

BLUES

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Grove got the pitching win with a two-hitter. Pelletier and Gudeman had two hits apiece, and Michael Cleland had the game-winning RBI.

Pelletier also had seven putouts from his shortstop position; John Bezak was steady defensively at first base and catcher, and Heath Parling made several fine plays in center field to help seal the win.

In addition to their tournament success, the Blues also won the East Division of the Little Caesars Baseball Federation.

After starting the season 6-6, South Farmington has won 25

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of its last 28 games for an impressive overall record of 31-9.

"We've coached a lot of these kids for four years, and the two games we played Sunday (semifinal and final) were two of the best we've ever played," Blues manager Steve Pelletier said.

"To hold those two teams to four runs and six hits was outstanding. It's nice to see every-



The 11-year-old South Farmington Blues are (seated, left to right) Jonathan Gudeman (batboy), Jacob Gudeman, John Rose, Michael Cleland, Brian Grewe, (kneeling) Heath Parling, John Miller, Cameron Fowler, Tyler Mitchell, (standing) coach Andy Grewe, John Bezak, Dan Tamargo, manager Steve Pelletier, Jimmy Decker, Steven Pelletier and coach Stu Rose.

body contributing to our success." The Blues conclude their

season today in the Madison Heights Invitational.

Golf etiquette is part of the camp lessons

BY TIM SMITH
STAFF WRITER

Whenever PGA professional Terri Anthony-Ryan isn't giving private lessons at Beech Woods Golf Course in Southfield, she's seemingly doing whatever she can to help the younger set get a grip.

That was the case during the recent Junior Golf Camp for kids (ages 10-17) who might want to challenge for spots on their high school teams someday. Anthony-Ryan and several members of her teaching staff provided more than 20 youngsters from metro Detroit with nuggets of wisdom and advice about how to swing the club, play the game and do it with proper decorum.

"We focus on the rules here; it's not just about playing," Anthony-Ryan said. "Leave the course better than you found it. Replace divots even if they're not yours and keep the speed of play moving. If you teach them young, it's going to carry forward."

One rule of thumb for struggling new golfers is to not keep flailing away on a particularly bad hole.

"After 10 strokes, pick the ball up and put it on the green," Anthony-Ryan said. "That's what beginners of all ages should do. Not just kids."

Concurring was one of her instructors at Beech Woods, which during the school year is home course for two varsity teams.

"We teach them etiquette above everything else," PGA apprentice Andy Nisbet said. "We do it inadvertently during the week and, slowly, they listen."

Nisbet said the camp featured several skills competitions, all worth a certain number of points. But, he emphasized that scoring well on a separate rules contest would enable someone's "leader board" tally to really jump.

"Whoever wins the rules contest earns a lot more points than the skills competition," Nisbet said. "If you don't know the rules, you can't really fly."

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pond, she deftly lofted her tee shot within a couple feet of the cup.

Instructor Nisbet said Spicer's efforts should not prompt more inexperienced golfers to suffer from bouts of feeling comparably inadequate. The impact should be just the opposite, he explained.

"It's much better for them (to compete with more-experienced golfers)," Nisbet said. "It brings you up, brings you up in caliber."

Having a good time while learning the challenging sport was also on the five-day agenda.

For every activity throughout the camp, individuals earned points to be posted on something similar to a PGA leader board.

At the end of the week, after an 18-hole championship round, the board helped determine who received various awards and certificates.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
CITY OF FARMINGTON,
COUNTY OF OAKLAND,
STATE OF MICHIGANNOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
ON THE ADOPTION OF A BROWNFIELD
PLAN

FOR THE CITY OF FARMINGTON
PURSUANT TO AND IN ACCORDANCE
WITH ACT 381 OF THE
PUBLIC ACTS OF THE

STATE OF MICHIGAN OF 1996, AS AMENDED

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT A Public Hearing shall be held before the City of Farmington, City Council at 8:00 PM on August 6, 2002 in the City Council Chamber located at 23600 Liberty Street, Farmington, MI 48335, on the adoption of a Brownfield Plan for the City of Farmington, within which the Brownfield Redevelopment Authority shall exercise its powers, all pursuant to and in accordance with the provisions of the Brownfield Redevelopment Financing Act, being Act 381 of the Public Acts of the State of Michigan of 1996, as amended. The description of the proposed Brownfield property is:

Land situated in the City of Farmington, County of Oakland, State of Michigan, described as follows: The parcel of property having the address of 22725 Orchard Lake Road the same located on the west side of Orchard Lake Road, north of Grand River Avenue.

This description of the property along with maps and a copy of the Brownfield Plan are available for public inspection at the City Clerk's Office, 23600 Liberty Street, Farmington, MI 48335. Please note that all aspects of the Brownfield Plan are open for discussion at the public hearing.

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CITY OF FARMINGTON
ELECTION NOTICE
PUBLIC ACCURACY TEST

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF FARMINGTON, OAKLAND COUNTY, MICHIGAN:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Public Accuracy Test will be taken by the City of Farmington to test voting equipment for the August 6, 2002, Primary Election. The test will be taken on Wednesday, July 24th, at 2:00 p.m. at the Farmington City Hall, Council Chambers, 23600 Liberty Street, Farmington, Michigan.

PATSY K. CANTRELL,
Clerk/Treasurer

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CITY OF FARMINGTON HILLS
SUMMARY OF PROCEEDINGS
CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING
JULY 15, 2002

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Bates at 7:30 p.m.

Council Members Present: Barnett, Bates, Brickner, McRae, Grant, and Oliverio.

Council Members Absent: Ellis
Others Present: City Manager Brock, City Clerk Dorman, Assistant City Manager Whinnery, Directors Hight, Hoyt, Lasley and Meulstrup, Public Chief Dwyer and Attorney Donohue.

CITY COUNCIL TOOK THE FOLLOWING ACTIONS:

- Received presentation:
 - On Developmental Assets.
 - By outgoing and incoming Miss Farmington/Oakland County.
- Proclaimed July 2002 as:
 - National Parks & Recreation Month
 - Therapeutic Recreation Month in Farmington Hills.
- Received monthly attorneys report.

APPROVED:

- Purchase of property at 29250 Grand River (Duffy's Plumbing).
- Annual request for bid waivers for 2002/2003 and approval of purchases.
- Providence Medical Center as the city's provider for Occupational Health Services.
- Vacation of 12' wide Watermain Easement for the Holbeast Memorial Center.
- Special Event Permit for the Elm Grove Street Block Party, Saturday, July 27, 2002.
- Two requests for employment under Section 10.01A of the City Code.
- Entering into Executive Session meeting for discussion of city collective bargaining agreement.

AWARDED BIDS/CONTRACT/PURCHASE ORDERS FOR:

- Nature Center Diagrams to Prop-Art Studios in amount of \$35,700.00.
- Radio equipment and maintenance for a period of two years with renewal for additional two years with RK Communications in the amount of \$40,000 per year.
- Medical dispatch software for Police Department in the amount of \$16,265.00.

NANCY BATES, Mayor
KATHRYN A. DORNAN

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ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
BYCROFT DRAIN IMPROVEMENT
CITY OF FARMINGTON HILLS, MICHIGAN

Sealed bids will be received until 10:00 a.m., local time, Thursday, August 1, 2002 at the City Clerk's Office of the City of Farmington Hills, 31655 Eleven Mile Road, Farmington Hills, Michigan 48336, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read.

The work shall consist of furnishing all labor, materials, equipment, and incidental items to construct this project, including the following estimated quantities:

- Description of Work
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| Remove and Replace 30" CMP CL-II, | 25 lf |
| Sewer, Trench Detail A, w/stone bedding | 585 lf |
| Channel Cleanup, Reshaping and Restoration | 270 lf |
| Culvert Cleanup | 270 lf |
| 12" to 60" CMP CL II Sewer, Trench Detail B | |
| w/stone bedding | 120 lf |
| 42" and 60" End Section 60" CMP w/Animal Grade | 3 ea |
| 3' Dia. Manhole Cover, EJW 1040/C | 2 ea |
| Ballot Geosynthetic Slope Protection | 610 sqd |
- Misc. Items of Removal, Restoration and Construction as Set Forth in the Proposal

Construction Bidding Documents will be available Monday, July 22, 2002, at the Office of the City Clerk at 31655 Eleven Mile Road, Farmington Hills, Michigan 48336. A fee of Thirty (\$30.00) Dollars, CHECK ONLY, made payable to the City of Farmington Hills, will be required for the project Construction Bidding Documents which will be non-refundable.

A certified cashiers' check or bid bond payable to the City of Farmington Hills, Oakland County, Michigan, in the amount equal to five (5%) percent of the bid, shall be submitted with each bid as specified in the Instructions to Bidders (Section 00120).

The successful bidder will be required to furnish satisfactory Performance, Labor and Material, Maintenance and Guarantee Bonds and Insurance Certificates.

Each bidder agrees to waive any claim it has or may have against the Owner, the Architect/Engineer, and their respective employees, arising out of or in connection with the administration, evaluation, or recommendation of any bid.

The City reserves the right to reject all bids and to waive irregularities in bidding. No bid may be withdrawn after the scheduled closing time for receiving bids at least sixty (60) days.

No Proposal will be received unless made on blanks furnished and delivered to the City Clerk on or before 10:00 a.m., Local time, Thursday, August 1, 2002.

CITY OF FARMINGTON HILLS
KATHRYN A. DORNAN, City Clerk

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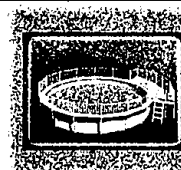
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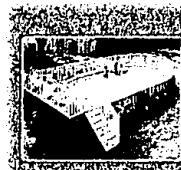
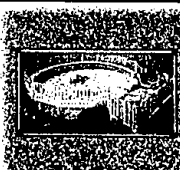
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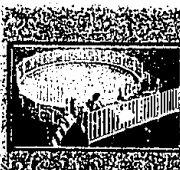
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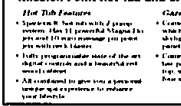
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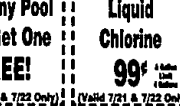
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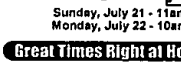
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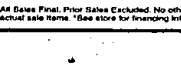
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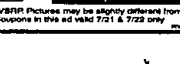
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SPORTS ROUNDUP

FUN-AMENTALS CAMP

Former University of Michigan shortstop Brian Kalezynski will conduct the "Keeping the Fun in Fundamentals" baseball camp July 22-25 at Founders Sports Park in Farmington Hills.

The camp is for ages 8 to 14. Session I is for ages 8-11 from 9-11 a.m. Session II is for ages 12-14 from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. The cost is \$125.

To register call Kalezynski at (734) 834-0621. Kalezynski, who was raised in Farmington and attended Brother Rice High School, has been an assistant coach at the University of Illinois and the U-M. He also has coached summer collegiate baseball in New England.

BUICK SCRAMBLE

The Bob Saks Buick Scramble will tee off at 1:30 p.m. Saturday, July 27, at Whispering Willows Golf Course in Livonia.

The entry deadline is Friday July 19. The entry fee is \$320 per team (includes one dozen Strata golf balls, greens fee with cart and range balls, \$500 purchase incentive for a Buick, \$50 golf shop certificate test-drive incentive. There will also be closest to the pin and long drive contests for a Nike golf bag, along with a hole-in-one contest for a Buick Rendezvous. For more information call (248) 476-4493.

SOFTBALL-BASEBALL LESSONS

Total Baseball-Wixom will stage private lessons and training in pitching, hitting and fielding for ages 6-18 by appointment only.

Instructors include former minor league baseball players, coaches and college players. Lessons start at \$35 per half-hour or five lessons for \$160.

For information, call (248) 608-0166, or email totalbaseball-wixom@aol.com. You can also visit the website: www.team.com/totalbaseball.