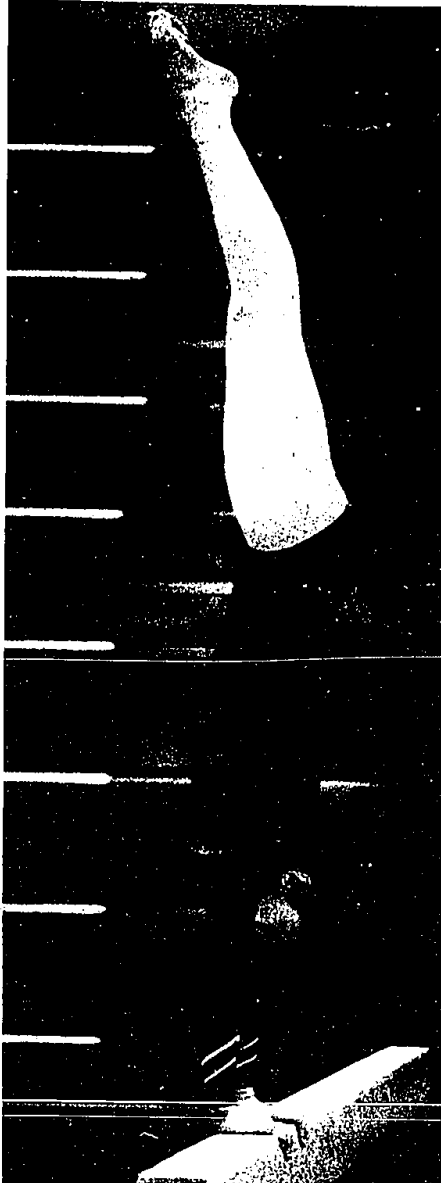




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Lahser gymnast SISI Porretta steadies herself on the beam during competition this season.

all-area gymnastics

FIRST TEAM

GYMNAST
Suzanne Enciso
Sisi Porretta
Jo Smith
Lana Horowitz
Kathy Michaels

SCHOOL
Troy
Lahser
Farmington
Lathrup
Troy

EVENT
Vaulting
Beam
Bars
Floor Ex.
All-Around

SECOND TEAM — VAULTING: Sharon Shifra, North Farmington; **BALANCE BEAM:** Dona Kebrle, North Farmington; **UNEVEN PARALLEL BARS:** Katie Dahn, Birmingham Seaboard; **FLOOR EXERCISE:** Amy Nadler, Bloomfield Hills Andover; **ALL-AROUND:** Jenny Mats, Birmingham Seaboard.

THIRD TEAM — VAULTING: Ken Couso, Troy; **BALANCE BEAM:** Jane Dauch, Lahser; **UNEVEN PARALLEL BARS:** Michele Sims, Troy; **FLOOR EXERCISE:** Angie Griffin, North Farmington; **ALL-AROUND:** Kim Edwards, North Farmington.

Area gymnasts honored

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state (18.65), second in the regional (9.45) and first in the MSAA championship meet (9.15).

A LOOK AT TROY'S accomplishments this season — a 12-0-1 (the lone tie with North Farmington) dual-meet record, a state-record 137.0 points for first place in the regional, SMA and Dearborn Invitational titles to go with the third at state — show why Smith was named Coach of the Year.

"It was a super season," said Smith, who completed her sixth year as Troy's head coach, "and these were a super

bunch of kids. Nobody can tell me that we're not the best team in the state in terms of depth and talent. All my kids worked their hearts out."

The O&E's second team includes Seaboard's Jenny Mats (all-around) and Katie Dahn (bars), North Farmington's Sharon Shifra (vaulting) and Dona Kebrle (beam) and Andover's Amy Nadler (floor exercise).

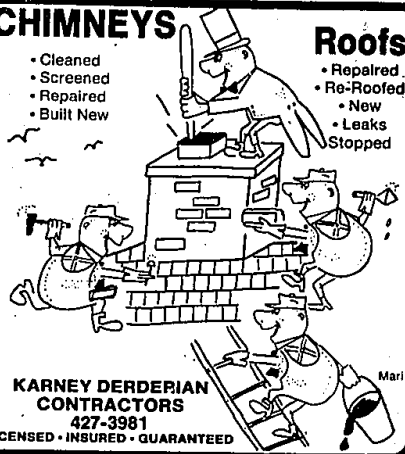
Third-team picks include Troy's Kim Couso (vaulting) and Michele Sims (bars), North Farmington's Angie Griffin (floor exercise) and Kim Edwards (all-around) and Lahser's Jane Dauch (beam).

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The Golf Association of Michigan (GAM) has a new link.

The Men's District Golf Association of Metro Detroit (MDG) will begin play May 10 at Tam O'Shanter Golf and Country Club in West Bloomfield.

Six clubs are currently participating in the new league with competition set at Farmington Hills (May 24), Forest Lake (June 14), Western (July 12), Washtenaw (Aug. 9) and Meadowbrook (Sept. 20).

According to one of the league's founders, Dr. Jerome Kaufman of Garden City, the MDG hopes to have four other clubs join the fold.

Play will be held on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month.

To join, players must have a private club membership, belong to the GAM and have a 0-18 handicap.

The league membership fee of \$25 should be sent to Kaufman at: 6255 Inkster, Garden City, 48135.

Registrants should send a letter with the following information: Name, club membership, handicap, address, home telephone number and have a club pro sign to verify the letter.

For more information, contact Kaufman at 422-5000.

Coaches' note: Call in scores

It won't be long before the spring high school sports season is in full gear, and the Observer & Eccentric is preparing for the busy schedule.

The sports staff needs help in providing results. Coaches, assistants or a delegated statistician should phone in results after each weekday contest regardless if it's a home or away game.

Night phone lines will be open until 7:30 p.m. for afternoon events on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. Weekend events should be phoned in Monday, and Wednesday events should be phoned in Thursday.

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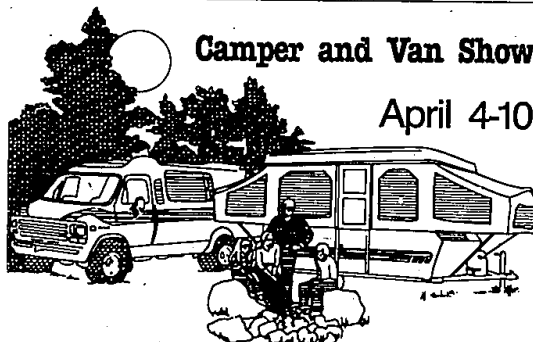
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