

OBITUARIES

Show spotlights 'happening' people

WALTER S. LEONARD

Walter S. Leonard, 91, of Farmington Hills died April 7 at Courtyard Manor in Farmington Hills.

Mr. Leonard was a residential painter and worked in the coal mines in Pennsylvania. He is survived by son Walter (Marjorie) of Farmington; daughter Beverly (Ralph) Simons of Northville; brother Joseph of Clinton; sisters Ann, Blanche, Josephine, Adeline and Frances; 11 grandchildren; 24 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

Funeral services were April 9 at Thayer-Rock Funeral Home in Farmington with the Rev. Victor Clore officiating.

Memorial contributions may be sent to the Cranbrook Hospice Care, 261 Enterprise Court, Suite 300, Bloomfield Hills 48302-0313.

CLOEDA ELLIOTT MISCH

Cloeda Elliott Misch, 89, died April 5 at her home in Bloomfield Hills.

Mrs. Misch used her artistic talent to make dolls, baskets and collectors items for many local charities.

She is survived by son Michael (Virginia); daughters Karen (James) Viazanko of Farmington Hills and Judith (Timothy) Leeper; 10 grandchildren; and 20 great-grandchildren.

Services will be private. Arrangements were made by A.J. Desmond & Sons Funeral Home in Royal Oak.

Memorial contributions can be sent to Focus:HOPE, 1355 Oakman Blvd., Detroit 48238.

LILLIAN M. BIENIEK

Lillian M. Bieniek, 77, of Farmington Hills died April 8 at Providence Hospital.

Mrs. Bieniek was a homemaker. She is survived by children Dianne, Tom,

Ted and Patty; and grandchildren Tammy, Larry, Tim, Lindsay, Kelli, Kevin, Katie, Jaclyn and Paul.

Funeral services will begin at 10:15 a.m. Monday, April 13 at McCabe Funeral Home in Farmington with a procession to Our Lady of Sorrows Church in Farmington followed by an 11 a.m. Mass. Visitation will be 1-8 p.m. today (April 12) at the funeral home.

ANGELO GENTILIA

Angelo Gentilia, 77, of Farmington, died April 9, at Botsford Continuing Care. He is survived by wife, Mamie; sons, John (Jeanette), Domenico (Judith), Angelo Jr. (Suzanne) and Joseph (Bonnie); daughters, Mary Kozlowski, Shirley Pruet, Carol Hart and Donna (Bob) Kothari; 20 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 11:30 a.m. Monday, April 13, at St. Gerald Church in Farmington with the Rev. Gerald McEnhill officiating. Arrangements made by Heeneys-Sundquist Funeral Home in Farmington.

Memorial contributions may be sent to the St. Vincent DePaul Society.

ELIZABETH EVA BREITLING

Elizabeth Eva Breitling, 84, of Farmington Hills died April 9.

She is survived by son, John (Diane); daughter, Betty Ann (Mel) Fulcher; five grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Tuesday, April 14, at Our Lady of Sorrows Church in Farmington with the Rev. Douglas Bignall officiating. Arrangements made by Heeneys-Sundquist Funeral Home in Farmington.

Memorial contributions may be sent to Hospice of Southeast Michigan.

CABLE CONNECTION



MARY LINDA CALDERONE

You could say he's one of those people who makes things happen. And he's making things happen in Community TV with his show "People Who Make Things Happen" every Tuesday at 5:30 p.m., Thursday at 11:30 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. and Friday at 12:30 p.m. Just tune into INFO TV-12 and see for yourself.

Brateman says, "I really enjoy being involved in community TV. It enables me to express my creativity, meet interesting people, learn more about people I don't know and work with fantastic people — both volunteer crew and professional staff at the studio."

"People Who Make Things Happen" highlights issues of community interest like the Grand River Corridor Design Project, City of Novi Director of Planning and Community Development Jim

Wahl and longtime Novi business Victor Cassi share their perspective on the project. Brateman also gives his viewers a concis-

se update on the Novi Chamber of Commerce Economic Development Report. Chairman of Economic Development Bud Scott, Novi Expo Center Director Blair Bowman and the City of Novi's Economic Coordinator Greg Capote line the impressive guest profile.

And if you think topics are confined to the city of Novi, guess again! Brateman chats with Farmington Hills Mayor Aldo Vagnozzi about millage issues on the ballot and Farmington City Manager Frank Lauhoff about re-development in downtown Farmington.

One of Brateman's motivations in producing "People Who Make Things Happen" is his desire to educate his viewers on issues they may have had little exposure to, like the program on career opportunities in the Banking Industry.

Read Dunn of Franklin Bank talks with Brateman about processing commercial loans and what it's like to be a commercial loan officer for small businesses. Have you ever wondered about the business aspects of the entertainment industry? Jack Zwick, a prominent accountant with Zwick & Solomon in Southfield discusses the professional sports industry from valuation of a team to today's high

salaries for athletes.

Then there are the shows Brateman hosts and produces just for pure entertainment value. Are you a fan of Abraham Lincoln? You won't want to miss Brateman's show with Dr. Weldon Petz. Dr. Petz is an authority on Lincoln and a collector of his memorabilia.

Tune in to see what he brings with him. Award-winning actress Henrietta Hermelin Weinberg comes to "People Who Make Things Happen." You'll hear all about her theatrical career and listen to a dramatic reading from "Lost in Yonkers." Are you a circus fan?

Meet Shrine Circus member Tino Wallenda of the Flying Wallendas and hear how he recreated the seven-person pyramid high wire act. The act last performed in Detroit in 1962 ended in tragedy, killing some of the members. Through the face of adversity, Tino tells his story of how he persevered to recreate the act.

There are some special surprises in store for viewers as Brateman prepares for his 25th show soon to premiere on INFO TV-12.

Mary Linda Calderone is the Media Relations Coordinator for the Southwestern Oakland Cable Commission. The next CAC meeting is at 7 p.m. Tuesday, April 14, SWOCC. The next SWOCC meeting is at 4:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 21, at Novi City Hall.

CAMPUS PIPELINE

If you have news from a college, university or other campus of higher education — and there's a Farmington-area connection — we'd like to hear from you. Send items to: Campus Pipeline, 33411 Grand River, Farmington 48335.

GO GREEK!

Frank Acosta, son of Frank and Sandy Acosta of Farmington Hills, has been initiated into the Beta Theta Pi International Fraternity by the chapter at the University of Michigan.

CONCERTO PERFORMANCE

Patricia Rhiw, a Hope College sophomore from Farmington Hills, performed as a featured student soloist with the Hope College Orchestra in the college's Annual Concerto/Aria Concert. Rhiw, a soprano, sang an aria

from Mozart's "The Magic Flute." She was selected at a competition held in January of this year.

FLYING HIGH

Michael Schaner earned a spot on the Dean's List for 1997 fall semester at Embury-Riddle Aeronautical University in Prescott, Ariz.

He is a junior majoring in computer science. He is the son of David and Susan Schaner of Farmington Hills.

ON THE TOP

The following Farmington and Farmington Hills residents attained a GPA of 3.5 or better during the fall semester at Walsh College: Allen Lanstra, Belkita Ueer, Jonathan Schroeder, Judy Duckett, Julie Jones, Mary Hurren,

Susan Bergin, Terry Lob-singer, Valdis Revalds, Barry Sloan, Gerald Cameron, Lynne Willard, Mary Reynolds, Sarah Brudi, Tara Kochatoroff and Wendy Foss.

SCHOLARLY WORK

Samantha Loree of Farmington Hills presented her scholarly work, "Japanese Business People Learn To Communicate in English," at the annual meeting of the Michigan Academy of Science, Arts and Letters in February.

LAWRENCE DEAN'S

The following Farmington area residents were named to the Dean's Honor Roll for the fall semester at Lawrence Technological University: Steven Ambrose, Rebecca Bertolini,

Clifford Burrows, Carolyn Byndas, Christine Cutright, Pamela Davis, Timothy Downey, Christopher Folland, Rachel Gambino, Richard Goerke, Pamela Hantaja, Nicole Howard, Erik Jablon-ski, Anne Michellie, Kurt Omdark, Jay Schleich.

Pamela Shively, John Shepherd, Ronald Shockey, Jon Smathers, Steven Smith, Roger Stadler, Michael Steffes and Cecilia Thibault.

SENIOR RECITAL

Deanna Barton, a student at Taylor University in Indiana, will be giving her senior trumpet recital on May 10. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Barton of Farmington Hills.

MEMORIAL SCHOLAR

Sara Uriveg, a Luther College senior, is the recipient of a \$2,000 Ingvald V. and Helen C.

Sorensen Memorial Scholarship for the 1997-98 academic year. She is the daughter of Laurence and Ruth Ann Uriveg of Farmington.

ENGINEER DEAN'S

The following Farmington/Farmington Hills residents were named to the Dean's Honor List for the fall 1997 term at the University of Michigan College of Engineering: Todd Afterbaugh, Catherine Cunningham, Daniel Greas, Matthew Hankins, Patricia Hood, Thomas May, Stacey Moore, Judith Na, Bryna Pawelick, Stephanie Pugh, Elizabeth Queeneyville, Timothy Streit and Mark Strohmaier.

At the University of Michigan Honors Convocation: Leonidas Addimando, Kevin Afterbaugh, Todd Afterbaugh, Neomi Balogh, Ilyse Broder, Charmaine Cardozo, Shaun Cardozo, Matthew Derovich, Ryan Dufrey, Tracey Finlayson, Jennifer Freij, Daniel Greas, David Greas, Kathleen Mahon, Meghan Manion, Matthew Michalski, Elizabeth Momblanco, Stacey Moore, Judith Na, Jennifer Nichols, Juliet Petrus, Kimberly Seed, Timothy Streit and Bella Yagolkovskaya.

TO THE POINT
Allison Walker, class of 2001, earned a place on the Dean's List at Brandeis University in Massachusetts for the fall 1997 semester. She is the daughter of Frederic and Enid Walker of Farmington Hills.

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