

## business people

Corinne A. Ristad of Farmington Hills was named manager of the office support division of Harper Associates in Farmington Hills. She was previously coordinator of recruitment and training for Medical Billing Service.

Michael Oxman of Birmingham has joined W.B. Doner & Co. in Southfield as vice president, account supervisor. Prior to joining Doner he was an account supervisor with Ross Roy Advertising overseeing the Stroh Sundance account.

Jeremy Eckhaus rejoined Ross Roy Communications as a senior account executive. Eckhaus left Ross Roy at the end of 1989 to serve as associate training director for Visual Services Inc.

Wayne E. Carey was promoted to first vice president at Michigan National Corp. in Farmington Hills. Carey joined Michigan National in 1988.

William F. Collins was appointed



Ristad



Oxman



Eckhaus



Carey



Collins



Gadwa

leasing representative for the strip centers in the metro Detroit area for Schostak Brothers in Southfield. Previously, Collins was director of real estate for Little Caesars Enterprises.

Lionel Gadwa Jr. was promoted to senior vice president-correspondent tending at Independence One Mortgage Corp. Gadwa joined Independence One in 1986. Independence One is a subsidiary of Michigan National Bank in Southfield.

Guenther Weigel, member of the managing board of Thyssen Maschi-

nbaum, was named president of Hueller Hille Corp., Troy. Also appointed were: Reginald Morgan of Bloomfield Hills to senior vice president-sales; and Thomas L. Crocker to senior vice president-operations.

Donna Boland of Bloomfield Hills was named manager, public relations for Volkswagen United States. Boland began her career with Volkswagen in 1980 as public relations coordinator.

Gene Carroll was promoted to associate at Kenneth Neumann/Joel Smith and Associates Inc. in addi-

tion, Donald Andreksi. Kathleen Buck and Michael Thompson have joined the company as project architect; Kimberly Harden as interior designer and Raymond DeShano as a member of the technical staff.

Michael L. Hinz of Troy was promoted to manager of the GMAC Financial Services control office. Hinz joined GMAC in 1969 in Seattle, Wash.

Robert L. Bochenek was named director of operations analysis for Lear Siegler Seating Corp. in Southfield.

## Fund-raiser helps Fisher center work

By Mary DiPaolo  
special writer

Ed and Juliette Jonna are hoping the third time around will be even more of a charm for La Pote Au Jardin, the annual fund-raiser for the St. Vincent and Sarah Fisher Center in Farmington Hills they orchestrated three years ago.

This year's event will be 2-6 p.m. Sunday, June 3, on the Sarah Fisher grounds at 12 Mile and Inkster roads.

The Bloomfield Hills couple, owners of the Merchant of Vino stores, were approached by Bob Leich, owner of Camdex Inc. in Troy, to help raise money for the center. Sarah Fisher serves children, young people and families in crisis through six programs.

"All anyone has to do is look into a child's eyes who has been hurt or saddened, and the desire to help

takes over immediately," Ed Jonna said.

"Ed suggested hosting the world's largest outdoor wine and food-tasting party, and we took it from there," Leich said.

With only two months to work, event organizers enlisted the help of 40 area restaurants to donate food, wine and entertainment. The event raised \$30,000.

This year, the sponsoring committee hopes to raise \$80,000. More than 100 varieties of wine have been donated, and 60 restaurants will be featured, including Van Dyke Place, the Hattiesnake Club, Truffles and the Midtown Cafe.

Flutist Alexander Zonjic will perform, and prizes will be awarded to raffish ticket holders, including a trip to the Napa Valley.

Tickets are \$75 and are available by calling Jackie Kelsay, community relations director, at 626-7527.

## datebook

### INSURANCE AGENTS

Friday, May 25 — Southeast Michigan General Agents and Managers Association meets in Birmingham. Information: 643-9313.

### MANAGING CHANGE

Tuesday, May 29 — "Managing Organizational Change: The Challenge of the '90s" 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. in Detroit. Information: 577-4449. Sponsor: Wayne State University school of business administration management center.

### FINANCIAL PLANNING

Wednesday, May 30 — Free financial planning seminar begins at 7 p.m. in Troy. Information: 852-2040. Sponsor: Joe Giordano.

### TEAM MANAGEMENT

Wednesday-Thursday, May 30-31 — "How to Work Successfully with People" 8:45 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. in Troy. Fee: \$275. Information: 689-8282 Ext. 260. Sponsor: Walsh College.

### INVESTING IN RUGS

Thursday, May 31 — Investing in Oriental rugs discussed by Edgar Hagopian at 4 p.m. in Troy. Information: 649-4770. Sponsor: Michigan Design Center.

### DESIGN CENTER OPEN

Friday, June 1 — Michigan Design Center in Troy open for presentation on remodeling. Information: 649-4770.

### PROFESSIONAL SKILLS TEST

Saturdays, June 2-16 — Pre-Professional Skills Test workshop offered 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. near Rochester. Fee: \$99. Information: 370-3120. Sponsor: Oakland University.

### SELF-HYPNOSIS

Saturday, June 2 — Workshop teaching self-hypnosis for stress release offered 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. in Troy. Information: 776-0560. Sponsor: Professional Resources Organization.

### TECHNICAL COMMUNICATORS

Monday, June 4 — Society for Technical Communication meets in Southfield. Information: Sandra Browne, 979-8569.

### PURCHASING

Monday-Tuesday, June 4-5 — "Purchasing: The Fundamentals" offered in Troy. Non-member fee: \$25. Information: Debi Martin, 689-6783. Sponsor: Purchasing Management Association of Detroit.

### QUALITY CONTROL

Mondays, June 4 through July 30 — "Statistical Quality Control I" offered 6-9 p.m. near Rochester. Fee: \$125. Information: 370-3120. Sponsor: Oakland University.

### RULES FOR INVESTING

Tuesday, June 5 — "What Are the Rules of Investing?" presented 7:30-9:30 p.m. in Birmingham. Fee: \$12. Information: programs department of Community House, 644-5832.

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