

OUTDOOR CALENDAR

ARCHERY

OPEN SHOOTING
Open shooting hours at Detroit Archers in West Bloomfield are 7-10 p.m. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays; 4-9 p.m. Thursdays and 1-5 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays. Call (810) 639-3030 or (810) 661-9610 for more information.

YOUTH EDUCATION

Detroit Archers is offering a youth education league at its clubhouse in West Bloomfield. Call (810) 639-3030 or (810) 661-9610 for more information.

SHOWS

BOAT SHOW

The 39th annual Detroit Boat Show will be held Feb. 1-9 at Cobo Center.

OUTDOORAMA

The 1997 Outdoorama Sport and Travel Show will be held Feb. 21-March 2 at the Novi Expo Center.

NOVI BOATING EXPO

The 5th annual Novi Boating Expo will be held March 12-16 at the Novi Expo Center.

SEASONS/DATES

DEER

Archery season runs through Jan. 1.

GOOSE

A special season goose will be held Jan. 4-Feb. 2 in the Southern Michigan Goose Management Unit. Consult the 1996-97 Michigan Waterfowl Hunting Guide for additional details.

RABBIT

Through March 31.

RUFFED GROUSE

Through Jan. 1 in zones II and III.

SQUIRREL

Statewide through Jan. 1.

SHOOTING SPORTS

WINTER LEAGUES

The Bald Mountain Shooting Range in Lake Orion will hold winter leagues in sporting clubs, skeet and 5-stand. Cash prizes (\$500), donated by Wings &

Clays, will be awarded in each league. Registration is open through Jan. 31. Leagues begin on Jan. 7. Call (810) 814-9193 for more information.

SHOOTING RANGES

BALD MOUNTAIN
Bald Mountain Recreation Area in Lake Orion has archery, rifle, pistol, and shotgun shooting facilities. Range hours are 10 a.m. to sunset, Wednesdays, Saturdays and Sundays. Bald Mountain is located at 1330 Greenfield Rd. (three miles north of the Palace of Auburn Hills). Call (810) 814-9193 for more information.

PONTIAC LAKE

Pontiac Lake Recreation Area in Waterford has rifle, pistol, shotgun, shotgun and archery ranges. Range hours are 10 a.m.-5 p.m. on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays. Pontiac Lake Recreation Area is located at 7800 Gale Rd. Call (810) 666-1020 for more information.

ORTONVILLE RECREATION

Ortonville Recreation Area in Ortonville has rifle, pistol and shotgun shooting facilities. Range hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays. The Ortonville Recreation Area is located at 5779 Hadley Rd. Call (810) 663-6767 for more information.

POINTE MOUILLEE

Pointe Mouillee State Game Area in Rockwood has rifle, pistol and shotgun shooting facilities. Range hours are 10 a.m.-6 p.m. daily. Pointe Mouillee State Game Area is located at 37205 Mouillee Road. Call (313) 379-3820 for more information.

FISHING CLUBS

FISHING BUDDYS

Fishing Buddys Fishing Club meets monthly in Rochester Hills. Call (810) 656-0556 for more information.

MICHIGAN FLY FISHING

The Michigan Fly Fishing Club meets at 7 p.m. the first and third Wednesdays of each month at Livonia Clarenceville Junior

High School. Call (810) 478-1494 for more information.

FOUR SEASONS

The Four Seasons Fishing Club meets 7:30 p.m. the first Wednesday of each month at the Maplewood Center in Garden City. Call Sam Pilato at (313) 420-0821 for more information.

METRO-WEST STEELHEADERS

Metro-West Steelheaders meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month at Garden City High School. Call (313) 420-0521 for more information.

BASS ASSOCIATION

The Downriver Bass Association, a non-tournament bass club, meets the fourth Tuesday of every month at the Dearborn Civic Center. Call (313) 676-2863 for more information.

FIREARMS CLASSES

TACTICAL FIREARMS TRAINING

The Northwest Tactical Firearms Training and American Firearms Institute offers several firearms classes including "Handgun 101," "Firearms Safety and Self Defense," and "Firearms Safety Certification." Call (313) 634-3330 for more information.

METROPARKS

METROPARK REQUIREMENTS

Most Metropark programs are free, while some require a nominal fee. Advanced registration and a motor vehicle permit are required for all programs. Call the respective parks, toll free: Stony Creek, 1-800-477-7766; Indian Springs, 1-800-477-3192; Kensington, 1-800-477-3178.

PERMITS ON SALE

The 1997 Huron-Metroparks annual motor vehicle entry permits and annual boat launching permits go on sale Dec. 1 at all Metropark offices. Vehicle entry permits are \$15 regular and \$8 for senior citizens (62 and older). Boat launching permits are \$18 regular and \$9 for senior citizens. Corporate discounts are also available. Call (800) 47-PARKS for details.

Youths take on seniors



HARRISON

It will be known as the "Match of the Ages." The Second Annual Senior/Youth Challenge is slated to take place Saturday, Feb. 1, at Mayflower Lanes in Redford.

Last year, everybody who became involved thought it would be a good idea to see how well the youth leagues would perform against the "gray hairs" of the Wednesday Senior Classic. This tournament ran March 9, and it was a total success.

It was also a vehicle to raise funds for local charities. The youth league is planned to be bigger and better.

The reason? It's a pioneering effort which will be used as a template to guide others in different locales who would like to do the same in their area.

The kids seem to think they can repeat last year's win over the "Grumpy Old Men" from the senior league. It could be a contest between raw energy and many years of experience.

Nevertheless, it should be a lot of fun, and the donations will go to the Evergreen Children's Services, an agency dedicated to helping abused children.

For more details, call Mayflower Lanes at (313) 937-8420.

Strange things can happen in bowling, and for Wil Suokas, it was just another typical day last Wednesday in the Senior Classic League at Mayflower.

Just when you think you are rolling pretty good, up pops a 7-10 split. For Wil, it was just a simple matter of taking out the 10 pin; he hit it squarely and somehow it came bouncing out of the pit and took out the 7 pin.

Wil has the pro shop at Drakeville Lanes in Farmington Hills, so if you want to hear it first hand, stop in and pay him a visit. Wil also instructs, so if you want to know how to make this shot, he is surely the one to see.

What are you doing New Year's Eve? How about some good clean fun and games?

Check with your local bowling center, since most of them are running New Year's Eve Bowling parties, complete with all the trimmings and some no-tap bowling competition.

There are usually some nice cash prizes to be won and always a great chance to celebrate the New Year with good friends and good cheer.

Do not wait until the last minute — the lanes usually fill up and they have to turn away the late entrants.

Bowlers in our area were saddened to learn of the sudden death of our local association president, Donald LaMothe. He died of injuries from a car accident.

In addition to his tenure as president of the C.D.B.A., Don also served as vice president on the Old-Timers Tournament Committee. A resident of Warren, Don had served the association since 1983 and had been active on several committees over the years.

Services were held Monday at St. Martin DePorres Church in Warren. LaMothe had served the bowling community well. He will be missed by his family, friends and fellow bowlers.

BOWLING HONR ROLL

Woodland Lanes (Livonia): Ladies Into Out — Gayle Strange, 257/637.

Bators — Bob Loucks, 248/685; Doug Connor, 245/672; Phil Andelin, 685; Don Deputa, 259/665.

Wonderland Lanes (Livonia): Wonderland Classic — Ed Malinowski, 278-278/784; Mitch Jabczynski, 279/773; Pat Agius, 219/711; Jerry Holstein, 300; Chris Wicinski, 300; Ken Elenich, 300.

Nite Owls — Ron Wilde, 260/704; Greg Ciponer, 243/690; Dan Lamontagne, 651; Mike Reed, 232/649; Ray Card, 223/633.

Aldergate Mixed — Dave Oberstedt, 279/743 (highest series in league since 1958).

Westside Senior Men's — Bob Pershing, 270/700; Gerry Cole, 256/690; Bob Gervai, 257/696; Mitch Schroeder, 265/685; Art Bell, 670.

Storm All-Star Classic — Russ Shaffer, 300; Mitch Jabczynski, 280/813.

Ment Bowl Lanes (Livonia): Delphi Tuesday Men's — Steve Rucka, 247-269-201/717; Joe Urdion, 235-219/647; Tom Davis, 233-247/664.

Senior House — Rich Ionetta, 300-203-191/694; Greg Nagle, 218-299-210/733.

Lost Weekenders — Ryan Wilson, 259-290-

207/819; Brian O'Rourke, 801.

Clarences (Livonia): St. Alden's Men's — Bob Roney, 204-214-220/644; Tony Kaluzny, 200-210/609; Vince Basline, 217-214/501; Ernie Wagner, 215; Conrad Sobania, 210; Pete Cassani, 207.

All-Star Bowlerettes — Kathy Siemiasz, 237-202-244/683; Joanne Pencole, 232-277/680; Zoe Anne Malano, 258-232/672; JoAnn Carter, 232-225/608; Deb Genord, 288-235/664; Anne-Marie Kubalski, 250/664; Diana St. Louis, 252/662; Peggy Smiley, 264/662.

Mayflower Lanes (Redford): Wednesday Senior Men's Classic — Mel Albitre, 253/663; Walt Schlicker, 222-244/651; Mike Adams, 222-250/671; Dick Thompson, 213-221-11/650; Art Kunler, 231/653; Paul Temple, 242/632; Hank Hoberer, 244/614; Ron Lancaster, 231/644.

Garden Lanes (Garden City): St. Linus Classic — Ron Latimer, 237-257/238/732; Frank Chuznowski, 215-240-245/700; Ron Maciak, 233-225-244/702.

Country Lanes (Farmington): Country Jones — Katie Szyony, 227/580; Terri Lewinski, 227/552; Kelly Garpey, 211; Lis Hansen, 205; Terry Lapina, 204.

Country Keglers — Joe Malnardi, 278/703; Ron Kuhn, 268/686; Walt Ulrich, 268/740; Ken Richardson, 259/749; Dennis Harris, 257/658.

Westin Women — Nancy Lis, 191-176-171/538.

Sunday Goodtimers — Mike Kell, 220-204/616; Dan Topper, 210; Mike Lanning, 215; Tony Akuto, 209; Sy Rabotnick, 208.

Drakeshire Lanes (Farmington): Hardin Park Seniors — Hub Brent, 256/663; Radon Totton, 225/519.

Bel Aire Lanes (Farmington): Our Lady of Sorrows — Bill Skubinski, 253; Larry Laford, 246/625; John Hodgcker, 233; Tom Jones, 225; Dan Gutowski, 226; Jeff Sander, 222.

Michigan Bell Men's — Dan Winkel/687; Bob Worgas, 241-210/670; Jeff Funk, 241-210/645; Steve Eirschke, 237/621; J. Trubak, 235; Gary Abeska, 224.

Salad Bowlers — Betty Koehler, 233; Vicki Days, 209.

Novi Bowl (Novi): Westside Lanes — Lynn Lewis, 257/726.

Senior House — Matt Hedecke, 205/744; Rick Spencer, 267/688; Bill Mueller, 256/729; Joe Stankis III, 258/693; Ray Degg, 248/711; Brent Kennedy, 246/679.

Junior House — Ken Eraz, 248/698; Gery Goss, 246/709; Brent Kennedy, 277/732.

Men's Lutheran — Kevin Feeley, 259/691; Terry Yarnack, 244/677.

Pym Hollow Lanes (Southfield): Lathrup Ladies — Mary Muhlen, 222.

St. Michaels Ladies — Madeline Blair, 213/539.

Nite Train Express Mixed — Steve Williams, 300/680.

Plum Hollow Youth (Maple) — Sherie Hill, 233/549; Conway Glens, 257/627; Andre Lillard, 244/550; Larry Mathies, 234/608; Kendra Hopson, 204.



32nd GREAT LAKES INVITATIONAL

FRIDAY, DEC. 27

SATURDAY, DEC. 28



MICHIGAN STATE
VS. LAKE SUPERIOR STATE
4:00pm

THIRD PLACE
GAME
4:00pm



MICHIGAN
VS. MICHIGAN TECH
7:30pm

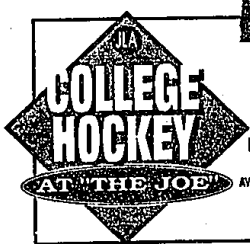
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