

briefly speaking

EXHIBITION/SALE

Park West Galleries at 29469 Northwestern in Southfield is currently holding an exhibition and sale of rare original etchings by Reinhardt van Rijn through Aug. 31. The 40-piece collection is comprised of a recent acquisition from the Los Angeles County Museum of Art. The exhibition and sale is open to the public 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Wednesday and from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Thursday and Friday, from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Saturday-Sunday. For more information, call 354-2343.

LANGENBERGER BASKETS

An open house featuring Langenberger baskets will be held at the Wayne Community Center, 4635 Howe, Wayne, from noon to 4 p.m. Sunday. Demonstrations will be conducted all day on basket repairs, no-sew basket decorating, basket painting and steining.

CALENDAR DESIGN COMPETITION

Entries are being sought for the calendar design competition being sponsored by Norgatic. Entries must be hand-delivered to the gallery at 29555 Northwestern, Southfield. Winners will be honored at a wine and cheese reception Thursday, Oct. 16. The work will be on exhibit in the gallery through Dec. 12. For information, call 353-5525.

SPARKLE PLENTY

Frankenmuth's Bavarian Inn gift shop will fairly sparkle with a dazzling collection of Austrian silver crystal. Representatives from the world-famous Swarovski Co. will be on hand to answer questions about the collection of figurines and table accessories on exhibit. There is no charge for the show.

OLD FRENCH TOWN DAYS

The voyagers will be returning to the River Raisin gliding in via 16 30-foot birchbark canoes at the Old French Town Days festival in Monroe from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. The weekend event is the prelude to the 18th anniversary when the French culture-dominated Great Lakes region. Admission is \$3 per person, \$1 for children 5-12, children under five, free. Parking is also free.

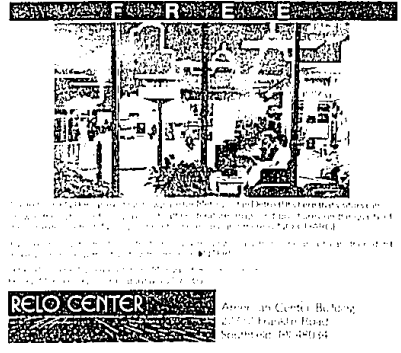
ZONJIC PANACHE

It's Panache with Zonjic on Monday, Aug. 25, when the new Birmingham eatery (formerly Archibald's) sponsors a concert featuring the popular jazz flutist. Later in the week, he will be performing in Monroe, Detroit Jazz Festival West at 9:30 p.m. Friday, Aug. 29, in the Sheraton Oaks in Novi. For more information on the Panache appearance, call 642-9400 and 348-5006 for the Sheraton Oaks, Nov.

AUDITIONS

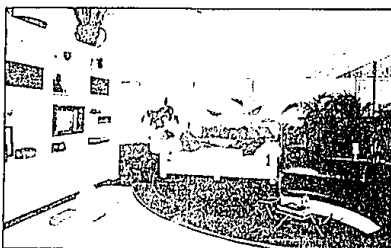
Auditions for openings in all three Livonia Youth Symphony orchestras will be held Saturdays Aug. 23 and Sept. 6. For more information, call Kay Howe, 455-1487 or Susan Gardner, 349-7894.

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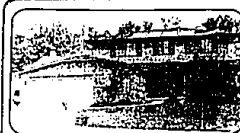
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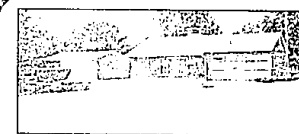
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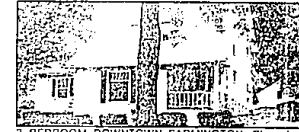
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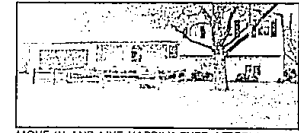
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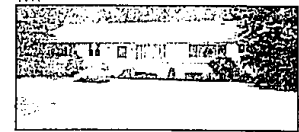
CUSTOM BUILT 2 BEDROOM Ranch on nearly an acre 22 x 13 living room with fireplace. Riding mower, snow blower, garden and work tools included - all in 24 x 20 garage. Nice vegetable garden. \$49,750 477-1111



3 BEDROOM DOWNTOWN FARMINGTON. Charming and warm older home, family room with fireplace. Double lot. Walk to everything. Low taxes for area. \$113,000 477-1111



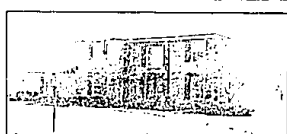
MOVE IN AND LIVE HAPPILY EVER AFTER! Immaculate 3 bedroom on large lot with mature trees, in desirable area. Neutral decor, plush carpet. \$110,500 477-1111



SHARP 4 BEDROOM RANCH & APT. on wooded 1/2 acre lot in Farmington Hills. Real cream putt. Excellent schools, close to major roads & X-ways. \$130,000 477-1111

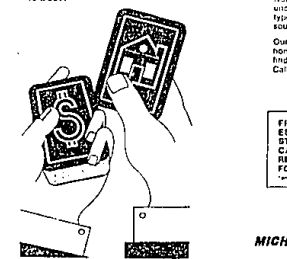


SPACIOUS KITCHEN is newly remodeled with island counter and eating space. Hardwood floors in living and dining room. Landscaped with circular drive. Basement and garage. \$44,200 477-1111



SUPER EXECUTIVE HOME. Quality built 4 bedroom colonial is impressive both inside and out. Large open foyer leads into a lovely floor plan. Professionally landscaped. \$169,900 851-1900 (NEW)

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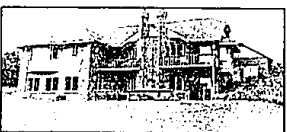
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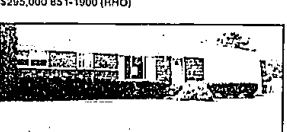
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