



Twilight on the lake: Bruce and Sue Wilson savor the sun setting over Lake Angelus at a recent party at the home of Dick and Marian Cote.



Summer hosts: Saturday on the bluff, Marian (left) and Dick Cote, Tim and Liz Butler and Kathy Cote take a break from serving duties.



Float boat: Cruising on Lake Angelus are Jim Dritsas (left), Peter Vestevich and Chris and George Strumbos.

The Scene from page 1C

Great news is that Bucky Hapel, after a maternity leave, is back at MOT, handling public relations.

Hermelin hosts

The Michigan Parkinson Foundation is holding its fifth annual benefit with cocktails and dinner plus an auction Thursday, Sept. 9, at the home of Doreen and David Hermelin in Bingham Farms. Co-chairwomen and co-chairmen are Marlene and Paul Borman and Michelle and Linden Nelson.

Roeper Gala

The third annual Roeper Gala and Golden Apple Awards is set for Friday, Sept. 10, at the Troy Marriott. Guest speaker is celebrated poet and author Maya Angelou, National Poet Laureate.

Angelou's reading of one of her poems at President Clinton's inauguration was memorable. She has made hundreds of appearances on network and local TV talk shows. Angelou is a poet, scriptwriter, actress, director, producer and spokeswoman and groundbreaking for the African-American woman.

Gall bladder attack

Last Monday morning, I was having an acute gall bladder attack, but I didn't realize it. Can you believe it, I still went to The Eccentric office as it was copy deadline and delivered my column for the Aug. 26 issue. Three hours later, I picked up my photos at Photofast, wrote captions and delivered them to the editor's desk while the newsroom was at lunch. I looked a wreck and was in pain, so I was vastly relieved not to run into anyone.

I came home and was so nauseated and in such burning pain on my upper right side, I wept in utter frustration. At that point, early Monday afternoon, our daughter, Debbie, called me from Philadelphia to say she had an ESP feeling that I needed her.

On describing my symptoms, she immediately said, "You're having a gall bladder attack. Get to Dr. Hartley." Within 15 minutes, my husband, Frank, who was relieved to do something, drove me to Hartley's office. "Get to emergency. Don't stop to go home first," Hartley ordered.

At St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Dr. Malards was there to meet us within 45 minutes. Debbie hit it



Cow party: Hostess Marguerite Hague (left) and Gerri King enjoy the fifth annual Cow Party at Hague's Bloomfield Hills home. King is on the faculty at Michigan State University.

right. I was having a violent gall bladder attack. After ultrasounds and X-rays, I was scheduled for surgery early next morning, using the new laparoscopic method. The gall bladder is zapped with laser

and drawn out through your stomach and navel.

By 10 a.m. Wednesday, I was on my way home, feeling back to normal. A modern-day medical miracle.

FASHION CALENDAR

FRIDAY, SEPT. 3

Matsuda collection
Contemporary, classic fall '93 collection by Matsuda, with informal modeling noon to 4 p.m., at Rox & Sherm, Bloomfield Plaza, Maple and Telegraph roads, Bloomfield Township.

MONDAY, SEPT. 6

Private showing
Modeline fall collection from Europe available for private showings by Leah Fisher through Sunday, Sept. 12. For appointment call Fisher in West Bloomfield at 363-5420.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 9

Trunk showing
Bryan Emerson introduces her

collection 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 9, and 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Sept. 10-11, at Rox & Sherm, at Bloomfield Plaza, Maple and Telegraph roads, Bloomfield Township. Also, trunk show featuring assortment of New York designers' accessories for fall '93 including Louise Green hats, Sabatini Coutures jewelry and Arratuli jewelry, during same hours as Emerson showing.

Neiman Marcus
Emanuel stock show, with representative visit 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and informal modeling 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. in Career, Level Two, at Neiman Marcus at the Somerset

Collection in Troy.

The Boardwalk

Informal modeling of fashions by Patricia Miles noon to 2 p.m. at Stage & Co. restaurant at The Boardwalk shopping center on Orchard Lake Road in West Bloomfield.

Lodge offering show, afterglow

Oakland Century Lodge, B'nai B'rith, in cooperation with Old Orchard Theatre 3 in Farmington Hills and Bill Knapp's, also in Farmington Hills, is presenting a show and afterglow at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday.

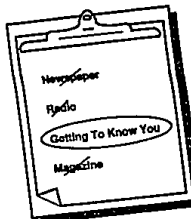
Applegate Square

Theo Miles collection of holiday wear presented by Stephanie Godila and Danakin active wear, leg wear and sportswear presented by Ilene Glick through Saturday, Sept. 11, at Valentina Fuller Figure Boutique at Applegate Square in Southfield.

roit Opera House

Smash hit: At the groundbreaking for the Detroit Opera House earlier this summer, David DiChiera stands at the mike.

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