# Golden Eagles grab crown

prestigious four-team Grosse Pointe Women's Fast-Pitch Softball Invita-tional last weekend

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The Eagles, one of the strongest women's summer softball teams in the metropolitan area, took five of the six games in the round-robin event to finish in first place.

Daly's Drivel-n of Livonia and Kane's Truck Parts of Walled Lake each finished with 3-8 records, but the six games, Birmingham in the six games, Birmingham its opponents by a committee of the six games, but the six games, but the six games, but the first game, the Eagle glethers allowing a total of only 15 hits in six games, but first perfect the six game, the Eagles glethers eshutosis in the first game, the Eagles defeated Kane's, 3-C. Kane's is the defending metropolitan Detroit yout [18]-years-and-under) Amatter Soft-ball Association (ASA) champions.

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LAURA REED, a graduate of West Bloomfield and currently a pitcher for the University of Michigan, was the winning pitcher. Carol Patrick, a Birmingham Seaholm graduate, and Sandy Taylor, a former All-Stater at Royal Oak Dondero and currently a pitcher at U-M, each had two hits to pace the Eagles' attack.

Colleen McGovern, entering her senior year at Birmingham Groves this fall, hurled a no-hitter in Birmingham at Birmingham Groves this fall, hurled a no-hitter in Birmingham struck out four and walked four. Kelly Devers, a graduate of Farmington Our Lady of Mercy and currently at Ohio State Diviersly, had two hits for the Eagles.

Birmingham bothoed Cardellas, 11-0, in the third game. Reed hurled a one-hitter, striking out eight and walking none for the five-timing, making not provided the structure of the str scolor year at Birmingham Groves senior year at Birmingham Groves senior year at Birmingham Groves senior year at Birmingham 2-0 at an e-bitter in Birmingham 2-0 at an e-bitter, striking out eight and walking none for the five-iming, mercy-rule decision.

The Eagles registered nine hits Heather Banon, a 1991 Southfield High graduate, Missy Thomas, a

Manny Agah, M.D. Yani Calmidis, M.D.

Janet Chapman, M.D.

1980 graduate of Southfield-Lathrup and currently the starting shortstop at U-M, and Diane Kluka, a Bir-mingham Marian graduate current-ly attending St. Mary's College in South Bend, each had two hits for the Eagles.

BIRMINGHAM WHIPPED Gardellas, again, in the fourth game, 10tellas, 10tellas

defeat to Kane's. McGovern took the loss, but threw a three-hitter. Kanes's scored all its runs in the fourth inning on two hits and three Birmingham errors. The Eagles won their final game 11-2 over Daly's. Reed hurled a five-hitter.

Devers, Taylor and Mary Bit-kowski, a 1981 graduate of Groves who will attend U-M in the fall, each had two hits for the winners.

THE EAGLES are 3-0 in the Livo nia Women's (18-and-over) Fast-Pitch Softball League after a 6-5 victory over Oasis Golf Center of Plymouth Friday night. Oasis is the defending Class B ASA state

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## Local bowlers geared for tourney

Cora Feibig, who took up bowling several years ago to combat a health problem and rolled her way to the top in the Detroit area, reached the high point of her career last week when she earned the right to represent America in the annual Federation Internationale des Quelles to be held in Winnipeg in July.

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She not only won the right to represent her country, but paced the field with a 205 average for her 18-game

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Mary Mohacsi, the former Livonia school teacher who also won a place on the team, by finishing fifth, will accompany Feibig. It is the first time that the Detroit area has ever been represented in the model agains.

he American team in the world champlonships.
Kathy Haislip, one of the younger
stars, was well on her way to placing
on the team before she ran into 47-10
splits in the eighth and 10th frames of
her final game. That stroke of bad luck
forced her to finish righth place.
Felbig won the place with a garrison
finish. She was trailing until the eighth
frame of the final game. She took the
lead and held on to become the winner
and captain of the team.
She averaged 21s in the qualifying
round, and her 205 average in the final
matched the figure she posted to top
the averages in the Bowlerettes League
here at home.

THERE IS AN unusual experiment going on at Merri-Bowl Lanes. It is a one-night singles event that is rolled every Monday night.

Under the rules, the bowlers can score for prizes with both actual and handicap scores. It has cash entry, and the prizes are paid each night.

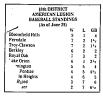
Gail Wright topped the field on Mon-day with a 509 actual-pin count and 638 with handicap. The bowling starts at 8:30 p.m. each Monday.

THE MIXED DOUBLES at Garden Lanes is proving more popular than ever.

This week, Linda Maybrier led the way with a 624 count. Pat Rizzo was next in line with 608, and Carri Van Olsdal landed third among the women with a 601.

Dennis Brown was high on the men's side when he joined the double-century shooters with a 603.

ANSWERING THE MAIL: The first automatic pinsetters were installed at the Bowl-O-forme in Mt. Clemens in 1950. They were the product of the American Machine and Foundry Company and came out a few years before Brunswick came out with its machine. The AMF machine was shown for the first time at the ABC Convention at Buffalo, N.Y., in 1946.



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• Ed Sampson, 71, used a five-iron to ace No. 13 on Oakland Hills' south course May 41. Sampson is a resident

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