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Leafy lodgings

Leave it to the imagination of children to come up with an alternative to raking, bagging or burning those dead leaves that cover the lawn during autumn. Casey Antone (front) and his friends Andrew Strauss (left) and Frankie Maraffino of Farmington Hills decided

to build a fort. The self supporting structure is topped with a cardboard roof. No word on who was going to clean it up when the cold weather comes.

Roeper presents 'Wait Until Dark'

Utilizing elaborate staging and naturalistic special effects, Roeper School will present four performances of Frederick Knott's "Wait Until Dark"

at the Birmingham campus November 17, 18, 19 and 20. Employing a concept described by drama director Dean Acheson as "created space theater," the production will feature an elaborate replica of a Greenwich Village basement flat, complete with operational fixtures such as lights, outlets and running water. The stage and audience area will be constructed especially for this production of "Wait Until Dark" in the School's Commons.

Henkel named vice president

Garry N. Henkel, of Farmington Hills, has been named vice president of operations at Percepton, the machine vision company.

Percepton specializes in the research, development and manufacture of electronic machine vision systems used in the automotive stamping and assembly industry.

Prior to joining Percepton, Henkel was vice president of manufacturing with Schuler Inc. in Columbus, Ohio.

Before that he served as factory manager with Cincinnati Inc. in Cincinnati, Ohio, and works manager in numerical control design and development at Ford Motor Co. in Dearborn and as a computer analyst with Aero Jet-General Corp. of Sacramento, California.

He earned a bachelor's degree in industrial management from the Georgia Institute of Technology in Atlanta, Georgia, and a master of business administration from the University of Michigan's Graduate School of Business.

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