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Bars routine: Stephanie Cohen and her North Farmington teammates finished fourth behind some of the state's top teams.

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WLA A GYMNASTICS MEET

Thursday at Westland John Glenn

1. Plymouth Salem, 142.75; 2. Plymouth Canton, 139.75; 3. Westland John Glenn, 131.5; 4. North Farmington, 125.40; 5. Farmington, 117.75; 6. Walled Lake, 111.90.

Individual results

Vaults: 1. Katelyn Giles (Canton), 9.5; 2. Michelle Tsai (N. Farmington), 9.0; 3. Kristen Kosik (Salem), 8.95; 4. Alyssa Sofos (Salem), 8.85; 5. Karli Jackson (Canton), 8.7; 6. Melissa Hopson (Salem) and Sarah Makins (Salem), 8.35; 7. Zoe Yockey (Salem), 8.30.

Bars: 1. Sarah Makins (Salem), 9.3; 2. Katelyn Giles (Canton), 9.25; 3. Melissa Hopson (Salem), 9.1; 4. Michelle Tsai (N. Farmington), 9.0; 5. Brie Wall (Canton), 8.7.

6. Alyssa Sofos (Salem), 8.65; 7. Kim Nowak (Canton), 8.5; Kristen Kosik (Salem), 8.25.

Beam: 1. Katelyn Giles (Canton), 9.4; 2. Melissa Hopson (Salem), 9.35; 3. Alyssa Sofos (Salem), 9.2; 4. Sarah Makins (Salem), 8.95; 5. Brie Wall (Canton), 8.6; 6. Sarah Coombs (Glenn), 8.5; 7. Adrienne Brenner (Canton), 8.4; 8. Shelly Underwood (Glenn), 8.35; 9. Karli Smolenski (Farmington), 8.35.

Floor: 1. Katelyn Giles (Canton), 9.6; 2. Melissa Hopson (Salem), 9.5; 3. Kim Nowak (Canton), 9.4; 4. Michelle Tsai (N. Farmington), Kristen Kosik (Salem), Alyssa Sofos (Salem) and Sarah Makins (Salem), 9.25; 5. Shelly Underwood (Glenn), 9.2.

All-around: 1. Katelyn Giles (Canton), 37.75; 2. Melissa Hopson (Salem), 36.30; 3. Alyssa Sofos (Salem), 35.85.

Rocks win 5th in row; Raiders 4th

By C.J. RISAK

BRAD WERTZ

In the final analysis, Plymouth Salem's loss Feb. 21 to Plymouth Canton in its dual-meet finale may have been a turning point for the Rocks.

"They had been performing well, it's true, but they didn't quite seem up to defending their Class A gymnastics championship. And time was running low, with the Western Lakes Activities Association meet Thursday and the regional and state finals all that remained."

The Chiefs' 136.4-136.6 upset victory may have shaken Salem up just enough. No, the Rocks did not put their best lineup out against Canton, but they still could have, and probably should have, won.

There were no such mistakes repeated in Thursday's WLA meet at Westland John Glenn. Salem simply dominated, posting the state's best score this season in romping to its fifth-straight league title.

The Rocks finished with 142.75 points, more than a point better than their previous best this season. Canton placed second (again — the Chiefs' fourth consecutive year as runners-up) with a team season-best score of 139.75.

Host John Glenn was third (131.45), followed by North Farmington (125.40), Farmington (117.75) and Walled Lake (111.90).

"I'm very happy," said a glowing John Anderson, Salem's coach. Anderson felt personally responsible for the loss to Canton and said so; she didn't put her best team up against the Chiefs, and it ended up costing them.

If their confidence had been shaken, the Rocks didn't show it Thursday. "They're really excited now for regionals and state because they know they can win it again."

The depth of their talent makes the Rocks a formidable foe. There are five Division I-level gymnasts on the team: Melissa Hopson,

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Sarah Makins, Alyssa Sofos, Kristen Kosik and Zoe Yockey. By comparison, Canton has one.

But she's a good one — freshman Katelyn Giles. Giles extended her unbeaten streak in the all-around (she has yet to lose in high school competition) and set a new Canton school record in the process, breaking her own mark of 37.60 with a 37.75.

Giles was first in the vault (9.5), balance beam (9.4) and floor exercise (9.6) and second in the uneven parallel bars (9.25).

Salem's Hopson was second in the all-around with a 36.30, followed by teammates Sofos (35.85) and Makins (35.85). North Farmington's Michelle Tsai took fifth (34.55), with Salem's Kosik (34.35) sixth, Canton's Brie Wall (34.25) seventh and, tied for eighth, Shelly Underwood of John Glenn and Salem's Yockey (33.55).

"We had an excellent meet," said John Cunningham, Canton's coach, noting his team's three-point improvement in its final score. "(Salem) had to do a little work to win."

The difference, he thought, was Sofos, who joined the team late

because of her time spent on the Salem cheerleading squad. She did not compete against Canton last Monday.

"She has some work to do, but she's the one who will elevate them," predicted Cunningham of Sofos.

As for his own team, the performances of Wall, Kim Nowak and Adrienne Brenner gave him confidence going into the regional and state meets. "This is what the kids have to do," he said, noting the personal boasts posted by several Chiefs in several events. "And they know what they have to do."

Nowak took a third in the floor (9.4) and a seventh in the bars (8.5); Brenner was seventh in the beam (8.4). Wall's scores: 8.6 in the beam (fifth), 8.8 in the floor, 8.7 in the bars and 8.15 in the vault. Karli Jackson added a fifth in the vault (8.7).

For Salem, Makins finished first in the bar (9.3), fourth in the

beam (8.95) and floor (9.25), and sixth in the vault (8.35). Hopson was second in both the beam (9.35) and floor (9.50), third in the bar (9.1) and tied Makins for sixth in the vault (8.35).

Sofos took third in the beam (9.2), fourth in the vault (8.85), tied for fourth in the floor (9.25) and sixth in the bar (8.65). Kosik was third in the vault (8.95) and tied for fourth in the floor (9.25), and Yockey was eighth in the vault (8.3).

Other top scorers: North's Tsai, second in the vault (9.0) and fourth in both the bar (9.0) and floor (9.25); Glenn's Underwood, eighth in the beam (8.35) and floor (9.2), and Sara Coombs, sixth in the beam (8.6); and Farmington's Carrie Smolenski, eighth in the beam (8.35).

The regional will be Thursday at Canton. The state final is scheduled for March 11-12 at Glenn.

CITY OF FARMINGTON SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE C-608-94

AN ORDINANCE ADAPTING AND CLARIFYING FEDERAL CABLE TELEVISION CUSTOMER SERVICE STANDARDS

An ordinance to specify the normal business hours for the cable company and establish normal operating conditions. Requires toll free telephone access 24 hours a day and trained representatives be available. Standards for telephone answering time are established. Repair time for response to emergency outages is defined. Procedures for arranging service calls and the scheduling of service during acceptable hours is required. Cable operator shall provide written information regarding service levels to the Southwestern Oakland Cable Commission. Requires that bills for service shall be clear, concise and itemized. Civil and criminal penalties may be levied for violations.

ARNOLD T. CAMPBELL, Mayor
PATSY K. CANTRELL, Clerk

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CITY OF FARMINGTON HILLS OAKLAND COUNTY, MICHIGAN

PLANNING COMMISSION PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE ZONING MAP AMENDMENT

DATE: MARCH 17, 1994
TIME: 7:30 P.M.
PLACE: Farmington Hills City Hall
31555 Eleven Mile Road
Farmington Hills, MI 48336
ITEM: Zoning Text Amendment 1, 1994

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Farmington Hills Planning Commission will give formal consideration to a proposed text amendment of the Farmington Hills City Code, Chapter 34, Zoning Chapter, which amendment will amend Section 34-55. A summary of said amendment is as follows:
Add the subparagraph (d) to Section 34-55 "Accessory Uses Permitted Subject to Special Conditions" in the One-Family Residential District:
(d) A residential accommodation for persons of the same family that occupies the principal use and is part of the principal building and has interior access to the principal use through a common wall.

Any person who is interested in this amendment is invited to attend and participate in the public hearing discussion. Complete Zoning Chapter and Text are available for purchase and/or inspection during regular business hours at the Planning Department.

DALE A. COUNTEGAN, Director
Planning & Community Development
City of Farmington Hills

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KATHRYN A. DORNAN,
City Clerk

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