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WEDDINGS AND ENGAGEMENTS

BIRTHS

Caponi-Castro

Michael and Mary Caponi of Bloomfield Hills announce the engagement of their daughter, Angela Mary, to Marc Andre Castro, son of Andrea and Christine Castro of Canton.

The bride-to-be is a student at Oakland University.

Her fiancé is a business manager at Rosenau Powersports in Dearborn Heights.

A May wedding is scheduled at St. Hugo of the Hills.



Wheeland-Meathe

John and Joyce Wheeland of Bloomfield Hills announce the engagement of their daughter, Nicole, to Christopher Meathe, son of Patrick and MaryAnne Meathe of Grosse Pointe.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Western Michigan University. She is a merchandise coordinator for Neiman Marcus in Troy.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Western Michigan University. He is an account executive with Computer Consultants of America in Southfield.

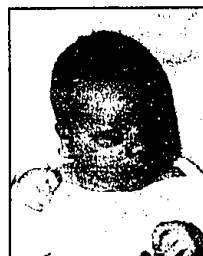
An August 1997 wedding is planned.



William Joseph Markley III

Molly and Bill Markley of Birmingham announce the birth of their son, William Joseph Markley III, June 3 at Beaumont Hospital in Royal Oak.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Basile of Birmingham and Mr. and Mrs. William Markley of Bloomfield Hills.



Tingay-Mayhew

Kristin Mayhew and Bret Tingay were married May 18.

The bride is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth Mayhew of West Bloomfield. She is a graduate of West Bloomfield High School and Michigan State University. She is a registered nurse at St. Lawrence Hospital in Lansing.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Brian Tingay of DeWitt. He is a graduate of DeWitt High School and is attending Lansing Community College. He is a nursing assistant at Michigan Capital Medical Center and a firefighter for DeWitt City Fire and Rescue.

A reception was held at Bay-



pointe Golf Club. The newlyweds honeymooned on Maui, Hawaii, and they are making their home in DeWitt.

Grace-Gaiser

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Grace of Bosworth, Missouri announces the engagement of their daughter, Kelly Sue, to Kurt H. Gaiser, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert E. Gaiser of Rochester.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of the University of Missouri and is currently attending Oregon Health Sciences University.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Michigan Technological University and the University of Wisconsin. He is employed by Intel.

The couple are planning a late fall wedding in Bosworth, Missouri.



Melissa Nicole Mars

John and Lisa Mars of Rochester Hills announce the birth of their daughter, Melissa Nicole Mars, June 25 at Crittenton Hospital.

Grandparents are Judy and John Mars of West Bloomfield, grandfather Ron Nelson of Waterford and grandmother Wink Nelson of Rochester.

Her great-grandmothers are Ruby Nelson of Sarasota, Fla., and Irene Mars.



ANNIVERSARIES

Bevler 50th

Josephine (Griffith) and Robert Bevler, formerly of Troy, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary, with family and friends, at the home of their son Robert on Saturday, July 27.

They met on a blind date and were married four months later on Sept. 24, 1946, at Royal Oak Methodist Church.

They have four children, Cyn-

thia Seeley of St. Paul, Minn.; Deborah Pryor of Algonquin, Ill.; Theresa Weichman of Jupiter, Fla., and Robert Bevler of Rochester Hills. They also have 10 grandchildren.

In September Mr. and Mrs. Bevler will celebrate their 50th anniversary on an Alaskan cruise.

How to submit your special announcement

Local engagement, wedding, anniversary and birth announcements runs in the Thursday and Monday editions of The Observer & Eccentric.

Residents of the Birmingham-Bloomfield, West Bloomfield and Southfield areas should send their engagement, wedding, anniversary or birth information, with or without

photograph, to The Eccentric, 805 E. Maple, Birmingham 48009, Attention Brides.

Residents of the Troy and Rochester areas should send information to the Rochester Eccentric, 1814 S. Rochester Road, Rochester Hills 48307.

Residents of the Farmington area should send information to the Farm-

ington Observer, 33411 Grand River, Farmington 48335.

Preprinted forms that outline the information needed for your engagement or wedding announcement are available at Observer & Eccentric offices.

If you have questions regarding your announcement, call Sue Willis in

Birmingham at (810) 901-2560; Debbie Douglas in Rochester at (810) 651-7575, or Rose Butler in Farmington at (810) 477-5450. For a recorded message with complete information on submitting announcements, call (810) 901-4730 for The Eccentric and (810) 953-2065 for The Observer.

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