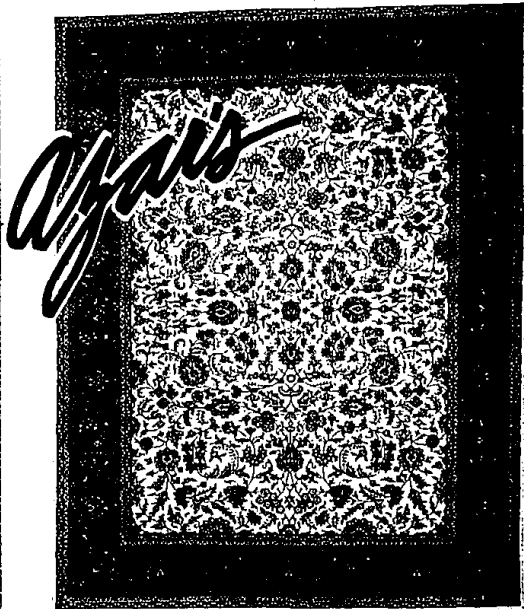
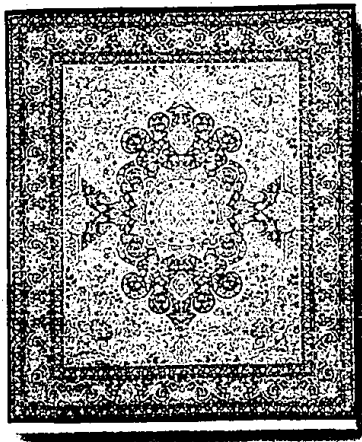


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But fouls were taking a toll on both sides; Liebau drew her fourth with 6:01 left in the fourth, while Maggie Condeni got her fourth with 1:23 left in the third.

A Condeni basket pulled Harrison to within 43-41 of Salem with 3:21 left. After that, the Rocks did something they hadn't done all season: They put on a display four-corner offense that would have made Dean Smith proud. Despite Harrison's bounding defense, Salem ran it effectively enough to take 2 1/2 minutes off the clock.

"We never had to use it this season," said Thomann. "But we worked on it all year."

Problem was, the Rocks didn't convert their free throws when they needed to, when the Hawks fouled. Jaskot missed two and Mariessa Sarkosian and Stephanie Phillips each missed on the front ends of 1-and-1s in the final minute.

That left the gate open, and Harrison walked through when Jamila Fair rebounded a Richmond miss and converted the putback, knotting it at 43-all with :22 left and ultimately led

to OT.

The Rocks weren't perfect in overtime, but they did well enough at the line, and they forced Harrison into taking poor shots.

"I was just pleased they could handle all that pressure," said Thomann. Asked if he would take a bit of time to enjoy his first-ever perfect season, he replied, "I'm thinking about Game 21 right now."

A typical coach. And a couple of great teams whose defensive prowess could carry them a ways in the state tournament.

Will Ocelots rebuild or reload?

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How things change.
Five years ago, Carlos Briggs had two returnees to build his first Schoolcraft College men's basketball team around.

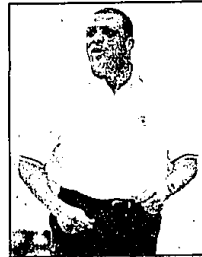
This season, Briggs once again has just two returnees from last season's squad.
The difference? Expectations. They're higher off Briggs' past records. But this year's group will be hard-pressed to match the group that Briggs put on the hardwood last year.

Gone are 11 players, nine of whom were on the team last season. All of them are playing basketball at another school this fall. Nine of them got their two-year degrees at SC.

Five of them — Sam Hoskin (DePaul), Nick Evola (Western Michigan), Derrick Bird (Auburn), Dave McGlowin (Southern Illinois) and Lamar Bigby (Nevada-Las Vegas) — are at NCAA Division I schools. The others — Mike Peck (South Dakota State), Colin Wilkinson (football/basketball at Grand Valley State), Dwight Windom (Lincoln Memorial in Tennessee), Tony Janeczek (Madonna), Kennan Weir (Northwest Missouri State) and Mike Tobin (Rochester College) — are at smaller levels, but all will play this season.

No wonder SC went 32-4 last season, losing to eventual NJCAA Division I champion Wabash Valley (Ill.) in overtime during the second round at Hutchinson, Kan. Briggs is 106-23 in his previous four years.

Problem is, there's very little left to build around. Briggs has



STAFF PHOTO BY PAUL HUSCHMAN
I'm back: The leading returnee for Schoolcraft is coach Carlos Briggs.

been busy rebuilding a roster ravaged by graduations — the biggest reconstruction job Briggs has faced since that first season.

"It is," agreed the SC coach, noting one difference that made it easier that first year: "Nobody expected anything. This year, expectations are higher."

And the higher the expectations, the greater the prospect for disappointment.

"It's a young group," said Briggs, noting there will be three returnees, two of whom played last season: Emir Medunjanin, a 6-foot-6 swing man from North Farmington, and Javon Clark, a 6-0 guard from Detroit Cass Tech and a University of Toledo transfer.

The third player back is a red-shirt sophomore Mike Williams, a 6-7 swing man from Detroit City, whom Briggs has high hopes for.



CITY OF FARMINGTON SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING WITH THE 47th DISTRICT COURT (SUMMARY)

A special meeting of the Farmington City Council was held Monday, November 5, 2001, in Council Chambers, 23600 Liberty Street, Farmington, Michigan. Notice of the meeting was posted in compliance with Public Act 267-1976.

The meeting was called to order at 7:05 p.m.

COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT: Bush, Campbell, Hartsock, McShane, Mitchell.

COUNCIL MEMBERS ABSENT: None.

FARMINGTON CITY REPRESENTATIVES PRESENT: Clerk/Treasurer Cantrell, Director Goas.

47th DISTRICT COURT REPRESENTATIVES PRESENT: Judge Parker, Deputy Administrator Parke, Administrator Walsh.

Council met with the 47th District Court to discuss current court operations including staffing, security and parking issues; to hear an update on progress on construction of the new court building and to discuss easelord for Farmington.

Meeting adjourned at 7:58 p.m.

WILLIAM S. HARTSOCK, Mayor
PATSY K. CANTRELL, Clerk/Treasurer

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CITY OF FARMINGTON COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS (Summary)

A regular meeting of the Farmington City Council was called to order by Mayor Hartsock at 6:00 p.m. on Monday, November 5, 2001 in Council Chambers, 23600 Liberty Street, Farmington, Michigan. Notice of the meeting was posted in compliance with Public Act 267-1976.

PRESENT: Bush, Campbell, Hartsock, McShane, Mitchell.

ABSENT: None.

OTHERS PRESENT: Clerk/Treasurer Cantrell, City Attorney Dunohue, Director Goas, Assistant Director Smith.

The agenda was approved as submitted.

Minutes of the Special Study Session of October 10, 2001 and the Regular Meeting of October 15, 2001 were approved as submitted.

Minutes of other boards were received and filed.

A Public Hearing was held on the 2002-2003 Community Development Block Grant Program.

Council introduced Ordinance No. C-688-2001 to Amend Chapter 34, Water and Sewers, of the Farmington City Code.

Council adopted a resolution authorizing the City Manager to submit the 2002-2003 Community Development Block Grant Program Application.

Council comments and announcements were heard including discussion regarding dedication of a tree and marker in Memorial Park, to be held on Sunday, November 11th at 2:00 p.m., in remembrance of September 11, 2001.

Council received and filed the financial report for quarter ended September 30, 2001.

Council received and filed the Department of Public Works & Water and Sewer Department quarterly report for period ended September 30, 2001.

Council approved the Monthly Payments Report for October, 2001.

Meeting adjourned at 8:23 p.m.

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