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Half-time hoopla: Greg Young, Farmington High sophomore, plays the baritone during half time at Saturday's homecoming game at Farmington High.

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## Farmington High homecoming turns into Disneyland fantasy

BY TIM SMITH  
STAFF WRITER

For a week, Anaheim had nothing on Farmington.

With "Farmington High Goes to Disneyland" as the theme, FHS enjoyed a week-long homecoming that culminated with Saturday's parade, victorious football game and dance.

"It was wonderful," said Margaret Cottee, one of two student council advisors (Gina Van Horn was the other) who helped coordinate the slew of related events. "The student council did so much this year and got everybody involved. And it started with 'Spirit Week.'"

Assisting Cottee and Van Horn was Michelle Walters, a student teacher from Eastern Michigan University.

Throughout the week leading up to homecoming, each of the four classes delved into one of Disneyland's famous "lands" (Adventure, Tomorrow, Fantasy, Frontier) and crafted appropriate parade floats.

Those floats highlighted the parade, which primarily went down Grand River to Shinwassee and into the high school parking lot, where people could take a closer look.

Cottee said the winning class float was the seniors' "Pirates of

the Caribbean," placing ahead of the sophomore class' - which created a "huge Dumbo" float. The other floats were the juniors, a rocket; and the freshmen, a covered wagon that "was really kind of cute."

During halftime of Farmington High's annual 14-7 victory over Livonia Stevenson, the Homecoming Queen and King were honored, as well as their respective courts.

The 1997 Homecoming Queen was senior Natalie Dawson. Her court included: Calley Cerano, Blake Horaghy, Jamie Livermore and Rachel Lukasik, all seniors.

Named 1997 Homecoming King was senior Tim Kirby, with four other seniors rounding out his court: Matt Beuckelaere, Pete Bosler, Darren Lee and Jim Webb.

After the football game, which was attended by approximately 1,400 fans, an estimated 800 went to the homecoming dance at the high school.

Cottee said the Disneyland theme continued for the dance, right on down to the wall decorations.

"There were Mickey Mouse ears with couples names on them," she said, laughing.



Win win: Cheerleader Melissa Gerdes, Farmington High senior, spells out the objective for the Falcons football team, which beat Livonia Stevenson 14-7.

## West Bloomfield teen charged with stalking

BY TIM SMITH  
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A 17-year-old West Bloomfield man was arraigned Monday in 47th District Court on a charge of aggravated stalking and now awaits a pre-trial hearing later this month.

Marsellino Zoma pleaded not guilty at his arraignment, held before Magistrate James Brady. Zoma is accused of stalking by his former girlfriend, an 18-year-old from Farmington Hills. He was freed on \$1,000 personal bond and ordered not to contact her.

According to a spokeswoman at 47th District Court, Zoma's pre-trial hearing is scheduled for

9 a.m. Wednesday, Oct. 22, before Judge Maria Parker.

If Zoma is convicted of the misdemeanor, he will receive a one-year sentence and/or \$1,000 fine, according to Farmington Public Safety Director Mike Wiggins.

Farmington Public Safety Cmdr. Maria Putt said it had been pre-arranged for Zoma to turn himself in on Monday to the public safety department, and to be subsequently arraigned.

A warrant had been received from the county prosecutor on Sept. 12, with a letter then sent to Zoma to appear at the station within a week to face the charge. But Zoma did not show up, and

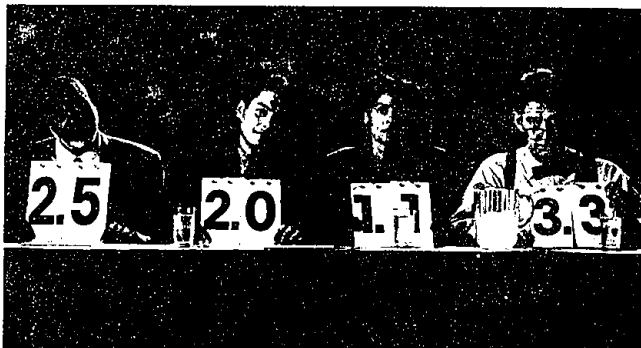
the charge was put into the computerized Law Enforcement Information Network.

Zoma was accused of repeatedly stalking his ex-girlfriend since their break-up in early August, even after police ordered him to leave her alone.

On Aug. 28, police reports said the man showed up at the front door of the victim's friend, in Farmington, where the ex-girlfriend was temporarily staying.

The last apparent contact was a phone page the second week of September.

"As far as we know," Putt said, "he has had no other contacts" with the woman or her current boyfriend since then.



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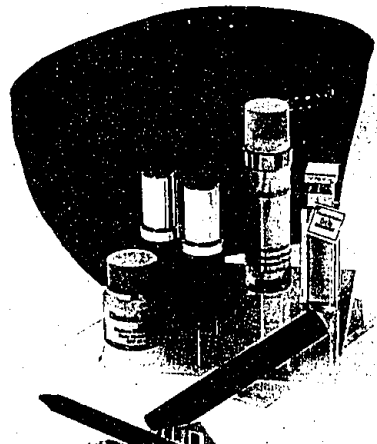
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