

## MILITARY NEWS

## Basic Trainee

Army Private Jon Daar has arrived at Fort Knox, Ky. to complete basic combat training.

During the eight weeks of training, he will receive instruction in drill and cere-

monies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, physical fitness, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

Daar is a 1999 graduate of Harrison High School and the son of Karen Henry of Farmington Hills.

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## OBITUARIES

## ADA V. SMAUDER

Services for Ada V. Smauder, 92, of Southfield were held Oct. 17 at Thayer-Rock Funeral Home in Farmington with the Rev. Roland Truiko officiating. Burial took place at Roseland Park Cemetery in Berkle.

Mrs. Smauder was born March 29, 1907, in Campbellville, Ky., and died Oct. 14 at Providence Hospital in Southfield. She was a homemaker and a former member of the Detroit Yacht Club. She enjoyed bowling.

Mrs. Smauder is survived by son, George (Jean); grandchildren, Sandra Traver and Gary Smauder; and great-grandchildren David, Timothy, Andrew, Kristie and Kasey. She was preceded in death by her husband Ellis.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association, Dept. 77, 3968 Chicago, IL 60678.

## MURIEL L. GIBSON

Services for Muriel Lee Gibson, 61, of Farmington were Oct. 28 at Thayer-Rock Funeral Home in Farmington with the Rev. Jerry Weir officiating. Burial took place at Glen Eden Cemetery in Livonia.

Mrs. Gibson was born Oct. 21, 1938, in Pontiac and died Oct. 23 in Garden City. She was an automotive welder.

She is survived by sons, Rick (Susan) Bell, Steve (Julie) Bell, Timmy Bell and Jack (Susan) Bell; daughters, Lonna (David) Jordan and Cindy (Scott) Starlin; brother, Jack Gibson; sisters, Beverly and Terry; 13 grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Memorial contributions can be

made to the Karmanos Cancer Institute, 18831 W. 12 Mile, Lathrup Village MI 48076.

## MARY VAUGHN

Services for Mary Vaughn, 82, of Plymouth were held Oct. 22 at St. Colette Catholic Church in Livonia with the Rev. Henry Roodbeen officiating.

Mrs. Vaughn was born July 16, 1917, in Pinconning, Mich., and died Oct. 18 in Plymouth. She was a homemaker.

She is survived by husband, Aubrey; daughter, Sharon (Robert) Brog; brother, Larry Kopko; and sisters, Eva Koo and Kathryn Buchalski.

Arrangements made by Thayer-Rock Funeral Home in Farmington.

## HERBERT R. KOONCE

Services for Herbert R. Koonce, 77, of West Bloomfield were Oct. 26 at Heene-Sundquist Funeral Home in Farmington with the Rev. Victor Halboth officiating. Burial took place at Glen Eden Cemetery.

Mrs. Koonce was born April 2, 1922, in Blythville, Ark., and died Oct. 21 at Huron Valley Hospital/Sinai. He was a prisoner of war during World War II and was a member of the Farmington Hills Elks Lodge.

He is survived by wife, Betty; sons, Michael and Craig; daughter, Cynthia Koonce; brother, Donald (Mary); sister, Jo Alice (Henry) Guyer; grandchildren, Ryan, Chad, Justin, Jason and Aubrey; and many nieces and nephews. He is preceded in death by his grandson, Bradley.

Memorial contributions can be made to the Farmington Hills Elks.

## DOROTHY BENNETT

Services for Dorothy "Dottie" Bennett, 74, formerly of Farmington, were held Nov. 5, at Lynch & Sons Funeral Directors in Milford with the Rev. Bill Tulip and Jean Tulip officiating. Mrs. Bennett died Oct. 24.

She is survived by husband, Jack; children, Kathy (Jim) Simonds, Norma (Don) Soos and Jack (George) Catur; grandchildren, Valerie, Brad and Tammy; and great-grandchildren, Vincent and Austin.

## HELEN T. NIDA

Services for Helen T. Nida, 79, will be held at 3 p.m. today, Oct. 28, at St. Francis Catholic Church in Traverse City, with burial at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in Southfield.

Mrs. Nida was born July 4, 1920, and died Oct. 25. She is survived by children, Gary Nida, Nancy Nida Marks, Sharon Nida Janis and Larry Nida. She is preceded in death by her husband, Edmund.

## ELLEN C. HENDRYX

Services for Ellen Christine Hendryx, 95, of Farmington, were held Oct. 28 at Thayer-Rock Funeral Home in Farmington with the Rev. Jean Love officiating. Burial took place at Glen Eden Cemetery.

Mrs. Hendryx was born Dec. 4, 1903 in Walled Lake and died Oct. 24 at Marywood Nursing Center in Livonia. She was a homemaker and a member of First United Methodist Church in Farmington.

She is survived by niece, Charlene Hackethal; and many cousins. She is preceded in death by her husband, Leo.

Memorial contributions can be made to the American Lung Association.

## HARRY M. GIVEN

Services for Harry McClellan Given, 89, formerly of Farmington Hills were held Oct. 30 at First United Methodist Church in Birmingham.

Mr. Given died Oct. 8. He is survived by son, Gerald "Jerry" (Sharon); brothers, Mervin and Gilbert; sister, Betty Snyder; grandchildren, Jill (Bob) O'Hara, Jeffrey Given and CoryJo (Jim) Hiles; great-grandchildren, Megan, Tyler, Emily and Walker. He is preceded in death by his wife Florence.

Memorial contributions can be made to Mercy Hallbrook, 873 W. Avon Road, Rochester Hills.

Arrangements made by Potere-Modetz Funeral Home in Rochester.

## HELENA L. WALKLEY

Services for Helena L. Walkley, 91, formerly of Farmington, were held Oct. 25 at Thayer-Rock Funeral Home in Farmington with the Rev. James Braid officiating. Burial took place at North Farmington Cemetery in Farmington Hills.

Mrs. Walkley was born June 5, 1908 in Temple, Texas and died Oct. 25 in Bradenton Fla. She worked as a secretary for National Research Corporation and was a member of First United Methodist Church in Farmington.

Mrs. Walkley is survived by her husband, Harry; sons, Harry (Carla) and Andrew (Mary Ann); three grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

## CAMPUS PIPELINE

## CROSS COUNTRY MEMBERS

North Farmington graduates Rebecca Naglik and Amanda Dobkowski are both members of the Briton cross country team at Albion College this fall. Last season, the Britons finished third in the Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association and

had a top-10 finish at the NCAA Regional.

## TEXAS TECH GRAD

Virginia Rawlins of Farmington Hills earned a master of engineering from Texas Tech University following the summer

semester.

## MERIT SCHOLARS

The University of Michigan selected the following Farmington/Farmington Hills residents to receive the Regents Merit Scholarship award for "outstand-

ing academic achievement, scholarly promise and potential contribution to the university community."

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