air travel?

Maybe it wouldn't provide the networks with enough fodder for talking-head commen-

Maybe I missed our domestic brand of on-air patriotic send-offs.

I hope every American serviceman embarking toward the Middle East enjoyed the same type of attention I saw on that Canadian program. I only wish the personal sacrifice and determination etched on the very real faces of American counterparts could be witnessed by all of our countrymen, as well.

Patriotism and determination have branded the days of all Americans since September 11. Pride in Old

Glory flies strongly across the nation. I hope our pride in the individuals fighting this war is as staunch. Maybe the networks will give them as grand a welcome home as they deserved when they departed.

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## Changes bring surprises, both good and otherwise

Things are a little bit different at the Enterprise this week.

Fortunately—or unfortunately, depending upon your viewpoint—I am still here. That part remains the same. But this week, there is good news and there is bad news to report.

The good news is that a new staff writer has joined me. Laura Merte, a Saline native and a recent graduate of Hope College, is now a permanent staff writer for the Manchester Enterprise. Laura most recently worked as support staff in the advertising department at the Saline Reporter.

While Laura also will be spending much of her time helping customers at the front desk, I believe that her writing talents will have an opportunity to shine here, and we in Manchester are lucky to have her.

Please welcome Laura as she makes the rounds of the community, seeking out story ideas and looking for the all-important quotes that will round out a good article.

But in order to gain Laura,



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**AFTER THOUGHTS**

we had to give up something.

Julie Schaible, who has worked for the Enterprise for almost seven years, has moved her office to 912 City Road as she recently accepted the position as Village Clerk.

Julie and I have been through a lot together. We have watched each other's kids grow up (and between us, we have a really nice bunch of kids). We have laughed together and cried together.

Julie has been my sounding board for story ideas. She has critiqued my columns, both good and bad. I've valued her wisdom and her thoughtful input every single week that

we've worked here together.

I've also admired her patience and perseverance, and her gracious attitude even under fire.

We've seen the Enterprise—and each other—through a change in ownership and several changes in policy and personnel. Though we haven't always agreed, we have become and, I hope, will remain good friends.

And as Forrest Gump once said, a best good friend doesn't come along every day. So you value a friendship when it does come along.

And when an opportunity arises that will take that friend to new horizons, you may be a little bit saddened by the loss but you can rejoice in their good fortune, especially when you know it is the right direction.

And so it goes. As I told Julie, I feel a little bit like Louie in the movie *Papillon*.

This film from the 70s featured Steve McQueen and Dustin Hoffman as prisoners in French Guyana, from which

there was supposedly no escape. McQueen, as Papillon, and Hoffman (Louie), devised a variety of schemes to escape from the island. Each time they were eventually thwarted and put in higher-security prisons.

At the end of the movie, the two found themselves on remote Devil's Island, surrounded by cliffs and sharks. There are no cells or fences in this "prison" because the island is considered inescapable.

By this time, Louie has reconciled himself to living out his life on the island and has gathered a pen full of pet pigs. (Now you know why I like Louie, besides the fact that he's played by Dustin Hoffman).

Papillon, however, has figured out what he considers a foolproof method to escape anyway. He tries to convince Louie to come along, but Louie

is content with his little cottage and his pigs, and decides to stay on.

Miraculously, Papillon does manage to escape successfully from the island in the end.

I don't know. It seemed like an analogy to me. Like Papillon, Julie is making a

good move and is heading in the right direction. I can rejoice in her good fortune.

Someone said to me last week that they heard I had lost Julie. I said that she wasn't lost—I know exactly where to find her after all.

the road to a friends house is never long.

I guess the one constant in life is change, however. And I find that with each change I start to resist, comes another one from which I can benefit. So I will be satisfied.

Life is good, no matter where I am.

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# Youngster learns that you're always old enough to help

■ Klager pupil donates her hair to Locks of Love.

By Marsha Johnson Chartrand

Heritage Newspapers

Six-year-old Hailey Ahrens may be young but she knows what she wants.

And what she wanted was a haircut.

So, she decided to give the hair that she had cut off to Locks of Love, a Florida-based charity that provides hairpieces to financially disadvantaged children under the age of 18 with medical hair loss. Children comprise over 80 percent of the donors to Locks of Love, making this a charity where children

have the opportunity to help other children.

"She never had her hair cut before," said her mother, Nicole, who admits to having some very mixed feelings about this big change in her oldest daughter. "I really loved her hair long, and this was the best way I could justify it."

Hailey says she feels good about the change. "Because a little girl can wear some hair on their heads" due to her donation from the heart.

So they braided Hailey's long hair and went to visit Lidya Gallagher at her home salon in Chelsea. The hairdresser cut off Hailey's braid and enclosed it in a plastic zip-lock bag, according to Locks of Love's hair donation

guidelines.

The pert first-grader, a pupil in Pat Merrill and Suzanne Birgy's class at Klager Elementary School, says she likes her new hairstyle. "because it's easier to brush." But, she says she liked having long hair too—except, perhaps, when she had to comb it.

Locks of Love was begun in 1997 and in the four years since its inception, has helped more than 500 children deal with the changes in self-esteem and confidence related to medical hair loss. Each hairpiece is custom made by hand and vacuum-fitted to its recipient. It takes about 10 hair donations to make a single hairpiece.

Hailey, who has a little sister

Sydney, says she thinks that maybe she will grow her hair out again and perhaps send another 10 to 12-inch braid to Locks of Love in the future. And she hopes that maybe Sydney will also decide to help other kids by donating her hair some day.

"My mommy said it would be a good thing," she says when asked why she made such a momentous decision.

On a blustery late-October day, Hailey may be thinking that long hair is warmer, but she doesn't regret her decision.

After all, hair can always grow back.

Learn more about the Locks of Love hair donation program at [www.locksoflove.org](http://www.locksoflove.org).



Hailey Ahrens—and her mommy—thought it would be a good thing to donate her long locks to the Locks of Love program.

## OBITUARIES

### HELEN A. PIERMAN

Helen A. Pierman, age 90, died on Oct. 27 at home in Northville. She was born June 29, 1911 to Jacob and Clara (Cowden) Allen in Columbus Grove, Ohio.

Mrs. Pierman, formerly of Belleville, had resided in Northville since 1992. She was a member of the Belleville First United Methodist Church and active with the United Methodist Women.

She is survived by two daughters, Carrie (Scott) Preuninger of Manchester and Faith (Jon) McClory of Northville. Also surviving are four grandchildren, Casey and Abbey Preuninger and Jonathon and Jacob McClory. Her husband, S. Carey Pierman, preceded her in death in 1970.

Services were held on Oct. 30 at the Northville First United Methodist Church, with the Rev. Arthur Spafford officiating. Interment was in Hillside Cemetery in Belleville, and Casterline Funeral Home made arrangements.

The family requests that memorial contributions be made to Belleville First United Methodist Church, the Northville First United Methodist Church or Angela Hospice of Livonia.

### EARL L. UHR

Earl L. Uhr, age 82 of Manchester, died Oct. 28, 2001 at his daughter's home in Saline.

He was born on Aug. 8, 1919 in Manchester, the son of William and Alma (Detling) Uhr. He married Olga Hartl on Aug. 27, 1946 in Clarkson, Neb., and she preceded him in death on June 2, 2001.

Mr. Uhr retired from Double A Products in Manchester after 37 years of devoted service. He also worked at the Bomber Plant at Willow Run during World War II as

well as the Ford Plant in Highland and Ford Camp.

Each Tuesday morning, Mr. Uhr had breakfast with his lifelong friends. He was quite a gardener, and spent countless hours caring for his large lawn. He was known for his whistling and he loved his cat Sam. He always looked forward to Friday nights when his family would gather around him and everyone would share pizza.

Mr. Uhr is survived by a daughter, Connie (Paul) Marion of Saline; a son, Randy (Linda) Uhr of Manchester; 13 grandchildren, Mike Marcia, Melissa, Mark, Matt, Martin, Melvin, Milton, Mitch, Molly, Marie, Deanna and Brian; and one great-grandson, David. He also is survived by a sister, Mae (Bob) Panches; two brothers-in-law, Louie (Bonnie) Hartl and LaVern Hartl; a sister-in-law, Lillian (Bill) Best; and many nieces and nephews.

Visitation was held on Tuesday at the Jenter & Braun Funeral Home, Manchester Chapel. Funeral Prayers were held Wednesday morning and a Mass of Christian Burial was held at 11 a.m. on Wednesday from St. Mary's Catholic Church in Manchester. Burial was in St. Mary's Cemetery in Manchester.

Memorial contributions may be made to Arbor Hospice.

### OPAL I. KING MOORE

Opal I. King Moore, age 93, died on Oct. 26, 2001.

Mrs. Moore was born on May 30, 1908, in Grant City, Worth County, Mo. to John & Ellen (Carnes) King. She was married to Ernest Moore on Feb. 3, 1932 and he preceded her in death.

Mrs. Moore and her husband came to Ann Arbor in 1941 and then settled on their farm in Manchester in 1946. She was a member of the United Methodist Women.

Seven grandchildren, 17 great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews survive her. Besides her husband, she was preceded in death by a stepdaughter, Mrs. Mary Jones; a stepson, Samuel Moore; five brothers and three sisters.

Visitation was held on Oct. 31, 2 p.m. at the Jenter & Braun Funeral Home, Manchester Chapel, followed by a funeral service at 2:30 p.m. with the Rev. Faye McKinstry officiating.

Burial was in Norvell Township Cemetery.

## SEWER

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The petitioners also said the project was excessively expensive, and asked the board to look for less costly alternatives.

"We have looked at other alternatives," Peacock said. "With the grant, we believe we've come up with the best deal in town."

"Two of the speakers in favor of the project pointed out that if each individual property owner

did their own engineered field, it would cost substantially more. If they were even able to have such a field on their individual property."

Peacock added that those who still object to the project do have a right of appeal to the state.

Ongoing water-quality issues in the hamlet of Bridgewater were the driving force behind the board pursuing the sewer project, which has been under consideration for more than two

years. Last year, a drinking water test performed by the state, showed 11 of 38 tested were positive for coliform bacteria.

"Chlorinating the wells does not resolve the root problem," Peacock said. "In our opinion, the root cause of the problem is

the failing septic fields. But different people have different viewpoints."

The township's engineering firm, Tetra Tech, is getting underway with planning and the county plans to issue bonds next May. Construction is slated for 2002.

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<b>Mountain Dulcimer Workshop</b> Joseph Zisgray Saturday, Nov. 17, 9:00 am-12:00 pm Klager/Art Room. Cost: \$24/\$35 material fee payable to instructor Come learn to play this wonderful 3 stringed American instrument. Participants will receive their own mountain dulcimer to take home and will learn to play at least 10 songs on the dulcimer. No prior musical training or experience is necessary.	<b>Ukulele Workshop</b> Saturday, Nov. 17, 12:30-2:30 pm Klager/Art Room. Cost: \$16/\$25 material fee payable to instructor Workshop goes will learn to play this wonderful 4 stringed instrument. Participants will receive their own ukulele to take home and will learn to play at least 7 songs on the ukulele. No prior musical training or experience is necessary.
<b>Harmonica Workshop</b> Joseph Zisgray Saturday, Nov. 17, 3:00-5:00 pm Klager/Art Room. Cost: \$10/\$15 material fee payable to instructor This 2-hour workshop will teach participants to play the harmonica. Participants will receive their own harmonica to take home and will leave the workshop having played at least 10 songs. No prior musical training is necessary.	<b>Lunch with Santa</b> Saturday, Nov. 17, 12:00-2:00 pm Klager/Gym. Cost: \$5/person Come join the fun on Nov. 17 when Santa will once again join Manchester children (ages 5-12) for a great time. Not only will you have lunch with Santa, they'll be lots of games and prizes too!
<b>Gingerbread House</b> Monday, Nov. 12, 6:00-8:00 pm Klager Art Rm. Cost: \$15 (one parent & child) Create a magical Gingerbread House for the holidays with your child.	<b>Creative Cards</b> Wednesday, Nov. 7, 5:45-7:45 pm Klager Art Room Cost: \$15/\$10.00 material fee payable to instructor. Need a card in a hurry? We will teach you the basic skills needed to make beautiful cards.

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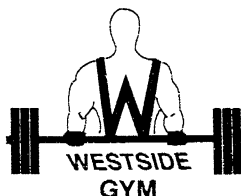
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 It's time for Manchester's 10th Annual "Christmas in the Village" This year Manchester Community Education will sponsor the Home Business Trade Show in conjunction with the Santa Luncheon located at Klager Elementary School.

# Pathways diverge as a new high school program develops

■ Career pathways program expanding.

By Marsha Johnson Chartrand  
Associate Editor

As the Career Pathways program at Manchester High School gets under way this school year, guidance counselor Jim Fielder said the program will integrate the career track with volunteerism and community experience as well as work experience throughout the Manchester community.

"We are looking for employers in the community to work with," Fielder said. "The current work co-op program is headquartered in Saline, but students certainly can get to Manchester job sites more conveniently."

Fielder said he is working with students to tie their school experiences more closely into

career development.

"Right now we have a work experience program, and work co-op through the South and West Washtenaw Consortium," he said. "We are trying to develop a mentorship volunteer program where the student might find experiences through job shadowing or go to a job site and do a one-day contact."

This type of contact would allow the high school students to see what a certain job entails, and can be a one-time appointment or an ongoing mentoring relationship for a longer term.

The goal is that the student be involved in some work related to his or her own field of interest.

"That would be an expansion of where we're at with our program right now," Fielder said.

Currently, the guidance office is working with members of the class of 2005 to develop

Educational Development Plans. Students are becoming familiar with a web site that will document interests and experiences. Each student has his or her own personal pages on this site.

"The students can have this information in a central location," Fielder said. "They can go back and update it and keep it current without dealing with a paper copy."

The Career Pathways program was introduced last year at the high school and has grown with a recent \$57,000 matching-funds grant from the state. It provides a shift in focus from the traditional "reading, writing and arithmetic" curriculum and expands the students an opportunity to prepare for a career after graduation from high school.

## Theatrical Debut



The middle school Theatrics class performed "It's Bigfoot," a one-act play by Tim Kelly, on Oct. 26. Front row performers included Josh Kasbohm (left), Emily McConnell, Alex Breilein, Stephanie Mackres, Andy Moutinho, Hannah Gregerson. Middle row: Katelyn Gall, Justin Baier, Kristina Fernandez and Jeff VanRaden. Back row: Sara Wootke, Zach LaCross, Travis Church, Alanna Gehring, Steven Dettling, Chris Lilienthal and teacher Liz Reumann.

# Residents attend land-use planning seminar in Chelsea

■ Organizers encourage attendees to get involved in government.

By Kent Ashton Walton  
Special Writer

More than 100 people attended a seminar on land use, growth and the environment Saturday at the Washington Street Education Center in Chelsea.

The focus of the seminar was about how to control and manage development to minimize the adverse impact on the environment and the loss of farmland.

The seminar, titled "How Should Washtenaw Grow?" was organized by the Ann Arbor Ecology Center. It featured Joan Nassauer, a professor at the University of Michigan School of Natural Resources. Her keynote address was called "New Ecologies for Cities and Farms."

Nassauer's talk was followed by a panel discussion on farmland preservation in Washtenaw County. Barry Lonik, executive director of the Washtenaw Land Trust, as well as Dale Lesser, a Dexter Township farmer, and Rob Ewing, a Washtenaw County real estate agent, spoke.

Elizabeth Brater of the Ecology Center hosted the seminar. She introduced the topic by emphasizing the need to write conservation standards into local zoning ordinances to pro-

tect open space and agricultural areas. Brater also pointed out a need for state funding to pay for preservation programs such as purchase of development rights.

In her address, Nassauer said that growth and development must be "culturally sustainable," meaning that it must be consistent with people's preferences and values over time. Environments that are enjoyable and ecologically sound will tend to be cared for and preserved, she said.

Nassauer also pointed out that as land use and patterns change, they should be designed to improve ecologically.

She said communities should design landscapes that enhance water quality, habitat diversity and connectivity by managing indigenous landscape structures into large connected geomorphic, rather than geometric patches. Impervious surfaces should give way to porous surfaces. Diversity of plant and animal life needs to be encouraged, she said.

Nassauer showed examples of rainwater gardens designed to detain water. These gardens are planted with a variety of native species in place of lawns. In surveys, she found that most people

prefer a mix of grass, native plants and trees to a bare lawn.

Nassauer said that wetlands need protection from agricultural and residential run-off through storm-water management. Open space is more valuable, she said, if it is connected to large patches of ecological habitat that interconnect with habitats in other areas. Isolated open spaces are less ecologically sound.

During the panel discussion, Lonik said transfer of development rights and purchase of development rights programs need funding.

Although Washtenaw County had the highest number of applicants for purchase of development rights in Michigan this year, the state was only able to fund a handful.

Lonik said that development itself is not as problematic as how development is managed. He referred to studies conducted by his organization that indicate for every \$1 of revenue, there is \$1.40 in costs for residential development because there are external costs associated with services.

Agricultural and commercial facilities subsidize residential development, so it is in the com-

munity's interest to preserve farmland and open space from excess residential development, he said.

Lesser looked at changes in farming in the last 50 years and the failure of the 1998 Purchase of Development Rights bill. He said many farmers may have been confused and thought that if the bill passed, their taxes would increase.

Lesser said that local farmers are concerned about the future of farming, and that many farms are held in a family's member's name because of divorces and problems paying taxes.

Farmland is taxed according to its potential, not agricultural value. When farmland is transferred, taxes increase. Lesser said that his total taxes are more than 50 percent of his income, and that farmers must have a huge investment to make a modest living at farming.

Real estate agent Bob Ewing spoke about why he thinks peo-

ple move from cities to the countryside. One reason he gave was an increase in mobility. Another was to avoid congestion and other city problems.

When people move to the countryside, Ewing said they don't want farmers to sell their land to developers because they want to be near green areas such as farms and parks.

Ewing considers himself a supporter of green development. He said that developers view themselves as working within local rules to fulfill a need.

Ewing said some municipalities provide tax breaks for residents who convert lawns to habitats.

He also pointed out that housing cooperatives and condominium developments are feasible alternatives to sprawl.

After the talks and lunch, the public was invited to attend a selection of workshops. Laura Rubin of the Huron River

Watershed Council discussed wetland ordinances and watersheds. Washtenaw County Drain Commissioner Janis Bobrin talked about storm-water management, and Jack Smiley of the Southeast Michigan Land Conservancy and Scott Everett of the American Farmland Trust spoke about farmland preservation. Brater talked about township planning processes.

Brater suggested that townships should plan regionally and amend zoning ordinances to include conservation design standards. Citizens must attend township-based planning meetings after familiarizing themselves with the issues, she said.

She suggested that residents become involved in local government and become informed about zoning processes, as well as procedures for holding a referendum when they disagree with local decisions.

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## WEDDINGS



### WALTER-FIELDER

St. Mary of Good Counsel Catholic Church in Adrian was the setting for the July 14 wedding of Deanna M. Walter and Thomas E.G. Fielder. The couple exchanged vows during a 2 p.m. ceremony performed by the Rev. Thomas Helfrich. An evening reception was held at Weber's Inn in Ann Arbor.

Janice VanWagner of West Hollywood, Calif., served as maid of honor while Laure Wiethoff of Lawrence, Kan. was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Renee Till of Royal Oak and Jaime Gibbons of Plymouth. Best men were Matthew Fielder of Westland and Ryan Fielder of Ypsilanti. Groomsman were 2nd Lt. Christian Walter of Camp Pendleton, Calif. and Chris Wiethoff of Lawrence, Kan.

The bride is the daughter of Ron and Carol Walter of Adrian. She is a graduate of Adrian High School and Eastern Michigan University. She earned her master's degree at Wayne State University and is a school social

worker at the YMCA Service Learning Academy in Detroit.

Jim and Mary Anne Fielder of Manchester are parents of the bridegroom. He is a graduate of Manchester High School and has earned both a bachelor's and master's degree at Eastern Michigan University. He is a technical consultant with CCE Consulting in Rochester Hills.

A honeymoon is planned for spring 2002. The couple is making their home in Ypsilanti Township.

## Chili cookoff called another success

By Marsha Johnson Chartrand  
Associate Editor

The Great Renegade Chili Cook-off attracted 15 cooks and nearly 100 tasters and spectators on Oct. 13 at the American Legion Hall.

Sponsored by the Manchester Men's Club, the event is in its eighth year and the competition gets hotter each year. This year's winners were Kari Ball and Jean Robert in first place, with Kari's father Bill Riley in a close second.

The Riley clan must corner the market on chili cookery as the judges chose Michelle and Toby Riley for third place. John Newman claimed fourth

place and the mother-daughter team of Dawna Stockwell and Kellie Whitt came in fifth.

Proceeds of \$587.50 from the Chili Cook-off and the dance that followed will be added to a \$413 donation from the Manchester Men's Club and given to the Manchester Township Fire Department to benefit a fund for the New York City fire fighters. The \$1,000 total

**"It was a very good success, we hope to see everyone next year."**

— Bob Rhees  
Men's Club Treasurer

donation from Manchester is yet one more outpouring of generosity in the wake of the Sept. 11 terrorist attack.

"It was a very good success," said Men's Club treasurer Bob Rhees. "We hope to see everyone next year."



Photo by Barbara Parks

First-place chili cooks Kari Ball (left) and Jean Robert look pleased with their accomplishment.

## Cable upgrade introduces newest technology

■ Manchester residents benefit from increased cable programming.

By Laura Merte  
Staff Writer

When Comcast cable customers in Manchester turned on their televisions last Friday, they found more than 20 new channels waiting for them.

"These channel additions are a great first step in our broadband network upgrade in Manchester," says Leigh Ann Hughes, Vice President and General Manager of Comcast's

Ann Arbor System, of which Manchester is part.

There's something for everyone in the new channels Comcast has added. MSNBC and Fox News Channel will appeal to those closely watching current events. The Golf Channel and Speedvision are additions for sports fans.

Food Network, HGTV, Style and The Travel Channel focus on today's lifestyles while TV Land is a favorite of fans of many long-time television clas-

sics. And there is much more.

Manchester customers who currently use Comcast Total Basic Cable service now receive 64 channels, up from 41. Also as a result of the upgrade, new premium movie channels including Starz! and Encore are available.

As Comcast completes its network activities in Manchester over the next several months, residents will be able to choose

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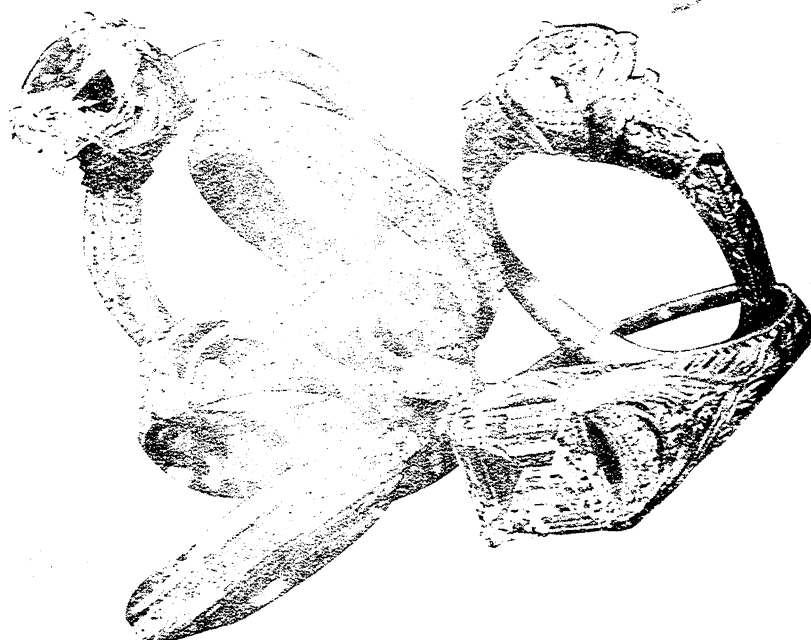
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# Looking Back



## A story from the past.

On July 1, 1939, Constance (Connie) and Don Dresselhouse were married, and from that point on she kept a journal detailing their life together, in particular the many vacations they took.

Connie's journal was submitted by June Jenter of Manchester, whose husband, Ron, is Don Dresselhouse's cousin.

The opening scene of Connie's journal is the story of her wedding in Saginaw, Michigan. The ceremony took place at St. Andrew Catholic Church, with the reception at the Bancroft House, and the honeymoon through northern Michigan, Milwaukee and Chicago, to Don's parents' home in Manchester, and back to Saginaw.

Life has been very full and exciting since our marriage. July 1, 1939. We started off the wedding in a comedy of errors.

We drove our car overtown in the morning to park it, having been warned in advance that Ray intended to do things to it. On the way over, the Genesee St. bridge was up and we waited, ages it seemed, until a small boat eased gently through.

After parking the car on a remote street several blocks from downtown, we started back and were held up once more by a train at Genesee St.

Upon arrival at our apartment, where Don was to hurriedly dress, Mother and Dad D. drove up and, of course, several precious minutes were spent in greeting them and showing them the apartment.

I dashed up the front stairs and found Mother pacing up and down the patio. She exclaimed, "Young lady, are you going to be married today?"

I gasped out a "Yes!" and tore through the house, shedding clothes as I went. After a quick shower, I pulled on my wedding dress only to find that the slip was not heavy enough for daylight, so I had to put on another white slip.

The something old, something

new, something borrowed and something blue were hurriedly assembled and a very gay wedding party piled into cars and started for St. Andrews.

Amber met us in the front and took moving pictures of the whole crowd, all fifteen of us, as we filed into the rectory. Father Kroboth seemed to be by far the most nervous of all. I seemed to have the sensation that I was standing far off and watching someone else recite the marriage vows - not myself.

Father Kroboth pronounced us man and wife and reached out a hand to congratulate Don. However, at that moment, we were more interested in a "first" kiss than in accepting congratulations.

Mother was very calm, bless her heart, and didn't cry at all. Perhaps they were too glad to get me off their hands!

It was a very gay crowd that piled back into our cars and headed for the Bancroft. On the way over, Bill suddenly remembered we had no wine to toast the bride, so he dashed over and got some.

The Bancroft looked very lovely with the fireplace decorated and the huge centerpiece of white. Amber and Gerry in their long summer gowns and gardenias added to the atmosphere. Everyone was very gay and happy - although I must admit I can't really remember what we ate.

Uncle Bill, who had been very impressed with our small apartment, asked if everyone had seen our cute little "dollhouse."

Whereupon I cracked out, "What

do you mean, dollhouse? We mean business!" Mother threatened to disown me on the spot!

We returned to the house and all our friends started coming to our reception. It was so nice to see everyone, even though I did try to introduce Myrtle and Gerry! Ray and Olive arrived from Ann Arbor and Ray immediately tried to find out where our car was!

The beer was in the basement, where everyone seemed to congregate, and the photographer arrived to take our pictures in front of the fireplace. I'm afraid I was much too happy to do anything but smile - no serious wedding pictures for us.

I changed into my "going away suit" and suddenly the door opened and Don grabbed me by the hand and pulled me through the house, out the back door, exclaiming excitedly, "Carl is driving around the block and will pick us up in front."

We tore out to the front of the house - and no Carl. We ran down the sidewalk, all the kids right after us, and still no Carl. Finally, Carl put in an appearance and we dashed - and Fritz and Helen still after us. They finally stopped us and just wanted to wish us luck and prove they could follow us if they wanted to.

We found our car without mishap and were on our way. We drove to Cadillac and Don went into the Northwood Hotel to secure a room. I had warned him not to sign the register "Mr. D. G. Dresselhouse and Wife" and when he came out, a grin spread from ear to ear. He had signed the register "D. G. Dresselhouse," without thinking, and remembering my warning, wrote "Mr. and Mrs." on the line above!

We left Cadillac the next noon and drove to St. Ignace. There we

checked in at the Travelers Hotel - the same room Mother and Dad had spent a whole summer in a few years back. The next day we took the speedboat over to Mackinac Island and wandered all around the island. It was a beautiful place and we had a lot of fun.

We left St. Ignace that afternoon and drove to Manistee. It was a beautiful drive through wooded country. A deer was struggling through a fence at the side of the road and broke through just after we passed. He darted across the road and leaped over the hood of the car following, his feet striking the fender. However, it didn't appear to faze him and he gracefully leaped a fence and ran off into the woods.

Manistee was a busy little city - the largest city around for a good many miles. It is supposed to have a mile-long main street. I was too tired to walk that far and challenge it, but Don went off for a walk all by himself and said he really believed it was a mile long.

The next morning we appeared at breakfast, very self-possessed and looking like an old married couple. Another couple, obviously newlyweds, eased into the coffee shop, very red faces and looking from side to side. The girl was all dressed up in a blue silk dress, white hat and GLOVES! Boy, did I feel like an old married woman then.

It was a dull, dreary day when we started but seemed to brighten up as we went along. We drove down the Wisconsin coast, through Green Bay (stopping there long enough to indulge in a beer) and made our way to Milwaukee.

There is a town! We registered at the Plankinton Hotel and went down to look over the town. Everyone was very friendly. We

stopped in a nice little bar for a drink and asked the waiter to suggest a good place to go. He suggested the Tic-Tac-Toe Club, a short distance up the street. We followed his advice and it was a lot of fun. They had a very good floor show. We danced and watched the show until rather late and then stopped at Child's for a sandwich. I had lobster salad - and of course it made me sick at night!

Next morning we went through some of the stores and then made our way to Chicago. It was only about 100 miles but mostly through traffic. We went to the Bismarck Hotel where Uncle Bill was waiting for us, and he had engaged a GRAND room for us: as big as any two rooms put together.

We had dinner at Henrici's that night - and a grand dinner it was, too. Afterward Uncle Bill took us over and got tickets for us to see John Barrymore in "My Dear Children." We sat in the first row and got a huge kick out of it. He was very funny and persisted in mixing up his lines and confusing the whole cast, whereupon he would ad lib until everything was back in order.

The second night in Chicago we went to a musical show, "One for the Money." It was entertaining but not too good. However, we enjoyed it. After this we went to the Panther Room at the Sherman Hotel and had some drinks and danced to Bunny Berigan's Orchestra. There was no floor show but they did have a Jitterbug contest which was a riot. We had a grand time there.

The next day we left for

Manchester - where we stayed overnight and left Saturday for Saginaw.

We spent Saturday in our own apartment and felt much more strange than we had felt the whole week. Sunday we went to church and returned with our car loaded up with wedding presents, only to discover that we had both left our outside door keys in the house - and the Friedli's had gone on a picnic. We called them all day long and they finally returned about 10 p.m. so we really didn't get much settled that day.

After one very happy week in our apartment, Broeker called one morning and ordered Don to leave immediately and make resort territory. Just as we had thought he was going to be home for a while. I returned to Mother and Dad's and we spent only our weekends together for the whole summer.

I had one more week's vacation coming, however, so we made arrangements to go to Grand Lake for a week. Don was working in Alpena and Grand Lake was only about 30 miles from there. It was a beautiful, restful spot. The only trouble was, there was no one for me to pal around with or even talk to much. Don came home early, however, and we proceeded to "do" Alpena every night.

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Spinach Salad Entry



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Donna and her  
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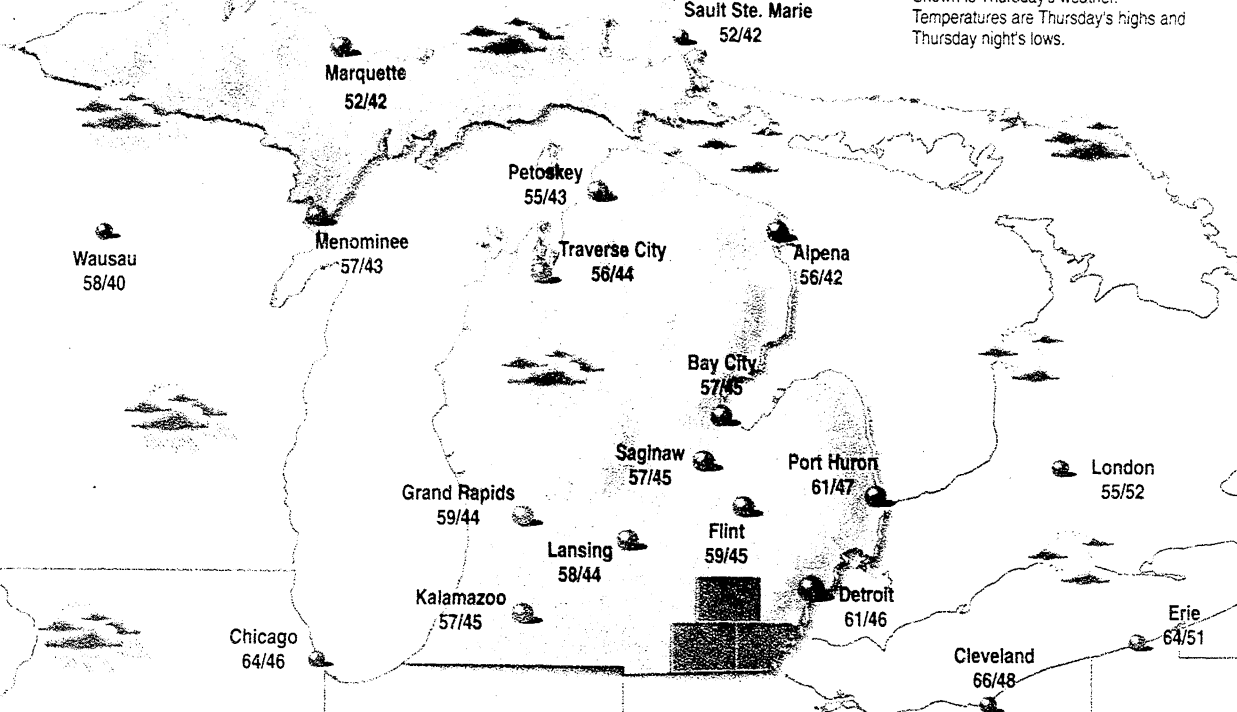
## 7-DAY FORECAST FOR WASHTENAW COUNTY

THUR.	THU. NIGHT	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
Times of clouds and sun.	Mostly cloudy; a chance of showers.	Clouds and sun; possible showers.	Sunny to partly cloudy.	Partly sunny.	Clouds and sun; possible shower.	Sunshine and some clouds.	Clouds and sun; possible shower.
60°-64°	46°-50°	60°-64°/40°-44°	58°-62°/36°-40°	44°-48°/36°-40°	48°-52°/36°-40°	50°-54°/38°-42°	52°-56°/40°-44°

## REGIONAL ROUNDUP

City	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Ann Arbor	63 46 pc	60 38 sh	54 37 s	54 35 s
Battle Creek	60 44 pc	56 38 sh	51 35 s	49 35 s
Bay City	57 45 c	56 40 sh	52 36 pc	51 37 pc
Coldwater	61 48 pc	57 39 sh	52 36 s	51 34 s
Dearborn	61 47 pc	60 41 sh	52 39 s	53 34 s
Detroit	61 46 pc	60 39 sh	52 38 s	53 34 s
Grand Rapids	59 44 c	55 40 sh	49 38 s	49 35 s
Holland	60 46 c	58 41 sh	51 39 s	53 34 pc
Jackson	58 47 pc	55 41 sh	50 36 s	50 35 s
Kalamazoo	57 45 c	57 35 sh	52 36 s	51 37 s
Lansing	58 44 c	55 39 sh	50 34 pc	50 34 pc
Livonia	62 47 pc	60 39 sh	52 38 s	53 34 s
Midland	57 45 c	56 39 sh	51 36 pc	51 39 pc
Muskegon	57 45 c	55 38 sh	51 38 s	50 37 c
Owosso	59 45 c	55 39 sh	51 35 pc	51 33 pc
Pontiac	60 49 pc	60 44 sh	50 40 s	53 37 s
Port Huron	61 47 pc	60 38 sh	54 36 s	53 35 s
Saginaw	57 45 c	57 40 sh	52 36 pc	52 36 pc
Sturgis	59 47 c	59 37 sh	53 37 s	52 40 s
Toronto	56 51 c	56 35 sh	47 29 pc	48 31 pc
Traverse City	56 44 c	53 39 sh	48 37 pc	52 36 pc
Warren	60 49 pc	60 44 sh	51 40 s	53 34 s
Wausau	58 40 c	54 33 pc	54 35 sh	49 32 c

## MICHIGAN OUTLOOK



Shown is Thursday's weather. Temperatures are Thursday's highs and Thursday night's lows.

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Noon Friday	50°
Noon Saturday	48°
Noon Sunday	46°
Noon Monday	44°
Noon Tuesday	48°
Noon Wednesday	50°

## UV INDEX THUR.

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1-3: minimal; 4-5: low; 6-7: moderate; 8-9: high; 10+: very high

Friday	1 minimal
Saturday	3 minimal
Sunday	3 minimal
Monday	2 minimal
Tuesday	2 minimal
Wednesday	1 minimal

## SUNRISE/SUNSET

Sunrise Thursday	7:08 a.m.
Sunset Thursday	5:26 p.m.
Sunrise Friday	7:09 a.m.
Sunset Friday	5:28 p.m.
Sunrise Saturday	7:10 a.m.
Sunset Saturday	5:26 p.m.
Sunrise Sunday	7:12 a.m.
Sunset Sunday	5:25 p.m.

## MOON PHASES

Full	Last	New	First
Nov 1	Nov 8	Nov 15	Nov 22

Moonrise Thursday	6:04 p.m.
Moonset Thursday	7:19 a.m.
Moonrise Friday	6:36 p.m.
Moonset Friday	8:25 a.m.
Moonrise Saturday	7:13 p.m.
Moonset Saturday	9:32 a.m.
Moonrise Sunday	7:59 p.m.
Moonset Sunday	10:39 a.m.

## NATIONAL ROUNDUP

City	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Abilene	76 54 s	76 52 s	76 52 s	72 50 s
Albuquerque	66 40 s	68 38 s	66 38 pc	66 36 pc
Amarillo	66 40 s	70 42 s	72 38 s	68 40 s
Billings	50 32 c	52 35 s	56 37 c	59 40 c
Bismarck	52 26 c	49 28 pc	48 31 c	47 34 pc
Boise	53 34 c	57 32 c	61 34 pc	65 46 pc
Casper	52 32 pc	54 30 pc	54 30 pc	58 32 s
Cedar Rapids	64 40 c	56 34 pc	54 33 s	52 35 pc
Cheyenne	56 32 pc	56 30 pc	54 28 pc	58 30 s
Colorado Springs	60 33 pc	56 33 pc	58 35 s	60 35 s
Columbia	69 48 pc	65 44 s	66 43 s	59 40 s
Dallas	76 58 pc	76 56 s	76 56 s	74 48 s
Denver	64 32 pc	62 34 s	58 32 pc	64 32 s
Des Moines	64 42 c	60 41 s	60 37 s	53 39 pc
Eugene	56 43 c	57 42 c	57 41 r	58 52 c
Fresno	70 50 pc	74 46 s	76 46 s	73 50 s
Garden City	61 47 pc	60 40 sh	52 39 s	53 34 s
Grand Island	66 38 pc	58 36 s	60 37 s	63 36 pc
Grand Junction	58 34 c	59 36 pc	58 34 pc	60 42 s
Great Falls	46 32 c	49 35 c	55 35 c	57 39 c
Greeley	57 30 pc	58 29 pc	57 30 s	60 36 s
Houston	82 56 pc	82 62 s	80 56 pc	76 50 s
Kansas City	74 44 pc	72 44 s	70 42 s	64 42 c
Las Vegas	74 52 pc	74 54 s	76 52 s	74 50 s
Lincoln	66 39 pc	58 38 s	60 37 s	62 37 s
Miami	82 74 sh	82 72 sh	80 72 sh	85 68 r

City	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Minneapolis	56 38 c	52 34 pc	48 32 pc	54 35 pc
Minot	49 30 c	45 31 pc	50 33 c	45 36 c
North Platte	62 31 pc	61 30 s	59 31 pc	63 30 s
Oklahoma City	72 52 pc	72 47 s	67 47 s	69 44 s
Omaha	64 38 pc	60 36 s	62 34 s	64 38 pc
Phoenix	82 58 s	82 60 s	84 60 pc	84 58 pc
Pierre	59 33 c	57 33 pc	57 33 c	55 38 pc
Portland	55 43 r	57 45 pc	57 45 pc	55 43 sh
Rapid City	57 29 c	56 31 pc	58 35 s	58 36 s
Reno	60 38 pc	59 34 pc	62 33 s	62 34 s
Roswell	73 45 s	73 42 s	70 44 s	69 45 s
Salt Lake City	54 34 pc	56 34 pc	58 36 pc	60 36 s
San Angelo	80 55 s	77 51 s	75 52 c	74 50 c
San Antonio	82 62 s	84 60 s	78 56 s	78 54 s
San Francisco	64 54 pc	68 54 pc	70 54 pc	70 54 s
Santa Fe	61 33 s	62 34 pc	61 33 pc	63 36 pc
Seattle	52 44 c	54 44 pc	54 45 c	54 50 r
Sioux Falls	61 31 pc	50 32 s	48 29 s	52 35 s
Spokane	48 34 c	50 36 c	49 37 c	52 42 c
Springfield	70 48 pc	64 40 pc	66 40 s	55 38 s
St. Paul	59 39 c	53 36 pc	47 31 s	51 35 pc
Tucson	80 52 s	82 52 s	82 52 pc	80 50 pc
Tulsa	74 53 s	71 48 s	67 48 s	66 46 s
Wichita	74 52 s	72 56 s	68 52 pc	66 46 pc
Yellowstone	74 48 pc	72 42 c	68 42 s	62 42 s
Adrian	61/47			
Chelsea	62/45			
Dexter	63/46			
Indianapolis	69/49			
Manchester	60/46			
Clinton	61/46			
Tecumseh	62/47			
Lenawee				
Saline	63/46			
Ann Arbor	63/46			
Washtenaw				
Wheeling	62/42			
Pittsburgh	66/40			
Milan	63/45			
Monroe	60/48			
Dundee	60/48			
Monroe				

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## Varsity girls gaining in experience with more wins

■ Girls drop one Tuesday, win in OT Thursday night.

By Marsha Johnson Chartrand

Associate Editor

It's been an up-and-down season for the Manchester Varsity Dutch basketball team, but the high moments are more frequent this year.

Tuesday night, the team played at East Jackson and kept the score close after a slow start. But a few Trojan free throws near the end, and too many key turnovers, made the difference in a 43-36 loss.

"East Jackson is one of the better teams in our conference," Manchester coach John Wilkins said. "But we played a pretty solid ball game."

After starting off with a 9-0 deficit in the first quarter, the team closed the lead to just one point at halftime to stay in the game.

"We were behind by three going into the fourth quarter, and we kept it close until the last couple of minutes," Wilkins said.

Leading the team in scoring was Kate Meyer with nine points, followed by Brie Hyde with eight. Rachelle Lillienthal contributed six points and 10 rebounds, while Liz Okey added an equal number of points with 11 rebounds for the game.

"Michelle Slocum didn't score, but she had three assists and five steals for us," Wilkins added.

Thursday night's game was "a little too exciting," according to Wilkins, as the team beat Michigan Center in a double-overtime game, 56-54.

"Again we got off to a slow start," Wilkins said, "giving them an 11-2 lead after the first quarter."

By halftime, the Lady Dutch had cut the Cardinals' lead to just two points and took the helm early in the third quarter.

"We basically led most of the fourth quarter and most of the overtimes, but we had trouble putting the game away until the very end," Wilkins said.



Photo by David Jose

Starters Brie Hyde, Liz Okey and Rachelle Lillienthal focus on coach John Wilkins' words in Thursday's game against Michigan Center. Wilkins credited Okey's excellent game as key to the 56-54 double-overtime win. Okey scored 25 points in Thursday's game.

The Dutch were ahead by three points with just four seconds left in regulation time, and Wilkins said, "we should've had it then."

"But we had a missed assignment defensively, and one of the Michigan Center girls had a girl

bank in a three pointer to tie the score."

In the first overtime, the Dutch surged out to a four-point lead, then made some "poor decisions" with the ball that led to turnovers and put the Cardinals back in the game.

"In the second overtime we got up by six points right away," Wilkins said. "And they closed it down and tied it up at 54."

"Rachelle hit a jump shot to put us up by two and had two steals in the last minute to help us preserve the win."

Wilkins said the girls came back and played well in both overtimes, and the team had some great individual performances.

Liz Okey scored a whopping 25 points and grabbed eight rebounds for the game. Lillienthal added 16 points and 10 rebounds, three assists and seven steals.

Cori Chrestensen came off the bench and played what Wilkins termed "a real solid game," with five points, four rebounds and five assists. Hyde and Meyer each scored four points and Hyde added four rebounds to her stats.

"Rachelle and Liz both played real big games for us," Wilkins said. "They both played a lot of minutes, including the entire fourth quarter and all of the overtime."

Tuesday night the girls met Grass Lake at home.

"We beat them in a fairly close game the first time," Wilkins said. "We should be able to do that again."

"We meet Vandercook on Thursday. We had a close game the first time, and Vandercook just handed Napoleon its first conference loss last week. They're right in the hunt for the conference championship."

So, although Wilkins looks forward to a challenging game with the Jayhawks tonight at 7 p.m., he believes that with some good shooting and the excellent defense the Dutch displayed in the last game against Vandercook, an upset is possible.

"Hopefully, we can play well and make those open shots," he said. "It doesn't matter how good of defense you play, if you don't score a lot of points you can't win."

## Seventh-grade hoops team completes first season

■ Dutch win two-thirds of their games in first season.

By Marsha Johnson Chartrand

Associate Editor

The seventh-grade girls' basketball team completed its season last Wednesday with a very respectable 8-4 record.

"I'm very proud of how much they developed in nine weeks of play," Manchester coach Pat Ridenour said.

On Oct. 15, the Dutch beat Grass Lake on the home court in what Ridenour termed "an aggressive game."

"We got out to an early lead and we never looked back," he said.

Elizabeth Little led the team with 14 points. Several of her fellow teammates helped the team to victory with significant scoring contributions. Alex Fairbanks sunk six points, Amanda Pratt, Brittany Melcher and Emma McCosh each added

four points, and Crystal Poertner scored two.

On Oct. 17, the girls played at Hanover Horton.

"We just never seemed to be in the game from the beginning," Ridenour said of the outcome, which was a dismal 21-12 loss.

"We beat Hanover handily the first game of the season, but this time we just played sloppy, and made too many mental mistakes," he added.

Two team members, Little with eight and Melcher with four points, did all of the scoring for the hoopsters that afternoon.

The Lady Dutch came back strong on Oct. 22 to beat East Jackson at home 32-29.

"We were down five at half-time, and came back with 24 points in the second half," Ridenour said.

This was the most points in one half that the team scored all season. And it was enough to pull out a 32-29 victory over the Trojans.

Scoring 18 points to match her

season-high performance, Little led the team once again. She was followed by excellent performances by Fairbanks, who pulled out her best game of the season with eight points, and Melcher came in with six points.

To conclude the season Wednesday, the Dutch played Michigan Center on the home court and lost 36-12.

"We played well overall, but Center was very quick and aggressive and we could not overcome," Ridenour said.

Amanda Pratt led the team in scoring with six points, followed by Melcher, Poertner and Little with two points apiece.

Little led the team in scoring all season with an average of 9.33 points per game. Melcher was next with an average 4.83 and Pratt followed up with a 3.42 average.

It's been a learning season for the youngest Lady Dutch who will have several more seasons of strong play before they graduate in 2007.



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The seventh-grade basketball team has concluded its first successful season. Team members are Tarah Bondy (front, left), Crystal Poertner, Brittany Melcher, Sarah Uphaus and Emma McCosh. Second row: Jessica Stollsteimer, Hannah Gregerson, Melissa Blades, Stacy Volk, Stephanie Mackres; back row: Elizabeth Copeland, Alex Fairbanks, coach Pat Ridenour, Amanda Pratt and Elizabeth Little.

## Junior varsity hoopsters picking up the tempo

■ Two wins this week for junior Dutch.

By Marsha Johnson Chartrand

Associate Editor

The junior varsity basketball team started last week's play with a very slow game at East Jackson.

"It was not an offensive gem," Manchester coach Mark Ball said of the girls' 29-13 victory over the Trojans.

The team led by a score of 8-0 after the first quarter and 20-5 at half time, but Ball said the girls did play "pretty solid ball for four quarters."

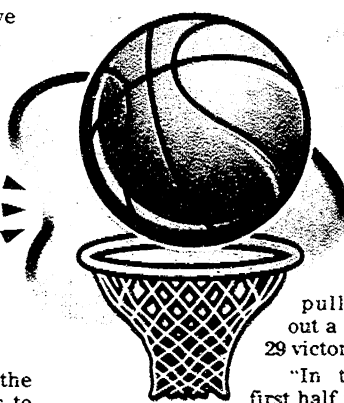
"We worked on a new offense, which slowed us down a bit," he said. "The girls were thinking too much instead of just playing."

Fallyne Schlosser led the team in scoring with 10 points, to which she added six rebounds and three steals. Abbey Preuninger played an all-around solid game, contributing six points, five boards, three steals, two assists and three blocks.

Co-captains Megan Eisenhauer and Sydni Johnson each added four points to the

team score, helped by Sam Mahan's three points and Kim Roberts' two. Contributions from each member of the team helped to make this game a good, if "slow" victory for the Dutch.

On Thursday, the team met Michigan Center on the home court, and



pulled out a 51-29 victory. "In the first half we shot well—62 percent—but we took fewer shots combined than we normally take in just one quarter," Ball said. "So we only had a 24-17 lead at the half."

At half-time, Ball talked to the girls about picking up the tempo and resuming the more customary fast-paced style.

"It worked," he said. "We outscored them 19-6 in the third quarter."

Schlosser again led the team in scoring with 11 points, in addition to three boards, a steal and an assist. She was followed by Roberts with nine points and Lindsay Ellison with eight points. Ellison led the team in rebounding with seven. Eisenhauer also scored eight points.

Johnson and Preuninger added four points each to the team score. Freshmen Brandi Walter, Kelly Schaible and Bri King each contributed two points and Mahan added a free throw.

"Our lead let me get everyone into the fourth quarter to spread out the playing time a lot," Ball said.

The team also is working on its free throw skills.

"Currently, free throws are killing us," he said. "In the last three games, we are shooting just 40 percent from the free throw line."

The team will have its opportunity to hone those skills this week against Grass Lake and Vandercook. Court action begins this evening at 5:30 p.m. at the Jayhawks' home gym.



Tri-star football contestants included (front, left) Logan Ross, Alex Wallace, Jeff Horodeczny, Trevor Hanewald, Nick Popkey, Scott Conway and Justin Welton. Middle row: Jimmy Hamilton, Austin Hamilton, Corwin Every, Clayton Every, Beau Kingsbury, Nik Stetler, Matthew Layher; Back Row: Steven Dettling, Andrew Tindall, Ryan Maki, Jeff Carver, Brian Dettling, Marissa Olmstead, Jared Huber, Robby Carver and John Watson.

## Optimists meet with success in punt-pass-kick contest

By Laura Merte

Staff Writer

A total of 23 participants, ages 8 through 13, made the annual Optimist Tri-Star Football Competition a success on Oct. 21. Competing with others of the same age and gender, contestants were scored on their punting, passing, and kicking skills.

In the eight-year-old division, Alex Wallace took first place, Nik Stetler took second, and

Austin Hamilton third.

Nine-year-old Robby Carver took first place in his age group, with Corwin Every at second and Clayton Every at third.

For the ten-year-olds, Nick Popkey placed first, Beau Kingsbury second, and Jeff Horodeczny third.

The eleven-year-olds saw Marissa Olmstead take first place for the girls, while Justin Welton took first, Jared Huber second, and Scott Conway third

for the boys.

Twelve-year-old Andrew Tindall was first in his class, followed by Jeff Carver in second place.

Ryan Maki placed first for thirteen-year-olds, with Steven Dettling at second.

The Optimists would like to thank all the parents and participants who made this event a hit, with a special thanks to members Jeff Wallace and Dr. James Watson for making it all happen.

# Local commissioner chosen to receive SEMCOG award

By Sheila Pursglove  
Heritage Newspapers

The Chelsea Area Planning Team recently took a first-place award from the Southeast Michigan Council of Governments for the 2001 Outstanding Joint Public Services Project.

Washtenaw County Commissioner Joseph Yekulis of Chelsea and Dexter Township Supervisor Robert Tetens accepted the award Oct. 25 on behalf of the team. The ceremony was held at the St. John's Conference Center in Plymouth during a general assembly meeting for the seven-county member organization.

Chelsea's project received the top prize in the category against seven others that were submitted from throughout southeast Michigan.

The assembly also voted to support an amendment to add the Chelsea M-52 Reroute Project to the 2025 Regional Transportation Plan for southeast Michigan.

"As one of nine amendments that were approved to the Regional Transportation Plan,

this inclusion will improve Chelsea's ability to qualify for state and federal funding for the M-52 reroute as future funds become available," Yekulis said Monday.

"Recognition of this project by SEMCOG was another huge step in the future success of this project."

The Chelsea Area Planning Team was formed by a group of community leaders concerned about growth pressures in and around Chelsea Village.

The team includes representatives from the Washtenaw County Planning Department, the Chelsea Area Chamber of Commerce, the Chelsea School District, the village of Chelsea, and Dexter, Lima, Lyndon and Sylvan townships.

The team determined that the only way to effectively address such issues as growth management, roads, public utilities and manufactured housing relating to the entire community was to create a regional land-use master plan.

The team sought the assistance of the Washtenaw County Metropolitan Planning

Commission to help begin the process. The collaborative effort allowed communities to receive technical planning assistance from the county that the individual units could not afford on their own.

The process also brought together citizens from the entire area to talk about issues, most of which are shared across boundaries.

The result was a joint regional planning effort that spanned more than two years and a regional plan that serves as a basis for coordinating community master plans.

The Chelsea Area Regional Plan encompasses issues ranging from common land-use plan districts to affordable housing, to the provision of sewer and water services.

Participating local units are now in the process of adopting the regional plan, and amending their local plan in accordance with the policies and recommendations in the regional plan.

The regional plan is not meant to usurp local control of land use. Instead, it provides the basis upon which local unit mas-

ter plans can be developed and, in turn, where zoning and land use decisions are made.

The regional plan has dramatically improved communication and collaboration on issues of multi-jurisdictional impact, enhanced the technical assistance received from the county, created more efficient provision of public services and land use, and established an innovative toolbox for enhancing the quality of life in the Chelsea area.

"I'm extremely proud of the efforts that the leadership of the team and the community itself put into the development of the regional plan," Yekulis said. "In spite of some recent obstacles in regards to having the final plan approved, it's clear this type of planning effort has become a model not only for Washtenaw County but for the rest of the state."

"As a result of the collective efforts, similar regional planning groups have evolved in the communities of Manchester, Saline and Milan, and we're planning to engage in this process in the Dexter community next year," Yekulis said.



The Southeast Michigan Council of Governments recognized the Chelsea Area Planning Team as the first-place award winner for the 2001 Outstanding Joint Public Services Project. Ronald Griffith, dean of education services at Schoolcraft College, and Jim Connelly, manager of regional relations for DTE Energy, presented the award to Dexter Township Supervisor Robert Tetens and Washtenaw County Commissioner Joseph Yekulis of Chelsea in an Oct. 25 ceremony in Plymouth. Pictured are Griffith (left), Tetens, Yekulis and Connelly.

## Health improvement seminar

By Marsha Johnson Chartrand  
Associate Editor

The Washtenaw County Health Improvement Plan has set a conference designed to provide health professionals the resources to promote, support and implement interventions most likely to be successful in addressing critical population

health disparities.

The conference will be held from 8:30 a.m. to 4:45 p.m. on Nov. 9, at the Ypsilanti Marriott and Eagle Crest Conference Resort.

More than 200 professionals and community members involved in population-based health interventions are expected to attend. Participants will

come from around the state with the largest attendance anticipated from within Washtenaw County.

Keynote speakers will be Peter Briss, MD, chief of the Systematic Reviews Section Centers for Disease Control & Prevention and Edith Parker, of the University of Michigan School of Public Health.

## Go Dutch



The Manchester High School cheer team has one more competition this fall, scheduled for this weekend in Haslett. The team has placed third and first in competitions so far this season.

Photo by David Jose

## Competing Cooks



Chili-cooking know how runs in the family, but maybe it goes backwards through the generations. First place winner Kari Ball out-cooked her father, Bill Riley, who was the second-place chili cookoff chef.

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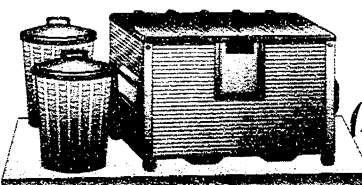
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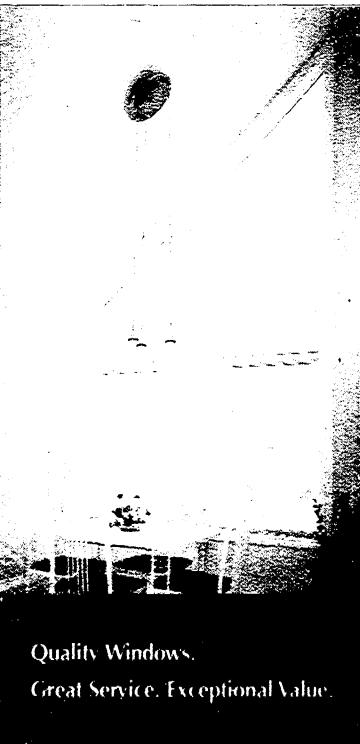
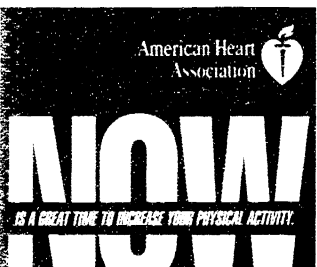
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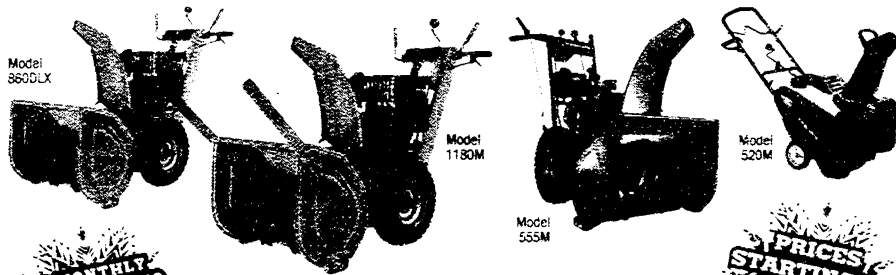


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# Local musician produces solo compact disc



David Mosher with Carol and Mark Palms of the Rasin Pickers.

■ *Friends create song in response to Sept. 11 terrorist attacks.*

By Sheila Pursglove  
Heritage Newspapers

Local musician David Mosher, a member of the Raisin Pickers trio, produced the recent CD "There Are No Words," recorded by his friend, folk songwriter and musician Kitty Donohoe.

Donohoe created the song after the Sept. 11 terrorist attacks, writing it in less than a week. All profits from the sale of the CD will be donated to the relief effort.

"The way I got hooked up was Kitty asked me to produce her new CD, 'This Road Tonight,'" Mosher said. "I played instruments on some songs and we got

to know each other well.

"After Kitty wrote 'There Are No Words' and decided to record it, she brought me in to play the fiddle and mandolin and sing. She also needed someone to organize all the people who came to help — singers, cellists, bagpipe players — so I ended up as producer."

The Lyndon Township resident said the recording session, featuring about 17 singers and six musicians, took about nine hours, finishing in the small hours of the morning.

"At the time, I felt I hadn't done anything to come to terms with the shock of Sept. 11," Mosher said. "I realized what a sweet, perfect song this is, and what a gift to the world. It was cathartic, a way to put into concrete form what I was feeling."

Mosher said that after the

song was first played locally, it was then re-mixed and has since gone out to about 50 radio stations. Mosher and Donohoe also appeared on WDIV Channel 4 TV.

"We had a huge response to it," he said. "Kitty's writing has become consummate. She put her finger on the pulse of what people were feeling."

Mosher has been with the Raisin Pickers for three years. A full-time musician, he tours the country with several acts, and is principal musician for the Wild Swan Theater, run by Sandy

Ryder of Lyndon Township.

Mosher has performed at Cleary's Pub with Donohoe, Chelsea Community Hospital with pianist Sandy Hofferth, at the Chelsea Depot and Chelsea District Library with Wild Swan Theater and at the Common Grill with the Raisin Pickers. He has also performed with dulcimer player Michael Berst at the Chelsea Antique Market.

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## Legion sets Veterans Day events

Members of American Legion Post 117 in Manchester, will observe Veterans Day, Nov. 11 with a potluck dinner at the Legion hall, 203 Adrian Street.

Post 117 hopes that all citizens will observe Veterans Day and join in honoring the men and women who have served their

country in uniform. America remains a beacon to the world in large part because of its veterans.

Veterans formed the American Legion after World War I to promote American ideals and to ensure that the families of their fallen com-

rades would be cared for.

Today, The American Legion continues to fight for health and education benefits for this nation's veterans.

The Legion also sponsors a variety of programs that benefit America's youth. Post 117 has volunteered the Legion Hall for many of local schools functions in the past and will continue to do so in the future.

American Legion Post 117 is proud to be part of the Manchester community.

## Future entrepreneurs invited to take class

■ *Introductory class covers basics.*

By Laura Merte  
Staff Writer

If you are planning to start, or just thinking about starting, a small or home-based business, then MSU Extension has the class for you.

"Starting a Small or Home-based Business" will cover the topics of business plan development, accounting and record

keeping, legal and tax issues, using professional help, marketing and networking.

Beginning Jan. 16, 2002, classes will be held on six consecutive Wednesdays from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Advanced registration is required.

Cost for this class is \$40 before Jan. 1; after Jan. 1, \$50. For more information contact Caton Gauthier, MSU Extension Community Development Agent at (734) 997-1678.

## Miss Washtenaw pageant set

The Miss Washtenaw County Scholarship Pageant will be held this Saturday, Nov. 3 at 7 p.m. in the Chelsea High School auditorium.

The theme for the pageant, which will feature Miss Michigan 2001 Stacey Essebaggars and Miss Washtenaw County 2000 Meridith Gilson, is "Big Band

Fever."

Local Miss America Title Holders and their chaperones will be admitted free. All other tickets are priced at \$10 for adults, and \$6 for children 6-16.

Chelsea High School is located at 740 Freer Rd. in Chelsea. For more information, contact Laura Bloomensaar at 475-2734 or Freeda Owens at 483-8015.

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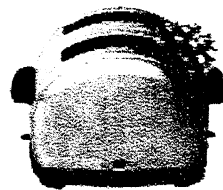
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## BRIDGEWATER TOWNSHIP SYNOPSIS OF PUBLIC HEARING MEETING OCTOBER 23, 2001, 7:30 P.M.

Supervisor opened the Public Hearing on proposed Sewer System Project, Special Assessment District and Special Assessment Roll, with all board members present and approximately seventy resident and property owners present.

Supervisor called the special meeting to order with the introduction of board members followed.

Board reviewed and accepted the agenda for the evening.

Informational presentations were made by the following:

Supervisor Peacock gave a brief review of the actions of the township board the past several years regarding the start of the sewer study.

Glenn Burkhardt, Tetra Tech MPS, gave a presentation of the sewer system project and proposed boundaries.

Robert Bendzinski, Washtenaw County financial advisor, reported the proposed cost and financing of the project.

Peter Ecklund, Jr. of Axe & Ecklund, P.C., Washtenaw County bond counsel, gave the legal matters regarding the proposed project.

After each presenter, the audience asked questions regarding the information presented. The board heard several protest and comments from property owners regarding the proposed project.

After all protest and comments were completed the board closed the public hearing.

Board considered the protests of each resident at the public hearing. The comments were also discussed.

Trustee Parr made a motion to accept the petition presented to the board from residents listed in objection to the proposed Bridgewater Sanitary Sewer System Special District, motion seconded, passed.

After further discussion on the proposed project and all questions from the protesters discussed, Supervisor Peacock made the motion, supported by Weidmayer to accept the resolution approving the Sanitary Sewer Collection System, Special Assessment District and the Special Assessment Roll, after a roll call vote with all voting yes, the resolution passed.

Spallier moved supported by Parr to adjourn, motion passed meeting adjourned.

Karen Weidmayer,  
Bridgewater Township Clerk

## BRIDGEWATER TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING SYNOPSIS OCTOBER 17, 2001, 7:30 P.M.

Supervisor opened the meeting with all board members present.

Board reviewed the agenda and made corrections.

Comments from the audience included, Junk Ordinance and township roads.

Board approved minutes of the September 13, 2001 with corrections.

Treasurer reported a balance on hand being \$233,619.96.

Clerk presented bills for payment totaling \$17,349.66.

Kate Pittsley, Director of Manchester District Library, gave a brief report about the library and their new facility.

Board discussed the fire collection with Marcie Scaturro, township collection agent. Board considered having the township collect both fire department runs.

Board approved the PA116 application of Keith Bennett of Neil Road for 145.4 acre.

Board approved the resolution accepting the land purchase of north of township hall.

Board accepted the offer from Eden Foods for a flag pole for the township.

Supervisor discussed the letter of credit of \$440,000 from Stansley Mineral Resources.

Also the Bartlett road agreement has been signed.

After a discussion on the Internet Web Site for the township, the board agreed to make comments at the next meeting and deciding on what needs to be included in this project.

Board discussed the Special Meeting October 23, 2001 at 7:30 p.m. for the special assessment for the sewer district in the hamlet of Bridgewater.

Trustee Spallier reported on the Brownfield Redevelopment meeting. Smaller townships have a good chance to utilize the funds from this grant.

Supervisor reported that progress is being made on the police services problem. Other Business and Reports were presented to the board.

Board moved to go into close session for the purpose of land discussion regarding the Sewer System.

Board opened the meeting at 11:15 p.m. and having no further business the meeting was adjourned.

Karen Weidmayer,  
Bridgewater Township Clerk

## FREEDOM TOWNSHIP SYNOPSIS OF REGULAR BOARD MEETING OCTOBER 10, 2001, 8:00 P.M. AT FREEDOM TOWN HALL

1. The Regular Board Meeting of Freedom Township was called to order by Supervisor Little. Clerk Schenk, Treasurer Anthony, and Trustees Weidmayer and Horning were present as well as several residents at 8:00 P.M.

2. Weidmayer noted a correction to the minutes. Little moved that the Board dispense with the reading of the minutes (copies were available for the audience) and that the corrected minutes of the September 11, 2001 meeting and the Treasurer's Report be received and filed. Schenk seconded the motion. A roll call vote resulted in all ayes, motion carried. Treasurer Anthony reported \$34,558.79 in the General Fund, \$100,000.00 in the Public Improvement Fund, \$3,221.35 in the Recycling Fund.

3. Audience Participation: Trustee Weidmayer noted the Board needed to set a date for the History Open House.

4. Reports: Planning Commission: A land split was approved. They were reviewing Hickory Sticks site plan to allow enclosing a porch on the clubhouse. The PC is working on the Growth Management Plan. The Zoning Board of Appeals met on 10-8-01 and granted a variance. The Ordinance Enforcement Officer is working on "junk cars". The Zoning Inspector issued 4 permits. The Library is almost finished with its audit. They will have an open house on October 21, 2001 2-4 P.M. History Project - nothing to report.

5. Old Business: Parking Lot Sealer - Burke Asphalt notified the Board that they could contract for sealing every two years the Board will consider at the Nov. meeting. Kuebler, Pt. - Mr. Martin is working the pit. Mr. Stewart will not put anything in writing. Supv. Little, Trustee Weidmayer, and Plan Comm. Chair Tschultz have all visited the pit recently. Mr. Tschultz noted he thought some unauthorized mining had occurred. The Township cannot issue two extraction permits for the same piece of ground. Mr. Martin needs to apply for a special use permit then an extraction permit. The Township's engineer will inspect the pit within the week. If there are any violations of the current extraction permit, it may be revoked by the Township. Little moved to table the discussion pending further information. Horning seconded a voice vote resulted in all ayes, motion carried. Hall, A.C. & Furnace - Wall mounted a wood cost approx. \$7,000. One quote for a furnace air cond. combination was \$5,345. More quotes will be gathered. An electrical upgrade could be an additional cost. Weidmayer moved the Board set the December 11 meeting as the History Open House from 7-8 PM. Little seconded, a voice vote resulted in all ayes, motion carried.

6. New Business: PDR - Clerk Schenk noted that the laws related to PDR had changed and asked the Board if it could be a future agenda item. The Board scheduled it for the November meeting. New Library, Director - Kate Pittsley was introduced. Ms. Pittsley described her professional background (which was impressive), her short and long-term goals for the library and answered questions from the Board and audience. Welcome Ms. Pittsley.

Little moved to approve warrants \$129,619.96, \$17,350.19, total, \$146,970.15 General Fund, \$250.00 Recycle Fund. Anthony seconded, a roll call vote resulted in all ayes, motion carried.

7. There being no further business, Supervisor Little adjourned the meeting at 9:40 P.M.

Respectfully Submitted,  
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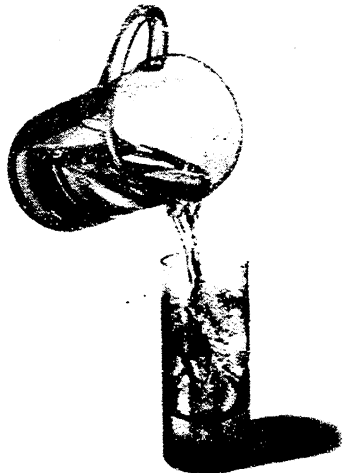
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DEFAULT IN RENTAL SALE: #18/RV-788 Gregory Hopkins, #74 Loren Chappel, #90 Christine Trombly, #109 Jeffrey Waite, #195 Dawn Homik, #316 Glen Conley, #317 Kerry McShane. Personal, household, misc. Date 26 Nov. 01, 1pm at U-Store Saline, 1145 Industrial Park. Info: 734-429-0590.

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STUDY PARTICIPANTS: African American Families needed! You and your two siblings (brothers or sisters) are needed for a study on smoking and genetics. At least one of the siblings must be a current or ex-smoker. Each family member earns \$50. Call 1-800-742-2300, #6311. Travel not necessary!

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Two Bedroom  
Upstairs Country  
Apartment  
Air conditioned  
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spacious, two bedroom, one bath. Large master bedroom with walk-in closet, all appliances, garage, central air. Handicap accessible. \$800. (734) 475-9544.

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- Dog tags
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- Boisterous dance
- Kitten's comment
- "For - know ..."
- Pedestal occupant
- Leap-frogger's need
- Energetic worker
- Kept afloat
- Dweeb
- Periodical
- Lois Lane, e.g.
- me tangere
- Right angle
- Gambler's mecca
- Anvil locale
- Prejudice
- Cads
- Sweet potato
- Read bar codes
- Female prophets of old
- Vintage calculator
- Program
- Mrs., in Madrid
- Food staple
- Come together
- Oklahoma city
- Runs up the phone bill
- Dobbin's dinner
- Apportion

DOWN

- Crossword diagram
- Woman
- Revlon rival
- FDR's middle name
- From overseas
- Atl. state
- Map
- Apia citizen
- Theater patron
- Old man of Oberam-mergau
- Requiring a runoff
- "That's tasty!"
- Entrepreneur
- Griffin
- Painter of ballerinas
- CSA soldier
- Biblical priest
- Sound-track check
- Mischiefous
- Young fellow
- Apr. addressee
- Impale
- Consent
- Garland
- AL and NL comprise this
- Agile
- Hipbones
- Audible breath
- Ice cream holder
- Monad
- "Smooth Operator" singer
- Meadow

Answers in Today's Classifieds

## Answers To This Week's King Crossword

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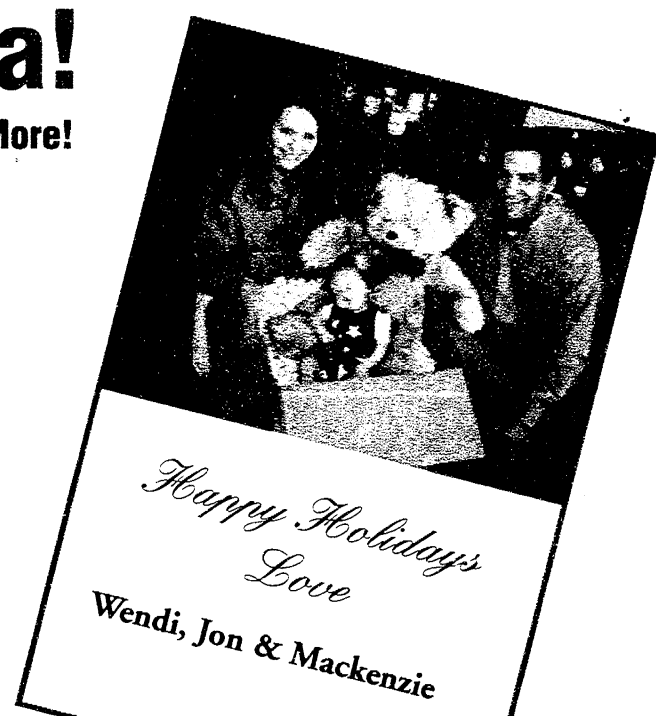
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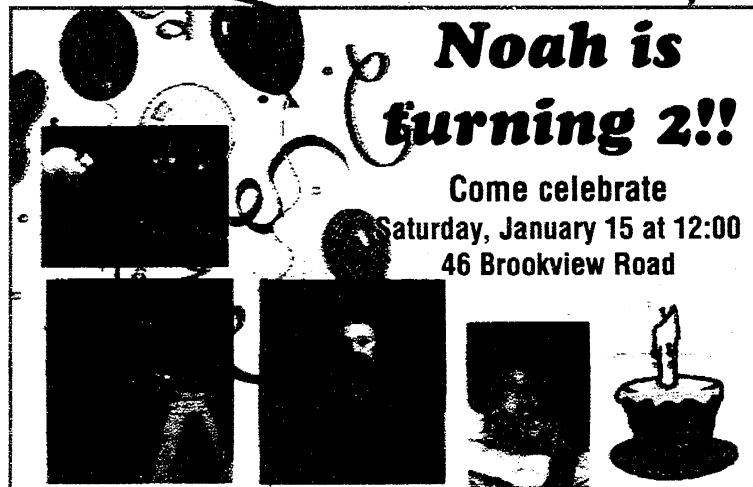
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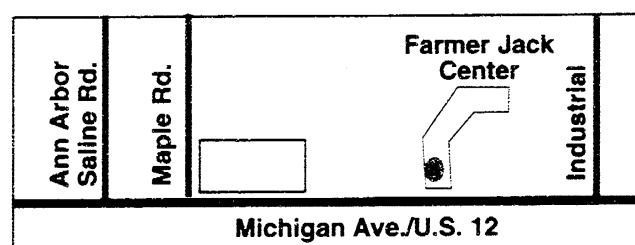
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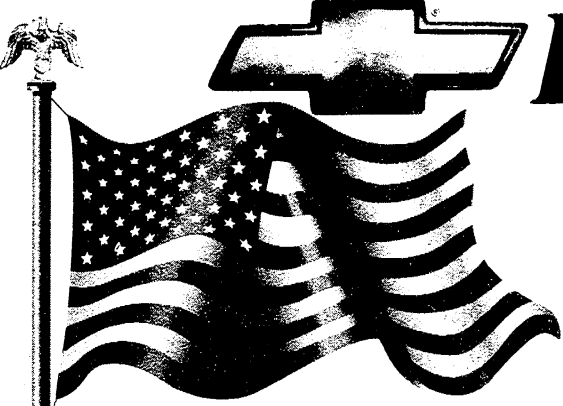




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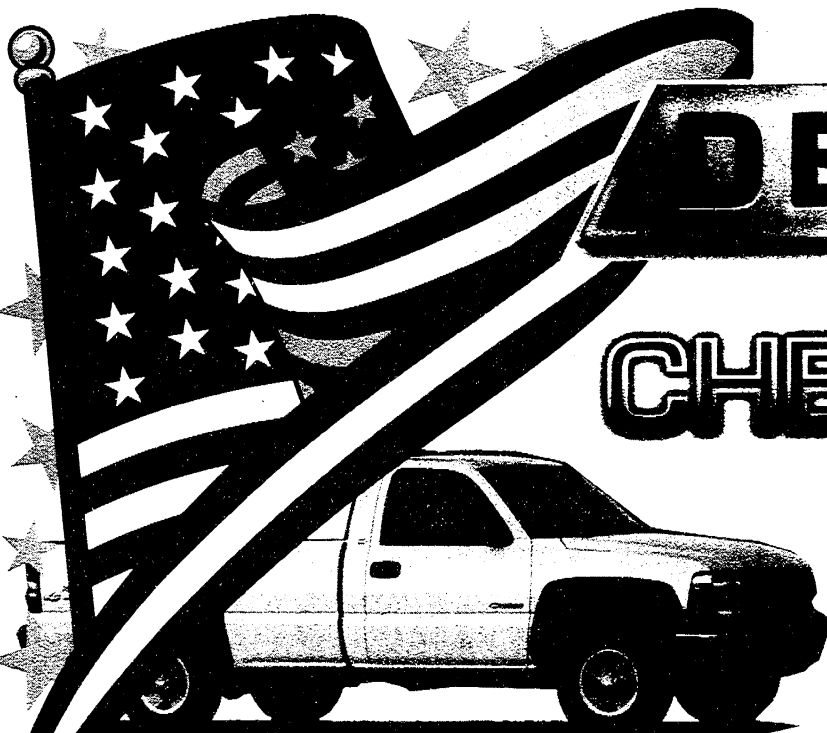
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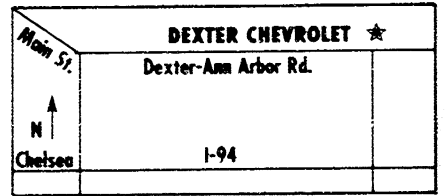
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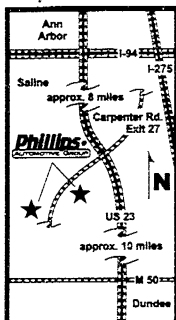
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