

Traffic Safety Questionnaire

The Oakland County Traffic Safety Committee is currently studying accident prevention activities in the county. It is interested in obtaining the views of local citizens, such as you, and your opinions about traffic improvement needs in Oakland County.

All returns are anonymous. Your name is not needed.

Please select your answers and check (V) the appropriate box.

1. How much driving experience have you had in Oakland County?

☐ Under 1 year ☐ 5-10 years
☐ 1-5 years ☐ Over 10 years

2. When were you last involved in a traffic accident?

☐ Never had one ☐ 5-10 years
☐ 0-5 years ☐ Over 10 years

3. When did you have your last traffic violation other than parking?

☐ Never had one ☐ 5-10 years
☐ 0-5 years ☐ Over 10 years

4. In which area or areas do you feel you need improvement as a driver?

☐ Driving skills ☐ Knowledge of traffic laws ☐ None
☐ Please check the three Oakland County problems which, in your opinion, are most important?

☐ Education ☐ Crime prevention ☐ Unemployment
☐ Public Health ☐ Traffic safety ☐ Municipal finance

6. Who should be required to take a driver education course before taking their license examination?

☐ Teen-agers only ☐ Everyone
☐ Adults ☐ No one

7. Have you completed a high school driver education course?

☐ Yes ☐ No
☐ Yes ☐ No

8. Do you favor: Unmarked police cars? Testing drivers for intoxication? Use of radar? Police road checks for checking vehicles and drivers?

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ No opinion

9. How can Michigan's original license examination be improved?

☐ Better road test ☐ Better vision test
☐ Better written test ☐ Generally satisfactory

10. Is Michigan's driver "point system" fair in your opinion?

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Yes ☐ No
☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Yes ☐ No

11. What action do you feel would be most effective in dealing with the driver who violates traffic rules and regulations?

☐ More enforcement ☐ Suspension or restriction of license
☐ More education ☐ No opinion

12. Are traffic signs and signals in Oakland County easy to see and understand?

☐ Yes ☐ Need improvement ☐ No opinion

13. What do you think about speed limits in the Oakland County area on state and county roads?

☐ Too high ☐ Too low ☐ Need different limits for night and day
☐ Generally satisfactory

14. What do you think about fines and sentences handed down by traffic courts in Oakland County?

☐ About right ☐ Too severe ☐ Too easy

15. Check four traffic safety items listed below that in your opinion need the most attention:

☐ Driver licensing ☐ Vehicle inspection
☐ Driver re-examination ☐ The drinking driver
☐ Driver education ☐ Driver improvement schools
☐ Rules of the road ☐ Highway design
☐ Point system ☐ Highway maintenance
☐ Traffic law enforcement ☐ Traffic signs and signals
☐ Traffic courts ☐ Pavement markings
☐ Vehicle safety equipment

16. Which drivers should be required to take physical examinations?

☐ Everyone renewing licenses ☐ All over 70 years old
☐ All over 60 years old ☐ All over 80 years old
☐ None

17. Do you feel traffic safety messages carried in newspapers and on radio and television affect the way people drive?

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ No opinion

We will appreciate the following information:

Sex: ☐ Male ☐ Female Age: ☐ 15-24 ☐ 25-44 ☐ 45-64 ☐ 65-74 ☐ Over 75

Approximate number of miles driven last year: _____
Occupation: _____
Occupation of spouse: _____
City or township: _____
Do you have automobile liability insurance: _____

The Oakland County Traffic Safety Committee is a volunteer group of 211 Oakland County citizens dedicated to studying accident prevention needs in the County. This committee of citizens and community leaders was formed through the efforts of the Mott Center for Community Affairs, Oakland University. It is being assisted in its all-out attack on accidents by the Highway Safety Center, Michigan State University.

The deadline for returning questionnaires is June 28, 1965.

The Traffic Safety questionnaire should be mailed to:

Mott Center for Community Affairs
Room 263 South Foundation Hall
Oakland University
Rochester, Michigan



FARMINGTON WOMEN have been taking an active role in the art exhibit presented by the patients at the Northville State Hospital. Pictured above are (L to R) Mrs. Mary Addison, Mrs. Mary Larson and Mrs. Shirley Ford, all of Farmington, and occupational therapist Miss Joyce Locke and her volunteer assistant, Mrs. David Lee. All of the work on exhibit was done by the Northville State Hospital patients.

Westlake News

BY NANCY WILSON
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The dress is casual and the cost only \$1.00 so grab your husband or your wife and twist on about to South Stockton down 8 p.m. Saturday, June 26, and attend Westlake Village's first street dance. A five piece band will present the music and refreshments will be up to you. If anyone hasn't received a flyer please contact Pat Schaefer (474-1550).

Get Well Wishes for Linda Ann Kelso of Astor who recently had eye surgery and is recuperating at home.

TOM AND MARY Ann Goetz of Montclair were visitors of Mt. Marion, Pennsylvania and West Virginia last week. They visited with relatives and Mary Ann's brother who is a priest in Mt. Marion, West Virginia.

The Scribe is giving herself twenty lashes with a wet noodle for forgetting Lyle and Pat Rice last week. They also attended the barbecue in the Rutkowski back yard.

Roy and Janet Tossava of Barfield Avenue held a barbecue in their backyard last week in honor of Harold and Virginia Delp who celebrated their anniversary with Malvin and Barbara Rapson and Bill and Ali Salter who showed slides of their trip to California.

THE JIM BONE'S of North Stockton held in their home a Baptismal Party for their Godchild, Nina Audette, one-month-old daughter of Norman and Nancy Audette.

Carol Ann Delp of Barfield had a few young guests in Monday afternoon for cake and ice cream. Carol was three on June 21.

DOUG AND MARTHA Andredge flew to Chicago Saturday morning to attend the

David Allen Begins Navy Boot Training

Seaman Recruit David S. Allen, 21, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stuart O. Allen of 33924 Kirby Ave., Farmington, has begun basic training at the U.S. Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Illinois.

In the first weeks of his naval service he will study military subjects and live and work under conditions similar to those he will encounter on his first ship or at his first shore station.



Cheryl C. Krist, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Krist, 2806 S. Eight Mile Road in Farmington, will leave July 13, for Parris Island, South Carolina. She will be stationed there as a member of the Women's Division of the United States Marine Corps for eight weeks after which she will return to await orders for a permanent assignment. Miss Krist is a 1965 graduate of Farmington High School.

wedding of Martha's cousin, Gary Greenlee, to the former Dawn Heimstaedt. Gary is a native of St. Joseph, Michigan and has just received his degree for electrical engineering from the University of Michigan. The newlyweds will make their home in Minneapolis, Minn.

The home of the Fred Harrison's of Whittington St. held St. Alexander's Ushers Club Party Saturday night. Those present from Westlake were: The Phil Kane's, Tom Behrend's, Rob Hebert's, Bob Valles, Mike Cluff's, Phil Stewart's, John McCarthy's and the Norm Briolati's.

JERRY AND DENISE McCarty of Larkshire celebrated their fifth anniversary by spending the evening with Jim and Judy Bonen at the Fisher Theatre downtown. They saw "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying" and enjoyed it immensely.

Bob and Glenda Gynn of Ashley traveled to Indiana last weekend to visit with some friends of Bob's whom he met while in the Air Force.

Jerry and Fran Cote of Barfield Ave. with children Linda and Tommy traveled to London, Ont. for the day to visit with relatives.

Parties Thursday and Friday will be the highlight for Kimberly Tomecek of So. Stockton Drive. Thursday she will have Mark and Paul Franks, Tammy and Aaron Hicks and Yvonne Farlington for ice cream and cake. Friday night will bring forth the relatives starting with her great-grandparents, Leo and Ann Stark, her grandparents, George and Eleanor Tomecek, and Margie and Leonard Paige with uncle and aunt, Billy and Debbie. Also, George and Connie Tomecek and children, Lois and Jerry Burns with Sandy Suzy and Sharon. Kimberly will be three on June 24.

CONGRATULATIONS to any graduates in the Subdivision that we may have. Good luck in your new environment.

Belated birthday wishes for Delphine Duda on June 21. Birthday bouquets this week to Gail Smith on June 24.

Anniversary wishes and many, many more for Tom and Nona Behrend and Ed and Mary Olaszewski, both celebrated on June 20.

Eric Alan Evans of So. Stockton celebrated his first birthday June 11 with his grandparents, the Burt Ruffner's of Muskegon, and his parents, Ransel and Janet.

R. McGregory Gets Degree

Ruth McGregory, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allan McGregory, Jr., 2950 Southbrook, received her bachelor of arts degree in visual arts at the 124th annual Commencement June 14 at Denison University, Granville, Ohio.

A member of Pi Beta Phi sorority, Miss McGregory served as co-secretary of the Panhellenic Council her junior year. She joined the local honorary society in art.

Miss McGregory is a 1961 graduate of St. Mary's in the Mountains School in Littleton, N.H.

Jon L. Elsea

Now An Ensign

Naval Aviation Officer Candidate Jon L. Elsea, son of Dr. and Mrs. E. D. Elsea, 28424 W. Eight Mile, Farmington, was commissioned an ensign May 14, upon graduation from the U.S. Naval Officer Candidate School at Newport, N.I.

Upon graduation from the 16-week course, he is qualified to meet not only the technical problems facing a junior officer in today's modern fleet, but also, and more important, the special leadership aspect of an officer's life.



Richard L. North, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee E. North of 38416 Quakerdown in Farmington, left June 11 from Michigan State University for Copenhagen, Denmark where he will spend 11 weeks in a Netherlands' home under the auspices of the "Youth for Understanding Program." Richard just completed his junior year at North Farmington High School earlier this month.

Township Board Proceedings

A Regular Meeting of the Farmington Township Board was called to order on June 14th, A.D. 1965 at 8:07 p.m. by Mr. Curt Hall, Chairman.

Members present were Hall, Avery, Cairns, Bassette, Oppertbauer and Walter; Duke absent.

Minutes for Regular Meeting of May 24th, 1965 were approved as published.

Minutes for Special Meeting of May 24th, 1965, Public Hearing for sewer in Sections 35 and 36, and Richland Gardens, were approved as published.

Minutes for Special Meeting of May 24th, 1965, bids on various districts, were approved as published.

Minutes for Special meeting of Board of Health were approved as published.

MOTION by Avery, supported by Cairns, that Township Board give this Pension Committee special vote of recognition and thanks for their excellent work, and that appropriate letter be sent to each member. Carried-unanimous.

MOTION by Cairns, supported by Walter, that date for Public Hearing on 1965-1966 Budget for the Township of Farmington be set for June 28th, 1965. Carried-unanimous.

Consideration of Adopting a "Memorandum of Understanding" RE: Land Use and Highway Planning for the Detroit Metropolitan Area.

This program initiated by six counties and State Highway Department is working on this project. State Highway, Federal and six counties putting in money for this study. In order to get approval of Federal Government they have to have Resolution of Understanding from all municipalities. Letter and Memorandum read by Mr. Hall. It will be a

Graduates From U.M. Med. School

The University of Michigan Medical School graduated 174 students at Medical School Class Day ceremonies Friday (June 4).

Officially the degrees were awarded at the University-wide commencement exercises May 1, but because the Medical School classes continued until late May, the Class Day ceremonies marked the real end to the graduates' college training.

The new doctor from Farmington is Gerald N. Grumet, 32035 Tareyton.

A Special Meeting of the Farmington Township Board of Health was called to order on May 26th, A.D. 1965 at 7:04 p.m. by Mr. Curt Hall, Supervisor. Members present were Hall, Cairns, Bassette and Duke; Avery, Walter and Oppertbauer absent.

MOTION by Duke, supported by Bassette, that the Muntz Contracting Company be allowed to operate land fill on Halsted Road during the months of July and August under the following condition: that in the event the Supervisor, in his sole discretion, decides that the said operation has become a nuisance that the Muntz Contracting Company will shut down such operation within twenty-four hours. Carried - unanimous.

Meeting adjourned at 7:25 p.m.

FLOYD A. CAIRNS, Farmington Township Clerk

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