

COUNTY NEWS

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DEAN'S LIST

Lela Yanguyian of Farmington Hills — Thomas M. Cooley Law School. She earned a Certificate of Merit in Entertainment Law.

Kevin Kaczynski and Paulina Vucina — Wayne State University.

Georgette Abdoely, Pamela Alexandris, Amy Brandt, Patricia Paciocco, Tamara Tomasak, Anita Tucker, Stacey Blackford, Dominique Gambino-Gorslin, Laurie Kepen, Theresa Lube, Amy Murphy, Danielle Koch, Lisa Anastasio, Del Kecci Boykin, Stefanie Cenkor, Heather Frautschi, Sharon Harrison, Beth Hill, Michelle Kolliker, Sandra Kuhel, Cheryl McCullough, Heather Morasky, Janice Norville, Ann Osentoski, Kari Van Deusen and Melissa Waldman, Yvette Dorsey, Stacey Blackford and Lillian Coccimiglio — Madonna University.

John Abad, Katie Hoffmann, Dare Lehmann, Zaha Sheikh, and Jeffrey McCaffrey — Indiana University.

Laura Lalain, Jaime Weinhaus, Fang Liu and Daniel Hryczyk — Michigan State University.

Michael Story of Farmington, Bowling Green State University.

Patricia Gall Kannelis of Farmington — Detroit College of Business.

Evan David Ellis of Farmington Hills — Johns Hopkins University.

Laura Bergeron of Farmington — Kalamazoo College.

Adrienne Calderwood, Naarah Finegold, Shoko Maeda, Jon Mastantuono and Thomas Shin of Farmington Hills — Kalamazoo College.

RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Janina Hetzel of Farmington Hills was awarded partial tuition through the Phi Theta Kappa Golden Key Scholarship at University of Detroit Mercy. She is a graduate of Oakland Community College.

Amy Brandt of Farmington Hills will receive \$925 from the Richard Koch Scholarship. She is a junior studying criminal justice at Madonna University.

Lillian Coccimiglio of Farmington is a senior studying chemistry at Madonna University. She will receive a \$2,500 Presidential Scholarship renewal and a \$325 Angelo DiPonio Scholarship.

Michelle Kolliker of Farmington Hills, a sophomore in Madonna University's nursing program, will receive a \$1,250 Dean's Scholarship renewal and \$750 from the Stephenson Foundation Scholarship.

Amy Murphy of Farmington, a senior studying sign language studies at Madonna University will receive a \$1,000

Lions/Lioness Endowment Scholarship, a \$950 Knights Foundation, Inc. Scholarship and a \$100 Riggs Scholarship.

Anne Stella will receive \$450 from the Rev. Francis J. Zdrodowski Scholarship at Madonna University.

NEW GRADUATES

Sylvia Caruvana graduated from LeTourneau University in Longview, Texas with a B.S. degree in mechanical engineering. She is a graduate of Southfield Christian High School and is the daughter of Joyce and Ronald Sterling of Farmington Hills. Matthew Yacoub of Farmington Hills graduated from GMI Engineering & Management Institute.

RECEIVES PRIZE

Julia Turso, a student at the University of Michigan-Dearborn received the William J. Branstrom Freshman Prize. The Branstrom Prize is awarded to first-term freshmen who rank in the upper five percent of their class. She is a 1995 graduate of Harrison High School.

SHE'S ENROLLED

Jennifer Lis of Farmington Hills has enrolled in the College of Arts and Sciences at Ohio Northern University. She will be majoring in art. She is a graduate of Mercy High School and was active in Phi Beta Kappa honorary, National Honor Society and was named to Who's Who Among American High School Students.

Hills' Levett won Olympic trip

Steve Levett of Farmington Hills received the surprise of his life, winning a free trip to the 1996 Olympic games in Atlanta, courtesy of ERA.

Levett, a realtor for ERA Bankers Realty in Farmington Hills, forgot he was even a contender for the prize eligible to 2,500 agents who participated once a month in ERA's Team Tuesday.

"The trip was offered as a way to promote participation in Team Tuesday, which is an evening of doing prospecting calls," said Levett. "I took part, but never thought I'd win. I thought they were joking when I received the call."

Levett and his wife, Theresa, flew first class to Atlanta, all expenses paid, and watched four Olympic events. "It was pure luck winning the trip," said Levett. "I'm glad I was able to go, as I may not get a chance to again."

Aside from the tragic bombing, Levett recalls the stress of the trip: "It's definitely not a relaxing vacation. Your days are spent getting to events and dealing with huge crowds of people every-

where you went, but what a wonderful experience."

Despite the continual stress of so many people trying to get around in Atlanta, there was the underlying sense of togetherness creating excitement among the people.

"It's amazing how millions of people, all coming from different ethnic backgrounds, can get along together during the Olympics," said Levett. "There was no fighting, and no one seemed irritated over the enormous crowds. We were all there for the same reason."

Levett has been in the real estate industry for 15 years. He and his wife Theresa have two daughters.



Steve Levett

Sowerby selected to state bar post



Paul R. Sowerby

Paul R. Sowerby, partner in the Farmington Hills law firm of Sowerby & Marr, P.A., was sworn in Sept. 19 as chair of the State Bar of Michigan's 150-member Representative Assembly, the final policy making body of the 31,000-member association.

Sowerby, who has also served as vice chair and clerk of the Assembly, will be sworn in during the assembly's meeting at the Amway Grand Plaza Hotel in Grand Rapids during the State Bar's 61-annual meeting.

Sowerby is a litigation attorney practicing principally in the areas of corporation, contract, real estate, family and personal injury law. He is a graduate of the Detroit College of Law where he serves as a guest lecturer and holds his undergraduate degree from Western Michigan University.

Active in his community, he is a past member of the city council of Farmington Hills and past chair of its zoning board of appeals, and was an unsuccessful candidate for mayor of Farmington Hills in 1995. He provides pro bono legal services to and is a past president of the Springhill Housing Corporation (for developmentally disabled adults) and also to Farmington Area Senior Citizens.

Sowerby is currently treasurer and general counsel to the Ronna Romney for United States Senate campaign, and has long been active in Republican Party campaigns on the local, state and national levels.

A member of the Oakland County Bar Association, Sowerby has served as a member of the board of commissioners of the State Bar of Michigan since 1994, and is on the board's Fiscal and Client Protection Fund committees.

Sowerby is currently conducting a public speaking seminar and workshop available to groups, businesses and organizations titled, "A Sense of Conscience in the Law and Society."

MILITARY NEWS

If you have military news with a Farmington-area connection, send it to: Military News, Farmington Observer, 34411 Grand River, Farmington 48335.

THEY'VE ENLISTED

Matthew Domagalski of Farmington enlisted in the Air Force's Delayed Enlistment Program. He is a 1995 graduate of Farmington High School and is scheduled for enlistment in the Regular Air Force on Dec. 4.

Timothy Wheelis of Farmington Hills enlisted in the Air Force. He is a 1995 graduate of Farmington High School.

PRACTICAL WORK

Richard Perecky of Farmington Hills received practical work in military leadership at the Army Reserve Officer's Training Corps (ROTC). He is student at Michigan State University.

SHE'S GRADUATED

Air Force Airman Elizabeth Yale of Farmington Hills graduated from basic military training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas.

She is a 1995 graduate of Clarenceville High School.

ENTERED TRAINING

Army Pvt. James Smith of Farmington Hills has entered basic military training at Fort Jackson, Columbia, S.C. He is a 1996 graduate of Harrison High School.

NAMED DRILL SERGEANT

Army Staff Sgt. Jeffrey Stitzel has been named drill sergeant of the cycle. Selection was based on the individual's exemplary duty performance, job knowledge, leadership qualities, significant self-improvement and other accomplishments.

He is an infantryman at Fort Jackson, Columbia, S.C. He is a 1987 graduate of Farmington High School.

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