

# Heaton, Nettie have NFL hopes

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Michigan State offensive tackle Toby Heaton (Redford Catholic Central) and defensive Michigan defensive tackle Mike Nettie (Livonia Stevenson) might not be selected in Sunday's seven-round NFL draft.

But chances are they'll show up in a professional training camp this summer. The 6-foot-6, 304-pound Heaton believes he made a good impression at the Combine Camp held in the winter in Indianapolis. Heaton bench pressed 225 pounds 31 times, which was the third-best among offensive linemen, and he also ran the 40-yard dash in 5.37 seconds.

"I'm preparing for anything," said Heaton, a second-team All-Big Ten choice last year and a four-time academic All-Big Ten selection. "I've heard a lot of different things. It's certainly feasible (to get drafted) but I'm preparing for the worst and hoping for the best. That's the way I was brought up and the way I'll always be."

Among the teams that Heaton said have shown interest are New England, Detroit, the New York Giants, Denver and Cleveland. Heaton said he'll go into an NFL camp with the same frame of mind, whether he's drafted or brought in as a free agent.

"I'll block until the whistle blows and if I miss my block, I'll find someone else to block," said Heaton, who will graduate with an advertising degree.

Nettie, meanwhile, doesn't ex-

pect to get drafted and might end up as a free agent in a Canadian Football League camp, if not one in the NFL. The 6-5, 276-pound Nettie is a two-time All-Mid-American Conference choice but scouts are suspect of his lateral quickness and strength.

Nettie wasn't invited to the Combine Camp. The Miami Dolphins sent a scout to M. Pleasant to test Nettie and some of his teammates and Nettie bench pressed 225 pounds 14 times (which is considered low). His best 40-yard dash time is 5.2 seconds, which is considered average.

Nettie's agent is Jack Mills, who is based out of Colorado and also represents the Lions' Dennis Gibson and Jason Hansen. Mills also represented Nettie's coach Mike Current, a former NFL player.

"I'll go any route, it's just a matter of seeing if my agent can get me into a camp, and I'll take it from there," Nettie said. "I'll play above what I can do in the weight room."

This is a good year for MAC players being drafted with Toledo's defensive end Dan Williams expected to go in the top 15 in the first round and Western Michigan tackle Paul Krause expected to go in the first couple rounds. But historically, MAC players have been overlooked.

"Getting drafted in the top six rounds is kind of rare (for a MAC player)," said Nettie, who will earn his criminal justice degree in May.

# It's money time for area bowlers



AL HARRISON

In basketball, it's called March Madness. In bowling, it's called April Crunch Time.

That means it's the home stretch in league play and the teams are trying for a first-place finish or as close to the top as possible.

This is the time when a crucial missed spare can mean the difference between a point in the win or lost column, just as a timely string of strikes could bring on a victory.

Each point is precious because position is so important at this point in the season. With the wide variety of bowling leagues, the difference between first place and the also-rans can mean just a few dollars, or in the "Classics" and All-Stars it could mean several thousand dollars.

Some of the leagues pay off on points won during the season, others on the final position in the standings. There are some leagues where the big prize is a nice trophy.

Surely, there are bowlers who are in it for the money. Others are just out for a good time and if they win some money along the way that's icing on the cake.

Win or lose, finish first or last, most bowlers are there mostly for the enjoyment of the game. Of course, it's more fun to win than lose, and the winners never refuse to take home the money.

■ **General weeks ago**, the topic of the week was the next Olympic Games which will take place in Atlanta in 1996. We are working at collecting 1,000,000 signed petitions nationally to get the bowling into the Olympics as a full-medal sport.

I am pleased to report that our efforts through the Observer & Eccentric newspapers and the added support of local bowling centers has generated over 2,000 signed petitions. If there are any readers who have not yet signed, they can stop at any bowling center and ask at the control desk.

I want to thank everyone who has signed.

## BOWLING HONOR ROLL

- Country Lanes (Farmington Hills):** Greenfield Mixed League — Lee Snow, 278; 205-222; Tom — 205-225-278-702; Owen Gow, 221-214704; Tina Barber, 243/614; Roy Marshall, 212/807; Carl Klassen, 243/205; Bill Funks, 346-24698; Charlie Foor, 225-227/653; Bob Metz, 225/202; Dan Christensen, 222-211823; Chuck O'Rourke, 243; Vern Gooding, 243.
- Country Keglers — Jim Remold, 279/715;** 205-222/622; Dan Williams, 243/653; Steve Hughes, 223/637; Walt Ulrich, 278/709.
- Country Jugos House — Jerry Witt, 246/641;** Steve Schoenberg, Jr., 234/650; Greg Goss, 234/653; Lynn Jacob, 346/914.
- Loop Lanes (Livonia) — Bob McDonald, 234/599;** Jim Ballina, 220/547; Pete Wyman, 233/527.
- Country Keglers — Walt Ulrich, 300/698;** Keith Brandemuhl, 234/622; Steve Dulka, 230/635; Ron Blanchard, 239/664; Bob Shlimak, 234/619; Mark Ellis, 214/622; Jerry Witt, 227/629.
- St. Paul Men's League — D. Blason, 224/534;** C. Becker, 210/924; B. Shorman, 210/929; D. Follis, Jr., 221/671; J. Galt, 220/664; S. Fajdenka, 227/622.
- Wednesday Ladies — Pat Ramirez, 224/525;** Wednesday Schilling, 202; Sue Dzyugiet, 200/566.
- Country Keglers — Jim Balling, 225/685;** Jeff Amelch, 217/631; Andy Korval, 220; Don Ellis, 222/491; Samson, 223.
- Monday Stars — Pat Remold, 206/649;** J. Landrum, 245/690; Sue Kin, 203/637; Betty Petty, 202/511; Dawn Czech, 212/620; 202.
- Wednesday Junior House — Guy Trombley, 226/703;** Lynn Jacob, 249/811; Rip Gagnon, 223/632; Willie Lutz, 227/629; Dave Fehrbach, 221/654; Jerry Witt, 227/629.
- Bel-Aire Lanes (Farmington Hills):** Senior House — Ted James, 292/697; Jerry Leach, Steve Walters, 682; Ted Goldberg, 226/692; John Robertson, 678; Mike G. Jim Lutz, 567; Tom Fetterman, 663; John McKenna, 256/628; Mark Russo, 638; Steve Hutton, 600; Tony Casavella, 205; John Stachka, 256; Mike Mazzaro, 264; Tom Ruszkiewicz, 234.
- Dromke's Lanes (Farmington Hills):** Assen's Big Boy Classic — Rick Long, 287/223-205/727; Don Worthington, 229/897; Al Stroud, 223-213-235/714; Mike LaRocca, 254-258/626; Tim Saunders, 252/676; Mark Parris, 223-245/739; Frank Robinson III, 267-226-226/779; Ken Kowalski, 188-277-200/629; Matt Caldwell, 279/635; Dave Henning, 287-213-224/704; Gerald Johnson, 226-224-222/722; Jack Kasabian, 245-241-233/725; Leo DeVos, 226/630; Bob O'Brien, 278/634; Paul Koski, 226/623; Kerry Kraft, 222-226-224/714; Dave Myers, 227/678; Bud Boesley, 227/677; Gary Reginald, 247-223-226/708; Ron Leckavaler, 278-225-227/772; Bryan Gopella, 262-279/725; Larry Walker, 226-245-266/703.

- Tuesday Senior House — Ray Eshpard, 226-257/773.**
- Wednesday Junior House — Tom Derick, 762;** Thursday Night Mixed — Larry English, 227/728.
- Woodland Lanes (Livonia):** Foot Parts — Joel Johnson, 629.
- Men's Trio — Tim Panak, 228/703;** Mark Payne, 719; Joe Gumbra, 279/749; Dennis Gorman, 745; Bob Casar, 638; Bob Hawk, 671; Jimmy Koell, 729.
- Starlight — Linda Gossett, 227/630;** Cheryl Kraus, 246; Cindy Sigurdson, 628; Gay 90s — George Gundlach, 244/613; Halcs Hronak, 192.
- Senior House — Ron Hauck, 276/756;** Barry Schlussel, 729; Daryl Bradford, 707; Bobler — Chuck Chatterley, 733; Ford F & LeDine — Gail Good, 223.
- Monday Seniors — Ed Adamski, 221;** John Nelson, 225.
- Thursday Men — Ron Duga, 224;** Shawn Woolough, 226.
- Ladies Nite Out — Elaine Allu, 226;** Lyndon Meadows — Bally Green, 204; Lu Ducharme, 204.
- Local 122 Ladies — John Handerson, 245/611;** L.C. Johnson, 219; Ed Kane, 219; Mike Oliver, 211; Morley Clemence, 227.
- Monday Stars — Pat Remold, 206/649;** Spenshars — Mildred Hillyard, 216.
- Afternoon Delights — Sherill Everett, 225/560.**
- Youth League — Byron Zlotnick, 241;** Ray Lillibridge, 223/724; Melissa Little, 186-190-192/613; Marie, 188; Randy Dewald, 224; Christy Terri, 190; Danella McElroy, 187; Jeanette Gurlich, 201/475; Stephanie Lorch.
- Weekend Bowls Sunday Sleepers — John Hurley, Jr., 300;** Frank Briscoe, 624; Don Godby, 300.
- Wednesday 9:30 Men — Dennis Castaldini, 300.**
- Thursday Men 9:00 League — Mike Mitchell, 300.**
- Senior House (Livonia):** Thursday Scratch Trio — Joe Goualan, 266/722; Al Stroud, 244; Tim Heldt, 270; Laurie Burgess, 226; Moe Fink, 226; Tanya Norman, 223; John Wata, 201; Nussio Marie, 717.
- All-Star Bowlerettes — Jeanne Oebbia, 202/676;** Steve Barber, 278/738; Peggy Smith, 225/677; Leslie Christian, 226/637; Lori Re-

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# Weight Loss Shocks Scientists

Seattle — A nutrition organization was hopeful that a nutritionally complete food tablet would eliminate food hunger, until the study revealed that one of the ingredients could cause weight loss without dieting.

Scientists in Europe found that an ingredient in the product named Food Complex 3 actually caused people to lose weight, even though they weren't changing their eating patterns. According to a study published in the British Journal of Nutrition, scientists had speculated that the weight loss was due to a reduction in the intestinal absorption of fat grams.

The development of Food Complex 3, a project of First Lite Intl., Inc., could not be used to lose weight until it was proven a great success for overweight people.

A Miami Beach, Florida man struggling with a weight problem for 15 years used Food Complex 3 on the recommendation of his doctor and lost 43 lbs. He said, "My cholesterol dropped 96 points and I lost 43 lbs. Now I have to buy all new clothes." In another report from Mesa, Arizona, a pharmacist lost 16 lbs. in 14 days with Food Complex 3 and never felt hungry.

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## SPORTS SHORTS

Items for the Sports Roundup should be submitted by 5 p.m. Tuesday (for Thursday edition) and 5 p.m. Friday (for the Monday edition).

### SOFTBALL NEWS

There will be preseason men's softball tournament April 23-25 at Claude Allison Park in Redford. The fee is \$150 plus a ball for each game. There is a three-game guarantee. Rain dates are May 1-2. For information call Bob Kasper at 634-6787.

### BASEBALL BULLS

The Bloomfield Bulls, a set of four federation baseball teams, are seeking sponsors for the 1993 season to help with tournament fees and other team expenses. The Bulls have two teams in

both the under-12 and under-14 age groups. Larry Switak is a coach and founder of the Bulls organization. The players are from Farmington, Farmington Hills, West Bloomfield, Commerce, Hartland, Franklin and Redford. Individuals or companies interested in supporting the Bulls should call Tim Donovan at 851-7858.

### SOFTBALL SIGN-UP

Farmington Hills Parks and Recreation is accepting new-team registrations for its adult softball leagues on a first-come, first-served basis. Leagues play one night per week, Sunday through Friday. The fees are \$395 for men's and women's industrial (resident) leagues, \$435 for men's and women's. The fees must be paid at the time of registration.

### THE MEN'S AND WOMEN'S LEAGUES START THE LAST WEEK IN APRIL

and will play a 14-game schedule with double-elimination playoffs for the top four teams. Team managers can register at the Special Services Department, 31555 Eleven Mile Road, Farmington Hills. For information, call 473-9870.

### HARNESS RACING

The Great Lakes Amateur Drivers Association is taking membership applications. Horse owners, racing fans and interested parties who have a desire to drive harness horses are invited to apply. The organization promotes harness racing at Midwestern race tracks. For information, call Larry at 634-8776 or write to GLADA, P.O. Box 493, Farmington 48332.

### WALK MICHIGAN

Area residents are invited to participate in a weekly walk each Tuesday from April 27 through June 29 at Garden City's City Park. The approximate one-mile walk begins at 6 p.m.

Each time you participate in a walk at City Park, your name is entered into a drawing to win a trip to Mackinac Island. The Grand Prize is sponsored by Garden City Hospital. All ages are welcome to participate, but only those who are able to walk the route are eligible for the Grand Prize.

The Garden City City Park is located on the corner of Merriman and Cherry Hill. Walk Michigan participants meet next to the log cabin. Call 625-6346 for information.

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