

Hills man elected president of group

Leonard Kaplan, a Farmington Hills resident and a professor in the College of Education at Wayne State University, is president-elect of the national organization, the Association of Teacher Educators.



Leonard Kaplan

Kaplan addressed the 17th Conference of the Association for Teacher Education in Lahit, Finland.

The conference, organized by the University of Helsinki, focused on a challenge for European teacher education — the integration of technology and reflection in teaching.

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Literary link-up



Classroom tale: Jan Petrous of the group The Magic Carpet entertains Our Lady of Sorrows students during a workshop sponsored by the Parent Teacher Group recently. The three-member group acted out such titles as "Where the Wild Things Are," "The Giving Tree," "The Fisherman and His Wife" and "The Sneetches."

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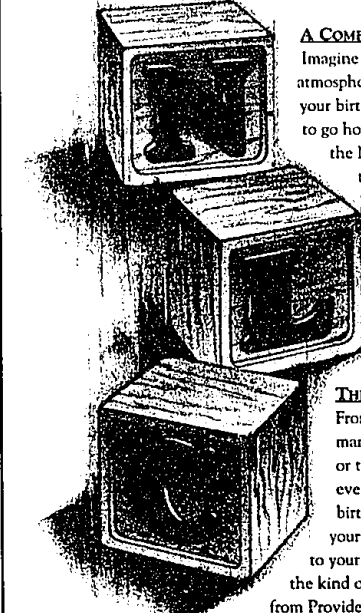
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