## Washtenaw CC celebrates century as golf institution

It was July 11, 1899, when 15
Ann Arbor-Ypsilanti area residents formed the Washtenaw
Country Club, laying out a
three-hole course to enjoy the
"wonderful new game of golf
being played on the East Coast."
The third-oldest country club
in the state, Washtenaw began
celebrating its week-long centenpiol observances on July 11,
1999.
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The Detroit Golf Club and the Saginaw Country Club are the first and second oldest clubs in

Michigan.

More than half of the Washte-naw Country Club members reside in the HomeTown Com-punications Network communi-ties of Plymouth, Livonia, Farm-ington Hills, Canton, Northville, Novi, South Lyon and Brighton. Current president of Washte-naw Country Club, Plymouth's Clark Ewing, noted that a mem-bership campuign has been launched to attrack feature spe-jial events through Saturday, July 17.

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The course is widely recognized as a "golfers test" with rolling fairways and traditional

greens.
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Tim Johnson of Northville is the course superintendent. One of the highlights of the observance is the publication of a 120-page hardcover centennial book written by Bill Sliger. It records the club's history

with emphasis on the achieve-ments of former junior golf pro-gram members. The book also contains a number of turn-of-the-century photographs. One of the historic photos shows sheep on fairways. Sheep wer used to keep the fairways both trim and fertile. For more information about the book, or membership, call the Washteauw Country Club at (734) 434-2150.

Family Golf Scramble

Family Golf Scramble
Tee-off for a nino-hole family
golf scramble (with a kicker) will
be at 2 p.m. Saturdey, Aug. 7 at
Whispering Willos Golf Course.
The cost is \$13.25 for adults
and \$5.25 for children (must be
at least 10). The entry deadline
is 6 p.m. Monday, Aug. 2.
Entries must be turned in at the
Whispering Willows Pro Shop
only. Checks should be made
payable to the City of Livonia.)
The tournsament chairman will
draw a number between 32 and
42 after all the teams have teed
off. Each scramble team —
threesomes, foursomes and twosomes — will be paired to make
a foursome — then select a leam
handicap before play. The team
whose nut score (gross score
handicap) equals or is closest to
the number drawn is the winner.
For more information, call
(734) 466-2410.

## North Brothers outing

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The 10th annual North Brothers Ford golf outing will be Saturday, Aug. 28 at Fox Creek Golf
Course, 3500 Seven Mile Road,
Livonia.
Registration is at 9 a.m. foliowed by a putting contest at
9:46 a.m.
There will be a hotgun start
for the four-nerson acromble at

9:46 a.m.

There will be a shotgun start for the four-person scramble at 10:30 a.m. (Contest is include closest-to-pin and long drive.)

The cost is \$90 per golfer (includes greens fees, power cart, lunch at the turn, followed by dinner at approximately 4 p.m.). Raffle tickets for prizes will be sold with all proceeds to benefit Westland DA.R.E. Youth Assistance Program, Wayne County Family Center, Westland Jaycee Park Baseball Field Restoration and the Wayne-Westland Jaycee Park Baseball Field Restoration and the Wayne-Westland YMCA Partners for Youth Campaign.

The registration deadline is Thursday, Aug. 5.

For more information, call Jackie Marcaccini or Denise Martinez at (734) 421-1300.

Junior golf challenge

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Guiden Bear Gold Center, 39500 Five Mile Road, Ply-mouth, will stage a junior golf skills putting and chipping con-test from 9 a.m. to noon, Satur-day, July 17. For more information, call

and golfers should call (248) 624-4546.

PICO/SPINAL GOLF CHALLENGE
The fifth annual PICO/Spinal
Victory National Golf Challenge
to benefit the Kent Waldrep
National Paralysis Foundation
will be Monday, July 26, at TPC
of Michigan, One Nicklaus
Drive, Dearborn.
The Foundation was established in 1985 to fund research
to find a cure for paralysis for
appinal cord injury and brain
injury.
Registration and breakfast
will be at 8:30 a.m. followed by
the Dennis Walters Show, featuring the only person paralyzed
below the wait who earns a living as a professional golfer.
Fractice and warmup follow at
9:30 a.m. with a shoigun start
scheduled for 10 are For more information, call (734) 420-4653.

9:30 a.m. with a shotgun start scheduled for 10 a.m.
Cocktails and a silent suction

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**GOLF OUTINGS** 

The Walled Lake Rotary Club will host the 11th Annual Emery Jacques Jr. Memorial Golf Outing on Friday, July 16, at El Dorado Golf Club.

The cost of \$95 per golfer includes 18 holes of golf with a cart, lunch, dinner, drinks and prizes. The evels a four-person, best-ball scramble tournament that begins with a shotgun start at 1 p.m.

There will be a hole-in-one contest with a 1999 Chrysler Schring convertible as the prize. Non-golfers are invited to join the golfers at dinner for \$30 and to participate in the 50-50 raffle and silent sports acution.

Individual hole sponsorahips are available for \$125. Sponsors and golfers should call (248) 624-4546. will be a 4 p.m. with dinner served at 5 p.m. The awards cer-emony is at 6 p.m. Corporate sponsorships and player spots remain available. For more information, call (972) 248-7100.

CANTON MOOP GOLF CUTING

The third annual Plymouth
Canton baseball golf outing will
be at 10:30 a.m. Sunday, Aug. 1
at St. John's Golf Course.

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The event is sponsored by
Canton basketball coach Dan
Young, his staff and parents.
The outing is open to present
and past Canton basketball players, along with friends of the

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program.
The-off is at 11:15 a.m.
The cost is \$70 (includes cart
and dinner) or \$346 (includes
hole sponsorship, a four-some for
18 holes, plus cart, and dinner
afterwards at Plymouth Township Parki. Meal only (after 3
p.m.) is \$10 per person.
Registration payment must be
recived by Tuesday, July 20.
For more information, call
Fred Sofen at (734) 451-7418.
MIN MOODRIFF MEMORIAL
The Kim Woodruff Memorial
Classic/Links for the Little Ones
'99 will be held Monday, July 26,
at Bogie Lake Golf Club in White
Lake. This popular event, in its
fourth year, is a fund-raiser for
the Child Abuse and Neglect
Council of Oakland County, Call
(246) 332-7173 for ticket information.

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Tee Off Fore Parks, a fundrais-er for West Bloomfield Parks and

Recrestion and sponsored by PaineWebber, will be held riday, July 30, at the Links at Finewood Golf Course and Banquet Facility in Commerce Township.

The tournament costs \$140 per policy or \$500 for a foursome and includes 18 holes of golf, curt, buffet bunch, beverages, awards dinner, silent auction, raffees and door prizes. Eponsorships fees range from \$250 to \$1,000.

For more information, call West Bloomfield Parks and Recreation at (248) 738-2500.

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MEG MALION GOLF OUTNO The Ninth Annual Meg Mallon Golf Outnot Golf Outnot Golf Outnot will be held Monday, Aug. 30, at Walnut Creek Country Club in South Lyon. This event is open to the public and tee sponsorships are available. Activities will include afternoon nee times, refreshments and an evening dinner reception with Meg Mallon. Individual tickets are available for the evening erception. For reservations and sponsorship information, contact the Mery High School Development Office at (248) 478-3922.

SOUTHIELD SOUT SCRAMBLE Southfield Parks and Recreation is sponsoring a 9-Hole Southfield Parks and Recreation is sponsoring a 9-Hole Course, 22020 Beech Road. Teams of four golfers will tee off course, 22202 Beech Road. Teams of four golfers will tee off beginning at 9 p.m. Glow-in-the-dark golf balls and flags will be used in this tournament. Cost is \$25 per person. Pre-registration is required.

Call Beech Woods at (248) 355-553 towerter. Book Woods is

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Call Beech Woods at (248) 355-4653 to register. Beech Woods is a 2,778-yard, par-34 course.

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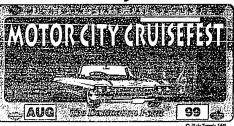
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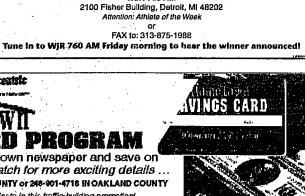
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