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The John Glenn High School Rocket Marching Band won first place awards in their class at the Scholastic Marching Band Festivals in Trenton and Wyandotte recently.

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Scholars program 'expelled' in district

I think the parents should know what is going on.

The Scholars of John Glenn High School program has been 'expelled' from the Wayne-Westland Community School District.

The program, which rewarded students who improved their semester grade point average by 5 with a \$200 check, will not be available to students this year. More than 2,100 students participated in the program and 70 percent of them saw an improvement in their grades. About 600 were awarded checks for making such a significant improvement. The program was funded primarily by the Westland Community Foundation and Glenn and Patty Shaw. No tax money or school

funds were used to support the program.

Volunteer mentors including teachers at the school, community members, business leaders, school board members, district administrators, police officers and Westland Mayor William Wild, a graduate of John Glenn, acted as mentors to coach the students.

Shaw said that the failure of the district administration and school board to live up to the

commitment made to the program and contribute the time of John Glenn School Psychologist Lou Prybylski was the "death knell" for the effort. Wayne Westland Community Schools Board of Education President Shavna Walker said that Prybylski is a school employee and therefore the district is required to assign him to accepted services. Following two years of acting as the school liaison with John Glenn students for the

Scholars program, Prybylski's duties now include Wayne Memorial and the Tinkham program.

The decision to limit the time Prybylski had available for interaction with students in the Scholars program was made by former Superintendent of Schools Michele Harmala prior to her leaving the district, according to Board of Education member David Cox.

"I was disappointed in that decision," Cox said. "I wanted the program to continue and to go forward but that was not a policy decision, that was an admin-

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Members of the Plymouth-Canton Marching Band perform their winning show titled 'ToDance'.

On a high note Plymouth-Canton Marching Band wins honors

The Plymouth-Canton marching band placed first at the 27th annual Norl Fanfare marching band competition with a show titled "ToDance."

The play on words incorporates aesthetically round drill formations, "plumes" made of magenta-colored balls, round stage props, circular detailing on members' uniforms, and the incorporation of a musical form known as a "round." This form involves the same melody being played by multiple instruments at different starting points. The show theme includes variations on "Frère Jacques" which is often performed as a round.

The competition earlier this

month was part of the Michigan Competing Band Association (MCBA) circuit. The Plymouth-Canton Marching Band score of 90.025 is the highest score earned by any band in the circuit this year. The band also won all three captions: Outstanding Music Performance, Outstanding Visual Performance, and Outstanding General Effect. The spread from highest to lowest score was less than four points.

Freshman Abby Dunn, alto saxophonist, thought it went pretty well.

She said her favorite part of the show was, "probably when

I'm in the little circle with all the other alts in part three." The tight-knit also section even went to Homecoming together as a group of 16.

Junior Erya Chen, a color guard member, said she was proud of how well the young musicians did in part three as well, since the students only learned it two weeks ago.

"Like the directors said, the first two parts are pretty strong, and it was good for what we have in the time we've had it." She went on to say that throughout the day the band had "good energy."

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Deamo Lavaughn Latley

Home invasion suspect is arrested

A Detroit man has been arrested and charged in April 30 home invasion in Northville Township.

According to police reports, Deamo Lavaughn Latley, 31, of Detroit was arrested Oct. 9 following an investigation by Northville Township Police into a home invasion in which shots were fired and a resident assaulted. That incident took place in the area of Five Mile Road and Braden, police said, and the home was most likely singled out as no other related incidents were reported in

Northville Township.

Latley was arraigned on charges of armed robbery, carjacking, home invasion, unlawful imprisonment and firearms charges Oct. 11, at the 35th District Court before Judge Ronald Lowe. Latley was given a \$1 million cash bond and remanded to the Wayne County Jail. His next appearance at the 35th District Court is scheduled for Oct. 20.

"The Northville Township Police Department treats these types of incidents seriously and investigates them

fully, gathering the evidence, facts and circumstances surrounding the incident," according to a prepared statement.

"The Northville Township Police would like to thank our local, state and federal law enforcement partners who helped to bring about the arrest of Latley."

"Citizens are the eyes and ears of the community and are reminded to report anything out of place in the community to the police immediately," the statement concluded.

BELLEVILLE - CANTON

Nominations for annual civic awards sought

Nominations for the three most prestigious awards in the Belleville community will be accepted at the chamber of commerce office until Oct. 31.

The members of the chamber awards committee have requested nominations for the Ted Kuckelman Community Service Award, the Leona VanBuhler Chamber Member of the Year Award and the Business of the Year Award.

Criteria for the Ted Kuckelman Community Service Award requires the nominee be at least 18 years old and been a participant in the Belleville area community for at least the last six months. Preferably the recipient should have made a long-term contribution to the community. Nominees should be providing a service for the Belleville area community and have a letter of

recommendation from at least one chamber member listing reasons for consideration.

Criteria for the Leona VanBuhler Chamber Member of the Year Award includes that the nominee be a current member of the chamber of commerce of at least 3 years standing. The nominee can be the owner, manager or employee of a business and must be nominated and recommended by a

chamber member. The nominee should have a dedication of self to business and exemplify business support of the community.

Nominees for the Business of the Year Award should exemplify the best qualities expected from a small-town business, as well as placing an emphasis on customer service, quality products and beautification of their building and/or goods. The

committee members will be looking at the involvement of the company in the community, the chamber, schools, area non-profits, continued capital investment in the business and an overall community presence.

For more information or nomination forms, contact the chamber at (734) 687-7151. The chamber office is located at 248 Main St. in Belleville.

Winners of Fine Art Show are now on display

The Village Theater at Cherry Hill will exhibit artwork from the 25th Annual Canton Fine Arts Exhibition through Nov. 4, bringing together works of some of the best artists throughout southeast Michigan. The exhibit contains works in a variety of media, including: paintings, sculptures, mixed media, drawings, pastels, and photographs.

Winners this year include: Best of Show - Paul Van Heest for *Lepidopterophobe* Rhinoceros (Colored Pencil); Second Place - SoulKeever for *Incense* (Watercolor); Third Place - Brenda Boone Shackelford for *Body Language* (Mixed Media). Honorable Mentions were awarded to Haydar Alsayid for *Boozy Wedding #2* (Oil) and Barbara Eiko Murphy for *Sound of Silence* (Inks). Merit Awards went to: Kathleen Boettcher for *I See You Clearly* (Acrylic); Roxelle Copeland for *3 Boats* (Photography); John Middlestead for *Light up the Floor* (Photography) and Reem Taki for *Persian Carpet* (Gold/Gouache).

"We are delighted to bring back this exhibit, which has gained a tremendous reputation for featuring engaging artists

who are creating not only what's new, but what's next," said Joe Kvervick, Canton Performing Arts coordinator. "This year's Canton Fine Arts Exhibition truly presents art for all ages and interests. Each year, we continue to see works from some of the best artists living and working in Michigan."

More than 40 pieces were selected by juror Jean-Paul Aboudib, who is a Michigan-based artist working and residing in the metro Detroit area. Aboudib earned a BFA degree from The College for Creative Studies and an MFA in Painting from Wayne State University in Detroit. His current paintings embody a saturated color palette and a painterly approach culled from a variation of expressive realism.

The public is encouraged to view this free exhibit from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. Monday through Friday during public performances at the theater and by appointment by calling (734) 394-5306. The gallery, located at 50400 Cherry Hill Road in Canton, is closed on holidays. For more information about this exhibition, visit www.cantontagtheater.org.



Canton Supervisor Pat Williams, Juror Jean-Paul Aboudib, Brenda Boone Shackelford (3rd Place), SoulKeever (2nd Place), Paul Van Heest (Best of Show), and Bill Resen, Chair of Canton Commission for Culture, Arts and Heritage.

Band

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Parent Sarah Rutman, is in her second year of volunteering with the band chapters, and is the parent of a junior baritone player.

"The kids are amazing," she said, "The teamwork that they put together - they always help each other on and off the field. They're always happy, no matter what. They're hard workers and nothing gets them down. They're inspiring to me, honestly. That's why I do it. No matter how bad of a day I'm having, they're always out there smiling and performing. They uplift me."

Parent volunteer Michelle Kimville has a sophomore son and a senior son in the band, both in the clarinet section.

"I love it. This program is excellence personified. It's what we do. There's no better group of kids to hang out with than the band kids. That's for sure," Kimville said.

The band has been playing for all home games in the stadium all season, and will feature an alumni band tomorrow, Oct. 21. The 2017 Plymouth-Canton Marching Band will be performing their show, "Evolution" in MCBA competitions every Saturday through the first weekend in November. The marching season will conclude at the prestigious Bands of America Grand Nationals the second week of November.

PLANNING COMMISSION CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON, WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN.

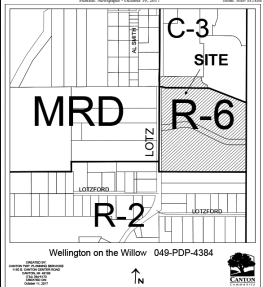
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Michigan Public Act 110 of 2006, of the State of Michigan, as amended, and pursuant to the Zoning Ordinance of the Charter Township of Canton, that the Planning Commission of the Charter Township of Canton will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, November 6, 2017, at the First Floor Meeting Room of the Canton Township Administration Building, 1150 S. Canton Center Road at 7:00 p.m. on the following proposed amendment to the Zoning Ordinance:

WELLINGTON ON THE WILLOW PRELIMINARY PLANNED DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT (PPDD). CONSIDER REQUEST TO ESTABLISH A PD AS PERMITTED IN SECTION 27.04 OF THE ZONING ORDINANCE, INCLUSIVE OF PARCELS: N304, 340, 40, 400, 712, 1045, 95, 001, 714, 1045, 95, 001, 714, AND 400, 714. Property is located east of Latta Road and south of Ford Road (first public hearing).

Written comments addressed to the Planning Commission should be received at the Canton Township Administration Building, 1150 S. Canton Center Road, prior to Thursday, November 2, 2017 in order to be included in the materials submitted for review.

SEE ATTACHED MAP

Greg Griggs, Chairman
Public Hearing - October 19, 2017



Wellington on the Willow 049-PDP-4384



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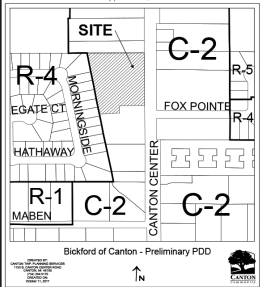
BICKFORD OF CANTON PRELIMINARY PLANNED DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT (PPDD). CONSIDER REQUEST TO ESTABLISH A PD AS PERMITTED IN SECTION 27.04 OF THE ZONING ORDINANCE, INCLUSIVE OF PARCELS: M30, 510, 95, 008, 717. Property is located east of Canton Center Road and south of Ford Road (first public hearing).

This item was originally heard on July 10, 2017. Due to minor changes increasing the number of events and a change to the land use, this item is being re-considered.

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Bickford of Canton - Preliminary PDD



PLYMOUTH

Supervisor seeks congressional nomination

Don Howard
Staff Writer

It's been just 30 months since former State Rep. Kurt Heise was sworn into office as Plymouth Township Supervisor, following a stunning write-in campaign victory.

Last week, with less than a year on the job, Heise announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for the U.S. House of Representatives in the 11th Congressional District. Heise is the latest declared candidate for the 11th District seat currently filled by Republican Dave Trotter, who opted not to seek re-election. Other already declared candidates for the nomination include former State Rep. Rocky Raczkowski, Rep. Clint Keston and former Trump co-chairperson Lena Epstein.

"My background makes me

qualified to serve. I'm throwing my hat in the ring. It's a once-in-a-lifetime chance," Heise said.

"We all know Washington isn't working. It's become a swamp of greed and gridlock that hinders the American Dream. Politicians on both sides refuse to do their jobs and we get stagnation instead of solutions. I can sit on the sidelines and watch this continue," Heise stated in a prepared release.

In May 2016, incumbent township officials fueled in part by dark money Political Action Committees (PACs) succeeded in having Heise's name removed from the local ballot based on an omission on a filing affidavit. Heise then mounted his write-in campaign and easily defeated his opponent for the supervisor's job. Heise garnered strong grassroots support from local residents who banded together to support and

campaign door-to-door for him throughout the township.

Many of those past supporters are unhappy about his decision to leave the \$101,000 annual job they worked to help him win. Some are saying he's an ambitious politician seeking power with no regard for the supporters who trusted his campaign rhetoric and promises to dedicate himself to managing Plymouth Township.

"I love this job (supervisor) and I keep my promises. If you look at the platform I ran on, we've re-established a relationship with the city and Northville Township, look at the Five Mile Corridor. It's been a year and we're already seeing terrific results," he said. "In township supervisor and I'm running for office, just like Calley Schuette and Colbeck who are also running for office. I'm not guilty. If

you're a state representative, like I was, you're always running for office. I'm also an elected official who's running for office," Heise said last week.

One of Heise's arguments to critics promotes the benefit he claims the township might realize should he be elected to serve in congress.

"It would be great to have a congressman from Wayne County who calls Plymouth Township his home. It would be great to get someone in Congress from Plymouth who understands the local problems, like the train delays and the Northville landfill situation." The former state representative is the first candidate to enter the Republican race from Wayne County. The district includes parts of Wayne and Oakland County and has an estimated population of 710,000.

Heise said he is aware of the



State Rep. Kurt Heise

other declared candidates for the nomination and that he understands even more candidates could join the race.

"I know there's a lot of competition. It's the first time the seat has been open since 1992. He said, "I didn't force Trotter to retire, the timing was unexpected."



NOTEWORTHY

The NOTEWORTHY Concert series at Plymouth First United Methodist Church opens with the Detroit Lutheran Singers at 3 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 22. The program theme is "Divide and Conquer: Music of Unity" featuring anthems by composers including Gabrieli, Rutter and Trenney, in settings ranging from double choir, to brass and/or organ accompaniment and a cappella. Admission is free although a free-will offering will be received to benefit the church Chancel Choir and humanitarian relief. The church is located at 45201 North Territorial Road in Plymouth, between Beck and Sheldon roads. For more information, call (734) 453-5280 or

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH IS CURRENTLY ACCEPTING BIDS FOR TOWNSHIP PARK BALLFIELD LIGHTING AND PARKING LOT LIGHTING

Bid documents and specifications can be viewed in the Township Clerk's Office at 9555 N. Hagerty Road, Plymouth MI 48176 or they may be obtained on Michigan Inter-Governmental Tender Network (MITN) or www.mity.com. All correspondence should be directed to David Richmond, PE at 248-448-5468.

Jerry Verma, Clerk
Charter Township of Plymouth
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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS THIS MONDAY NOVEMBER 2, 2017 6:00 P.M.

PLEASE NOTE that the Zoning Board of Appeals will hold its Regular Meeting on Thursday, November 2, 2017 commencing at 6:00 p.m., to consider:

- Application 1560, R-70-010-01-000-000, R-70 zoning district. Partially zoned from October 5, 2017 meeting to request the granted 4 foot fence be altered to comply with the SW side of the property (adjacent from the back building setback line 13 feet to 13 feet 11 inches from the front of the house). The variance requested is 13 feet from the SW side building setback line to no more than 13 feet to the front of the house.
- Application 1560, R-70-010-01-000-000, 45700 West, PND zoning district. In requesting one variance to alter a change from brick base to aluminum base for (1) monument sign. The variance requested is from brick to aluminum.

The meeting will be held at Plymouth Township Hall, 9555 N. Hagerty Road in the Town Hall Meeting Room.

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CITY OF ROMULUS INVITATION TO BID ITB 17-18-13 2017-2018 SNOW REMOVAL/ICE MANAGEMENT SERVICES FOR ROMULUS ATHLETIC CENTER/RINK MANAGEMENT

- The City of Romulus on behalf of the facility's management firm, Risk Management is seeking bids from qualified and experienced companies for snow removal and ice management services for the 2017/2018 snow seasons for the Romulus Athletic Center.
- Qualified individuals and firms wishing to submit a bid must use the forms provided by the City. Official bid forms and specifications may be obtained from the MITN Purchasing Group page of BidNet Direct (<http://www.mity.com>). Bids may be rejected unless made on the forms included with the bidding documents. Copies of documents obtained from any other source are not considered official copies.
- Clarifications, modifications, or amendments may be made to this solicitation at the discretion of the City. Any and all addenda issued by the City will be posted on the MITN Purchasing Group page of BidNet. All interested parties are instructed to view the MITN website regularly for any issued addenda. It is the responsibility of the bidder to obtain all issued addenda and acknowledge receipt of said addenda by including a printed copy of each addendum and date of the required documents for this solicitation and to list the addendum and copy and date the "Acknowledgment of Receipt Addenda Form" supplied in the bid documents.
- A total of two copies (one marked "Original" and one marked "Copy") of the bid must be submitted in a sealed envelope and returned to the City Clerk's Office no later than 2:30 P.M. Thursday, 11/9/2017. Bids should be addressed using the bid package label provided in the ITB documents.
- At approximately 2:45 p.m., local time all timely received bids will be publicly opened and read.
- The successful bidder will be required to submit proof of all bonds and insurance required by the ITB documents and copies of all required endorsements.
- The City reserves the right to postpone the opening without notification and also reserves the right to reject all bids and to waive any minor informality or irregularity in bids received and to award the bid in whole or in part.
- For additional information contact Lynn A. Conway, City of Romulus, Purchasing Director, by calling (734) 955-4568 or Gary Harris, Purchasing Department Buyer, by calling (734) 955-4561 or by emailing purchasing@romulusgov.com.

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Pet CPR classes offered

Plymouth City Fire Services, in cooperation with Huron Valley Ambulance will offer a free class in pet cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) training.

The training will take place at Plymouth Headquarters, 1280 Gold Smith Road from 6:30-8 p.m. Oct. 23.

Pre-registration is required:



<https://form.jotform.com/729133983521107>

Recreation survey results to be revealed

Results of a recent Community Survey on Parks and Recreation in the City of Plymouth and the Charter Township of Plymouth will be presented to members of the Plymouth City Commission and the Plymouth Township Board of Trustees at a public presentations at 7 p.m. at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer St.

In Plymouth.

The meeting is open to the public. The telephone survey was professionally conducted by the Lansing polling firm of EPIC - MRA in early and mid-September this year. This presentation will provide the results of the survey to the community.

ORDINANCE NO. 2017-017 CITY OF ROMULUS APPENDIX A - ZONING AMENDMENT 1.240

An Ordinance to amend the Official Zoning Map of the City of Romulus by rezoning certain property from O-4, Office District to C-2, General Business District.

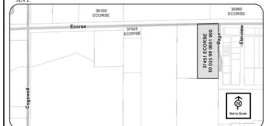
THE CITY OF ROMULUS ORDINANCE:

SECTION 1. This Ordinance shall be known and cited as the "Amended Zoning Ordinance."

SECTION 1. To rezone 4.08 acres of property at 37451 Eccore, Parcel #80-025-99-0001-000 from O-4, Office to C-2, General Business.

LEGAL DESCRIPTION

BEGINNING AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF SECTION 7, T.3S, R.0E, CITY OF ROMULUS, WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN; THENCE S01°08'09"W 754.94 FEET ALONG THE EAST LINE OF SAID SECTION AND THE WESTERLY RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF OZGA ROAD; THENCE S89°30'09"W 288.75 FEET; THENCE N01°08'09"E 754.94 FEET; THENCE S89°30'09"E 288.75 FEET ALONG THE NORTH LINE OF SAID SECTION AND THE CENTERLINE OF ECCORE ROAD TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, BEING A PART OF THE NORTHEAST 1/4 OF SECTION 7, T.3S, R.0E, CITY OF ROMULUS, WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN AND CONTAINING 5.00 ACRES OF LAND, MORE OR LESS, BEING SUBJECT TO THE RIGHTS OF THE PUBLIC OVER THE SOUTHERLY 1/2 OF ECCORE ROAD, ALSO BEING SUBJECT TO EASEMENTS AND RESTRICTIONS OF RECORD, IF ANY.



SECTION 2. **Severability.** Should any word, sentence, phrase or any portion of this ordinance be held by any manner invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction or by any state agency having authority to do so for any reason whatsoever, such holdings shall be construed and limited to such words, sentences, phrase, or any portion of the ordinance held to be so invalid and shall not be construed as effecting the validity of any of the remaining words, sentences, phrases or portions of this ordinance.

SECTION 3. **Conflicting Ordinance.** All prior existing ordinances adopted by the City of Romulus inconsistent or in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are, to the extent of such conflict or inconsistency hereby expressly repealed.

SECTION 4. **Effective Date.** This ordinance shall take effect upon publication thereof in an official newspaper, which publication shall be made when the minutes passing the ordinance are published subject to revocation at will of the City of Romulus at any time.

ADOPTED, APPROVED AND PASSED by the City Council of the City of Romulus this 2nd day of October, 2017.

Leroy B. Barrett, Mayor
Ellen L. Craig-Bragg, City Clerk

The full amendment to this ordinance may be viewed at the Romulus Clerk's Office, 11111 Wayne Rd., Romulus, MI; 734-9427540.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the Ordinance as passed by the City Council of the City of Romulus at a regular Council Meeting held in the City Council Chambers in said City on the 2nd day of October, 2017.

I further certify that the foregoing was published in the Romulus Eagle, a newspaper of general circulation in the City of Romulus on the 19th day of October, 2017.

Within forty-five (45) days after publication of any ordinance duly passed by the Council, a petition may be presented to the Council protesting against such ordinance containing in effect: Said petition must contain the text of such ordinance and shall be signed by not less than six percent (6%) of the registered electors registered at the last preceding election at which a Mayor of the City was elected. Said ordinance shall thereupon and thereby be suspended from operation and the Council shall immediately reconsider such ordinance.

Ellen L. Craig-Bragg, City Clerk

Introduced: September 25, 2017

October 2, 2017

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INKSTER - ROMULUS

Random act of kindness Inkster officer offers extra help to stranded driver

It was a routine patrol for Inkster Police Officer Tony Squirewell recently when he encountered a car pulled to the side of the Michigan Avenue at about 10 a.m.

"The woman motorist was attempting to change a flat tire when Squirewell pulled his patrol car in behind her vehicle to attempt to block traffic from striking her."

"She was trying to jack up the car," Squirewell said. "They had that Jack that just really wasn't working. She was in a very dangerous situation."

LaKesha Matthews told the veteran police officer that she was attempting to get to work and that the flat tire was going to make her

and her son late.

"I knew we weren't going to get it done with the equipment that we had," Squirewell, a 6-year veteran of the Inkster department, said. "So I just called a tow truck and got the tire changed."

His kindness went further, however, when he paid the tow truck driver personally for changing the tire.

That gesture sent Matthews and her son on their way, but it wasn't the last Squirewell heard from the stranded driver. When he arrived at the police station last week, he found a home case and a dozen cookies waiting for him and his fellow officers with a handwritten thank you note from Matthews and her son, expressing

their gratitude for his help and his kindness when they were in such distress.

Police Chief William Riley said that he was very pleased to hear about the incident which he characterized as a welcome indication that the Inkster department is practicing community policing.

"This is the way it is supposed to be," Riley said. "This shows we are connecting with people and this is the direction we want our department to go."

Community Relations Officer Andrea Lebo agreed, noting that she spends the majority of her time interacting with the community in an effort to further a positive relationship between the community and the department.

"I just want to personally thank Tony Squirewell for helping me with that goal. One small act of kindness can go a long way and his actions are appreciated more than he can know," she said.

Squirewell, 45, said he was touched by Matthews' gesture in sending the baked goods to the station along with her note.

"It just lets me know people still do care," Squirewell said. "Police these days are seen in such a bad, dark light, and to see someone appreciate what we do is just heartwarming."

Squirewell continued to disavow his actions as "no big deal" while Matthews and Riley both disagreed.

"What he did was the unthink-

able, and that's where all the kindness started from that point," Matthews said.

Riley said he was gratified by the officer's action. "He just thought it was the right thing to do," Riley said. "That is the way it is supposed to be, and the community helping each other."

Riley said that Squirewell is a good officer and often goes far and beyond his regular duties.

"We know we can count on him if we are short-handed or need help," Riley said. "I'm just very pleased with his actions."



Otc. Tony Squirewell

Relay For Life organizer thanks city officials, donors

Organizers of the first Relay For Life event in Romulus during the city council meeting recently to thank everyone who helped make it a success.

Shona Silvay-Baum, a Romulus resident who coordinated the event and was one of the primary fundraisers.

"We blew it out of the water," said Silvay-Baum.

Relays for life take place across the U.S. to generate funds for cancer treatment and research. The idea is to get a group of teams together and have at least one member of each team walk a predetermined route continuously for 24 hours. The Romulus event took place on Aug. 4-5, and exceeded all expectations, she said. The initial goal was to get 13 teams registered, but 20 teams took part. Of those, 17 had walkers throughout the 24-hour period. She wanted to have 250

people register through the website and had close to 400 sign up. She estimated that more than 1,000 people took part in the event.

Silvay-Baum also wanted to recognize 30 survivors through the event, but was able to honor 55. The event exceeded the sponsorship goal, too. She had hoped to get about \$7,500 in sponsorships, but instead received more than \$11,000.

"We exceeded our goal in all of those things," she said.

In total, the first-year event generated more than \$45,000 for the American Cancer Society.

Silvay-Baum handed out several certificates of appreciation to honor those who went above and beyond to help make the event a success.

Romulus Mayor Leroy Bureffor presented her with a resolution from the city

for all she did to bring the event to the city.

"It was a wonderful community event

that would not have been a success without her energy, passion and enthusiasm," Bureffor said.

MINUTES OF REGULAR ROMULUS CITY COUNCIL MEETING October 2, 2017

Romulus City Hall Council Chambers, 11111 Wayne Rd. Romulus, MI 48174
The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Mayor Pro-Tem John Bardeen.

Prayer by the Clergy:
Roll Call: Kathleen Ables, John Bardeen, Linda Chantre, Harry Crout, Colonel Rescoe, William Wadsworth.

Agenda: Sylvan Mikolajczyk.
Administrative Officials in Attendance:

LaRoy D. Bureffor, Mayor
L. Craig Bragg, Clerk
Riley Price, Treasurer

1. Moved by Crout, seconded by Rescoe to accept the agenda as amended. **Motion Carried Unanimously.**

17-312 2A. Moved by Wadsworth, seconded by Ables to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of the City of Romulus held on September 25, 2017. **Motion Carried Unanimously.**

3. Petitioner: None.

4. Chairperson's Report:

Mayor Pro-Tem Bardeen read the Wayne County hazardous waste schedule - questions call 734-726-3936.

17-313 4A. Moved by Ables, seconded by Crout to adopt a memorial resolution for the family of Chifan Gale Harfitt. **Motion Carried Unanimously.**

4. Moved by Rescoe, seconded by Chantre to accept the Chairperson's Report. **Motion Carried Unanimously.**

5. Mayor's Report:

Mayor Bureffor presented a video regarding upcoming City events and a slide show of "Relay for Life" and "Relay for Life" cancer fundraise. A proclamation was also presented to City of Romulus employees Jerry Fryer and Jennifer Pryor (non-capable) at the "Relay for Life."

17-314 5A. Moved by Crout, seconded by Wadsworth to adopt a memorial resolution for the family of David Walker. **Motion Carried Unanimously.**

17-315 5A. Moved by Wadsworth, seconded by Rescoe to cancel the administration and extend Bldg ITD 1017-02, one-year contract pricing for computer hardware, software, and software licensing acquisitions to Zone, Inc. Terms of the contract to end October 10, 2018. **Motion Carried Unanimously.**

17-316 5B. Moved by Rescoe, seconded by Wadsworth to cancel the administration and authorize the Mayor and Clerk to enter into an agreement with Statewide Security Transport, Inc. for the transportation of Romulus Police Department midseason prisoners. Terms of this agreement to expire on September 30, 2019. **Motion Carried Unanimously.**

17-317 5C. Moved by Rescoe, seconded by Chantre to accept the Chairperson's Report. **Motion Carried Unanimously.**

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Police veteran named to board

Duane Smith, a 21-year-veteran of the Romulus Police Department, has been appointed to the Michigan Commission on Law Enforcement Standards (MCOLES).

Smith's appointment was announced by Gov. Rick Snyder last week.

"I thank Duane for his commitment to upholding law enforcement standards in Michigan," Snyder said.

Smith, now of Saline, has been a labor representative for the Police Officers Labor Council for 12 years and served 21 years with the Romulus Police Department prior to his retirement.

Smith holds an associate's degree in law enforcement from Northwestern Michigan College, a bachelor's degree in criminal justice from Ferris State University, and a master's degree in interdisciplinary technology from the School of Police Staff and Command at Eastern Michigan University. He will represent the Michigan Police Officers Labor Council and fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Thomas Zulaich.

Smith will serve the remainder of a term expiring Dec. 31, 2017. Appointments are subject to the advice and consent of the Senate.

ORDINANCE 2017-015

CITY OF ROMULUS

APPENDIX A - ZONING

AMENDMENT 1.238

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ARTICLE 1, INDUSTRY DISTRICTS OF THE ZONING ORDINANCE FOR THE CITY OF ROMULUS, THE CITY OF ROMULUS ORDINANCES.

Article 8 is amended as follows:

a. Section 8.02, Schedule of Uses

b. Section 8.04, Area, Height, and Placement Requirements

The full amendment to this ordinance may be viewed at the Romulus Clerk's Office, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, MI 48174. 734-982-7540

ORDINANCE 2017-016

CITY OF ROMULUS

APPENDIX A - ZONING

AMENDMENT 1.239

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ARTICLE 1, USE STANDARDS OF THE ZONING ORDINANCE FOR THE CITY OF ROMULUS, THE CITY OF ROMULUS ORDINANCES.

Article 11, Use Standards is amended as follows:

a. Section 11.01, Residential

b. Section 11.02, Institutional and Educational

c. Section 11.03, Human Care and Medical

d. Section 11.04, Retail

e. Section 11.06, Restaurants and Bars

f. Section 11.07, Vehicle and Truck Repair, Service and Parking

g. Section 11.08, Recreation, Leisure, Entertainment

h. Section 11.11, Construction Contractors/Supplies

i. Section 11.12, Transportation and Warehousing

j. Section 11.15, Animal/Agriculture

k. Section 11.17, Accessory

The full amendment to this ordinance may be viewed at the Romulus Clerk's Office, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, MI 48174. 734-982-7540

ADOPTED, APPROVED AND PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL at the City of Romulus 2nd day of October, 2017.

LaRoy D. Bureffor, Mayor

Ellen L. Craig-Bragg, City Clerk

The full amendment to this ordinance may be viewed at the Romulus Clerk's Office, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, MI 48174. 734-982-7540

I hereby certify that the foregoing are true copies of the Ordinances as passed by the City Council of the City of Romulus at a regular Council Meeting held at the City of Romulus Chambers on said City on the 2nd day of October, 2017.

Ellen L. Craig-Bragg, City Clerk

Within forty-five (45) days after publication of any ordinance duly passed by the Council, a petition, signed by at least ten (10) registered electors of the City, may be presented to the Council requesting that the ordinance be repealed or amended.

Such petition shall contain the text of such ordinance and shall be signed by not less than six percent (6%) of the registered electors registered at the last preceding election at which a Mayor of the City was elected.

Such ordinance shall thereupon and thereby be suspended from operation and the Council shall immediately reconsider such ordinance.

Introduced: 09/25/2017
Second Reading: 10/02/2017
Published: 10/19/2017

WAYNE - WESTLAND

Scholars

FROM PAGE 1

initative issue and it is not the job of the school board to direct personnel."

Westland resident Carol Sharp attended a meeting of school board members recently to question the abandonment of the program.

"As a donor, I was concerned and I wanted answers. I asked the board members why they wouldn't support a program that did so much for the schools. I admit, I was upset about this situation," she said.

"I think the parents should know what is going on. I don't have kids in the schools, but my husband and I believed in this program enough to contribute to it as a way to improve the image of our community."

Sharp said she got no answers during the meeting, but following the adjournment, many of the board members.

"Nobody has been as generous to this school district as Glenn Shaw," Cox said. "Not just with this program, but with the scholarships from the Westland Foundation which he founded."

The program, according to financial records, provided more than \$45,000 in scholarships to local students along with more than \$215,000 in financial aid.

"We certainly miss the program and would like to see it return," noted school board treasurer Thomas Backelue, who mentored a John Glenn student last semester. "The board doesn't have control of the program."

"They were bad partners," Shaw said. "When we initiated the program, I asked for assurances that the district administra-

tion was 'all-in' on this effort. I was assured that we would have four years and with the financial contributions of the Westland Foundation and my family, the district would provide Lou Prybylski with the liaison."

"I was informed earlier this year that his duties now included Wayne Memorial High School and the Tinkham students and that he no longer had the time to work on the Scholars program," Shaw said.

Cox said that as a school psychologist, funding for Prybylski's salary does not cover his participation in this "volunteer" effort. Cox admitted however that to his knowledge that funding and those requirements have not changed since the program began two years ago.

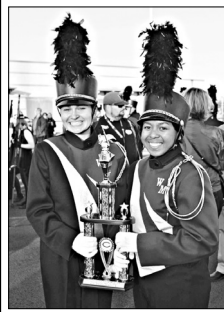
"This was a step toward improving the image of our community and our school district and these people have allowed it to fail," Shaw said.

"There really aren't words to express my disappointment. The interaction with these students, the mentors and the teachers was one of the defining moments of my life. It was one of the most gratifying things I have ever been involved in," he added.

The Champions of John Glenn program on which the Scholars of John Glenn was modeled will continue without interruption. The salary of the liaison at that school is fully-funded by donors.

"We think it is an excellent program and if we can come together as a community to fund this program, it would be great. It is an excellent program and we would love to have it back," Walker said.

"I do want to thank everyone who was involved and remind all those who contributed financially or volunteered with the students that this program did not fail. This district failed," Shaw concluded.



Sound success

John Glenn and Wayne Memorial High School Marching Bands have both had a successful week. Zebra Marching Band drum majors Sarah Craig and Michaela Morris are all smiles after the band's performance of "Twilight Zone" at competitions in Wyandotte and Gibraltar. The band placed first at both and won Best in Show in Wyandotte. The Wayne Memorial High School Fall Instrumental Music Concert will be at 7 p.m. on Oct. 26. Both concerts will be at Stockmeyer Auditorium, 3001 Fourth St. and are free and open to the public. Photo courtesy of Keith McKay.

Scarecrow winner revealed tonight

More than 55 scarecrows fill the streets of Wayne this year during the 5th Annual Scarecrow Show.

The straw sculptures were hung by volunteers from Wayne Main Street and Wayne Memorial High School Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps (JROTC) earlier this month.

Each scarecrow has been designed by an individual, family, community group or business and one will have the honor of

being named the online voting contest winner and another will be designated as the People's Choice contest winner. The winners will be awarded a small prize sponsored by Kurt's Caps and be featured on the registration form next year along with having bragging rights.

The scarecrow with the most "likes" on the Wayne Main Street Facebook page in the 2017 album will be the online contest champion.

The People's Choice winner will be chosen during a reception and voting from 3-7 p.m. today. Oct. 19 at Derby's Alley, 35005 West Michigan Ave. in Wayne. Voting will take place during the evening and complimentary refreshments will be served.

The people's choice winner will be announced at the event.

For more information, call Wayne Main Street at (734) 629-6822.

Area mourns loss of Fran Toney

A beloved icon in the Plymouth community, Fran Toney, died Sunday, Oct. 15.

Mrs. Toney retired in 2008 after more than 19 years as the director of the Plymouth Chamber of Commerce.

Mrs. Toney was known for her love of the community and her spirit of volunteerism. Under her tenure, the Plymouth Chamber of Commerce became known for many special events and the continuing annual dinner and auction, a main fundraiser for the organization. She originated the ongoing Scarecrows in the Park display and many other chamber events that also continue as annual Plymouth events.

Mrs. Toney was known for her unflagging enthusiasm for Plymouth and her unwavering spirit of volunteerism and her selfless charm. She was a tireless supporter of new business in the community and constantly promoted events for the chamber and other civic groups throughout the community.

Following her retirement, she volunteered with the Salvation Army among several other organizations.

Among Mrs. Toney's survivors are her children, Robert T. Toney and Michael Toney; an aunt, Kyrn (De Peter Bell) McAfee; cousins, Jim (Mary)



Fran Toney

Mitchell, Carole McAfee, Barbara McAfee, Coe "Annmar" Muturali McAfee and Jennifer (Jan) Kinmore. She is the former wife of Robert S. Toney.

Services for Mrs. Toney were planned for this morning, Oct. 19, at Vermeulen-Sajewski Funeral Home in Plymouth.

Entombment was to be at Riverside Cemetery in Plymouth.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to the Michigan Humane Society.

To share a memory, visit vermeulenfuneralhome.com.

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CITY OF WESTLAND INVITATION TO BID

Sealed proposals will be received by the City of Westland Purchasing Division, 36300 Warren Road, Westland, MI 48185, on November 16, 2017 at 10:00 a.m. (no exceptions will be made for late filings) for the following:

COLD PATCH

Complete specifications and pertinent information may be obtained from the Purchasing Office or at www.CityofWestland.com. The City of Westland reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Public: October 19th, 2017

Devin J. Adams City Controller

CITY OF WESTLAND INVITATION TO BID

Sealed proposals will be received by the City of Westland Purchasing Division, 36300 Warren Road, Westland, MI 48185, on November 16, 2017 at 1:00 p.m. (no exceptions will be made for late filings) for the following:

PARKS AND RECREATION- MASTER PLAN

Complete specifications and pertinent information may be obtained from the Purchasing Office or at www.CityofWestland.com. The City of Westland reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Public: October 19th, 2017

Devin J. Adams City Controller

To subscribe to The Eagle call 734-467-1900.



Come to Downtown Plymouth and enjoy a Safe & Haunted Afternoon!

DATE: Sunday, October 22 TIME: Noon to 3:00 p.m.

Games & Prizes, Kids & Pets Costume Contests Lots of Entertainment and Candy and much more!

All Ages Welcome! Be sure to wear your COSTUMES!!



Event Major Sponsor



Spooky Spectres

Halloween holiday events promise thrills, treats

Today...

Firefighters open Pumpkin Patch

Plymouth Township firefighters from Local 1496 are selling pumpkins to generate funds for their local charity. Each year the firefighters work with charities like the Salvation Army and local schools to pinpoint area families in need. One hundred percent of the proceeds are for charity.

The pumpkin sale will continue through Halloween. Pumpkin Patches are set up at Fire Station 1, located at 9911 N. Hagerty Road and Fire Station 3 at 13600 Beck Road in Plymouth. Firefighters ask visitors to park in the rear of Station 3 and in Township Hall lot behind Fire Station 1.

Haunted Main Street opens

Halloween has arrived at the Plymouth Historical Museum with its new "Haunted Main Street" special exhibit. The exhibit is a combination of new Halloween decorations combined with vintage Halloween collectibles. It is designed to frighten and delight all ages. Some of the vintage items, loaned by collectors, include a small collection of antique Halloween candy dishes and Jack-o'-lanterns, an assortment of vintage postcards as well as some vintage mourning items.

The Plymouth Historical Museum is open from 1-4 p.m. Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday. Admission is \$5 for adults and \$2 for students 6-18. "Haunted Main Street" will continue through Oct. 29.

The Plymouth Historical Museum is located at 155 S. Main St. in downtown Plymouth, Michigan. For more information, visit www.plymouthhistory.org or call (734) 455-8940.

Oct. 20...

It Happened One Fright on stage

Inspire Theatre will open the 18th season with *It Happened One Fright*, a Halloween Musical Comedy on stage weekends from Oct. 20 through Nov. 5.

Performances are scheduled at 7:30 p.m. Fridays and Saturday and at 3 p.m. on Sundays. The theatre is located at 33405 Warren Road in Westland. For tickets, \$16, or more information, call (734) 751-7057. Season tickets are also now on sale for \$65, an \$80 value.

Oct. 21...

Monster Mutt Walk planned

A costumed Monster Mutt Walk is planned for 1-3 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 21, in downtown Belleville.

The event is being organized by the Belleville Central Business community in partnership with Friends of Michigan Animals Rescue.

Registration will begin at 1 p.m. on Fourth Street next to the Belleville Area Museum. The fee to enter a dog is \$10 plus a can of dog food. Spectators are welcome and do not need four-footed friends to attend.

Applications for entry are available at www.bellevillecbe.org or call (734) 559-5368 after 3:30 p.m. The event sponsor is Applebees.

Thriller concert presented

Musicians from the Michigan Philharmonic are planning some classical Halloween fun when they present "Philharmonic Thriller" at the Plymouth Arts and Recreation Complex (PARC).

Scary classics meet scary film scores with some thriller fun. Audiences are urged to wear Halloween costumes when the musicians, also in costumes, present their latest concert set for 7:30 p.m. Oct. 21.

Families can arrive as early as 6:30 p.m. to enjoy a PARC Halloween with spooky trick or treating, face-painting and other Halloween fun prior to the concert.

Tickets are \$30, seniors tickets are \$25, student admission is \$10 and those younger than 5 are admitted at no cost. The facility is located at 650 Church St. in downtown Plymouth.

For tickets and information or to volunteer, call (734) 451-2112 or visit www.michphil.org.

Trick or Treat Trail opens

Northville Parks and Recreation has opened the Trick or Treat Trail at the Recreation Center in the Hillside gymnasium. Children from pre-school to the third-grade should wear their costumes and bring a treat bag from 4-6 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 21.

The cost is \$8 per child and when registering, parents should select a 30-minute time frame for their child. No on-site registration will be available.

For information or registration, call (248) 305-2890.

Oct. 22...

Pumpkin Palooza planned

The Seventh Annual Pumpkin Palooza will take place throughout downtown Plymouth from noon until 5 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 22.

Pumpkin Palooza is a safe and fun Halloween celebration with games, costume contests, dancing, petting zoo and candy, organized by the Plymouth Chamber of Commerce.

The event is free and is sponsored by Jack Demmer Ford, Creatopia, Sun and Snow and Genysis Credit Union.

Pet Costume Contest set

The City of Plymouth Recreation Department has organized the 9th Annual Pet Costume Contest from 11:45 a.m. until 1 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 22 in conjunction with Pumpkin Palooza in Kelllogg Park.

Entry is free and prizes will be given to first, second and third place winners. Event bags will be distributed to the first 50 participants.

Registration will only be open from 11:45 until noon. For more information, call (734) 455-6923.

Oct. 25...

Halloween celebration planned

Westland will celebrate HALLOWEEN from 5:30-7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 25 at city hall, located at 36300 Warren Road.

The event will include trick or treating, arts and crafts, donuts and cider and a Halloween movie. This is a free event for children 12 and younger and attendees are encouraged to wear costumes to enjoy the fun.

Oct. 26...

Library plans party

The Romulus Public Library will host the Annual Halloween Party at 6 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 26.

There will be games, crafts, treats and more entertainment at the free event.

Visitors are encouraged to wear costumes and bring a bag for candy.

The library is located at 11121 Wayne Road in Romulus.

For more information, call (734) 942-7589.

Oct. 27...

Trick or Treat Parade planned

Little superheroes, fairy princesses, and other ghouls and goblins are invited to Canton Leisure Services annual Trick or Treat Parade from 5-8 p.m. Friday, Oct. 27 inside the Summit on the Park, located at 46000 Summit Pkwy. in Canton.

For those who dare, a spooky Haunted House will be available in the Summit gymnasium, that is scarier than ever. This interactive experience may be too intense for small children.

Tickets will only be sold in advance of the event until Oct. 26 and are priced at \$5 per child for Summit on the Park Members and \$6 per child for Canton residents. Non-resident tickets will be available for \$10 per child. All ticket sales will end Oct. 26. Kids of all ages must have a tick-off collection bag. Proof of residency will be required to purchase tickets and there is a 10-ticket limit per person.

This year's sponsors include: Atchinson Ford, Des. Nolan and Guest Orthodontics, The Goddard School of Early Childhood Development, High Velocity Sports Center, PPG Paints, Pro Martial Arts, and American 1 Credit Union. This year's trick or treat bag is sponsored by Bright Side Dental. Additional supporters of this annual Canton tradition include Arctic Edge Ice Arena and D&M Art Studio.

For more information, call (734) 394-5480 or visit www.cantonfun.org.

Oct. 28...

Halloween parade planned

The Northville Chamber of Commerce is partnering with the Northville Central Business Association and Northville Downtown Development Authority to present an event that features downtown Northville businesses.

Children and parents are invited to participate in the Kids' Costume Parade and Streets of Treats beginning at 9:30 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 28. The parade will start at the Northville Community Center, 303 W. Main St. Following the parade, trick or treating at the downtown businesses will take place from 10 a.m. until noon.

Enjoy the skeleton sculptures placed around the downtown while enjoying a fun, family friendly Halloween activity in downtown Northville. The event is free, through the generosity of sponsors Tom Holzer Ford, Michigan Community Insurance Agency, Inc., Remerica Homeowners - Patti Mullen, Varsity Lincoln, Northville Downtown Development Authority, Goldfish Swim School, Busch's, Title One Boxing Club - Northville, Michigan Academy of Taekwondo and Preservation Dental.

Get ready to be frightened.

The Canton Historical Society will host the annual evening of ghost stories presented by 35th District Court Judge Ronald Lowe from 6-7:30 p.m. Oct. 28.

Lowe will tell the stories at the Cady-Boyer Barn, located in Preservation Park at 500 North Ridge Road.

Lowe will tell stories of ghosts, goblins, and all things spooky and will take visitors on an adventure with tales of fright, twists and turns, and things that go bump in the night. An evening of spine-tingling tales awaits those brave enough to attend. Watch for light levels to intensify in each story as the night progresses. Cider and two donuts are included with the ticket and will be available while supplies last.

Tickets are \$5 per person and can be purchased at the Summit on the Park, located at 46000 Summit Parkway and at the door. All proceeds benefit the Canton Historical Society.

Children must be accompanied by an adult and parents are responsible for the direct supervision of their children during this special event. For additional information, visit www.cantonhistoricalsociety.org.

Ghosts Cemetery Walk set

The second Plymouth Ghosts Cemetery Walk will take place from 4-8 p.m. Oct. 28 at Riverside Cemetery, 680 Plymouth Road in Plymouth.

The Friends of the Plymouth Historical Museum will host the second of two ghost walks. Visitors can meet some of the ghosts who have walked the streets of Plymouth in the past. The event is designed to be educational, not scary and the museum staff takes precautions to be respectful of the cemetery.

The walk lasts about an hour.

The cost is \$15 per person.

For more information, call the museum at (734) 455-8940 ext. 2 or email gal@plymouthhistory.org.

Oct. 29...

Wicked Halloween Run set

The largest Halloween Run in Michigan is planned for 6:30 a.m. Oct. 29 at Kelllogg Park in downtown Plymouth.

The event features a 10K Run, a 5K Run/Walk and Monster Mile.

Participants are encouraged to wear Halloween costumes. For information about registration, contact Mark Koehl at mkoehl09@comcast.net or (248) 912-8747.

More information is also available at wickedhalloweenvrun.com.

Oct. 31...

Trick or Treat at the Library

The Romulus Public Library will

welcome costumed trick or treaters all

day Monday, Oct. 30 and Tuesday, Oct. 31.

Those 18 and younger wearing costumes

will receive candy treat.

The library is located at 11121 Wayne

Road in Romulus.

For more information, call (734) 942-7589.

Belleville celebrates Halloween

The annual downtown Trick

or Treating event in Belleville

will take place from 5-7 p.m. Oct.

31.

Police Chief Hal Berriman said

groups of trick or treaters usually

travel in a counter-clockwise way

throughout the downtown. A tape is

strung along the Main Street curbs to

prevent children from darting into the

street and there is a large police presence, including

reserve officers.

Schools host Trunk or Treat

The Van Buren Public Schools Trunk or Treat will

take place from 4:30 until 6:30 Oct. 31 at Owen Intermediate

School, 45201 Owen St. This is a family event for students

and families of the Van Buren Public Schools.

There will be candy, food for purchase, music and

face painting.

Prizes will be awarded for the best decorated

trunks.

For more information, call Amy

Power at (734) 787-8890.

Calendar of events

Senior fitness classes offered

The Plymouth Community Council on Aging offers Senior Fitness Classes for those 55 and older. Classes offered include: Cardio Drumming, 9:30-10:30 Monday and 12:30-1:30 Tuesday; Zumba Gold, Monday, 11:30-12:30 Monday; Chair Tai Chi, 11:30-12:15 Tuesday; Cardio Fitness, 9:30-10:30 Wednesday and Chair Yoga, 10:30-11:15 Wednesday.

Classes are drop-in and no membership required. All instructors are certified.

The classes take place at the Friendship Station, 43275 Schoolcraft Road, Plymouth.

For more information, call (734) 354-3222.

\$25,000 raffle under way

Tickets for the second annual Northville Educational Foundation \$25,000 Cash For College Raffle are now available.

Tickets are priced at \$50 each, or three for \$100. Proceeds from the raffle benefit the Northville Educational Foundation and the 7300 students in the district. If ticket sales total less than \$50,000, the prize will revert to a 50/50 drawing with a minimum of a \$1000 prize.

The drawing will take place at about 7:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 17, at downtown the Northville Tree Lighting Ceremony in the town square just after the Holiday Lighted Parade. Ticket holders need not be present to win.

Tickets will be sold until the start of the parade Nov. 17, or until all 1500 tickets are sold, whichever comes first. Purchasers must be 18 or older.

Tickets can be purchased online at www.SupportNEF.org or in person at the Northville Educational Foundation office at 501 West Main St. in Northville.

Maybury farm maze is open

The annual corn maze is now open at Maybury Farm in Northville. The maze is 10-acres of corn cut into a farm scene to challenge adults and children. The maze takes about an hour and a half to complete. Those who find all 10 checkpoints can enter to win a grand prize awarded at the end of the season. Following the challenge of the corn maze, visitors can enjoy cider and donuts from Parmenter's, along with other tasty treats. The Maybury Farm Corn Maze is open from 5-10 p.m. Fridays, from noon until 10 p.m. Saturdays and

from noon until 7 p.m. on Sundays. The last wagon leaves for the maze one hour prior to close.

The Corn Maze will be open through Oct. 29. Admission to the Maybury Farm Corn Maze is \$7 per person and includes farm admission and a wagon ride to and from the maze. Free admission is offered to children ages 2 and younger.

Maybury Farm is operated by the Northville Community Foundation; the funds raised from the corn maze are used to help support the work of the farm, and their mission of connecting the community to animals and agriculture through hands-on experiences that are both engaging and educational.

Maybury Farm is located at 50165 Eight Mile Road in Northville. Parking is free. To learn more about autumn activities at the farm, visit www.mayburyfarm.org.

Parade entries sought

Entries for the Winter Fest Parade Dec. 2 are now being accepted at the Belleville Area Chamber of Commerce, 248 Main St., Belleville, 48111.

Rules for parade entries require that the vehicle must be decorated with working lights. Vehicles with headlights that remain should cover them during participants as headlights distract other participants and judges. Music, however, is welcome.

For more information, or an entry form, contact the Belleville Area Chamber of Commerce at (734) 697-7151.

Candy donations sought

Downtown Belleville will once again be hosting a Trick or Treat event from 5-7 p.m. on Thursday, Oct. 21.

Individuals or merchants who would like to participate in this great family event via the Belleville Area Chamber of Commerce can do so by providing a bag of candy which will be passed out to all the ghosts and goblins. Last year, volunteers distributed out candy to approximately 1,000 children during the event.

Those who provide a candy donation and all sponsors will be listed on an insert with all candy passed out that evening.

Drop off all wrapped candy at the Belleville Area Chamber of Commerce by Monday, Oct. 23 so that bags of treats can be assembled for distribution on Oct. 31.

Call (734) 697-7151 for more information.

Goodfellows serve pancakes

Insister Goodfellows will serve an all-you-can-eat pancake breakfast from 7 a.m. until noon Saturday, Oct. 21.

The meals will be served at the Booker Dozier Recreation Center, 2025 Middlebelt Road in Inkster.

The cost is \$10 per person and all proceeds will benefit the Goodfellows No Child Without a Christmas campaign.

City offers Runner's Cross Training

The City of Plymouth Recreation Department announces a six-week Runner's Cross Training course presented by Mery Elite Sports Performance from 7:15 until 8 p.m. Wednesdays, starting Oct. 18 through Nov. 22 at the Plymouth Cultural Center.

Novice runners and elite athletes will benefit from this class, organizers said. Runners will receive expert training from a certified Mery Elite Sports Physical Therapist/Athletic Trainer specializing in athletes.

This class is designed to reduce injuries, increase speed, improve form, manage the grind of training runs, improve mechanics and endurance and identify proper training levels and approaches. This class is open to participants ages 13 and up. Cost is \$100 for City of Plymouth residents and \$115 for non-residents.

Registration can be found online at www.plymouthmi.us or by calling (734) 425-6620, 11:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Guiding Harbor fundraiser set

A Life Expressions Make and Take Sign fundraiser for Guiding Harbor is planned for 6 p.m. Oct. 20 at Holiday Inn Express in Belleville.

Participants will make homemade wooden signs with vinyl saying during the event. For \$25, attendees will make a 4-inch by 24-inch sign with an inspirational saying. Signs are discounted if painters make more than one. A consultant will bring the needed supplies and sayings.

The Holiday Inn is located at 46194 North Interstate 94 Service Dr. in Belleville. To register, call (734) 697-7342.

Mom to Mom sale set

St. Edith and St. Colette MOPS (Mothers of Pre Schoolers) will host a Mom to Mom Sale from 8:30 a.m. until noon Saturday, Oct. 21 at St. Edith Church,

15089 Newburgh Road in Livonia.

There will be 74 tables of deals on gently used maternity, baby and children's items. Admission is \$2. Strollers are welcome.

The church is located near Five Mile Road and Newburgh Road, south of Five Mile Road in Livonia.

For more information, visit the St. Edith/St. Colette Mom-to-Mom Sale Facebook page or email m2msale@stecops.org.

Anti-bullying is topic

Cheryl Jones, LMSW, the founder of LifeCycle Family Counseling, Inc., will speak about anti-bullying at JORY Children's Foundation seminar from 7-9 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 24, at Romulus High School Auditorium.

This event is free and open to the public but audiences should be at least 7th graders due to subject matter. Jones will offer parents and students strategies to deal with the effects of bullying and signs to watch for self-destructive behavior.

The seminar is sponsored by the Romulus Fire Department, Romulus Police Department, Skanska Family Fun Center, and Wayne County Community College District-Ted Scott Campus.

More information about JORY Children's Foundation can be found at www.jorkids.org.

Information forum set

An Information Forum organized by the Inkster Task Force, top Ladies of Distinction, Michigan Metro Chapter and the Inkster Commission on Aging is set for 11:30 a.m. until 1:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 26 at the Dozier Recreation Center.

The free event includes lunch. Transportation is available.

The complex is located at 2025 Middlebelt Road in Inkster. For reservations, call (313) 961-2382.

Fun and Fabulous Friday planned

The Commission on Aging and the Inkster Police Department will host Fun and Fabulous Friday at 5 p.m. Oct. 27.

The event will include a catered dinner and karaoke along with other entertainment. The cost is \$10 and all proceeds will go toward the Inkster Goodfellows.

Transportation is available.

Tickets will be sold through Oct. 20. For tickets or more information call (734) 728-7530.

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