

## Project Child Find

# Campaign aims at learning problems

The Clarenceville school district has mounted a campaign to find youngsters who have educational problems or handicaps which curb their learning abilities.

The campaign is part of Project Child Find, coordinated in the Clarenceville district by Jayne Shana Deyoe, who announced location of an informational booth today through Thursday at Livonia Mall, Seven Mile and Middlebelt.

She said the booth will be manned by 15 volunteers to provide information

and show a film strip, "Walk in Another Pair of Shoes."

Ms. Deyoe said that she is particularly interested in finding preschoolers with special needs to get them into the right program for help.

"It's important that we get them into the right program before they start kindergarten," she said, "and get them off to a better start in school."

She said some of the tests provided without charge for eligible children include vision, hearing and learning disabilities.

"We are looking for children with

educational problems that may not seem that obvious," the coordinator said.

She also reminded the community that Channel 56 will be showing a five-week long program on the world of children and their disabilities through May 17.

The program, "Feeling Free," started April 5 and will continue for the next four consecutive Wednesdays. The program presents the interests, humor, energy, and insights of five disabled children in the cast.

Ms. Deyoe said the goal of the pro-

gram is to dispel some misconceptions and confusion that many children have about their disabled peers.

Project Child Find was created by the state education department shortly after the Michigan mandatory special education law was adopted in 1971.

Under the law, persons 25 years and younger are eligible for special education programs in the public schools. Interested persons may contact Ms. Deyoe at the Clarenceville board office, 474-8900, or at 474-4390.

## Brokers keep Dow Jones flashing

By MARY LOU CALLAWAY  
Flashing the Dow Jones daily averages on the outside of Liberty State Bank, First of Michigan, feeds local residents with market news.

The township's first and only brokerage moved from Southfield last year following many of its regular clients into West Bloomfield.

Located on Orchard Lake Road south of Maple, the location is convenient to the other 10 brokers and two secretaries who made the move, said

manager Edward Dziuba, who lives in Orchard Lake.

"Most of our business is done by telephone," said Dziuba, who was interrupted several times by calls during this interview—one from as far away as France.

Cautious about making predictions, he said the worst thing for the stock market is indecision.

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now," said Dziuba, who believes inflation is a major enemy of the stock market.

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