

OBITUARIES

EUGENE H. BEMIS
Services for Eugene Hall Bemis, 76, of Farmington Hills were held Nov. 10 at Thayer-Rock Funeral Home in Farmington with the Rev. Dr. Anthony DeOrto officiating.
Mr. Bemis was born Aug. 10, 1925, in Hymers Ind., and died Nov. 7, 2001, in Farmington Hills. He worked in sales and was a World War II Navy veter-

an.
He is survived by his wife, Betty; sons, Steve (Pam), Mike (Christine) and Larry (Lorri); daughter, Debi (Dave) Wilyard; and six grandchildren.
ELSIE MAE WROSCHE
Services for Elsie Mae Wrosch, 82, of Farmington were held Nov. 10 at St. Gerald Catholic Church in Farmington with the

Rev. Gerald McEnhill officiating.
Mrs. Wrosch was born Nov. 29, 1918, in Michigan and died Nov. 7, 2001, in Farmington. She worked in food service for Farmington Public Schools.
She is survived by her husband, Edward; sons, Bill (Sandy) and Don; daughters, Diane (Tom) McLellan; brothers, John and Edward Kizyma; sister, Sophie Czarnik; and six grand-

children.
Memorial contributions may be made to the Linsagrophy Network Inc., 10408 Bitterroot Court, Ft. Wayne, IN 46804.
Arrangements made by Thayer-Rock Funeral Home in Farmington.
MELVA M. LORD
Services for Melva "Muzzy" Mae Lord, 71, of Farmington

were held Nov. 10 at St. Gerald Catholic Church in Farmington with the Rev. Gerald McEnhill officiating. Burial took place at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in Southfield.
Mrs. Lord was born Sept. 24, 1930, in Emmett, Mich., and died Nov. 7, 2001, at Botsford Continuing Care Center.
She is survived by her son, Roy III; daughters, Sue (Doug)

Brook, Sheri Gabriele and Robin (Mike) Niederquell; brothers, Pete Quain and Russell Quaine; a sister, Helen Nagle and 11 grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her husband, Roy.
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Ready, get set, go: Kids and staff from Power Middle School took off from the start of their run to benefit pediatric leukemia research.

Power kids raise \$2,740

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The second annual Power Middle School Fun Run held recently pumped up the kids and raised almost \$2,740 for pediatric leukemia research.

The money was raised in conjunction with "Trick or Treat," a larger run held Oct. 27 at Camp Dearborn in Milford that raised \$35,000.

All of the money benefits Leukemia Research: Life, Inc. and Childhood Cancer Research, a non-profit organization affiliated with Children's Hospital of Michigan.

"Last year they raised \$1,600," said Power Middle School Principal Don Hammond. "It is a tremendous community service opportunity that the Power Middle School students and parents have initiated sponsoring and raising money for the second annual childhood leukemia research run."

"Watching these children cheer for each other and run a mile and a half for a cause, reminds me clearly why I am an educator."

He thanked Amy Moilanen and Jim Ragland, cross country coaches as well as Pat Bruhan, a Power Middle School mother, and JoAnne Moore, a Farmington High School mom, who were the organizers.

The race was open to all Power students, their families, and teachers. "Kids enjoyed racing against their parents, too," Bruhan said. "Mallory Michalak and her dad ended the race with a photo finish tie."

About 100 people ran - including Hammond, Ragland and Moilanen.

Eric Smith, a seventh-grader, finished in first place at nine minutes and 19 seconds. Chris Bruhan, also a seventh grader, finished at nine minutes and 45 seconds.

Tim Moore, Arden Poniatowski, Thomas Grimshaw and Kiel Martyn and Chris Bruhan were the top fund-raisers, collecting more than \$100 each. Paul Greenwood raised pledges, then turned over \$25 he'd saved, Pat Bruhan said. "Many students contributed loose change at lunchtime, which added up to

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