



STAFF PHOTOS BY JOHN STORMKAMP

Garden art: Stone figures help provide a European feel to the garden.



Eye appeal: Containers provide interest to the garden.



Water view: A beach invites tranquil viewing of the pond in the Cooper's garden.

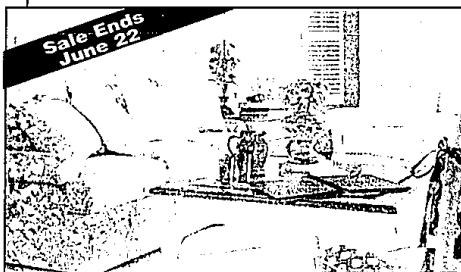
## A walk through the garden

More photos from Bernadette Cooper's garden, one of the gardens on The Rochester Hills Museum Garden Tour on Thursday, June 20.

### "COOPER'S CLUES" FOR GOOD GARDENING

- Fertilize early in the spring with granular fertilizer
- Fertilize in the summer with Miracle Grow
- Cover ground with Escargo, available through Gardens Alive, or Sluggo, available at any nursery - to keep away slugs
- Use Liquid Fence, a biodegradable animal repellent, so deer can't get to the plants
- Insert mixture of compost/peat after digging plant life out of garden
- Put down Holly Tone fertilizer for such things as evergreens, hydrangeas

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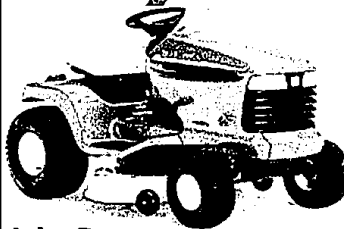
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