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Detroit Contractor Opportunity Fair to be held Friday



Thanks to the \$42 million in new blight removal funds coming to Detroit, there will be increasing opportunity in Detroit's demolition and home rehab industries. This Friday, contractors in these areas will be able to meet and hear from a range of City officials to find out how to access those opportunities.

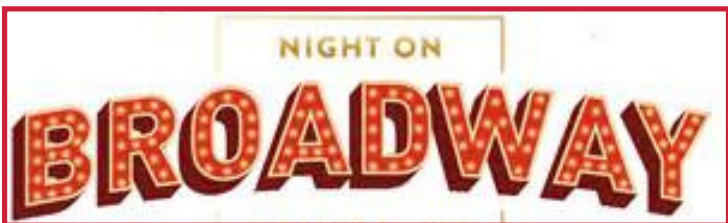
To help meet the growing demand for production, the City will host a Contractor Opportunity Fair to connect more Detroit-based and minority-owned Detroit contractors with this increase in opportunity. 150 individuals representing over 100 companies have already registered to attend the Fair.

The event will be held from 1:00 – 4:00 p.m. on May 13, 2016 at the Northwest Activities Center, located at 18100 Meyers. Registration begins at noon.

The goals of the fair are to:

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River Rouge students to hit the stage



On May 19th and 20th, River Rouge Theater Ensemble and the River Rouge Culinary Arts Department will present, "A Night On Broadway". The 20th will be a culminating show with Dinner and a Show. Ticket

prices are \$5 for adults and \$4 for senior citizens and \$3 for River Rouge Students.

This show is really a showing off of the diverse talent and capability

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Minority Business Development Agency announce project to help fund businesses



WASHINGTON —The U.S. Department of Commerce Minority Business Development Agency (MBDA) has announced a competitive solicitation for candidates interested in operating a new MBDA Capital Project. MBDA will award one cooperative agreement totaling \$2.5 million over a five-year period – from fiscal year 2016 to fiscal year 2021 – to

operate the project in any of the 50 states or Puerto Rico.

The Capital Project, the first of its kind in the Agency's history, is designed to serve as a hub for minority business enterprises (MBEs) across the country seeking financing solutions to grow and expand their businesses. It is a key

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WELCOME TO THE NEIGHBORHOOD

THE SOUND EXPLOSION CELEBRATES 1ST ANNIVERSARY



Co-owners of Sound Explosion John and LaTina Frazier

Music is King. Have you ever wanted to get your hands on some of the musical classics? Or would you like to surprise your parents with one of the old Albums that you heard your parents talking about? Well, the solution to your dilemma is the Sound Explosion.

They are a jewel of a music person's dream. They are stocked with Albums, 78s, 45s, cassettes, Eight Tracks and Picture Disk. Some of the classics are Stevie Wonder, Prince, George Clinton, Alabama, Whitney Houston and many other artists. If you have your own collection of vinyl, but don't have a Stereo to play them on, The Sound Station has turn tables for you to purchase.

Another line of items that they carry are sound tracks from several music concert. Co-owner, John Frazier, says, "If you are a collector or you want to be a collector of great

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Ex-South Carolina Cop Indicted In Walter Scott Fatal Shooting



Walter Scott shot in the back by Officer Slager

A federal grand jury on Wednesday handed up a three-count indictment against former North Charleston, South Carolina police officer Michael Slager in the fatal shooting of Walter Scott on April 4, 2015, according to a statement from Vanita Gupta, head of the Civil Rights Division, and U. S. Attorney Bill Nettles of the District of South Carolina.

Slager was charged with a federal civil rights offense, using a firearm during the commission of the civil rights offense, and obstruction of justice. The statement reads:

The indictment alleges that Michael Slager, while acting as an NCPD Officer, used excessive force when he shot and killed Walter Scott without legal justification. Slager was also charged with obstruction of justice for making false statements to South Carolina Law Enforcement Division (SLED) investigators with the intent to impede the investigation into the shooting. The indictment alleges that Slager

intentionally misled SLED investigators by claiming that Scott was coming toward him with a taser at the time that Slager fired his weapon, when in truth, Scott was running away.

If convicted, Slager, who is White, faces a maximum sentence of life in prison for the civil rights violation, as well as a potential \$250,000 fine.

Local authorities have already charged Slager with murder. He was fired from the force after a passerby filmed him shooting Scott, a 50-year-old African-American father of four, in the back during a traffic stop.



Officer Michael Slager

NEWS FROM ELECTED OFFICIALS

Senator Hopgood to Host 5th Annual Free Bicycle Helmet Giveaway



Hoon-Yung Hopgood
State Senator

LANSING. — Senator Hoon-Yung Hopgood (D–Taylor) will be hosting, along with the Children’s Hospital of Michigan and the Taylor Conservatory Foundation, his 5th Annual Bicycle Helmet Give-

away at the Taylor Farmer’s Market’s opening day on Friday, June 3rd. Sen. Hopgood will be giving away bike helmets to children on a first-come, first-serve basis. Children’s Hospital of Michigan will be on hand to discuss bike safety and properly fit the helmet for each child.

The event will begin at 2:00 p.m. and end at 6:00 p.m., or until all of the bike helmets available are given away. The location will be at the Taylor Farmer’s Market, located at 12111 Pardee Road. All families in the 6th Senate District and the Downriver area are invited to attend the event.

WHO: State Senator

Hoon-Yung Hopgood (D–Taylor)

Members from the Children’s Hospital of Michigan

WHAT: 5th Annual Free Bicycle Helmet Giveaway

WHERE: Taylor Farmer’s Market, 12111 Pardee Rd., Taylor, Michigan 48180

WHEN: 2:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. (or while supplies last), Friday, June 3, 2016

For further information regarding this event, please contact Senator Hopgood’s office at 517-373-7800 or email to senhhopgood@senate.michigan.gov.

“Ignore The Haters:”



National Security Advisor Susan Rice Advocates For Diversity In Commencement Speech

Delivering a down-to-earth commencement address Wednesday at Florida International University in Miami, National Security Advisor Susan Rice urged graduates to look past disparaging remarks about America’s diversity, telling them to “ignore the haters.”

“Now, there are voices out there that disparage our diversity—that question whether

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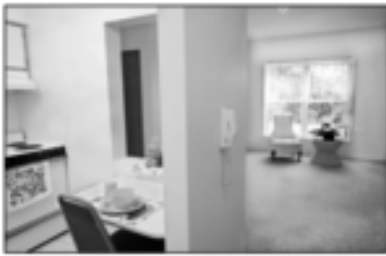
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COMPANIES PAY OUT MILLIONS IN SETTLEMENTS AS DISCRIMINATION LINGERS

By Charlene Crowell (NNPA News Wire Columnist)



As a country, America has historically short-changed its people of color in virtually every dimension of life: education, employment, housing, public accommodations and voting to name a few. To remedy discriminatory practices and policies, a series of federal and state laws were enacted over several decades to guarantee fairness and justice.

Now as a nation prepares to elect a President, a new Congress, and scores of state and local officials, recent enforcement actions suggest that instead of many businesses and corporations complying with fair lending laws for consumers, huge settlements continue for widespread violations. Further, lack of credit access for minority businesses largely remains an unresolved issue despite the Community Reinvestment Act's provisions to close this financial void.

In a newly-released report on fair lending and equal opportunity, the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau (CFPB) chronicled major settlements totaling hundreds of millions in restitution to consumers harmed by discrimination and additional monetary payments.

The report also noted that CFPB will add efforts to assist small businesses as it continues to serve consumers.

"Small businesses are a backbone of our nation's economy and access to credit is critical to their operation and growth. Unlike large businesses, many small businesses are sole proprietorships where the owner's personal credit – and potentially that of family and friends – may be on the line," noted Patrice Alexander Ficklin, CFPB's Director for its Office of Fair Lending and Equal Opportunity.

A key highlight of the report on consumer accomplishments was the nearly \$33 million settlement with Hudson City Savings Bank (now a part of M&T Bank) to pay in 2015 for its systemic failures to provide fair lending in Connecticut New Jersey, New York, and Pennsylvania. More than 90 percent of the bank's top 50 brokers' offices were concentrated outside of minority communities. In Philadelphia and in Camden, none of bank's 47 loan officers were based in Black and Latino areas.

An even larger settlement – \$470 million – was reached with HSBC Bank USA NA and its affiliates (collectively, HSBC) to address mortgage origination, servicing and foreclosure abuses. Participating in this case were the Justice Department, the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, along

with 49 state attorneys general and the District of Columbia's attorney general.

"This agreement not only provides relief to borrowers affected by HSBC's past practices, it puts in place protections for current and future homeowners through tough mortgage servicing standards," said Iowa Attorney General Tom Miller. "For years we've worked together to hold mortgage servicers responsible for their past conduct. We're doing that here through this settlement and we'll continue to address bad conduct in the future."

"Even as the mortgage crisis recedes, the U.S. Trustee Program will continue to combat mortgage servicer abuse of the federal bankruptcy laws so that homeowners are given their legal right to try to save their homes," said Director Cliff White of the Justice Department's U.S. Trustee Program. "Homeowners in financial distress sometimes depend on chapter 13 bankruptcy to help them catch up on their payments. When banks violate bankruptcy laws at the expense of homeowners and other creditors, they must pay a price. This settlement holds HSBC accountable for its actions and helps to protect the most vulnerable homeowners."

The \$10 trillion mortgage industry is the nation's largest credit market and touches the lives of millions of consumers. Each year, according to Mortgage News Daily, three million consumers reach out to lenders to apply for a new mortgage. Another 1.5 million consumers, who already have mortgages, reach out to lenders seeking loan modifications or other assistance in preserving their home.

Unfortunately, the mortgage industry is not alone in violating fair lending laws. At \$1 trillion, auto lending is the third-largest source of consumer debt, behind that of mortgages and student loans. A bill passed by the House of Representatives last November on a 332-96 roll call vote, awaits further consideration in the Senate. The measure would remove CFPB from enforcing anti-discrimination laws against auto dealers.

College loan debt, now more than \$1 trillion, continues to grow as well. Particularly at for-profit schools, low graduation rates, few graduates and few if any marketable skills, students fail to secure a desired degree, but wind up with lots of student debt. The former Corinthian Colleges, once one of the nation's largest for-profit colleges, closed its doors last year, but many of the problems incurred by its former Everest students persist. Nor is Corinthian the only for-profit college that has lured student enrollment with promises of steady employment with well-paying, career-track jobs. ITT Tech remains under investigation. Nearly \$200 million will be paid by the Education Management Corporation (EDMC) as part of a federal settlement that provides loan forgiveness affecting approximately 80,000 former students. All of our country's laws should be honored and violators held accountable in proportion to the harms they cause. That would be justice and fair lending.

Haters

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America should welcome people of all races, religions, and creeds," she said, according to a White House transcript. "Those voices can be loud. They can be intimidating. They can make us feel like we don't belong. But, you know what? Let fear be their problem, not yours. Shake it off. Ignore the haters. And, don't you dare let them slow you down."

The advice comes amid a racially divisive presidential race as Republican presidential front-runner Donald Trump has made disparaging remarks about Mexican immigrants and proposed a temporary ban on Muslims.

Rice, 51, the country's advisor to the United Nations, also called for more "diversity in the realm of foreign policy and national security."

She said that minorities make up less than 20 percent of the nation's senior diplomats, and less than 15 percent of senior military officers and senior intelligence officials. Rice also said the nation's national security workforce is comprised of what "former Florida Senator Bob Graham called 'White, male, and Yale.'"

Noting the nation's population of 320 million, she said nearly 40 percent are people of color, and an increasing number of them are earning college and graduate degrees.

"As America becomes more diverse, so do our best people," she said. "The next [former U.S. Secretary of States] Colin Powell or Madeleine Albright or [former U.S. Secretary of Energy] Bill Richardson is out there. Our country—and our policies—will be stronger if we can bring them on-board."

She said diversity could help avert "groupthink."

"By now, we should all know the dangers of 'groupthink,'" she said, "where folks who are alike often think alike. By contrast, groups comprised of different people tend to question one another's assumptions, draw on divergent perspectives and experiences, and yield better outcomes. Whether we're confronting [ISIS] or Ebola, cybersecurity or climate change, solving today's multifaceted global challenges demand more varied viewpoints and experiences than ever. Intelligence analysts, diplomats and military officers who are native speakers may pick up subtle nuances that might otherwise go unnoticed."

Rice ended the speech by encouraging students to get out of their comfort zone, travel the world, be fearless, and to do what stirs their souls. She also challenged

LETTER TO THE COMMUNITY

Trump presumed nominee for GOP

By Jim Abeare - Contributing Writer



Well to the chagrine of the Republicans and the delight of the Democrats, Donald Trump looks like he is going to be the nominee of the Republican party.

A lot of Republicans don't like that, but they are mostly party higher ups whose candidate didn't get the nomination.

Even House speaker Paul Ryan said he won't be convention chairman if the Donald doesn't want him there.

Mr. Trump did pick up a hugh supporter in former Vice President Dick Cheney.

The party needs to be unified if it hopes to beat Hillary Clinton in November.

BUT, on the bright side, the Democrats are in disarray with

Bernie Sanders winning the primaries but Hillary getting the delegates.

The Democrats could have a contested convention.

But, back to Trump. If a Republican was in office, Mr. Trump would run as a Democrat.

He is independent and doesn't really need party hierarchy.

He has his own money to run and he has the support of the people.

That is where the Republicans run into trouble. If they contest the convention and put up a different nominee, no matter how good he my be, they will lose support of the people and lose the election.

By a landslide. I still believe the election is Hillary's to lose, but the Republicans don't have to hand it to her, which it sounds like some may be doing.

But I heard that from Hillary and I don't really trust her.

Trump seems to have support of the people and the Republicans need to unify.

If not, we'll have four more years of the same Democratic policies.

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Goal Check

By Janine Folks - Religion Columnist



It's almost June, the halfway mark of 2016. Can you believe it?! So, how are the resolutions going? Is anything marked off your top ten goal list? Too busy to think about it? Distracted? Don't forget the dreams you started the year with.

Maybe it's time to renew. When dreams are not renewed, they tend to fade away. Don't let that happen to you. Let's get back on track. We still have half the year remaining. Let's make it count.

Dig out your list or rewrite it. "Write down the vision; write it clearly on clay tablets (paper) so whoever reads it can run to tell others. It is not yet time for the message to come true, but that time is coming soon; the message will come true. It may seem like a long time, but be patient and wait for it." (Hab. 2:2-3).

Once you have your list in your hand, POST IT! Make a few copies. Put one up in your bedroom, one in the kitchen, etc... Look at the list daily and

start the day with your goals in mind. Just as you start each day with prayer, glance at your goal list afterward. Ingest your goals and make them a part of your being. That way you will be cognizant of them and govern your day accordingly!

Think about your goals regularly. After all, you are what you think! (Proverbs 23:7). Prepare yourself. Do something daily that prepares you. You know what happens when preparation meets opportunity! God has already given you victory. It's up to you to realize it.

Thomas Jefferson once said, "Nothing can stop the man/woman with the right mental attitude from achieving his goal; nothing on earth can help the man/woman with the wrong mental attitude." The good news is that we get to choose our mental attitude. You can choose to be an achiever. Couple up you attitude with God's power and you are a force to be reckoned with. In other words, you are unstoppable! The problem is, you may have forgotten that. You have been officially reminded, so do it!

Know who you are. Remember that you are amazing! You are God's child and all things are possible with Him! (Matthew 19:26). Happy summer and a successful 2016!

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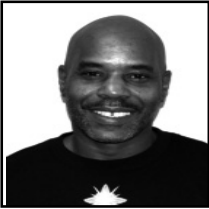
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A DELAY IS NOT A DENIAL

May is Skin Cancer Detection and Prevention Month

LANSING – As warmer weather approaches, the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS) urges all residents to protect their skin from ultraviolet (UV) rays by addressing and correcting common misconceptions about tanning.

"According to the CDC, indoor tanning can cause skin cancer including melanoma, the deadliest type of skin cancer," says Eden Wells, MD, chief medical executive of the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services. "Indoor tanning is particularly dangerous for younger users; people who begin indoor tanning during adolescence or early adulthood have a higher risk of getting skin cancer. People need to protect their skin and limit their exposure to ultraviolet rays, whether from the sun or indoor tanning beds."

MDHHS reminds all residents that:

- Controlled tanning is not safe tanning
- A base tan is not a safe tan.
- Tanned skin is not healthy

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June 11, 1961 – Feb. 29, 2016
Yolanda Ruth Sims was born in Inkster and was educated through the Inkster Public School System. Yolanda was a beautiful soul. She was dainty and very ladylike. She showed this through her taste in clothes and jewelry.

She could sing her heart out and to many she was Inkster's "Minnie Riperton." Yolanda enjoyed writing, shopping reading and singing. Most of all she enjoyed spending lots of time with her family. She leaves to cherish her memories two loving daughters, Tiarra and Ciarra Sims; four sisters: Christeen Singleton, Patricia (Pre-mail) Freeman, Simone Montgomery, Charlotte (Roderick) Thomas; three brothers: Douglas, Timothy and her heart Yardley Sims; eight grandchildren, a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.
Final arrangements entrusted to Chapel of the Chimes Funeral Home. (chapelchimes.com)



CHARLES MAUL
April 12, 1932 – Feb. 29, 2016
Charles Maul was born in Selma, Alabama and later in life he moved to Inkster, Michigan where he found employment at Chrysler Motor Car Company. He was drafted into the United States Army and was granted an honorable discharge in 1952.

In 1960 he met Reletha Lance whom he married in 1963. To this union, one son, Charles M. Rice, Jr., was born.

Charles truly loved his family and working in his yard. Charles devoted many long hours caring for his beautiful prize winning colorful flowers that were admired by everyone. He was also known by his family and friends as one of the best barbecue cooks in the area.

He leaves to cherish his memory, a devoted wife, Reletha; son, Charles Jr.; brother, James Rice, Jr. (Annie Lois); sisters-in-laws: Celestine Burrell, and Ellawaise Blue; one very "special" cousin, Levonia Sharp and many nieces and nephews.
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FREDRICK CARL HALL -
Mar. 15, 1958 – Mar. 2, 2016
Fredrick was a member of the

READ THE BIBLE

Sharon SDA Church. He loved to golf and play basketball.

He was full of fun and laughter, always making jokes, smiling and ending the conversation with "You Know."

Fredrick is survived by his wife, Rosa; sons: Tedario Hale, Ter-rance Hale and Steven Anderson; four grandchildren: siblings: Elizabeth Middlebrooks, William Hall Jr. (Poala), Debra Mahfoud (Mohammed), Nadine Kennedy, Pamela Brooks, Theodore Hall and a host of family and friends.
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IVY BEVINS
Aug. 18, 1926 – Mar. 1, 2016
Ivy Bevin Harper was born in Atlanta, Georgia and was drafted into the United States Army and spent two years fighting in World War II.

Ivy was hired at the VA Hospital in Allen Park and soon discovered his lifelong passion, painting. He spent 41 years at the VA and retired in 1996. Ivy's personality was infectious and his wisdom was thought provoking. Ever the scholar, Ivy loved to travel, study history and read his bible. Additionally, he loved spending time with his wife of 54 years Mary, his children, family and friends.

He leaves to cherish his memory: Three loving children: Lisa (Steven) Burrell, Rodney, Ivy (Judith); thirteen grandchildren, Five great-grand children; a loving brother in law, Rev. Lindsay Smith a loving sister in law, Georgia

Harper, and a host of family and friends.
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YVONNE PAYNE
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Yvonne Calvert was born in Roseville, Michigan and graduated from Roseville High School. Yvonne was a spiritual woman who loved the Lord. Family was everything to Yvonne. Every year she would gather all her grandchildren for the summer and plan numerous vacations with them. Yvonne made numerous friends throughout her life; whether from her vast bowling era, to hanging with her Cartersville friends such as Gail and Peggy. She loved to fish, cook and hit the slots. Every-one knew Yvonne enjoyed life. Yvonne leaves behind a sister, Rubbie Calvert; a step-sister, Connie Thompson-Williams. Her best friend and daughter, Darlene (Murray), nine grandchildren, five great grandchildren, and a host of nieces, nephews and cousins.
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MBDA

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component of the Agency's overall portfolio of business development services that will result in MBE clients securing debt, equity, mezzanine financing and alternative sources of capital.

"Access to capital remains one of the most prevalent barriers for the creation, expansion and growth of minority-owned firms," said MBDA National Director Alejandra Y. Castillo. "The new MBDA Capital Project is an important investment that will help minority-owned firms secure financing to grow their businesses, create jobs, and continue to contribute to a stronger U.S. economy.

According to data from the U.S. Census Bureau's 2012 Survey of Business Owners, minority-owned firms in the U.S. rose from 5.8 million in 2007 to 8.0 million in 2012, a 38 percent increase. However, considerable disparities remain between their revenue and the revenue of nonminority-owned companies. The Capital Project is part of the Agency's commitment to addressing these disparities by increasing financing opportunities for MBEs.

MBDA invites applications from for-profit entities, non-profit organizations, state and local governments, American Indian Tribes and educational

institutions to apply to operate the MBDA Capital Project. A pre-application teleconference is scheduled for May 16, 2016 at 2:00 pm Eastern Time to learn more about the competition and application procedures. Participants must register at least 24 hours in advance of the teleconference.

Applications are due June 15, 2016.

MBDA is looking for applicants to demonstrate:

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- Experience with securing large scale traditional and alternative financing.
- Experience in successfully preparing, matching facilitating and closing financial transactions.
- Professional working relationships and national network with financial institutions.
- Experience with advising business clients on strategies for enhancing business growth.
- Experienced and qualified staff to operate the project.

More information can be found at www.grants.gov or www.mbda.gov.

Demolition

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•Encourage contractors to get into demolition by providing information on licensing, equipment needs, bidding etc. Connect with minority-owned companies, including 313 Construction, Rickman Enterprises, ABC Demolition, Direct Construction Services, DMC Group and others.

•Connect contractors to demolition-related opportunities and learn how to do business with the City.

•Learn about lending opportunities through a variety of banks and programs such as the Entrepreneurs of Color Fund.

The City of Detroit's demolition program is the largest in the nation, but now, thanks to the latest round of funding, the city expects to expand it even further. In the past two years, the city has demolished more than 8,600 vacant and dangerous buildings. As a result of the additional funding, the rate of demolition is expected to grow to 5,000 structures this year and 6,000 next year.

There also are more than 1,400 vacant homes in the city that have been or are being renovated as a result of the city's Land Bank auction, nuisance abatement program and other community partnerships.

To register for the Detroit Contractor Opportunity Fair today, please visit www.detroitmi.gov/demolition

Gregory McClary elected to the Board of Directors of the ICCFA



GREGORY B. MCCLARY, owner of McClary Funeral Services and DBA of Chapel of the Chimes Funeral Home in Westland, MI, has been elected to the Board of Directors of the ICCFA, International Cemetery Cremation and Funeral Association.

Mr. McClary has been a licensed funeral director in the State of Michigan for sixteen years, respectfully serving families for more than 35 years. He has been a member of The ICCFA for nine years. His main purpose for joining The ICCFA is a commitment to a calling to serve the funeral profession for a lifetime. He does not just want to be there, He wants to make the ICCFA stronger. He wants to make it prouder. And, he wants to make it better.

Mr. McClary, is a board member of The MFDA, Michigan Funeral Directors Association, District 1 where he has served in capacity of President twice.

He would like to be able to stand in the gap for The MFDA by offering support in educational opportunities and addressing concerns in relevance to governmental affairs that may arise from time to time.

Mr. McClary is a member and ambassador of The APFSP, Academy of Professional Funeral Service Practice since 2005.

In March of 2016, he received certification from the John Maxwell Team in coaching, teaching and speaking in Orlando, Florida.

Mr. McClary, one of twelve members who ran for eight open positions on the board of The ICCFA, says he chose to run for a position on the board because he wants to give back to the profession.

On April 14, 2016, he was elected to serve a three year term.

When Mr. McClary learned that he had been elected to serve, he said, "I would like to thank everyone who voted for me. I will work hard for your concerns. I would also like to thank everyone who did not vote for me. I will work just as hard for your concerns. I will always be available to answer any questions and address any concerns in regard to The ICCFA".

Mr. McClary's dedication is to the funeral profession and giving back.

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Broadway

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This event will include musical numbers from 12 different Broadway shows along with some showcase moments from the year in theater. It will include, IMPROV, inspired and designed by The Detroit Creativity Project. The students have worked all year to develop their Improv talents and now they get the

chance to put it out before a live audience! They are brimming with excitement about the show. It will also include some highlight monologues and duet scenes showing off some of their other creative talents along with Solo, Duet, and Group numbers from the Musical Theater Department!

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Survivor Of Michigan Shooting Becomes Surgeon After Being Inspired By Doctors Who Saved Him



Kevin Morton Jr. graduates from college plans on becoming a doctor

Michigan man who was nearly killed in a 2007 shooting graduated last week to become a surgeon, much like the one who saved him after the random robbery that almost took his life.

It was Dr. Dharti Sheth-Zelmanski who was in the trauma unit when then-college student Kevin Morton Jr. was brought in with a gunshot wound to the stomach. And Sheth-Zelmanski was there again when the now 31-year-old graduated from Michigan State University's College of Osteopathic Medicine, NBC reports.

Morton's story is full circle; nine years ago, doctors at Detroit's St. John Hospital weren't sure the then 22-year-old would make it. The Oakland University of Rochester student, who was closing up after a night shift at a local Arby's, was shot by a gunman who attempted to rob him as he was getting into his vehicle. Doctors said the young student had a 10 percent chance of surviving through the night, the report said:

Sheth-Zelmanski got a call for a Code 1 trauma patient that night. Doctors prepared Morton's family for the worst.

"Whether we call it intuition, experience or a miracle ... we put some extra sutures in and the bleeding stopped," Sheth-Zelmanski recalled.

Morton's life was saved. He had plans to graduate from school and go into the pharmaceuticals industry, but that all changed when doctors at St. John Hospital gave him another chance. He spent 50 days recovering there.

What's more, Morton will begin his residency at the same hospital where he was saved.

"The compassion and drive that Dr. Sheth has shown in trying to save my life ... I just wanna pay that forward," Morton told NBC News.

We wish him the best.

SOUND EXPLOSION

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New outdoor classroom, Honors Academy and English-Language Learners program planned for Southwest Detroit schools




Innovative programs in Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts and Mathematics (STEAM) will expand, and the first public Montessori schools in Detroit will open as a result of proposals selected from 36 school initiatives developed by teams of DPS principals, teachers and educators, Detroit Public Schools Interim General Superintendent Alycia Meriweather announced today. The dozen new innovations include an Arabic Dual Language Immersion and Technology Academy, an expanded Academy of Blended Learning, accelerated academic programs and smaller high school learning communities. In Southwest Detroit, those programs include a new outdoor STEM classroom at Neinas Dual Language Learning Academy; a new Honors program at Clipper Academy and a new academic credit recovery program for over-age English Language Learners at Priest Elementary-Middle School. "Detroit Public Schools teachers, principals and educators are not only focused on their ongoing passion to educate Detroit schoolchildren, but on the task of improving education and making the District more competitive by adding programs that will allow us to better meet the current and future needs of our students and families," said Interim General Superintendent Alycia Meriweather. "We were thrilled with the number of proposals that our educators submitted this year, which is the second year of this solicitation process at DPS. This year, we received proposals that covered programming in a total of 43 DPS schools, which is 44 percent of our school portfolio." All of the new initiatives are designed to raise academic achievement, better service children and families, invigorate communities and enhance enrollment. Academic review teams considered the initial letters of intent from educators, and then sought full proposals on 18 of these through a process that began in February. A total of 12 proposals made the cut for implementation. The new initiatives for the 2016-17 and 2017-18 school years include:

- Montessori/Open Schools;
- Arabic Dual Language Immersion and Technology Academy;
- Smaller Learning Communities at Detroit Collegiate Preparatory High School at Northwestern;
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- Tech High School;
- Additional STEM Academies (Cooke S.T.E.M. Academy of North Rosedale, ready to go for 2016-17; John R. King STEM and Performing Arts Academy, to begin transformation for 2017-18 school year);
- Over-Age ELL Classroom at Priest;
- Accelerated program at Mark Twain;
- Additional outdoor learning opportunities at Neinas Dual Language Learning Academy;
- Expanded choice offerings for innovative programs at A.L. Holmes Academy of Blended Learning and Clippert Multicultural Honors Academy
- Grade extensions will take place at Ronald Brown Academy, which will retain its 7th grade, as well as planned grade level additions at Academy of the Americas High School, A. Philip Randolph Technical High School and Neinas Dual Language Learning Academy;
- DPS has also confirmed that for the third consecutive year there will be no school closures. All current programs will remain active for the 2016-17 school year. In many cases, such as the Cooke S.T.E.M. Academy of North Rosedale and the A.L. Holmes Academy of Blended Learning, the new programs and offerings will be ready for this school year. In some cases, such as the Montessori/Open Schools, further review is necessary to establish an opening for 2016-17 or for the following year. That determination will be made no later than the end of May. In all cases, it will be assured that programs will be implemented with fidelity, and that all proper planning is in place for success. The District will also launch a broader effort to look at STEAM and STEM in a holistic way that supports each of the schools interested in this model. Earlier initiatives implemented successfully in DPS resulting from the first year of the annual academic proposal solicitation process include: Academy of the Americas and A. Philip Randolph High Schools, Ludington Magnet Middle School Honors Program, International Baccalaureate pathway from FLICS and Renaissance High School, Sampson Webber Leadership Academy's partnership with Lawrence Technological University, and Neinas Dual Language Learning Academy. These programs have played a key role in recent District enrollment stabilization, helping to raise enrollment by more than 20 per-

cent at some schools, and assisting with the reversal of enrollment declines by up to 35 percent. Taken together, the new programs announced today, when all fully implemented could result in an additional 638 students enrolled or retained in the District, or a potential for more than \$4.8 million in added revenue. To enroll or receive further information on these innovative new programs, parents should call 313-240-4DPS or go to www.detroitk12.org/enroll. Updates on the new programs will be posted at www.detroitk12.org/schoolinnovations.



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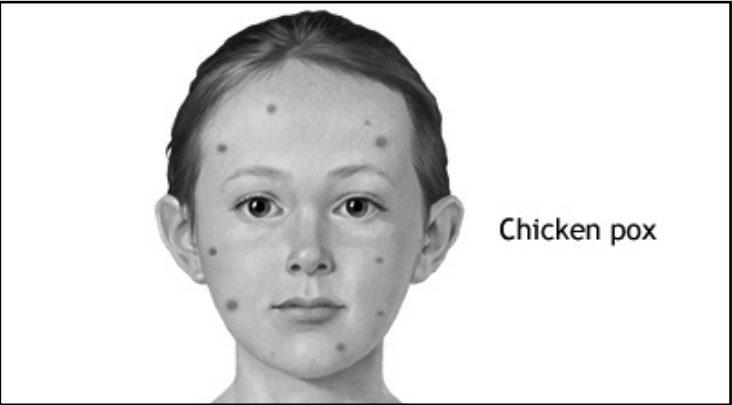
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As cases increase, health officials warn of chickenpox, encourage vaccination



LANSING – The Michigan Department of Health and Human Services is advising parents to make sure their children are up to date on chickenpox vaccination following reports of increased cases and outbreaks in the state. Preliminary numbers for 2016 indicate there have been 239 chickenpox cases through April, which is about 57 percent more than that time last year.

“The chickenpox vaccine is safe and very effective, and is required for school and day care attendance to help prevent the spread of illness,” said Dr. Eden Wells, chief medical executive of MDHHS. “It is important to know that, despite common misconceptions, illness from chickenpox can be severe and sometimes require hospitalization resulting in serious complications.”

Also known as varicella, chickenpox is caused by a virus in the herpes virus family and is characterized by an itchy, blistery rash. The rash may be preceded or accompanied by fever, tiredness, headache, and loss of appetite. Chickenpox is highly contagious, with the virus spreading easily through coughing, sneezing, and other contact with respiratory secretions. Like other herpes-family viruses, this virus has the capability to remain in the body indefinitely as a latent infection and reactivate later in life. When the chickenpox virus reactivates it causes a painful condition called shingles, also known as zoster.

Chickenpox used to be very common, but since the vaccine was licensed in 1995 and recommended routinely for children, we have seen more than a 97 percent decline in its incidence in Michigan. In the majority of the cases this year, individuals had not been vaccinated. Nearly all of the outbreak-related cases in 2016 had not been vaccinated.

Similar to measles, chickenpox spreads easily in schools, households, day care centers, camps, and other group activity settings, especially when there are pockets of low immunization rates in a community. Chickenpox can be

variable, ranging from mild with few “pox” lesions to very severe illness requiring hospitalization. At a minimum, the illness results in children missing several days of school and activities. Adolescents and adults are at higher risk for a serious case and complications, as are people with weakened immune systems because of illness or medications.

According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), adolescents as well as adults born after 1980 who have not previously had the disease and have not been vaccinated should also get the chickenpox vaccine, which involves 2 doses. Studies have shown the recommended 2-dose series given in childhood is somewhere between 89 percent and 98 percent effective in preventing any mild-to-moderate chickenpox disease and 100 percent effective in preventing severe chickenpox.

THINKING ABOUT A KIDNEY TRANSPLANT?
Kidney transplant 101: Community program on May 19 at Beaumont, Dearborn

Beaumont Health’s kidney transplantation team will present a pre-kidney transplant community education program on Thursday, May 19 at Beaumont Hospital, Dearborn. The 7 p.m. program is for those considering a kidney transplant. Family, friends, potential donors and health care professionals are also welcome. The two-hour program will take place in the Kalman Auditorium at Beaumont Hospital, 18101 Oakwood Blvd., Dearborn. While there is no fee to attend, registration is encouraged. To register, call 800-633-7377 or go online at www.beaumont.edu/transplantation. Registrants should use the north parking structure for the Fitzgerald Pavilion. Dilip Samarapungavan, M.D., transplant nephrologist and medical director, Multi-Organ Transplantation, Beaumont Health, will review the transplant process, necessary medications and the long-term outlook for kidney transplants. Transplant recipients and a living donor will share their experiences.

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Rookie Mini Camp in Session

By Butch Davis - Sports Reporter

The Detroit Lions announced today that they have acquired LB Jon Bostic via a trade with the New England Patriots in exchange for an undisclosed, conditional draft pick. Bostic joins the Lions after spending the 2015 season with the New England Patriots, where he played in 11 games (one start). Prior to his time in New England, he played two seasons (2013-14) with the Chicago Bears.

The Detroit Lions also announced that they have hired Jay Colvin as senior vice president of legal affairs and general counsel. Colvin will be responsible for all legal matters pertaining to the corporate and business activities of the team. "We are excited to add Jay Colvin to our senior management team," said Detroit Lions Team President Rod Wood. "Jay has worked closely with the Lions on legal matters for more than 20 years. His broad familiarity with the organization and staff will enable him to make an immediate impact." The Detroit Lions announced today that they have signed nine of the team's 2016 NFL

Draft picks. Here are the following rookies signed, Offensive lineman Joe Dahl, tackle Taylor Decker, center Graham Glasgow, safety Miles Killebrew, long snapper Jimmy Landes, quarterback Jake Rudock, running back Dwayne Washington, Antoine Williams, linebacker, and defensive lineman Anthony Zettel.

Lions announced today that they have signed 12 undrafted rookie free agents to the team's roster as well. There are the following, Adairius Barnes C B, Louisiana Tech. Jace Billingsley, WR, Eastern Oregon. Quinshad Davis, WR, North Carolina. James DeLoach, DE, Georgia. Chase Farris, G, Ohio State. Adam Fuehne, TE, Southern Illinois. Deonte Gibson, DE, Northwestern. Jay Lee, WR, Baylor. Charles Washington, DB, Fresno State. Ian Wells, CB, Ohio. Cole Wick, TE, Incarnate Word and Andrew Zeller, G, Maryland.

In addition, Detroit releases C Darren Keyton and that they have signed unrestricted free agent WR Andre

Caldwell. Entering his ninth NFL season, Caldwell joins the Lions following a four-year stint with the Denver Broncos (2012-15). Last season with the Broncos he appeared in 14 games and hauled in 10 receptions for 72 yards (7.2 avg) and two touchdowns. In the team's Super Bowl 50 win over Carolina, he caught one pass for 22 yards.

After the team's first rookie mini-camp practice on Friday, May 6, Lions Head Coach Jim Caldwell was available to the local media and made this opening statement. "Pretty exciting time for us around here, obviously, any time you get some new blood in the building, young guys with a lot of energy and excitement. So, to have an opportunity to kind of acclimate them to what we do, how we do things, etc. is going to be a lot of fun. A lot of good people. You could tell really from the first couple of things they were assigned to do as a group, they did a tremendous job working their way through it. Not as if that's the test in itself, but certainly part of it.

Tigers are in a Hole

By Butch Davis - Contributing Reporter



At the end of the fifth inning, April Miller and friends of the city of Ecorse in a suite at Comerica Park was taking part in the fifth annual "Pink Out The Park," to honor breast cancer survivors and support breast health awareness this past Sunday.

Photo taken byButch Davis

Two week ago the Detroit Tigers went 6-1 and improved their overall record to 14-10, respectable for second place in the AL Central standing. Entering play last week and the beginning of this week the Tigers as of this past Monday have lost seven games in a row. Yes, this past Monday in Washington D.C. pinch-hitter Clint Robinson hit a solo homer with one out in the bottom of the ninth off Mark Lowe as the Washington Nationals beat the Detroit Tigers 5-4 on Monday, sending the Tigers to their seventh loss in a row. Robinson's homer came one batter after Danny Espinosa was ejected after home plate umpire Brian Knight called him out on strikes.

Oh Yeah, talking about being hurt, Bobby Wilson was traded from the Tigers to Texas last week

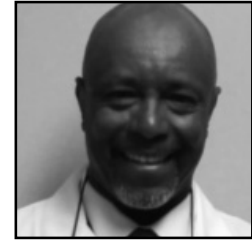
Tuesday and almost immediately helped the Rangers to a three-game sweep in Motown this past Sunday. The journeyman catcher came back to rendezvous the Tigers on Sunday, hitting a tiebreaking grand slam in the eighth inning to lift the Texas Rangers to an 8-3 win over Detroit. Wilson was traded from Texas to Detroit in March. After playing five games for the Tigers, he was dealt back to the Rangers for minor league pitcher Chad Bell. Wilson became expendable because James McCann was coming off the disabled list for Detroit, and the Tigers had no reason to think he'd make such a big impact against them for the Rangers. On last Friday, Wilson had two hits for Texas in a win over Detroit, and he added three more this past

Sunday. Ouch!!! Brad Ausmus' job has to be in a vulnerable position, even if he's not the one serving up eighth-inning hits and blowing leads. Mike Ilitch is known to be impatient, even impulsive, and although there are plenty to blame, the manager feels the heat first. "It just seems like everyday, it's one part of our game that's not clicking," Ausmus said. "Today it was the bullpen, sometimes it's the hitting, and sometimes it's the starting pitching. But the first thing you got to do is stay positive." Finally, the Detroit Tigers and I are saddened to hear of the passing of John Young and we extend our heartfelt condolences to the Young family. John holds a significant place in Tigers' history as the Club's first round selection in the 1969 Major League Baseball Draft, and he briefly played for the Tigers in 1971 and Tigers' affiliates for nine seasons. John also contributed to the Tigers front office as a minor league instructor, a scout and as scouting director. Most of all we will remember John's passion for youth baseball, and his tireless efforts in developing the RBI Program "Reviving Baseball in Inner Cities." John will be missed and will remain forever in our hearts."

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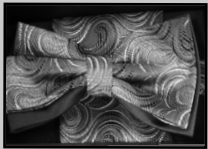
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DEARBORN HEIGHTS

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DETROIT

Contractor Opportunity Fair
 Over the next two years the City of Detroit's demolition and housing rehab programs will rapidly expand. On May 13 from 1-4PM at the Northwest Activity Center located on 18100 Meyers, the City of Detroit will convene a Contractor Opportunity Fair to help connect Detroit contractors to more work.

College Fair & Home Workshop

Saturday, May 14, 2016 from 10AM-2PM at the Liberty Temple Baptist Church (17188 Greenfield Rd.), there will be an Education & College Fair, and a Home buying workshop. Please RSVP to Cleo Wiley at 313-224-4535.

HARPER WOODS

Plant Exchange

Saturday, May 14, 2016 at 10AM-noon, at Salter Memorial Park (19430 Harper Ave.), the city of Harper Woods will feature a plant exchange. City Council Meeting
 Monday, May 16, 2016 at 7PM there will be a city council meeting at the Harper Woods city hall, 19617 Harper Ave.

INKSTER

City Council Meeting
 Monday, May 16, 2016 at 7:30PM there will be a city council meeting at the Inkster City Hall, 26215 Trowbridge St.

LINCOLN PARK

City Council Meeting
 Monday, May 16, 2016 at 7:30PM there will be a city council meeting in the Lincoln Park city hall, 1355 Southfield Rd.

ROMULUS

Art Class
 Mr. Dewey Faulkner will be teaching basic art and drawing at the Senior Center, 36525 Bibbins St. This event will take place at 11:30AM on May 17, 2016.
 Free Yard Sale Weekend
 Visit the Clerk's office for a list of addresses featuring GARAGE SALES. May 19, 2016- May 22, 2016, there will be a variety of neighborhood garage sales. Call 734-942-7540 for more information.

TAYLOR

Hope Walk

The Fifth Annual Team Hope Walk for Huntington's Disease will be held at Heritage Park, starting at Pavilion A, on Satur-

day May 14. Registration begins at 10 a.m., and the walk starts at 10:30. Registration is \$25 for adults, \$10 for children (12 and under). To register or inquire about volunteer opportunities, call Katrina Walker at (734) 778-3960.

Fish and Fun Day

The Ecology Center in Heritage Park will again hold its highly-successful Fish 'N Fun Day at Coan Lake on May 14. The event is ideal for children of all ages. You do not need your own fishing equipment to participate in this event. The event will go from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Everyone should meet at the Activities Building (the home of Santa's Magic Forest), located behind the Taylor Community Library.

Job Fair

Princeton Management will be hosting a job fair from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. May 18 at 11208 Goddard Court Drive (Goddard Court Apartments), Taylor. They will be hiring for the following positions: maintenance technicians, property managers, pool monitors, housekeepers, leasing agents, groundskeepers and maintenance supervisors. For more information, click on www.princetonmanagement.com.

WAYNE

City Council Meeting
 Tuesday, May 17, 2016 from 8-10PM, there will be a city council meeting at the Wayne city hall, 3355 S Wayne Rd.

WESTLAND

2016 Ice Show
 The 2016 Ice Show will be held at the Mike Modano Ice Arena (6210 Wildwood) on: Friday, May 13th at 7 PM, Saturday, May 14th at 6 PM, and Sunday, May 15th at 1 PM.
 18th Annual 5k Fun Run/Walk
 This year the 5K Fun Run/Walk will take place at Westland Farmer's Market building on Carlson on Saturday, May 14th at 9:00 a.m. If you'd like to register for the 2016 5K Fun Run/Walk with North Brothers Ford and The City of Westland, please call 734-524-1258.

Homecoming Celebration

Monday, May 16, 2016, the city of Westland will hold a homecoming event at Westland City Hall (36300 Warren Rd.) from 11AM-9PM. The event will kick off with the opening ceremony marked by the opening of the time capsule. The event will conclude with the Mayor's Reception from 7-9PM.

City Council Meeting

There will be a city council meeting at the Council Chambers of Westland City Hall, 36300 Warren Rd., beginning at 6:00 p.m.

Family Resource Fair

The Westland Rotary along with the City of Westland and the Norwayne Community Citizens Council proudly presents: Family Resource Fair on May 18, 2016 from 5-7PM at the Jefferson-Barns Community Vitality Center, 31250 Dorsey Rd.

Preview Book Sale

The Book Sale will be open to the general public beginning May 19 and run through May 22 from 3-6PM at the Westland Public Library, 6123 Central City Pkwy.

Farmers & Artisans Market

Yahoo CalendarThe Westland Farmer's Market will be held at the Farmers Market Pavillion located at 1901 N Carlson. The Market will take place every Thursday from 3-7p.m. The Market is being held through October.

WYANDOTTE

Spring Citywide Garage Sale

Friday, May 13, 2016 from 9AM-4PM, there will be a city-wide garage sale. The City Wide Garage Sale is a bi-annual fundraiser for the Wyandotte Museums.

St. Vincent Pallotti Spring Fling

Friday, May 13, 2016 from 5:00pm - 12:00am, at the Yack Arena (3131 3rd St.), there will be a Spring Fling. For more info: http://www.wyandotte-springfling.com/
 Wyandotte Stars Vintage Baseball Game
 Saturday, May 14, 2016 at 2PM, at Memorial Field (1940 Ludington St.), the Wyandotte Stars will continue their season. The Wyandotte Stars is a historic or vintage base ball club that recreates this early American pastime using the rules and customs of the 19th century.

City Council Meeting

Monday, May 16, 2016 at 7PM there will be a city council meeting in the council chambers of the Wyandotte city hall, 3200 Biddle Ave., Suite 300.

This Week in Local Sports

By Butch Davis

The 2016 tournament for varsity baseball for high school in the state of Michigan with be played very shortly with the District Tournament -- May 31, June 3-4, and the Regional Tournament about a month away (June 11). Here are this week MHSAA baseball schedules (5/12-5/18/2016) of teams in the Telegram News reading area. Please, get out and support a our children taking part any of the spring/ summer sports by way of elementary, middle school, high school, or a recreational center near your neck of the woods.

High School Varsity Baseball

05/12, 4:00 PM, Garden City at Dearborn
 05/12, 4:00 PM, Dearborn Heights Annapolis at Dearborn Edsel Ford
 05/12, 4:00 PM, Romulus at Dearborn Heights Crestwood
 05/12, 5:00 PM, Melvindale Academy for Business & Tech at Ecorse
 05/12 5:00 PM, Detroit East English at River Rouge
 05/12, 4:30 PM, Canton Preparatory at Westland Huron Valley Lutheran
 05/12, 4:00 PM, Brownstown Woodhaven at Wyandotte Roosevelt
 05/13, 4:30 PM, Lutheran Westland at Allen Park Inter-City Baptist
 05/13, 4:00 PM, Melvindale at Dearborn Heights Crestwood
 05/13, 5:00 PM, Hamtramck at Melvindale Academy for Business & Tech
 05/13, 5:00 PM, Ecorse at River Rouge
 05/13, 4:00 PM, Dearborn Hgths Robichaud at Ypsilanti Community
 05/13, 6:00 PM, Dearborn Hgths Robichaud at Ypsilanti Community
 05/14, 10:00 AM, Wyandotte Roosevelt at Adrian
 05/14, 12:00 PM, Wyandotte Roosevelt at Adrian
 05/14, 11:00 AM, Detroit Cristo Rey at Marine City Cardinal Mooney
 05/14, 12:30 PM, Detroit Cristo Rey at Marine City Cardinal Mooney
 05/14, 10:00 AM, Allen Park at Northville
 05/14, 12:00 PM, Allen Park at Northville
 05/14, 11:00 AM, Brownstown Woodhaven at Romulus
 05/14, 1:00 PM, Brownstown Woodhaven at Romulus
 05/16, 4:00 PM, Dearborn Heights Annapolis at Dearborn
 05/16, 4:00 PM, Belleville at Dearborn Edsel Ford
 05/16, 4:00 PM, Dearborn Heights Crestwood at Dearborn Fordson
 05/16, 5:00 PM, Detroit Cesar Chavez Academy at Hazel Park
 05/16, 5:00 PM, Melvindale Academy for Business & Tech at River Rouge
 05/16, 4:00 PM, Lincoln Park at Southgate Anderson
 05/17, 4:00 PM, Melvindale Academy for Business & Tech at Dearborn Fordson
 05/18, 4:00 PM, Belleville at Dearborn Heights Annapolis
 05/18, 4:00 PM, Dearborn Fordson at Dearborn Heights Robichaud
 05/18, 5:00 PM, River Rouge at Detroit University Prep Science & Math
 05/18, 5:00 PM, Detroit Henry Ford Academy at Ecorse
 05/18, 4:00 PM, Dearborn at Garden City
 05/18, 4:00 PM, Allen Park at Lincoln Park
 05/18, 4:30 PM, Westland Huron Valley Lutheran at Lutheran Westland
 05/18, 4:00 PM, Detroit Cass Tech at Oak Park
 05/18, 4:00 PM, Dearborn Heights Crestwood at Romulus
 05/18, 4:00 PM, Taylor Truman at Trenton
 05/18, 4:00 PM, Melvindale at Wyandotte Roosevelt

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INKSTER LIBRARY PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

INKSTER PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Inkster Public Library Board will hold a public hearing on the proposed library budget for fiscal year July 1, 2016 to June 30, 2017 at the Inkster Public Library (Leanna Hicks Public Library), located on 2005 Inkster Road, Inkster, MI 48141. The public hearing will be held during the Library Board's regular meeting which is scheduled for Thursday, May 19, 2016 at 5:00 p.m. **The property tax millage rate proposed to be levied to support the proposed budget will be a subject of this hearing.** A copy of the budget is available for public inspection at the Inkster Public Library, 2005 Inkster Road, Inkster, MI 48141, during business hours.

The Inkster Public Library will provide necessary reasonable auxiliary aids and services, such as signers for the hearing impaired and audio tapes of printed materials being considered at the meeting, to individuals with disabilities at the meeting upon 5 days notice to the Inkster Library. Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact the Inkster Library by writing or calling the following: Michael Wells - Library Board President, Inkster Public Library, 2005 Inkster Road, Inkster, MI 48141, (313) 563-2822.

CITY OF INKSTER PUBLIC NOTICE

CITY OF INKSTER

In accordance with the City of Inkster City Charter Chapter 7, Sec. 7.9; an abstract of the proceedings of the May 3, 2016 Regular Council Meeting is hereby published.

APPROVED:

Approval of the Agenda.

Approval of the Consent Agenda.

Approval of four boards and commission appointments.

Public Hearing on the FY2017 Budget.

Approval of the FY2016 Budget Amendments.

Approval of a Special Conditions Use (SCU16-07).

Approval to lift the moratorium on the hiring freeze.

Approval two closed session votes.

Approval to hold the first Charter Commission meeting.

Felicia Rutledge

City Clerk

RIVER ROUGE HOUSING PUBLIC NOTICE

Commission request bid proposals for the services listed below for its 300 Public Housing dwelling units, Hyacinth Court II Community Center and its Main Office.

Bid packets will be available Wednesday, May 11, 2016 at the River Rouge Housing Commission, 180 Visger Rd., River Rouge, MI 48218. Sealed bids will be received for the list below by the River Rouge Housing Commission until 2:00pm Thursday, June 9, 2016 and will be opened. Bids received after 2:00pm on June 9, 2016 will be rejected and returned unopened to the bidder. For more information contact River Rouge Housing Commission Monday-Friday during normal business hours from 8:00am – 4:30pm at 313-382-1414.

INVITATION TO BIDDERS: Non-Refundable fee of \$50.00 per packet:

- Lawn Care Services
- Snow Removal
- Plumbing Services
- Heating and Cooling
- General Labor
- Comprehensive Maintenance

INVITATION TO BIDDERS: Non-Refundable fee of \$25.00 per packet:

- Pest Control
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Interested bidders may obtain bid documents from the River Rouge Housing Commission.

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- Contractor's Qualification Statement (AIA Documents A305 completed by bidder)
- Certification of Non Segregated Facilities (completed by bidder)
- Section 3 Form

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CITY OF ECORSE PUBLIC NOTICE

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NOXIOUS WEEDS ORDINANCE

To any Owner of Lands Situated Within the City of Ecorse, County of Wayne and State of Michigan

Notice is hereby given that all noxious weeds growing and all dead grass and brush on any land within the City of Ecorse, County of Wayne and State of Michigan, must be cut down, destroyed and removed on or before the first day of May, 2016 to prevent such weeds from going to seed or blossom, as the case may be, and to prevent such dead grass and brush from becoming a fire hazard.

Failure to comply with this notice on or before the above mentioned date shall make any party so failing liable for the actual costs incurred by the City for cutting, destroying and removing said noxious weed and dead grass and brush by said City.

A statement of said cost shall be mailed to the owner and occupant, if any. If the statement is not paid by 1/1 following the cutting season, the unpaid sum shall be placed on the tax roll and be charged against the parcel or property involved.

Dana Hughes

City Clerk

CRIME ALERTS

RIVER ROUGE

May 4th, 2016
At 1742hrs, the police station received a call report shots fired on Summit Street. The male stated he heard shots in the area of a home in the 200 Block of Summit. The caller states the male was wearing gray sweatpants and gray hoody was seen leaving a home. Officers checked the area for the male and approximately 15 minutes later the police station received another call stating the male was seen walking on High Street. Officers told the male to stop at High and Alexis Street in Ecorse and he fled on foot. Ecorse PD was notified and arrived on scene to assist and search the area for the male . He was apprehended in the area of a home on Union Street. The 28 year old male, a River Rouge resident was placed under arrest for Obstructing. No weapon was found on him at time of arrest.

May 4th, 2016
At 0403hrs, officers were dispatched to Fairmont & Cora regarding a Suspicious Situation of 40 year old male pushing a lawn down the street in the wee hours of the morning. Officers indentified the male and questioned him about the mower. First he stated that it wasn't his, and then he stated he found it in the garbage on High Street and couldn't provide any information. The officer advised the male that many lawn mowers have been stolen from resident and took the mower as evidence and safekeeping. He was release from the scene.

May 3rd, 2016
At 0030hrs, the K-9 officer was

flagged down on Jefferson near Cora by a female, who stated a Domestic was in progress in a home on LeBlanc Street. As officer got near the home they could a female screaming from a home. When officer approached the house they could hear the screaming coming from a second floor window. Police knocked and told them to open the door. And a 24 female opened the door. When officers entered the home a "crack pipe "and "marijuana glass pipe" was seen in plain view on the kitchen table, where the female was doing her nails. Officers were there to investigate possible Domestic, but it ended up being a verbal altercation. The female became irate and told the officers they needed a search warrant, and when the officer attempted to detain her she kept pulling away and resisting stating she wasn't going to jail. She was eventually placed in handcuffs and under arrest for Resisting, Obstructing and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia.

May 10, 2016
At 1549hrs, officers were dispatched to the 1000 Block of Coolidge Street on a PPO violation complaint. A 27 year old male was sitting on the front porch of his mother's home. The mother has a PPO against her son. The male was arrested for violating the PPO and was transported to Henry Ford Wyandotte for Psychiatric Evaluation. The 47 year old mother states her son threatened to kill her and his sister and told her he already have graves dug.

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INTRODUCING THE N'NAMDI MOVEMENT CENTER



The N'Namdi Center is proud to announce the activation of the N'Namdi Movement Center through Argentine Tango Classes to take place on Wednesdays, starting May 11.

Argentine dancers, Alex Moore and Randy Fisher, continue their sessions of fundamental tango lessons in the re-designed Movement Center on the campus of the N'Namdi Center in Spring/Summer 2016.

ARGENTINE TANGO IN THE MOVEMENT CENTER
Wednesdays, May 11 - June 1
6:30 - 8:30pm

The mixed level classes will meet the students at their level, keeping the group to-

gether or breaking out into two groups; one for foundations, and another to build on with more advanced steps. The Practica (included with the lesson) is an extra hour where everyone across levels can practice their steps together, ask questions and most importantly, have fun dancing!

About the Instructors:
Randy Fisher began dancing tango in 2000 and, after years of dancing/teaching between Buenos Aires and San Francisco, moved home to Detroit to begin the Detroit Tango Project in 2011. Alex Moore grew up dancing and began tango in 2008 in Buenos Aires. She moved from NYC to Detroit in 2012, where she now teaches dance and yoga and

practices Thai massage. Both Randy and Alex are avid social dancers, celebrating dance for physical and mental health and as a way to build connection and to connect us with community.

Class Schedule & Costs:
4 class session: \$50
[May 11th – June 1st 6:30-7:30PM & Practica 7:30-8:30PM]

Drop in classes: \$15
[Valid for any Wednesday class May 11th – June 1st & Practica 7:30–8:30PM]

Drop in Practica only: \$5
[for intermediate Tango dancers 7:30PM-8:30PM]

Tickets are available at the door & in advance online via Eventbrite (search: "Tango at the Movement Center" or click the link below)
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ASK ALMA

My Wife Left Me after 38 Years and I Now I Want to DNA Test My Kids



Dear Alma,

My wife and I divorced after 38 years of marriage. I still don't understand why, I want to work it out, but she does not. I had intended on spending the rest of my life with her and now that won't happen. We had our up and downs, but overall I thought we had a solid commitment and happy marriage. I was happy. She said that she was not and that I never listened to her. She also gave many other reasons that I don't think are true or care to discuss. Sometimes I feel like my life is over. I have listened to all her lies and lately I've been thinking about my children and how I don't think they look like me and I wonder if I am their father. When they were young and we were married I didn't think much about it. But now they are all adults and listening to their mother and all of her lies, it makes me wonder. I want them to have a DNA test and I want my wife to pay for it. I do not want to discuss this with anybody in my family. Can you tell me where to get a DNA test of your children?

Signed,
I Want A DNA Test

Dear DNA Test,

Oh no I won't, but what I will do is try to stop you before you commence to making a mockery of your marriage and children with such foolery. Don't you dare consider asking your adult children for a DNA test. You've raised them and they believe you to be their father, so then, that's it – you are! Your statue of limitations to confirm that has passed. Look on the bright side, like my mama use to say, "you feed 'em they'll favor you." LOL. So put your glasses back on.

I get the impression you're a man of few words, and since I totally disagree with you, I won't keep you long. Asking for a DNA test from your children will only devastate and alienate them and you don't want to do that. You're hurt and the thought of finding love again seems impossible. Understandingly so, you were not planning to live out your latter years alone. Here's my point, as long as you have life, you have another chance at love.

The mind can be tricky during the healing process of heartbreak. Having endured more than a few myself, I remember every negative thought or action becomes totally consuming, taking you to a place where you can't clearly decipher rational from irrational. I'm sorry you weren't able to work things out with your wife, but I assure you, your life will get better.

Check out some old family pictures, you're surely to be surprised and I hope tickled by the moments of reminiscing. Your kids look like you when you were younger, it's you who changed. Age crept up on you and made a few adjustments, LOL.

Please, adhere to my advice, drop the notion or need for a DNA test. Don't demean the love of your children as a pawn to get back at your wife. Whenever there's an opportunity for you to continue to be the best father possible, you should take it. Invest in yourself, get back out there, go the church, volunteer, join a gym.

I know it may seem difficult as the days go by, but wake up appreciating life every day. This experience is the end of marriage, not your life. Meet death by surprise, don't allow it to become a destination. The rest of your life can be the best of your life. It all depends on you.

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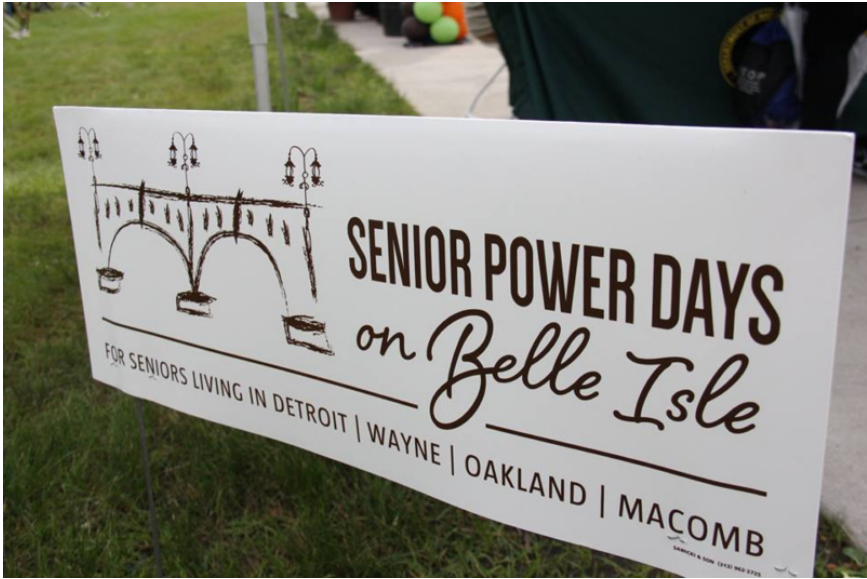
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FOR ENTERTAINMENT PURPOSES ONLY

Chevrolet Detroit Belle Isle Grand Prix to donate complimentary Recreation Passports to seniors May 18



Senior Power Days signageThe Department of Natural Resources today announced that the Chevrolet Detroit Belle Isle Grand Prix will donate up to 600 complimentary annual Recreation Passports to Michigan residents 60 or older as part of Senior Power Days. The giveaway will take place Wednesday, May 18, from 10 a.m. to noon on the white house lawn at Belle Isle Park. Parking is available in the parking lot across the street.

The Recreation Passport is required for vehicle entry to all 102 Michigan state parks, including Belle Isle. It also gains motorists access to 138 state forest rustic campgrounds and many free, family-friendly events, as well as parking for

hundreds of miles of trails and fee-based boat launches. The sticker is valid until the next vehicle plate renewal date.

Senior Power Days are a series of recreational and educational programs for thousands of seniors from Detroit, but also include residents from Wayne, Oakland and Macomb counties.

Each event in the 10-event series will be held at the casino facility on Belle Isle and the sessions will cover an array of topics ranging from senior safety, health education and recreational activities to jazz concerts and faith-based activities. Senior Power Days collaborates with a variety of senior organizations at the state and tri-county level.

The 2016 Senior Power Days event lineup includes:

- Wednesday, June 15: World Elder Abuse Awareness Day, the Center for Elder Abuse Prevention at JSL from 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.
- Tuesday, June 28: Detroit Symphony Orchestra Chamber Recital (tickets required) from 6 to 9 p.m.
- Wednesday, July 20: Senior Health & Services Day from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
- Wednesday, Aug. 10: Jazz on the Isle from 6 to 8 p.m.
- Wednesday, Sept. 14: Meet

Your Candidates town hall meeting from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

- Wednesday, Sept. 28: Senior Arts & Crafts Day from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
- Wednesday, Oct. 12: Exercise & Leisure Day from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
- Saturday, Oct. 29: Harvest Day from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.
- Wednesday, Nov. 16: Interfaith Day from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.
- Wednesday, Dec. 14: Holiday Celebration from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The Chevrolet Detroit Belle Isle Grand Prix returns to Belle Isle Park June 3-5. To learn more and to purchase tickets, visit DetroitGP.com. For more information, please contact Stephanie Donaldson, Senior Power Days representative, at 313-478-8257 or steplenora@aol.com.

Inside Michigan's Great Outdoors subscribers are always the first to know about reservation opportunities, state park events and other outdoor happenings. Visit www.michigan.gov/dnr to subscribe now.

Learn more about how the Recreation Passport gains you access to Michigan state parks and more at www.michigan.gov/recreationpassport.

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