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Upcoming Shelby Library Events

There are many events occurring at the Shelby Township Library as summer begins to wind down! On August 8, there are two fun-filled events taking place: "World Music and Stories" and "Preserving Your Garden Bounty."

"World Music and Stories" will take place from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. in the Library Atrium. This event features interactive, musical stories and gives everyone a chance to participate with many musical instruments from around the world such as the didgeridoo, steel drums, and maracas. This event is open to all ages.

"Preserving Your Garden Bounty" will take place from 7 to 8:30 p.m. in the Library Atrium. Eileen Haraminac of the Michigan State University Extension will visit the library to talk about methods to preserve the delicious produce participants harvested this year. Haraminac will demonstrate the technique to blanch and freeze produce to preserve its great garden taste.

Do not miss the chance to learn new things at the Shelby Township Library before the summer runs out!

For more information on upcoming events and library information, call the Shelby Township Library at 586-739-7414 or visit shelbytwplib.org.

The library is located at 51680 Van Dyke Avenue.

Gazette Editor Interviewed On WBRW

Andrew Neal, Managing Editor of Gazette Newspapers, was recently interviewed by WBRW's Jeff Grayson about the Gazette's recent expansion into Washington Township. WBRW TV is a local television station serving the communities of Washington, Bruce, and Romeo. To view the Gazette interview, visit wbrwtv.com and click on "Videos – On Demand."

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MOMENTUM recently cut the ribbon on their new business in Downtown Utica. Mayor Thom Dionne and the Sterling Heights Regional Chamber of Commerce helped welcome the digital marketing gurus to Utica in late July. "Another business choosing Utica to call home!" Mayor Dionne said of the company. Momentum is located at 7659 Auburn Rd and according to their Facebook page, provides businesses with the tools and knowledge to achieve their goals through website solutions and online marketing. To learn more, visit seekmomentum.com or call 586-276-7496.

Board Moves Forward With Special Assessment Sewer Expansion

By HELEN KORNEFFEL

Washington Township's Board of Trustees meeting on Wednesday, July 18 featured a public hearing for the ongoing East and West Special Assessment Districts for Sewer planning.

The sewer plans have been in the works for the past eight years, and according to trustees, many residents of Washington Township have been waiting for the plans to be finally put in motion.

"There's a lot of people who have been asking us for sewer for a lot of years," said Township Supervisor Dan O'Leary. "We have had a hard time getting it to you because county sewer reaches our border at 26 Mile Road, then we get to it using pipe we have installed, and we don't really have pipe much further than 28 Mile."

"We've been building a sewer plant that will address a district from 32 Mile to 30 [Mile] and from Powell Road over to Van Dyke," said O'Leary. "That's the district we've defined with the DEQ when we got the permit. It will address a lot of land on the east side, but there are a lot of you on the west side that would benefit greatly from it too."

Two petitions were brought to Washington Township residents to ask for their approval of the building of the east and west side sewer pipes. Both petitions had positive signature rates, with the east district at 57.4% and the west district at 67.73%.

The east side pipe will run from the sewer plant at Powell Road, across the area the business Total Sports owns and through township property to the east side of M-53. The west side pipe will run from M-53, over to and up Van Dyke Road.

The east side SAD is 212 acres,

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Washington Twp. Discusses Master Plan Changes

By EMMITT LEWIS

The Washington Township Planning Commission discussed making changes to the Master Plan at their latest meeting on Tuesday, July 12.

Patrick Meagher, who's in charge of community planning and management, mentioned that there have been public hearings concerning the subject, and the addendum changes were made based on feedback. He added that they are near to putting the document to use.

"We've had our public hearing on the master plan. We've made some modifications based on input, and based on some of our past dealings with a couple of issues over the past year. And, I think we're pretty close to a point where we can look for adoption of this document," Meagher said.

Even though the adoption of the document is near, Meagher wanted to hold off on voting until Chairperson Peter Thomas was present to do so.

"I'm going to ask we table this until next month's meeting. What I would hate to do is take action tonight and then find out that Mr. Thomas might have something that he would have liked to see changed," said Meagher.

Meagher went on to say that this could be a good thing, as it allows them another month to think some more about it. In the meantime, Meagher started taking questions

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PICTURED LEFT TO RIGHT, Jennifer McWethy, 12, and Isabel Biermann, 13, both from Malow Middle School, and Brieanna Love, 12, of L'Anse Creuse Middle School North, observe a chemical transformation by using heat to change a penny's color during a science experiment at Macomb's STEAM Summer Camp.

Middle-Schoolers Focus On STEAM At Summer Camp

Twenty-one local middle school students explored the possibilities of STEAM careers through interactive, hands-on activities at Macomb Community College's weeklong STEAM Camp. Activities focused on the STEAM – science, technology, engineering, art, and mathematics – subject areas.

Macomb faculty members who teach the STEAM subjects engaged the students in hands-on experiments and activities and explained how they apply to STEAM careers. Science activities include examples of chemical transformations – one using a chemical solution and one using heat – to change a penny's color from copper to gold, and a physical transformation by freezing a rose with liquid nitrogen and smashing it.

Planning To Hold Public Hearing On Master Plan

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about concerns regarding the plan.

Commission member John Heuss had a question concerning zoning plans and land usage that was listed in the addendum.

"I'm interested in Patrick explaining a little bit of the thinking here," said Heuss.

Heuss wondered if planned unit developments, or PUDS, would still be utilized in the development or would there be more standard development. Meagher replied that he wanted to give developers a blueprint of roughly what the commission wants when developing the land. That specific section of the plan allows leeway for the market to dictate what to put on the land, instead of just commercial land.

"It used to be that anytime I had a rezoning, the developer wanted… 'I gotta have commercial here, I'm going to get rich.' Now all of a sudden, we have the opposite approach which is, 'well you're not going to make me put commercial on the corner. Who am I going to sell it to? No one's buying commercial,'" Meagher said.

Meagher noted that online shopping sites such as Amazon and Ebay are killing retail centers, and the land could be better off as an office space or medical center. Putting in a zoning plan also fulfills a state requirement.

Another subject that was brought up was the relationship between the city and developers. One part of the plan contains a reiteration of the PUDS. Meagher said that he wanted to make sure the partnership between the township and developers is an equally beneficial relationship.

"Right now, you're looking at it as, are we just getting taken advantage of? Or are we actually getting the benefit from them from doing this design? And if we are getting a benefit, are they equal?" he said.

Vice-chairperson Barb Wolfe didn't think that the benefits are equal all the way around. "I think the developers are trying to misuse us," she said. "I think that we should try and stick to the township's criteria."

Meagher added that they were probably not clear on their part, and hopes the clarifications in the plan will clear up any misunderstandings. Board Representative Abby Jacobson mentioned that she's happy the plan includes diversifying the land use in the community.

"There are some uses that could be compatible, that may not in our minds appear to be compatible. But would have less impact than some other types of uses that we talk about," Jacobson said.

Meagher suggested to Wolfe the decisions regarding the master plan be postponed until next month's meeting. That would give them more time to think about the plan, the chairperson would be back, and there will be an open public hearing regarding the plan.

"Let's keep the public hearing open just in case. As we introduce new ideas, people might want to come in and share their thoughts on it, or concerns, or support," Meagher said.

A motion was put forth by Wolfe to hold off on taking any action on the master plan, and hold a public hearing during the next meeting. The motion was passed and the next meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 9. For more information on the master plan, visit the Planning and Zoning Department page at washingtontownship.org.

Supervisor O'Leary: Sewer Is Good News For Those Waiting

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with three business owners and four parcels, two of which are owned by the township. The east pipes will be 15 inches wide, roughly 15 feet deep and 4,205 feet long. The current total estimated cost of the east side sewer pipe is about $1.1 million, which includes construction, design, and the SAD administration. The cost per acre is $5,189, which does not include interest.

The west side SAD is 222 acres and is primarily zoned as commercial or industrial. There are many parcels in this district, so the construction for the west will be more challenging due to the numerous businesses in the area. The west pipe will be 10 to 15 inches wide, 15 to 20 feet deep, and slightly over 6,500 feet long. The current total estimated cost of the west side sewer is $3.5 million, and the cost per acre is about $16,000, not including interest.

A timeline for the project has not been set, as there are many more factors that must happen before beginning. If the project was to begin in the spring of next year's construction season, it would most likely be finished by fall. This was a rough estimate of the timeline given by the Board of Trustees.

"Resolution three is now complete, so that is good news for those of you who have been waiting a long time," said O'Leary.

The motion to approve resolution three for the east and west side districts passed unanimously.

To view this and other Washington Township Board of Trustees meetings, visit wbrwtv.com and click "Video – On Demand."

Morley Candy Makers Leases Macomb Township Building

Morley Candy Makers, founded in 1919, has entered into a long-term lease agreement for an industrial building in Macomb Township. Morley Candy is based out of Clinton Township. Executives say this new facility will bolster Morley Candy's plans for growth and expansion.

L. Mason Capitani CORFAC International is a privately held commercial real estate firm who is handling the lease agreement for the industrial building, located at 51640 Quadrate Drive in Macomb Township.

Explore Excellence With UCS Community Education Adult Education And ESL Programs

Utica Community Schools, Community Education Department offers learning and enrichment opportunities for all life stages. Adult Education and English as a Second Language classes are offered for free to anyone interested in improving their life and work skills.

These grant-funded programs provide regional adult education services to students from around the metropolitan Detroit area. Combined, these two programs enroll an average of over 1,200 adult students each year, providing education and resources to students seeking to improve their academic, communication, and life skills. There are no district residency requirements to attend the District's programs, one must only be a resident of the State of Michigan.

Last year, 60 Adult Education students walked across the stage in their cap and gown. After much hard work and dedication, these students are now able to proudly call themselves high school graduates. The Adult Education College and Career Navigator works directly with students to address employment needs and goals. Those seeking a college level education can take advantage of services that work directly with local colleges to help transition students into post-secondary enrollment.

Utica Community Schools Adult Education programs include Adult Basic Education, High School Completion, and High School Equivalency Test Preparation.

Adult Basic Education helps students improve English and Math skills needed to qualify for the High School Completion or High School Equivalency Test Preparation programs. High School Completion helps them finish credits needed to obtain a UCS High School Diploma. And the High School Equivalency Test Preparation (GED, HiSET and TASC) includes teacher-directed classes and online learning.

English as a Second Language (ESL) offers instruction in English language (listening, speaking, reading, and writing) to students whose native language is not English. ESL classes are offered at five different levels ranging from Zero Speaking to Advanced. Students are assisted in essential life skills including job applications/resumes, finding housing, applying for a loan, explaining an illness to a doctor and more.

Conversation activities introduce essential vocabulary and life skill information through active speaking practice, while community activities help students become aware of available resources. Interactive exercises allow all level of speakers to grow, understand, and participate in a range of topics. Students expand their knowledge of reading and writing, prepare for citizenship, learn about the United States government and history, and receive individual instruction on their language needs.

Registration for both programs begins August 20, 2018. Students must be at least 18 years old as of July 1, 2018 and must show a photo ID (driver's license, passport, visa) and proof of address at the time of registration. Day and evening classes are available at the UCS Community Education Center, located at 38901 Dodge Park Rd. at 17 Mile Road in Sterling Heights.

Learn more by visiting ucscommunityeducation.com or call 586-797-6906 for Adult Education and 586-797-6960 for English as a Second Language.

Shelby Township Is Having Its First Pie Contest

Shelby Township wishes to kick off their 35th annual art fair with a tasty start. The first-ever 'Better Pie' baking contest will be held on Saturday, August 11.

"Pie is the most delicious art form I can think of, so it's only natural to celebrate it at our art fair," Township Supervisor Rick Stathakis said. "I am excited to see all of the unique, delicious creations that I know our township will put together for this contest."

Pies will be judged based on their creativity, taste, and presentation. The winning pie will be rewarded with one free park pavilion rental from Shelby Township Parks and Recreation, showcased with a holiday cover feature in the fall 2018 edition of the township newsletter, "Fountain," and will get a feature on an episode of Shelby TV's "Living In Shelby Township."

The bake off is open to amateur and professional bakers and is limited to one entry per person. Bakers are welcome from all communities, not just Shelby Township. Businesses can sponsor a baker, but entrants must be made by individual bakers.

For this contest, a pie will be defined as a bottom crust, with an optional top crust, and a filling. The entries must be accompanied by a full ingredient list, including the recipe. Crusts can be premade, but fillings have to be homemade. Only sweet pies are eligible, and no frozen pies. The top three pies will be awarded ribbons.

Submissions are due at 1 p.m. at the pie baking contest booth. The winner will be announced at 3 p.m. Entrants must be in attendance at the time of judging at 1 p.m. For more information about the art fair, go to shelbyartfair.org.

Michigan Senior Olympics Opening Ceremony, Free And Open To The Public

Michigan Senior Olympics would like to invite the community to attend the 2018 Summer Games Opening Ceremony held on Friday, August 10 from 6 to 8 p.m. at Bloomer Park in Rochester Hills. This is a free event open to all ages.

The event kicks off the Summer Games taking place August 11-19 at various locations throughout Oakland and Macomb Counties.

The opening ceremony will include free food from local food trucks including Detroit BBQ Company, The Mean Weenie, Hero or Villain, Buffy's Mex-Caspian Grill, and Treat Dreams. There will also be free pop and water, music by Captain Fantastic (Elton John Tribute Band), vendors, kids' games, a torch lighting ceremony, and much more. The Presenting Sponsor of the event is Bellbrook Senior Community.

For a full schedule of events, visit michiganseniorolympics.org.

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(Doug with Supervisor Rick Stathakis & Treasurer Michael Flynn)

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"The Right Choice" for the 36th District
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Do You Know This Cash Thief?

THE UTICA POLICE are looking for help to identify the male pictured in this video. He is a suspect in stealing cash from a local business. If you have information, contact the Utica Police Department at 586-731-2345 and ask to speak with Detective Morabito.

DIY Mini Fairy Garden At Utica Public Library

The Utica Public Library will host a DIY Mini Fairy Garden event on Tuesday, August 14 at 1 p.m.

Children ages 5 & up can join in on the fun, by designing and constructing their own mini fairy garden.

Supplies will be provided, but are limited to the first 25 registered participants.The kit will include various materials to create a mini fairy house and garden.

All participants must have a caretaker with them, to help. Visit uticalibrary.com or call the library at 586-731-4141 to learn more or to register for this event.

The Utica Public Library is located at 7530 Auburn Rd. in Downtown Utica.

Steroid-Fueled Assault, Child Sex Abuse Sting, And Subway Bandit Captured

POLICE PATROL

■ **ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO MURDER –** On July 29 at approximately 7 p.m., Macomb County Sheriff deputies responded to a residence on Cathey Ave. in Washington Township for an assault. Deputies were told that a male had left the residence in a vehicle and that a second person was lying on the porch. Upon arrival, deputies located a female victim lying on the porch. She was injured and bleeding from multiple puncture wounds to her head and right side of her body. The female was transported to the hospital for treatment. The male, Paul Bashi, 35, was located walking down a nearby street. He had what appeared to be blood on him and was taken into custody. He is lodged at the Macomb County Jail.

Deputies did not find anyone else inside the residence, however; controlled substances were located. Bashi's vehicle was also located nearby. The male and female are said to be in a dating relationship and reside together at the residence in Washington Township. The information was presented to the Macomb County Prosecutor's Office and a warrant was issued for the male; one count of Assault With Intent to Murder (felony - life) and one count of Controlled Substance – Delivery/Manufacture - Schedules 1, 2 and 3 Except Marihuana, Methamphetamine, Ecstasy, and Cocaine. (7-year felony). The substance located was "Jintropin" which is a human growth hormone. The female is in stable condition at this time. Bashi was arraigned in the 42-1 Romeo District Court and given a $5 million dollar bond. If Bashi is released on bond, he must have a GPS tether. He is scheduled to be back in court on 8/14/18 at 1:30 p.m.

■ **CHILD SEXUALLY ABUSIVE MATERIAL –** On July 24, the Macomb County Sheriff's Macomb Area Computer Enforcement (MACE) unit was alerted to a male communicating with a social media profile believed to be a 14-year-old female. The male was communicating for sexual purposes. Billy Goldsmith, male, 59, out of Holly contacted what he believed to be a 14-year-old female by way of social media. Goldsmith had a personal profile and reached out to the "14-year-old" requesting to "hook up." Mace detectives controlled the female profile while Goldsmith continued to make inappropriate sexual conversation and was reminded of the female's age several times. Goldsmith sent photographs of male genitalia to the female and requested to meet with her for sexual purposes. Goldsmith was given an address by undercover MACE detectives to meet with the female in Harrison Township.

On July 26 at approximately 3:30 p.m., Goldsmith arrived at the location and was taken into custody without incident. Goldsmith was lodged at the Macomb County Jail. Information was presented to the Macomb County Prosecutor's Office and a seven-count warrant was issued for Goldsmith; four counts of Child Sexually Abusive Activity (20 year felony), one count of Computers – Internet – Communicating With Another to Commit Crime (20 year felony), one count of Children – Accosting for Immoral Purposes (4 year felony), and one count of Computers – Using to Commit A crime – (7 year felony). Goldsmith was arraigned on 7/27/18 in the 41-B Clinton Township District Court and given a $250,000 bond. If Goldsmith is released on bond he is to have no contact with minors, no use of computers and internet, and must be on a tether for home confinement. Goldsmith is scheduled to be back in the 41-B Clinton Township District Court on 8/8/18 at 8:30 a.m.

■ **SUBWAY ROBBERY SUSPECT NOW IN CUSTODY –** The suspect, a man dressed in an orange construction vest and red baseball cap, who is believed to have robbed two Oakland County Subway restaurants last week at gunpoint, was arrested Wednesday by Riverview police. Prior to his arrest, the same suspect also allegedly robbed a 7-Eleven store on the 19000 block of Allen Rd. in Brownstown Township around 1:15 a.m. on Wednesday, July 25. In this incident, the suspect pulled out a handgun while purchasing an item and demanded the store clerk give him money from the register, then fled with an undisclosed amount of cash.

■ **HIT & RUN SUSPECT STILL AT LARGE –** Deputies responded to the area of Morgan Rd and Homesite Drive (West of Baldwin Rd) in Orion for a hit and run pedestrian injury accident. The victim was walking her dog westbound on Morgan Rd in the eastbound lane, so that she could see oncoming traffic, when she and her dog were struck from behind by an unknown vehicle. The vehicle was traveling westbound on Morgan when the driver crossed into the eastbound lane and struck the victim and her dog. The victim suffered a fractured arm and her dog was killed. The suspect's vehicle is classified as a General Motors minivan produced between 2005 to 2009. The Chevrolet Uplander model is a good example of this body style, but it may be an Oldsmobile or Pontiac model also as they the produced a similar style vehicle. The wide black trim or rub rail is distinctive and the vehicle could have some possible damage to the front-end and possibly the drivers-side mirror. Anyone with information is asked to call Crime Stoppers at 1-800-SPEAK-UP. There is a $1000 reward for information leading to an arrest and you will remain anonymous.

Note: If you have any information on the aforementioned crimes or any other offenses, please call the Macomb County Sheriff at 586-469-5151.

MCC Introduces Part-Time Fire Academy

Macomb Community College is introducing a part-time fire academy, beginning September 4. Those who want to pursue a career in fire service, but haven't been able to commit to a full-time training schedule due to work or family obligations, can earn Firefighter I & II certification through this eight-month program, which will be meet Tuesday and Thursday evenings, as well as most Saturdays. The deadline to register is August 10.

"There is a shortage of firefighters, not just regionally or in the State of Michigan, but nationwide," said Chief Dan Reynolds, Armada Fire Department. "There was a time when this was an ultra-competitive position. It was a hard job to get. Now, if you have the right credentials, you can almost pick and choose where you want to work."

The part-time academy is taught by the same instructors and covers the same training offered through Macomb's full-time fire academy. The training includes the building blocks of protective equipment, engine management, water systems and other tools, as well as advanced search and rescue techniques, and live fire training.

Candidates for the program must be at least 18 years of age, have a high school diploma or GED, possess a current, valid Michigan driver's license and have no felony convictions. Participants must also complete a physical exam, complete a background check and drug screen, and pass the fire academy physical agility test.

Those interested must register in person prior to August 10 at Macomb Community College's East Campus at 21901 Dunham Road in Clinton Township. The cost of the program is $3,475 plus uniform and the rental of protective equipment. For more information, call 586-498-4020.

Leo, Newfound Confidence Could Lead To Career Improvements

YOUR AUGUST HOROSCOPE

by
PAULA LYNDE

LEO (July 23-Aug-22): Now is the time to focus on your career, Leo. The doors are open, you just need the confidence to walk right through them and stake your claim. And don't listen to that friend who may try to bring you down because they're jealous of your success. Your newfound confidence may attract people who seem "out of your league," but don't doubt yourself. Attack that new relationship with a wink and a smile.

VIRGO (Aug 23-Sept 22): Have you ever heard the saying, "Nice guys finish last?" Well, it isn't always true – especially in your case this month. In fact, it's very likely that you'll get ahead at work by helping others out with their jobs. Your boss will see your kind actions as demonstrating leadership. In addition, Virgos in long-term relationships should try new things in August. And look out single Virgos, you may encounter a person whom you'd like to know a little better around the 19th.

LIBRA (Sept 23-Oct 22): You're more assertive than ever right now, Libra. And, surprisingly, most of the world is just stepping aside and letting you get your way. Take full advantage of being the boss throughout August. Even in your romantic relationship, your partner is likely to be impressed with the bold new you. And, if you're single, watch out. You may find yourself surrounded by someone who can't resist your confidence.

SCORPIO (Oct 23-Nov 21): If you've struggled with finances lately, get ready for some much-needed relief. Money issues will improve through most of August, but avoid making any big financial decisions after the 23rd. You can also expect some positive improvements at work. Just try to be more patient with difficult coworkers. You will discover some unexpected allies if you keep an open mind. Scorpios may even find a new romantic interest in the workplace because of this positive approach. Stranger things have happened.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov 22-Dec 21): You're on the fast track this month, Sagittarius, and your confidence stays true through August. Now is the time to ask for that raise or promotion, make a large purchase, or ask that special someone out on a date. This month, you really can't lose. Even if you're already in a committed relationship, you may find yourself feeling a little more romantic than usual. Use this to your advantage, and get that spark going again.

CAPRICORN (Dec 22-Jan 19): This month, it's all about family for you, Capricorn, and this may yield both positive and negative consequences. Feeling closer to your family is a great thing, but certain family members may start to interfere, offering unsolicited advice on your personal life, like your relationship and career. Now is a great time to establish boundaries. Gently but firmly remind them that you're an adult who's capable of handling your own life. They will be more receptive than you think.

AQUARIUS (Jan 20-Feb 18): August is the time to hold onto to your financial resources more than usual. Cutting back a little on unnecessary expenses here and there will go a long way to avoid coming up short toward the end of the month. If you're single, you may find a romantic connection while walking through the park. Married couples, look to strengthen your bond with a long conversation and a shared cup of coffee.

PISCES (Feb 19-Mar 20): Get ready to get social, Pisces – and not just on social media. You're the life of the party this month, and you have charm to spare. You'll probably find yourself going out more than usual this month, so keep an eye on your financial situation to make sure that you don't overspend. Pay extra attention to your partner if you're in a committed relationship to avoid hidden insecurities. And if you're single, enjoy yourself but maintain a healthy sleep schedule and work-life balance.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): August is your month for risk-taking, Aries, but only if you have a strong social network. You may experience positive changes at work, but you'll need some help from your closest friends to accomplish your goals. So, don't turn down advice from trusted sources – even if it sounds crazy. Also, somewhat turbulent times are ahead for a romantic relationship, but you can keep things from getting too rocky if you find the right distractions. Go to a movie or indulge in your favorite TV shows – anything to avoid bickering.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Things are going well for you financially this month, Taurus, but your romantic partner may do even better. Whatever you do, keep your jealousy in check. Remember that you're both working toward the same goals, and, ultimately, it doesn't matter who makes what. Also, singles may share an unexpected spark with a friend or coworker. Just remember that, for the most part, relationships are all about compromise.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Almost everything is going well right now, Gemini. Work is good and finances remain steady this month. The only thing that isn't quite perfect is your love life. If you're married or in a committed relationship, your partner may seem distant. Or, if you're single and dating, you're not having a great deal of luck. Don't worry, by the end of the month, things should turn around. Also, expect a big apology from someone close to you before September arrives.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): You're a good friend, Cancer. This month, you'll find that there's a great need for your altruistic tendencies. Several friends may call on you for help or advice, and you'll step up because you always do. However, those closest to you may resent the time and energy that you're spending on others. It might be time to have a heart-to-heart talk, and if you can't get them to understand why assisting those in need is important to you, you may realize that it's time to move on. But if they "get it," your bond will strengthen exponentially.

Baseball At Jimmy John's Field: Upcoming Theme Nights

Check out a baseball game at Jimmy John's Field in Utica as the United Shore Professional Baseball League plays games Thursday through Sunday.

On Thursday, August 9 at 7 p.m., watch the Westside Woolly Mammoths clash with the Utica Unicorns. This game features Thirsty Thursday, $15 AYCE Wings, JJ The Field General Bobblehead, and live music by Bugs Beddow and the Good STuFF. The first 1,000 fans through the gates will receive a JJ The Field General Bobblehead. Enjoy live music before, during and after the game from Bugs Beddow and the Good STuFF on the Dana St. Clair Stage in right-center field on the lawn.

On Friday, August 10 at 7 p.m., watch the Birmingham Bloomfield Beavers take on the Westside Woolly Mammoths. This game features Catholic Night at the Ballpark presented by Alliance Catholic Credit Union, followed by a fireworks show immediately following the ballgame. The game also features Teen Night in the Chevy Pavilion. A $20 ticket includes access to the private teen zone in the Chevrolet Pavilion at Jimmy John's field for the teen dance party, pizza, unlimited soft drinks and water, and the fireworks spectacular. The dance party is for teens ages 13 to 16. The Chevy Pavilion will feature a DJ playing today's top hits, with assorted candy bars to make your own candy bag ($5), slashes ($4), photo stations, and the opportunity to be selected to participate in an on-field contest during the baseball game.

On Saturday, August 11 at 7 p.m., watch as the Eastside Diamond Hoppers go up against the Birmingham Bloomfield Beavers. This game will feature the world famous ZOOperstars! The unique show features hilarious inflatable characters with clever names such as Harry Canary, Tommy Laswordfish, Clammy Sosa, and Shark McGwire. The performance combines synchronized dance routines, acrobatics, tricks, and comedy for performances that connect with fans of all ages.

On Sunday, August 12 at 1 p.m., watch as the Utica Unicorns clash with the Eastside Diamond Hoppers. This game also features the world famous ZOOperstars!

Jimmy John's Field is located at 7171 Auburn Rd in Utica. For more information, visit uspbl.com.

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On Stage

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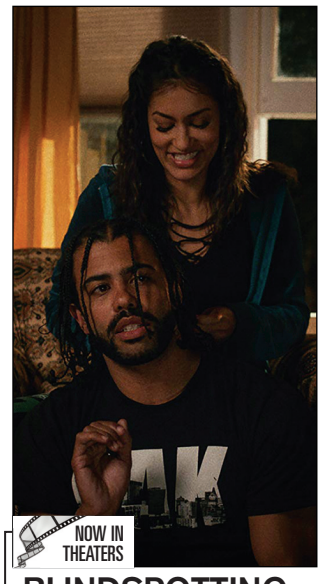

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21st Annual Ford Arts Beats & Eats Presented By Soaring Eagle

Arts Beats & Eats returns to downtown Royal Oak from Friday, August 31 through Monday, September 3 for yet another year of family-friendly entertainment. The annual Labor Day festival will feature musical headliners, a Juried Fine Arts Shows, more than 50 restaurants and caterers, and family-fun entertainment.

The Arts

The Juried Fine Art Show will spotlight many talented artists from across North America. This year's festival patrons will have the opportunity to peruse and purchase original works of art at more than 130 artist booth spaces. This year's Juried Fine Art Show will have participating artists vying for cash awards totaling $7,500. The show will feature art in a variety of mediums, including ceramics, digital art, drawing, fabric, fiber, leather, glass, graphics, printmaking, jewelry, metal, mixed media 2D, mixed media 3D, painting, photography, sculpture, and wood.

The Beats

The festival will feature more than 200 well-known bands on nine performance stages, filling the event with live music all weekend. This year's national acts on the Michigan Lottery National Stage will be headlined by the AWOLNATION, Eddie Money, 38 Special, Everclear, The Spinners, and includes other top touring acts Gin Blossoms, Matt Nathanson, Ben Folds, Chris Janson, and more.

The Eats

Festival-goers will find more than 50 of the area's most popular restaurants, top caterers, and food vendors. From sweet to savory, BBQ to seafood, healthy to ice cream – you name it, you eat it. This year's restaurant lineup features Lockhart's BBQ, Eddie V's Prime Seafood, Imperial Ferndale, Café Muse, and Soaring Eagle Cuisine Machine.

LOCAL BAND, Your Generation in Concert, will be playing among other big names at the 21st Annual Ford Arts Beats & Eats presented by Soaring Eagle Casino & Resort. They will be gracing the Michigan National Lottery Stage at 5 p.m. on Monday, September 3.

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A first-of-its-kind, five-year partnership with Michigan-based Imperial Beverage will make Michigan's most popular craft brews the official beer at the festival this Labor Day weekend and in the coming years. A total of 19 beverage locations, including 14 for craft beer on tap and five for canned craft beer, will feature beer from Short's Brewing Company, Lagunitas Brewing Company and Old Nation Brewing, among other fine craft beer selections.

New to this year's festival, Silent Disco – a three-night dance party for festival-goers of all ages from Friday to Sunday. With 300 headphones on site, this year's first-ever silent disco will offer attendees their choice between two colored channels with music provided by DJs.

For family-friendly programming and entertainment, The Detroit News Kids Zone will feature the Detroit Institute of Arts Kids' Stage with a variety of interactive, educational and fun performances throughout the weekend. Families can watch great acts like Kevin Kammeraad & Friends, Raion Taiko with Godaiko Drummers, and Storytellers Judy Sima, Ivory D and La'Ron Williams. The Michigan Science Center also will host a collaborative "tour of science" using exciting, hands-on demonstrations from experiencing the power of air pressure to learning to defy the mysterious power gravity.

The 21st annual Arts, Beats & Eats Festival will be held over Labor Day weekend in downtown Royal Oak, August 31-September 3. To learn more, visit artsbeatseats.com or call 248-541-7550.

Where To Watch A Movie Outside In August

It might be August already, but it's not too late to get enjoy the summer with an outdoor movie night.

Watch a movie at the ball park, with Summer Movie Nights at Jimmy John's Field. Tickets are only $5 and seating is in the grandstand, or, bring a blanket and sit on the outfield grass.

Catch Moana on Wednesday, August 8 at 7 p.m. and The Incredibles on August 22. Purchase tickets online at bit.ly/2ukeRvf. Jimmy John's Field is located at 7171 Auburn in Utica.

Family Movie Night at The Village of Rochester Hills features kids activities, free popcorn, and giveaways. Go and see Disney Pixar's CoCo on August 17 at 7 p.m.

Or, how about an evening on the beautiful Detroit Riverfront? Grab your lawn chairs and blankets and head down to the Gabriel Richard Park to enjoy the free entertainment series Riverfront Relaxin'. The series will feature Jumanji: Welcome to the Jungle on Thursday, August 9 at 8 p.m. Gabriel Richard Park is located at 7130 E. Jefferson in Detroit.

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HOPE NOT HANDCUFFS
Hope Not Handcuffs is an initiative started by Families Against Narcotics (FAN), aimed at bringing law enforcement and community organizations together in an effort to find viable treatment options for individuals seeking help to reduce dependency with heroin, prescription drugs, and alcohol.
A person struggling with any drug addiction can come to any of the participating police agencies and ask for help. They will be greeted with support, compassion and respect. Hope Not Handcuffs volunteer 'Angels' help with paperwork and provide compassionate support until a treatment option is found. Angel's can choose their own time slot by signing up to be on call for just 2 four hour blocks per month.
To sign up and learn more, visit familiesagainstnarcotics.org/volunteer

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The Humane Society of Macomb works to prevent cruelty to animals, and place adoptable pets into good, permanent homes with responsible owners and promote spaying and neutering to prevent overpopulation. The Humane Society of Macomb has many cats, dogs, puppies and kittens waiting for a new home. They are open Monday through Saturday, 10 a.m.– 3 p.m. for adoptions. Give them a call at 586-731-9210, and visit them at 11350 22 Mile Road in Utica.

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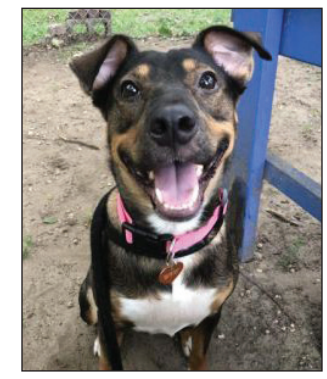

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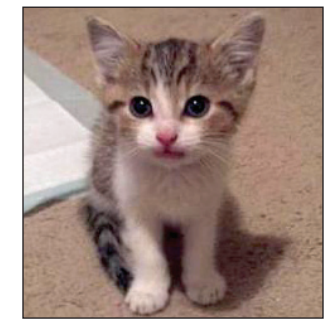

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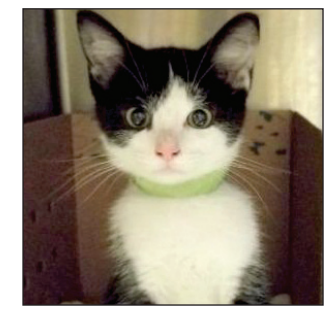

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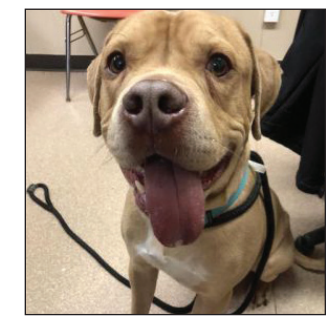

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How Will The Senate Treat Judge Kavanaugh?

PERSPECTIVES

Op-Ed by
NATHAN INKS

Not long after President Trump's first Supreme Court appointee, Justice Neil Gorsuch, had completed his first year on the bench of the nation's highest court, Justice Anthony Kennedy announced his resignation. The announcement caused a stir on both sides of the political spectrum. Commonly referred to as the "swing vote," Kennedy was a conservative-leaning justice appointed to the Court by President Ford; however, he sided with the liberal wing of the court on a fair amount of issues and cases over the years. Republicans were happy with the opportunity to cement a truly conservative majority on the Court, while Democrats became fearful that the liberal wing on the Court will shrink to a marginalized minority.

Shortly after Justice Kennedy's announcement, President Trump announced that he would be nominating Judge Brett Kavanaugh to fill the vacancy. Kavanaugh has served as a judge on the District of Columbia Circuit of the Court of Appeals, having been appointed by President George W. Bush in 2006. Prior to serving on the D.C. Circuit, Kavanaugh also worked for Ken Starr during his investigation of President Clinton during the Monica Lewinsky scandal and for the Bush Administration as White House Staff Secretary.

In the lead-up to Judge Kavanaugh's confirmation hearings, there has been significant dispute between Senate Republicans and Democrats in what documents should be released for review. Democrats have requested a wide range of documents, including documents from Kavanaugh's time working for both Ken Starr and the Bush Administration.

Republicans have pushed back on the Democrats' request—especially regarding documents requested from Kavanaugh's time as Staff Secretary. Republicans have criticized the request as obstructionist, arguing it is much too voluminous and that Kavanaugh should be judged primarily on his opinions written as a judge of the D.C. Circuit.

The truth—as usual—lies somewhere in the middle. There is no reasonable dispute that Kavanaugh's time as Staff Secretary involved distribution of a lot of documents that he had no role in writing or contributing to and that those documents would have little, if any, relevance to his qualifications to serve on the nation's highest court. That being said, the position of Staff Secretary is more than that of a mere paper pusher, and any substantive documents that Kavanaugh authored or contributed to would be highly relevant to the Judiciary Committee's inquiry.

Some middle ground needs to be reached. A data dump of irrelevant documents or a fishing expedition would be obstructionist, but the dangers of overrestricting access to documents far outweigh any burdens from reviewing irrelevant documents.

Republicans would be wise to reach a compromise sooner rather than later. If Democrats hold up a vote citing Republicans' refusal to allow proper review of documents, this could energize their base heading into the 2018 election, and independents could be turned off if they view Republicans' actions as intentionally underhanded.

Additionally, failing to allow a full review of the documents could cause divisions among Republicans. Moderate Senators like John McCain (R-Ariz.) have previously questioned some of the actions of the Bush Administration, including its support of enhanced interrogation tactics. Failing to allow review of potentially controversial Bush Administration policies in which Kavanaugh was involved could cause friction within the Senate Republican caucus, which could be detrimental to Kavanaugh's confirmation chances.

Given the potential shift in the ideological make-up of the Court, it is reasonable to expect that Democrats are going to be extra thorough in reviewing Kavanaugh's qualifications. At times, that review could even cross over into obstructionism. However, the consequences of overcompensating against obstructionism by unreasonably restricting the documents the Judiciary Committee will review is not the right solution. The American people deserve a Senate who will perform a thorough review of Judge Kavanaugh's credentials and vote based on an objective analysis of his qualifications—nothing more and nothing less.

Send a Letter to the Editor: Andrew@gazettemediagroup.com.

Washington's Octagon House August Events

Washington Township's historic Loren Andrus Octagon House is hosting some exciting events in August, including their bi-monthly "Sit, Stitch & Craft" event and "Third Tuesday Tea."

On Tuesday, August 4 and Tuesday, August 28, from 1-4 p.m., join fellow sewers, knitters, and crocheters at the Octagon House for an evening of crafting and stitching. Participants are encouraged to bring the project they are working on and to work on it for as long as they would like.

On Sunday, August 19 at 2 p.m., author Alan Naldrett of "The Toledo War" will give a fun and informative presentation.

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