

Metroparks offer ski challenge

Seven Huron-Clinton Metroparks will provide a combination of cross-country ski trails and ski equipment rental service for the 1985-86 winter season.

Specially marked and groomed trails are provided, with the rates the same at each metropark for equipment rentals, which include skis, poles, boots and bindings. Rental rates are: complete set: 1/4 day - \$6; skis only: 1/4 day, \$2.50; boots only - 1/4 day - \$2.50; poles only: 1/4 day - \$1.50. The half-day period is four hours.

An insurance fee of \$2 per set is required on all equipment, along with proper identification to be left at time of rental, and \$1 of the insurance fee is returned when equipment is returned in satisfactory condition. The use of trails is free and operation of all facilities is weather permitting. Cross country ski maps and brochures are available at most of Huron-Clinton Metroparks. Metroparks vehicle entry permits are required (annual: regular, \$10; senior citizen, \$5; or daily - \$2). For information, contact Huron-Clinton Metroparks - 1-800-552-6772 (toll-free) or your nearest metropark.

STONE CREEK METROPARK near Rochester provides more than 15 miles of groomed, cross country ski trails suitable for novice, intermediate and advanced skiers covering hilly terrain.

The ski touring center is at the Eastwood Beach site, with coin-operated lockers, heated lounge, rooms and food service - vending machines during the week and snack bar on weekends. Skiing lessons are \$5 per person on Saturdays and Sun-

days, advance registration is required. Phone 781-4242.

KENSINGTON METROPARK near Milford features over 15 miles of groomed cross country ski trails suitable for novice, intermediate and advanced skiers covering hilly, scenic terrain, with night lighting on golf course trails.

The Ski Touring Center is at the golf course, which has coin-operated lockers, heated lounge, restrooms and food service. Skiing lessons are \$5 per person on Saturdays and Sundays, with advance registration required. Special equipment rental rates are available for organized groups on weekends and evenings only. Phone 686-1561.

HURON MEADOWS METROPARK, six miles south of Brighton. It has over eight miles of groomed cross country ski trails, with varied terrain. The Ski Touring Center is at the activity and golf center building, which has coin-operated lockers, heated lounge and restrooms and food service. Phone 685-1561 (c/o Milford).

HUDSON MILLS METROPARK near Dexter - Provides over six miles of groomed, cross country ski trails over varied terrain. The Ski Touring Center is located at the Outdoor Activity Center building, which has a heated lounge and restrooms, coin-operated lockers and food service. Phone 426-8211 (Dexter).

WILLOW METROPARK near New Boston - Provides over 7 1/2 miles of groomed cross country ski trails, mostly over flat terrain, including nearby Oakwoods Metropark. The Ski Touring Center is at the Swimming

Pool Complex Building, which has a heated lounge and restrooms, coin-operated lockers and food service. Special rental rates are available for organized groups (minimum 10 persons), with a two-week advance registration required. Phone 697-9181 (c/o Belleville).

LAKE ERIE METROPARK in Brownstown Township - This new park, near Gibraltar and Rockwood has approximately four miles of

groomed, cross country ski trails on relatively flat terrain. The Ski Touring Center is at the Good Service Building, which has a heated lounge, restrooms, coin-operated lockers and food service. Phone - 379-5020 (Rockwood).

Persons are advised to contact the metropark of their choice before planning use of winter facilities because conditions vary and all facility operations depend upon weather conditions.

More skiers take to cross country trails

trails. Mayberry Park and Warren Valley in Wayne County also have marked trails.

Equipment rentals are available at some parks. At Glen Oaks, for example, the price for rental is \$6 for two hours with \$2 tacked on for each additional hour, plus a \$10 deposit fee. White Lake, Mayberry Park, Warren Valley and Independence also have equipment rentals at varying prices.

Along with rental, some places have trail or park fees which range from \$1 to \$2.

In Oakland County, there is instruction for the blind and seniors. These programs, which include a clinic, ski rental and refreshments, are available at Glen Oaks, White Lake and Independence Park.

The seniors' program, which costs \$3 a person, is Jan. 15 at White Lakes and Jan. 23 at Independence.

FOR THE blind, a similar program is offered at Glen Oaks only. Cost is \$2 per session with round-trip transportation from designated areas an extra \$1. Saturday is the first day with the session from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

A guide training clinic takes place Saturday at 9 a.m. Further information on these programs can be obtained by contacting Stencil at Oakland Parks & Rec, 558-4944.

In Wayne County, Mayberry Park and Warren Valley also offer cross-country ski instruction. On Saturdays, starting this week until Feb. 8, clinics take place at Warren Valley. The cost is \$10 with rental or \$5 with your own skis.

Mayberry also offers clinics, which start this Saturday at 9 a.m. Cost is \$12 without skis and \$10 with.

For further information, call the Wayne County Parks & Recreation at 561-7400 or Mayberry Park at 839-8390.

the week ahead

COLLEGE BASKETBALL
Wednesday, Jan. 6
Schoolcraft at Flint Mott (men), 7:30 p.m.
Flint Mott at Schoolcraft (women), 8 p.m.
Saturday, Jan. 7
Highland Park at Schoolcraft (men), 7:30 p.m.
Schoolcraft at Highland Park (women), 5 p.m.

PREP BASKETBALL
Tuesday, Jan. 7
Liv. Church at Psy. Salem, 7:30 p.m.
Liv. Stevenson at Liv. Franklin, 7:30 p.m.
Psy. Canton at Wad. John Glenn, 7:30 p.m.
Farm. Harrison at Liv. Farmington, 7:30 p.m.
W.L. Western at Farmington, 7:30 p.m.
Liv. Union at Dearborn, 8 p.m.
Red. Thurston at Cherry Hill, 7:30 p.m.
Bellevue at Wayne Memorial, 7:30 p.m.
Lutheran East at Claremore, 7:30 p.m.
Catholic Cent. at Bishop Borgess, 7:30 p.m.
Lutheran East at St. Agatha, 7:30 p.m.
Redford Temple at Liv. Church, 7:30 p.m.
Friday, Jan. 10
Liv. Church at Farm. Harrison, 7:30 p.m.
Liv. Franklin at Psy. Center, 7:30 p.m.
Wad. John Glenn at Liv. Stevenson, 7:30 p.m.

Psy. Salem at Farmington, 7:30 p.m.
W.L. Central at N. Farmington, 7:30 p.m.
Woodhaven at Garden City, 7:30 p.m.
Wayne Memorial at Trenton, 7:30 p.m.
Red. Thurston at D.H. Ann Arbor, 7:30 p.m.
Garden City at Luther West, 7:30 p.m.
Bishop Borgess at Harper Woods, 7:30 p.m.
Bish. Galtier at Catholic Cent., 7:30 p.m.
St. Agatha at A. Galt. Richard, 7:30 p.m.
Redford Temple at Springfield Ch., 7:30 p.m.

PREP HOCKEY
Wednesday, Jan. 6
Catholic Central at B.H. Cranbrook, 7 p.m.
Liv. Stevenson at Wyandotte (Vack), 8 p.m.
Thursday, Jan. 7
Liv. Franklin vs. Dearborn Hills Andover at Detroit Skating Club, 8 p.m.
Liv. Church vs. Southfield Lathrup at Southfield Deerpark Ws. Arena, 8 p.m.
Friday, Jan. 10
Liv. Church vs. Liv. Stevenson at Livon's Edgar Arena, 8 p.m.
Saturday, Jan. 11
Catholic Central vs. Grosse Pointe North at Redford Ice Arena, 8 p.m.

Baseball coaching clinic

The second Fred Crissey baseball coaches clinic will take place from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 2, at Plymouth Canton High School's Phase III facility.

Crissey is the successful head baseball coach at Canton High School.

Applications for the clinic may be obtained at the following locations: Canton Sports, Trading Post, Ed's Sports Shop and many other sports shops throughout the area. Applications can also be obtained by calling Norm Maxwell at 981-4216 or Gary Lyle at 455-3444.

CITY OF FARMINGTON 1986 DOG LICENSES

1986 Dog Licenses are available at the Farmington City Hall, 23500 Liberty Street, Farmington, Michigan, Monday through Friday, 9:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Licenses are issued through Tuesday, April 1, 1986, at a fee of \$4.00 for each dog six months old or older. Beginning Wednesday, April 2, 1986, delinquent licenses are \$7.00.
Certificate of vaccination for rabies signed by an accredited veterinarian must be presented when applying for license. Certificate must show vaccine as being effective through the date of application. A copy of a receipt from the veterinarian is NOT acceptable.

JOSEPHINE M. BUSHEY, City Clerk

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Ocelots tripped up in tourney

By Brad Emmons
staff writer

Schoolcraft College's Lady Ocelots fought valiantly Monday night but came up a point short against Franklin College of Indiana in the finals of their own women's basketball tournament, 65-64.

A pair of free throws by Rhonda Wundrum with 17 seconds left provided Franklin, now 8-1 on the year, with the final margin of victory.

The tournament champion Lady Grizzlies, a four-year school, trailed the entire second half before taking the lead for keeps, 33-32, on two Amy Burge free throws with 59 seconds left. Burge went to the line after coming up with a key steal.

Schoolcraft then committed costly turnovers on its next two possessions to give Franklin the win.

"We played hard, but we had some mental errors that hurt us a lot," said Schoolcraft coach Ed Kavanagh, whose team is 8-4 overall. "And we had a lot of fast-break opportunities that we didn't cash in on."

"It's hard to look at the positive when you lose by 6 to 10 in your own tournament. The errors we made were not forced."

Hawks, North to do battle as year resumes

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Negoshian, like Teachman, has a deep bench. First off the Raider bench will be Rick Karcher, Corky D'Ascenzo and Chuck Howard.

"HEY, THEY are still an awful good team," Teachman said. "They have the two thoroughbreds and it looks like the other kids may be learning their roles. I think the Christmas break came at the right time for them."

Also, Teachman is leary of playing in the Raider den.

"It's mighty tough there. I hope we can get our fans out to the game. I've been looking at the films from our earlier games and I've noticed that the crowd has really fired us up," he said.

Three strong All-Area candidates, two aggressive teams that will contend for their respective division titles and two teams that just happen to be not-always-friendly crosstown rivals - Pretty nice game for Jan. 7, huh?

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WUNDUM LED Franklin with 18 points, while tournament MVP Karen Potempa, a 5-foot-10 sophomore from Michigan City, and Stephanie Shelton added 12 each.

Despite a glaring height disadvantage, Schoolcraft gave Franklin fits with its full-court pressure game.

"It was some kind of game," said Franklin coach Ron Garner, who drew a first-half technical. "It was a great experience for us."

"We don't see that much pressure in Indiana. Schoolcraft had superior quickness, and they did a super job of changing defenses."

Schoolcraft had a balanced attack, with Livonia Ladywood product Tracy Ladouceur and Dearborn Fordson's Kim Chandler scoring 14 each. Colleen McKay had 12, Sue Lubbe 10 and point-guard Almee Frey eight.

Franklin opened the tourney Sunday night with an easy 81-56 triumph over Miami of Ohio-Middle-

town. Potempa scored 20 and added seven rebounds, while Burge contributed 16 points and seven steals. Wundrum also netted 16 to go along with five assists.

ALSO IN THE first round, Schoolcraft held off Kalamazoo Valley, 75-70, behind Chandler's 16 points and nine rebounds. Also scoring in double figures for the Lady Ocelots were Ladouceur (15), Lubbe (14) and Lori Abbas (12).

Kalamazoo (2-7), beaten by SC for the second time this year, got a game-high 20 points from Lisa Campbell.

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