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NEIGHBORS

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Coburn Elementary to celebrate 50 years

Coburn Elementary School will celebrate its 50th anniversary Thursday with the recognition of alumni, a memorabilia display and more.

"An Even Better School for our 21st Century Children" is the theme for this event, to which alumni, parents, teachers, administrators and the public are invited.

A noon ceremony will be held on the front lawn of the school and an open house will be held from 6 to 7 p.m.

For more information on this event, call Coburn Elementary School at 965-9730.

Health expo planned at Burnham Brook

Members and nonmembers of the Burnham Brook Center are invited to free health screenings and health information during a Health Expo.

The expo will begin at 9 a.m. Friday at Burnham Brook Center. Various vendor booths will offer information on services, products and programs geared toward the health of senior citizens.

The expo will be held in conjunction with the annual Medicaid/Medicare Senior Conference. The conference also begins at 9 a.m. and provides seniors with an opportunity to learn about prescription assistance, fraud and abuse and see a Paws For The Cause demonstration.

Lunch is free for those ages 60 and older.

Keynote speaker for this event is Edna Brown, Ms. Senior Michigan 1991. Brown, known statewide as a comedian, will bring entertainment to this informative event.

A 50/50 raffle, grocery bag drawings and gift bags will be available for those who attend.

To register for this conference call 966-2566, Ext. 363. Those interested in displaying a health booth should call 966-2566, Ext. 324.

This event is a collaborative effort between Kathy Courtney of Barry County Commission on Aging; Sherry Swartz of St. Joseph County Commission on Aging, Sandra MacDonald of Branch County Commission on Aging and Barbara Barnes of Region 3B Area Agency on Aging.

Additional committee members include Jolene English, Alberta Duck, Tom Hall, Sue Washington, Bertha Cheatham and Lolamae Ansley.

Media featured at annual festival

The Calhoun County Agricultural and Industrial Society will sponsor the Harvest Festival from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Oct. 14 at the Calhoun County Fairgrounds in Marshall.

The purpose of the event is to provide the community with an opportunity for family fun activity.

In addition to craft booths, petting zoo, horse-drawn wagon rides, pony rides, exhibits and food vendors, a Kiss the Pig Contest will be held.

The contest will allow festival participants to vote for their favorite media personality. The personality who is the most money in his or her designated container will kiss the pig. All money raised will go to the Calhoun County Fairgrounds.

For more information on this event, call 781-8161.

Level Park School fund-raiser begins

Level Park Elementary School has begun selling wreaths and sprays as part of fall fund-raising efforts.

Classic Christmas Wreaths are $17 each. The classic handmade wreath is made of Minnesota balsam fir and decorated with selected white-tipped pine cones, jingle bells and a gold- backed red velvet bow.

Door sprays are $13 each. The sprays are handmade from Minnesota balsam fir and are decorated with white-tipped pine cones, jingle bells and gold-backed red velvet bow.

Holiday centerpieces are $18 each. These centerpieces feature a natural wicker basket overflowing with fragrant evergreens, pine cones laced with gold jingle bells, a golden grape cluster with birch branch accents.

The sale will be held through Oct. 13.

The merchandise will arrive and be distributed the week of Nov. 13, at the school located at 335 W. Michigan Ave.

To place an order call the school's voice mail, which has been set up for this sale, at 965-9767.

Neighborhood potluck scheduled

A neighborhood potluck will be held from 3 to 8 p.m. Saturday at the home of Tom and Ann Duckworth, 20374 12-Mile Road. Meat and beverage will be provided. Participants are asked to bring a dish to pass and table service.

For more information regarding this event, call the Rev. Bud and Roz Buchner at 964-3741 or Tom and Ann Duckworth at 969-0857.

Rain location is Convis Methodist Church, 18990 12-Mile Road.

Dinner, dancing planned at local lodge

Eagles Lodge 299 will hold a dinner from 5 to 8 p.m. Saturday at 1979 Capital Ave., N.E.

The dinner will consist of scalloped potatoes, roll, cole slaw and ham. The band, Country Image, will perform.

For more information regarding this event, call Barbara Corkins at 962-2131.

Sale to benefit youth group

A Mom to Mom semi-annual sale will be held from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Saturday at St. Mark Lutheran Church, 114 E. Minges.

The sale, sponsored by St. Mark Lutheran Church Youth Group, will provide parents and grandparents the opportunity to sell/buy gently used children's clothing, toys and equipment in a central location.

This year matching funds for the sale will be given by the Lutheran Brotherhood Branch B134. Proceeds from the sale will be used for youth to attend the 2001 National Lutheran Church, Missouri Synod Youth Gathering next August in New Orleans, La.

For more information on this event or the Youth Group, call Elaine Chapman at 729-9686 or St. Mark's Church office at 964-0401.

Nurses to unite for reunion

The Board of Directors of the Nazareth Association will hold Spirit Day 2000 from 11 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Saturday in the main building of Nazareth College in Kalamazoo.

Former students and alumni of Nazareth Academy, Nazareth College, Barbour Hall, St. Camillus School of Nursing/Borgess School of Nursing and St. Joseph School of Nursing in Flint are invited to attend.

The festival, themed "A New Millennium, a New Beginning, a Time for ReNewal," will include a luncheon, awards ceremony and liturgy dedication to all alumni.

Space available for holiday bazaar

Registration is now open to nonprofit organizations for the 17th annual Holiday Bazaar to be held Nov. 3 and 4 at Lakeview Square Mall.

Registration is $50 and includes the use of two chairs and two covered 8-foot tables.

Arts and crafts must be handmade. Home-baked items also are welcome.

Those interested in participating in the Holiday Bazaar should contact Al Shifflett at the mall office, 979-1744.

FOR THE ENQUIRER

Officers of the Unity Chapter of the American Business Women's Association are, from left, Joan Rop, treasurer; Judy Charlton, president; Catharine Boyes, vice president; Marlje Spelis and Sharon Stanton, co-secretaries.

Business chapter elects new officers

The Enquirer

The Unity Chapter of the American Business Women's Association has elected new officers for the 2000-01 year.

Elected were Judy Charlton, president; Catharine Boyer, vice president; Joan Rop, treasurer; and Marlje Spelis and Sharon Stanton, co-secretaries.

A special recognition was given to Veda Parker who has been an active member for 49 years. Frances Lerner was also recognized for her 38-year active membership record.

The American Business Women's Association was founded in 1949 to help women achieve personal and professional success.

The chapter meets at 6 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month at various locations.

The next meeting will be held Tuesday at the Burnham Brook Center. Speaker Angie Ince will discuss the opportunities and activities at Burnham Brook and provide a tour of the facility.

For more information regarding this chapter or its meetings, call Marie Secor, membership chairwoman, at 962-9651.

Preparing for the crown

FOR THE ENQUIRER

Seniors of Athens High School are preparing for homecoming on Friday and the naming of this year's homecoming king and queen. Those in the running for the crown are, from left, seated, Emily Stuart, Amanda Stanton, Krystal Blazewitz, Jayce Nay, Leann Wilson; and standing, Jeannie Wilson, John Stanton, Dale Turpin, John Chapman, Corey Markos, Derek Vincent, Eric Baldwin. Missing from photo are Ben Smith, Michelle Riddle and Michele Marsh.

Mystery of migration featured

Children and adults can learn about how birds migrate during Mysteries of Migration, a special program offered at Michigan State University's W.K. Kellogg Bird Sanctuary.

The family education program will be held from 1 to 3 p.m. Saturday at the sanctuary. A duck banding demonstration will follow the presentation.

Canada geese and migratory ducks will begin reaching the Sanctuary from the north and northwest at the time of the program. Spotting scopes will be set up on a new Wintergreen Wildlife Overlook Observation deck for visitors to watch the waterfowl.

The program is $1 for children ages 2-12; $3 for adults; $2 for senior citizens age 65 and older.

For more information, call 671-2510.

ON CAMPUS

Janet Attman was recently named management/marketing division chairwoman of Davenport University.

She previously worked for 25 years at First of America Bank Corp. (now National City Bank) in a number of areas, most recently as the bank's senior vice president and director of fiduciary services.

Attman is a Davenport University graduate with a bachelor of science degree in business management.

She will earn her master's of business administration from Western Michigan University in December.

Ann Marie Zidarevich, a St. Philip Catholic Central High School graduate, recently accepted a position as associate director of Programming at Fox Sports Radio Network in Los Angeles.

She will oversee the network's NFL, NBA and MLB programming as well as the daily operations of the network from 20th Century Fox Studios in Beverly Hills, Calif.

Zidarevich is a graduate of California State University at Northridge with a degree in communications.

She previously worked in Chicago as executive director of the Chicago Bears Radio Network.

Chuoh Ngeh, a Battle Creek Central High School student, is one of about 1,500 high school seniors named semifinalists in the 45th annual National Achievement Scholarship Program.

Ngeh now has the opportunity to compete for more than 700 achievement scholarship awards worth $2.5 million.

10-year-old diabetic helps works for cure

The Enquirer

Jeffrey Higdon has lived with juvenile diabetes since age 7. Today, at age 10, he has taken an active approach to helping find a cure.

Higdon

Since his mission began, he has participated in a Walk on the Capitol in Lansing, met Miss America 1999, Nicole Johnson who is also a diabetic and talked to state Rep. Mark Schauer on how diabetes affects his life on a daily basis.

His most recent effort for a cure was Sept. 16 when he and his family participated in the Juvenile Diabetes Foundation Walk for the Cure in Jackson.

Together they raised $1,500 in a letter campaign in Jeffrey's honor.

Tekonsha gets set for homecoming

The Enquirer

Tekonsha High School will celebrate its homecoming Friday following a week of dress-up days and wacky games.

A bog roast dinner will be held from 5:30 to 7 p.m. Friday in the school cafeteria before the game.

The meal will consist of roasted hog sandwiches, potato salad, Randall's beans, chips, pop and cookies, all for a $5 donation.

This year's homecoming court members are seniors, Jessica Johnson, Winter Bethel, Tiffany Tesch, Kelsey Harvey, Derek Feltner, Kyle Brownell, Eric Davis and Tony Mock; juniors, Kim Stuart and Mark Campbell; sophomores, Ashley Goyman and Derek Strang; and freshmen, Tara Mack and Dustin Smith.

BIRTHS

BATTLE CREEK HEALTH SYSTEM

Floyd Tidwell and Angela Davidson, Battle Creek, a daughter, Georgia Wyrine, Sunday, Sept. 17, 2000.

Scott and Deidre Misch, Bellevue, a daughter, Abigail Kay, Sunday, Sept. 17, 2000.

Robert and Dorothy Hoag, Battle Creek, a daughter, Malia Madison, Thursday, Sept. 7, 2000.

Jodi Rose, Battle Creek, a daughter, Sarah Sue, Wednesday, Sept. 6, 2000.

David and Tina Zeerryp, Augusta, a son, Benjamin Michael, Saturday, Sept. 2, 2000.

John and Lisa Lazarus, Battle Creek, a daughter, Hannah Elizabeth, Wednesday, Sept. 20, 2000.

Peter and Carrie Baum, Battle Creek, a daughter, Chloe Paige, Wednesday, Sept. 20, 2000.

Justin Robbins and Candy Hazel, Battle Creek, a daughter, Kailin Jade, Tuesday, Sept. 19, 2000.

Ronald Shuford and Ruthann Brown, Battle Creek, a son, Shae Anthony, Monday, Sept. 18, 2000.

Chris Simmons and Roberta Matthews, Battle Creek, a daughter, Julianne Marie, Wednesday, Sept. 20, 2000.

James and Tina Phillips, Battle Creek, a son, Branden William, Wednesday, Sept. 20, 2000.

David and Jody Luna, Battle Creek, a son, Samuel Aaron, Wednesday, Sept. 20, 2000.

Gary and Tina Vaughan, Athens, a son, Jensen Gary, Tuesday, Sept. 19, 2000.

OAKLAWN, MARSHALL

Josh Martinez and Miranda Bussing, Homer, a daughter, Alexis Ann Marie, Monday, Sept. 18, 2000.

Richard A. and Jennifer E. Jenkins, Battle Creek, a daughter, Delaney Brooke, Tuesday, Sept. 19, 2000.

John and Molly Fulmer, Marshall, a son, Calvin Henry, Monday, Sept. 18, 2000.

Jeff and Ronda Falkner, Coldwater, a son, Joshua Mark, Friday, Sept. 22, 2000.

Robert and Cami Brannor, Marshall, a son, Zachary James, Sunday, Sept. 24, 2000.

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LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION

To the qualified electors of all Cities and Townships in the County of Calhoun, State of Michigan:

Notice is hereby given that the General Election will be held on Tuesday, November 7, 2000. The last day on which persons may register with the appropriate city or township clerk in order to be eligible to vote at the general election is, **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2000.** Persons registering after 5:00 p.m. are not eligible to vote at said election. Persons planning to register with the respective city or township clerk must ascertain the days and hours the clerk's offices are open for registration.

CITY OF ALBION: E. Jo King, Clerk; City Hall, 112 West Cass Street, Albion. Phone: (517) 629-5535
CITY OF BATTLE CREEK: Deborah Owens, Clerk; City Hall, Suite 117, 10 North Division Street, Battle Creek. Phone: (616) 966-3348
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Voter Registration Can Also be Made At Any Secretary of State Branch Office, Community Mental Health, Dept. of Public Health, Dept. of Social Service Office or the County Clerks office in Marshall.

Anne B. Norlander, Calhoun Clerk

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