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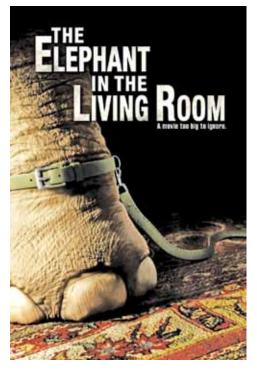
'Elephant in the Living Room' Dayton premiere March 22

A five hundred fifty pound African lion attacking cars along a major US highway. A sixteen foot Burmese Python in a downtown restaurant parking lot. A panther running loose in a residential neighborhood. Coming soon to a neighborhood near you...

Recently awarded "Best Documentary" at the Sedona International filmfestival, *The Elephant in the Living Room* takes viewers on a journey into a world where the most dangerous animals on the planet are kept as common household pets. Ohio filmmaker Michael Webber follows Tim Harrison, an Oakwood police officer,

who is recognized as one of the leading authorities on the rescue and capture of exotic pets, as he works through the flood of calls he receives of dangerous predators roaming the inner-city and nearby suburbs.

The Elephant in the Living Room will be shown in Dayton on Monday night, March 22 at the



Schuster Center. Tickets are free but seating is limited, so you must register and RSVP online or by phone in order to attend. To learn more about the showtime, location, and to RSVP, go to: www.theele-phantinthelivingroom.com/rsvp or call 877-360-RSVP.

The story follows the journey of two men at the heart of the issue.



Cameraman Rus Muntz, Director Michael Webber and exotic animal expert Tim Harrison celebrate winning "Best Documentary at Sedona Film Festival recently."

One, Tim Harrison, a hall-of-fame martial arts expert and a world renowned animal protection advocate. Working as a police officer, Harrison has captured and rescued literally hundreds of alligators, crocodiles, lions, bears, tigers and the largest and most deadly snakes on earth, all in the United States. Over the course of is career he has authored two books on the subject of captive exotic pets, produced educational wildlife videos and has been featured on nearly every major television network including National Geographic, Animal

Planet, Discovery Channel, CNN, and others.

The other subject of the documentary is Terry Brumfield, a bighearted man who struggles to keep two pet African lions that he loves like his own family. "The elephant in the living room" is a common English idiom for an obvious truth that is being ignored. In many parts of the United States, it is legal to raise lions, tigers, venomous snakes, primates and crocodiles in suburban homes as family pets and no one is talking about it. Until now

Director Michael Webber spent more than two years making this film. For his work, Webber was awarded the prestigious ACE Award by the Humane Society of the United Sates in conjunction with the American Film Institute and Discovery Channel. The film premiered at the Santa Barbara International Film Festival where it received rave reviews, followed by Sedona International Film Festival where it was awarded "Best Documentary". Film Festivals to follow include Cleveland, Vail, and Beverly Hills.

Presented by Outreach for Animals - a Dayton based nonprofit organization.

Athletes make mark at state tournaments

By Dawn Beigel

Oakwood High School's boys and girls swim teams were commended at last night's Board of Education meeting for their outstanding performance at the recent state swim meet.

"I think this is the most decorated team in Oakwood history," said their coach Jennifer Jervis. "At state, we had our best meet ever. They were just magnificent this year."

The boys team placed fourth while the girls placed sixth, and both teams saw their relay groups all finish fifth.

"We have so much talent that's here," said Jervis, who introduced and highlighted the achievements of each team member who made the state meet after the district meet. They included Katie Rupp (diving), Eleanor Hong, Gretchen Pocisk, Madison Brewer, Maddie Hochwalt, Natasha Wahl, Jennifer Schmitz,

Ellen Viereckl, Alexis Garza, Daniel Schmitz, David Ireland, Andy Lamb, Buckley Powell, Cliff Goertemiller, Will Krueger, Brendan Tirado and Micah Rhodes. Schmitz is state champion in the 200-yard freestyle.

Jervis also noted the girls team set a district record before going to state. Assisting Jervis in coaching is Brian Martin.

Also commended at the board meeting was the high school wrestling team which placed second at the sectional tournament and third at the district tournament. Alex Kooser and Will LeBoeuf qualified for the state tournament. They are coached by Gary Kesler.

Congratulations also went to Madeline Lehrner for placing first in Principles of Business Administration and to Nichole Thiele for placing fourth in Principles of Hospitality & Tourism in the recent DECA (Distributive Education Clubs of America) Assoc. competition. Lehrner will advance to state competition. Both girls are students in DECA's marketing program.

Other commendations not mentioned at the board meeting included the following:

*Seniors Audrey Maney and Jonathan Pearson who were named National Merit Scholarship Finalists.

*The high school speech and debate team which won the National Qualifier Tournament. Those who qualified for nationals included Tyler Rife, Melanie Ward, Colin Ward, Caroline Paule and Katie Hoffman. They are coached by Brianna Doyal and Alex Kordik.

*Senior Katie Mauch, recipient of the 50th annual Dayton LaSertoma Youth Service Award.

Schmitz state champ at Canton swim meet

Senior Daniel Schmitz became Oakwood High School's first boy's state champion in swimming when he won the 200 Freestyle at the state Division II meet in Canton, Ohio on Feb. 28. The OHS boy's team finished fourth and the girl's team was sixth.

In addition to his championship performance in the 200 Freestyle, Schmitz also wrapped up his high school career with a fifth place finish in the 100 Freestyle. Senior David Ireland finished seventh in the 100 Butterfly and ninth in the 100 Breaststroke in his last competition for the Lumberjacks. Junior Andy Lamb swam to an 11th place finish in the 200 Freestyle and a 12th place finish in the 500

Freestyle. Joining these three in the Saturday night finals were sophomore Buckley Powell who was 13th in the 100 Butterfly and freshman Cliff Goertemiller who finished 10th in the 500 Freestyle.

The Lumberjacks relay teams also had impressive performances. The 200 Medley Relay team of Schmitz/Ireland/Powell/Lamb finished fifth and the 400 Freestyle Relay team of Schmitz/Lamb/Powell/Goertemiller also ended up fifth. The 200 Freestyle Relay team of Brendan Tirado/Ireland/Will Krueger/Goertemiller finished 17th in the preliminaries, missing out on making finals as only the top 16 qualify.

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Finke announces candidacy for 3rd district seat

David H. Finke, a resident of Clearcreek Township in Warren County, announced his candidacy for the US Congress in the Ohio third district. He will run in the Republican primary on May 4. Finke filed his petition with the Montgomery County Board of Elections on Jan. 19, and was formally approved on Feb. 23. The third district entails most of Montgomery and Warren Counties, and all of Clinton and Highland Counties. Finke, as a father of three, and a businessman, is acutely aware of the problems facing families and small businesses in today's challenging environment. High health care costs and the deepening reces-

sion are taking a toll on both. He believes that as the federal government tries to legislate solutions to problems that the private sector, or local governments should be addressing, they often make matters

worse. Finke works as a sales representative for a small family business – Utility Service & Supply, Inc. in Monroe.

For more information, please visit: www.finkeforcongress.com.

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Oakwood resident wrenching on Wright 'G' Flyer

By Ryan Wineberg

There's quite a lot happening at Carillon Park these days. If you have driven by, you have seen the additions of Deeds Barn, the Miller House, the Hetzel House and the Newcom-Greer house. Deeds Barn is of particular interest because it is where Edward Deeds, Charles Kettering and the other members of the Barn Gang invented the automobile self-starter engine and the modern ignition system, adding yet another entry to the long list of Dayton's inventions and achievements.

In addition to having moved these buildings from the Kettering Moraine Museum, the people down at Carillon Park are building a new structure. This new building in which Deed's Barn will reside is the Heritage Center of Dayton Manufacturing and Entrepreneurship.

This new structure really sounds like it's going to be something when it's finished. They are planning a window display of Dayton made toys—so far, Dick and Dottie Cummings have collected about 190 toys for the display. What is more, the Armco Steel Engine is housed in this building. They even plan to have a kids' workshop and a carousal, and above the carousal, they plan to hang a model of the 1913 Wright Flyer G, a nice addition to the park's Wright Brothers Collection, which includes the 1905 Wright Flyer III, the first "practical" airplane.

What's going on at Carillon has



Jack Ohmart

a lot to do with the hard work and vision of Dayton History President and CEO Brady Kress and what Property Manager, Chris Taylor calls, "a culmination of ideas." What is more, it is due to the generosity of a number of donors as well as the hard work of a great many dedicated volunteers.

One such volunteer is Jack Ohmart. Jack is 92 and has lived in Oakwood since 1966 when he moved here with his wife, Isy, and their children.

Jack's life so far has been a real adventure. He grew up on a farm with no electricity and no plumbing. It was there that he learned to hunt and fish. It was there that he says he "learned to be self-sufficient." On the farm, he ate what he caught in his traps and a fireplace heated the rooms. A potbelly stove heated the kitchen and the upstairs room above it where his grandparents slept. Jack slept in the other end of the house where it was cold.



The pontoon-outfitted 1913 Wright "G" Flyer

These early experiences had a real impact on Mr. Ohmart and shaped the man he would become. Jack wasn't afraid of hard work, so he worked his way through college during the Great Depression. Later he served in the Navy during WWII and the Korean conflict. He has hunted elk in the Great Divide, gotten in his canoe with food, water and a tent and headed down river. He is a fisherman, and a pilot. It was just four years ago that he and a friend decided to take on The Great Loop. The Great Loop is a 6,300 mile boat trip that covers the Eastern United States and parts of Canada. He began the trip in two hurricanes and ended it in a tornado, but he only laughs when he remembers the 4 foot swells and the tornado that missed him by 100 yards. He has done all of that and raised four children-perilous work indeed.

Jack studied mechanical engineering in school because he had a mind that could figure things out, and he has spent his life doing just that. He has built boats, engines, various machines, including a band saw, toys, spinning wheels, furniture and tools. His workshop is truly something to behold.

He has been working on planes since 2000 when a friend of his started a project for WSU on a model of the 1903 Wright Flyer. So when he saw an article in the paper about the work going on at Carillon, he wrote a letter to Dick Cummings, saying he would do the metal work.

It wasn't long before Jack was added to the team. He has been hard at work on the rudder for a

model of the 1913 Wright Flyer G (a hydroplane) ever since. It is the same plane that will hang above the carousal in the Heritage Center of Dayton Manufacturing and Entrepreneurship.

It makes sense that people like Jack Ohmart would be working on this project, people who are industrious and able-minded, people who see a need and try to fill it. It makes sense that at 92, Jack Ohmart is not yet finished contributing to his community, to his family, to his friends because for Jack Ohmart and people like him, contribution, self-sacrifice and work are a way of life. It is who he is.

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Letters to the Editor

Reconsidering the 'Dome'

I would like to offer a reflection on the idea of this neighborhood as the "Dome" that Lance Winkler supports in "More trouble every day" and Judith Steiger reiterates in her response "Preserving our neighborhood". Yes, we need to be vigilant and aware that Dayton, like any community, has

its share of social problems, and I appreciate Mr. Winkler's and Ms. Steiger's genuine attempts to protect this neighborhood. And yet, it seems to me that many (maybe most) of us do not pride ourselves on being an insular dome. So, rather than considering our neighborhood as a fortress, we

may choose to focus, as individuals and as a neighborhood, on what the larger community has to offer Oakwood and what we have to offer the larger community? With true collaboration it can be possible that in ten or twenty or one hundred years from now, everyone across this area lives in

the kind of "nurturing" environment that Mr. Winkler describes in Oakwood. After all, our futures are inherently linked with the people and the environment outside the city borders (Dayton and beyond). Although Oakwood is materially prosperous, I love living here because it is prosperous in many other ways that can never be quantified (generosity, neighborliness, and aesthetics for example). Between the two of us, my husband and I have lived in eleven different communities in our lives, spanning both coasts of this country and overseas as well. Oakwood

remains our dream community, not because it aspires to be the dome, but because our friends and neighbors here embody the world we want to raise our children in and give us hope that a more compassionate and beautiful world is possible for all children. We should all be vigilant and aware as Mr. Winkler and Ms. Steiger suggest, but we can also be part of the very challenging work of creating shared and sustainable prosperity across the area and beyond.

Thank you, Colleen Saxen

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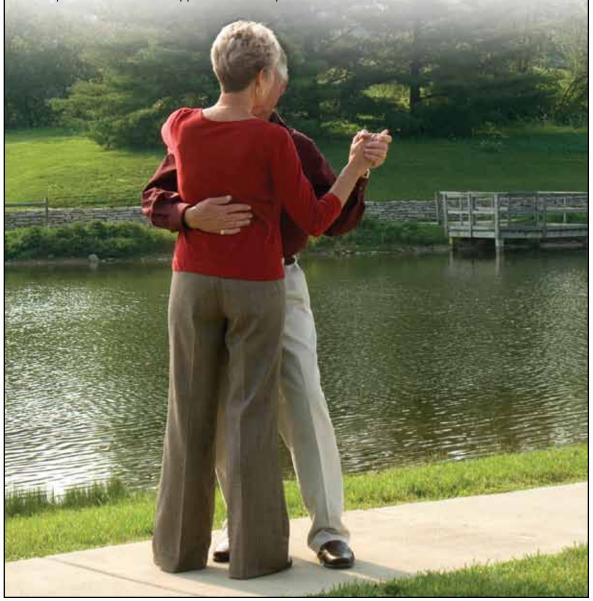
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Car idling has bad consequences

My husband and I recently decided to move our family to Oakwood for the usual reasons – great schools, walkable neighborhoods, natural beauty. We have been thrilled with Lange school for our oldest child. We've managed a few lovely walks despite the snow, and we have gazed with wonder out of our windows at the beautiful snow-covered trees the past few months.

What we didn't expect are the clouds of noxious exhaust fumes surrounding us as we transport our son to and from kindergarten this winter. Each morning, a fair number of cars, SUVs, and minivans wait in line before the doors open, many of them running. Ditto the after-school pick-up at Harman while we wait for the shuttle from Lange. Now, I realize that it can be chilly inside a car on the coldest days, but I know that in our car we are perfectly fine in our winter coats, gloves, and hats. After all, we are just talking about 5-10 minutes of waiting time. This

scene is repeated at our nearby preschool, where several parents leave their cars running in the parking lot as they go inside to drop off or pick up their kids.

After researching the consequences of car idling, I conclude that most well-meaning folks operate under false ideas about idling, if they think about it at all. I thought it might be helpful for my fellow parents, and for car owners and oxygen breathers everywhere, to provide the information I found from virtually every source I read.

Following is a brief summary of what idling does to your children's health and what it does to your car.

- Idling for more than 10 seconds uses more fuel than it takes to restart your car.
- Idling gets zero miles per gallon of gas.
- It's a myth that idling for longer than 30 seconds helps to warm up your car - driving it is what will

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Round Town

The 'DCC Regulars' were right on time Tuesday evening at The Oakwood Club. Well, at least three of them were - Tom Pavey, Tom Kendall, and Bob Day. It takes them a while to get to their table cause they have to chat-up everyone there who's always been their 'best friend they haven't seen since...

Couldn't mention running into Toni and Dr. Ty Payne in Newport Beach, California until it was certain they were home. "Yes, we are here," said Toni. "I couldn't call you right back this morning 'cause I was at an antique auction...didn't you love 'Pasquals'? I was so surprised to see you and your friend Liz Johnson ...hope you had as much fun as we did in the Laguna Beach area...

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Lunch at Culp's Café in Carillon Park last Friday was delicious as always. Dick Cummings arrived and he was obviously half frozen. The weather was sunny, but the temperature was way below freez-"We're working on replacing. ing all the windows, sashes, and... all the rotten wooden parts of the ancient Deed's Barn." Once he'd had some hot coffee he started peeling layers of duds. "You can see the progress we're making despite the weather...gotta be finished by May...think we'll make

"I'm using a crew of all 'elderly volunteers' and they are unbelievably tough and dedicated. If I were paying top dollar to a bunch of young 'pros' - I wouldn't be getting half the job done. When these men finish a task they're right in my face with a ... now what do you want me to do? Have you seen Burt Saidel and his 'God Squad' today? They've been such terrific workers...

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Dayton Country Club hadda full house on Saturday evening. Members who were going on to the Vanguard concert at the Art Institute were there by six o'clock - Charis Gridley, BeBe Bates, ... then: the '333 Gang' arrived – Jim & Midge Harlan, Bud & Aileen Welch, George Mayley...then the Thruston Road Gang led by Diane & Dick DeWall...then the 'stylishly-late diners' led by Dotty Bachus & Joe Acito...and there was a huge, young, having fabulous-fun group attending a 'Bar Mitz-vah'.

The Vanguard Concert series drew a large crowd at the Dayton Art Institute - Elana Bolling, founder of Vanguard forty eight years ago, was at the front desk greeting attendees. "You're in for a treat this evening," she assured her friends. "Ran Dank is a fabulous pianist...he did a seminar for Stivers High School yesterday... many of them will be here tonight... he's only 27...born in Israel...has a Masters degree from Juilliard... Vince and I want to adopt him!"

His program began with the 'three 'B's - Bach, Beethoven and Bartok. And the Chopin and Liszt brought down the house. Elana reminded her Guarantors of the post-concert-party at the roof garden of the Carillon. George Houk, Macy Janney, Ralph Johnson, Carol & Duncan Powell, the Haddicks, the Bob Siebenthalers and Ludolph Van Der Hoeven were there.

The guest of honor, Ran Dank, tried his best to devour the beautiful buffet table and be charming to everyone there who wanted to tell him how much they'd enjoyed his concert. He proved as adept at eating and chatting – as he'd been at the piano. "I'm off to New York early in the morning...New York's been home for five years."



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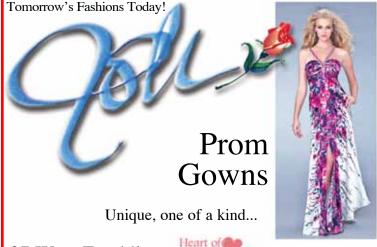


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- Children and the elderly are

especially vulnerable to exhaust fumes.

• Children, whose lungs are still developing, breathe more rapidly and inhale more pollutants per pound of body weight than adults. Children also breathe nearer to the ground, where

exhaust fumes tend to accumulate.

• Children's asthma symptoms increase as a result of car exhaust. Asthma is the third leading cause of hospitalization for children under the age of 15. Asthma is also the most common chronic

illness in children and the cause of most school absences.

- Exposure to most vehicle exhaust is much higher inside vehicles than roadside.
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Best Regards, Amy Askins



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Sports



Daniel Schmitz at the top of the podium.

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For the OHS girls, there were a number of swimmers who made the top 16. Freshman Eleanore Hong placed seventh in the 100 Backstroke and freshman Gretchen Pocisk finished seventh in the 100 Breaststroke. Freshman Maddie Brewer led the remaining girl's finals swimmers with a 10th place finish in the 500 Freestyle and was joined by junior Natasha Wahl who sprinted to a 13th

place finish in the 50 Freestyle and Pocisk who finished 14th in the 200 IM. Swimming in the morning prelims but finishing outside the top 16 finals qualifiers were Brewer in the 100 Backstroke (19th), Hong in the 200 Freestyle (21st), and freshman Jennifer Schmitz in the 500 Freestyle (21st).

Girl's relay teams also placed well. The 400 Freestyle Relay team of Pocisk/Brewer/Wahl/Hong swam

to a sixth place finish and the 200 Medley Relay team of Hong/Pocisk/ Hochwalt/Wahl also finished sixth. Also swimming at state were the 200 Freestyle Relay team of Wahl/ Alexis Garza/Ellen Viereckl/Brewer who finished 18th.

OHS also had a state qualifier in diving for the first time in recent memory. Freshman Katie Rupp placed 22nd in her first state championship.

Kooser places 8th at state wrestling tourney

Oakwood Juniors Alex Kooser and Will LeBoeuf headed to Columbus last week, with the support of their varsity teammates, to compete in the Ohio State Wrestling Championships. After opening round losses on Thursday afternoon, both were faced with elimination on Thursday evening in the round of the consolation bracket. Kooser (130 pounds) was able to beat his next opponent from Bishop Hartley 8-7 and Leboeuf (152 lbs.) hung on to win in overtime to extend their tournament for another day. Friday consisted of three more rounds of tough competition including the guaranteed placement round where Kooser found himself in a tight battle with his 41-5 opponent from Sparta Highland. The match went into the sudden death overtime period where Kooser was able to pull off the victory and earn a spot on the podium. LeBoeuf, also in his placement match, controlled most of the match until the last minute when his opponent from Medina Highland was able to hit a pinning combination and advance, ending LeBoeuf's terrific



Alex Kooser and Will Leboeuf at state meet.

season and his tournament run.

Next up for Kooser was the 2009 state placer (fifth) from Ulrichsville Claymont. Kooser was unable to finish on several takedown attempts and lost a 4-0 decision but now needed to re-group and get ready for his final match Saturday morning. The placement match for seventh and eighth place took place with a chance to avenge his first round 3-2 loss to his opponent from Mogadore Field High School.The

match seemed very familiar and so was the final score with Kooser losing another close match 3-2 and earning eighth place honors. Kooser is the first Oakwood wrestler to place at the State Wrestling Tournament since 1999. It was a great finish to the high school wrestling season with a bright outlook for the team next year as they only lose one senior and hope to qualify 4-5 wrestlers next year. Great Job Oakwood coaches and wrestlers!

Cleats for Costa Ricans





A contingent of Oakwood seniors paid a visit to Costa Rica recently and brought with them a trunkful of new and used soccer cleats donated by the Dayton community. Pictured above, from left to right, back row: Tino Weckerling, Evan Duffley, Zack Rodabaugh; front row: Ian Munn, Joy Belser, Lyndsay Seery, Erin Maher, Amy Beck and Abby Scharrer. Above right: Zack Rodabaugh with Tico, a little boy who is wearing donated cleats.



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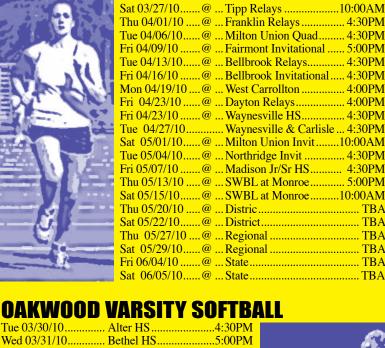
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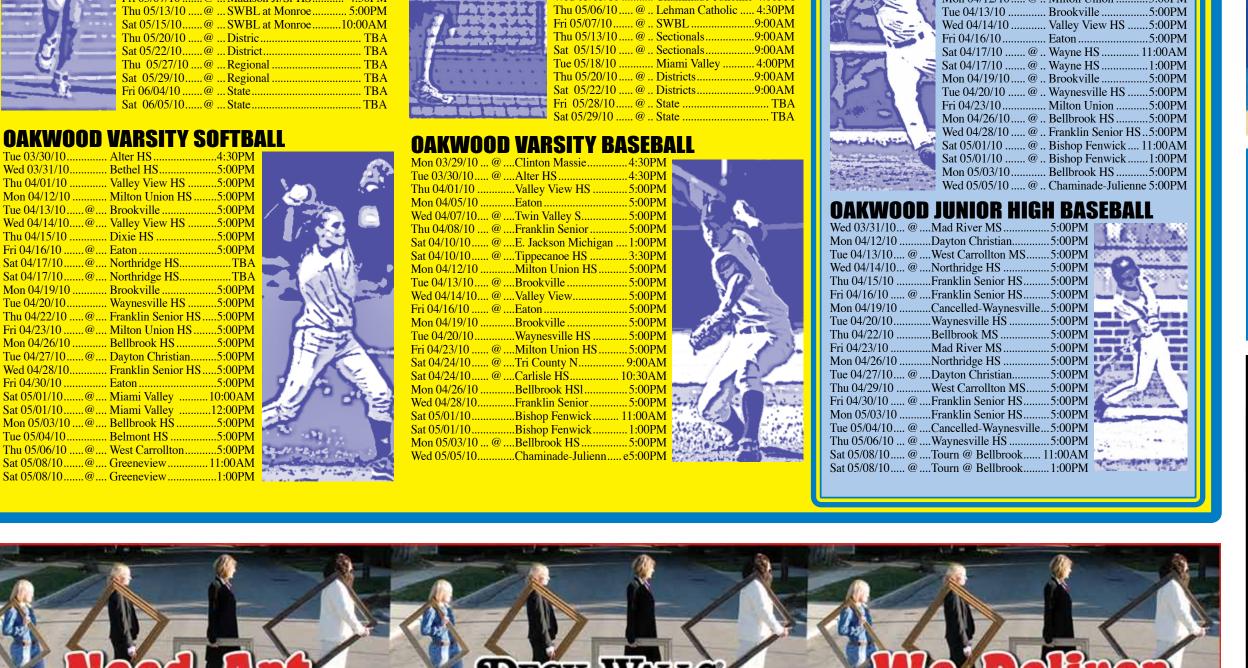
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Obituary

Gail M. Roler

age 57, of Kettering, passed away on Wednesday, March 3, 2010. Gail was a 1970 graduate of Oakwood High School and received her bachelor's degree from the University of Dayton. She was a long time teacher in the Dayton Public School System. She was a member of the American Legion Post #598, Kettering and attended Christ United Methodist Church in Kettering. Gail is survived by her daughter: Molly O'Shell-Anderson; son and daughter-in-law: Marty (Renee) Batsche; grandchildren: Dietrich Evan Anderson & Hailev Anderson; niece: Gwen Ruhl; and numerous other family members and friends. Memorial services will be 1 p.m. Saturday, March 13, 2010 at Christ United Methodist Church in Kettering. The family will receive friends from 12 p.m. until time of service. The family would like to extend a special thank you to the nurses and staff of Kettering Medical Center. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the family, c/o Newcomer Funeral Home, 3940 Kettering Blvd., Kettering, Ohio 45439. To leave the family a special message, please visit www.NewcomerDayton.com.

Lehner to speak at Oakwood GOP luncheon

Representative for the 37th Ohio House District Peggy Lehner will address the Republican Council of Oakwood and their guests when they meet March 11 at Moraine

Country Club. Social hour is 11:30 a.m., luncheon is 12 p.m. and the program at 1 p.m.

The Council is affiliated with the National Federation of Republican

Women. Any Republican woman of voting age residing in Montgomery County may become a member by payment of yearly dues. For more information call 296-1194.

'Wheels for Kids' seeking children's bikes

If you have a child's bike - outgrown, broken or simply not used - you're invited to make that bike part of a UD student project called "Wheels for Kids." For the ninth vear. UD student volunteers are collecting children's bikes and meeting on Saturdays in February and March to completely refurbish them and

make them safe. On April 10, the bikes will be distributed to children of Dayton families who could not otherwise afford safe and reliable bikes. The annual "Wheels for Kids" event will also provide children with helmets and lessons on bike safety and maintenance. We need as many bikes as possible and are collecting

them now! Remember, we can use even parts of bikes, but are interested only in bikes with a wheel diameter less than 26 inches. Please send an email to wheels4kids.ud@gmail.com or call 229-4642 with your name and number of bikes you plan to donate. We will then contact you to arrange drop-off or pick-up.

Mulch sale to benefit OHS prom

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Education —

Meetings with the Superintendent

The Oakwood School District's Staying in Touch program is designed to provide opportunities for residents to speak with the Superintendent and representatives of the Board of Education about school matters. Currently a neighborhood meeting and luncheon for residents who do not

have children in school is scheduled for Friday, March 26 from 10 a.m.-1 p.m. at Harman School. If you are interested in attending this luncheon R.S.V.P. no later than March 19 to Sandy at the Oakwood Board of Education at 297-5332 or maresh.sandy@oakwood.k12.oh.us.

Summer school info available

Oakwood Junior and Senior High School will offer summer school classes beginning Monday, June 14, 2010. Summer school packets will be available to students beginning Tuesday, March 9 in the Senior High Office, the Senior High Guidance Office, the Junior High Office, and the Senior High Bookroom. Priority sign-ups for current tenth and eleventh graders will be on Thursday, March 11 at 8 a.m., and open enrollment will begin on Monday, March

15 at 8 a.m. and will continue through April 30. A completed registration form with parent signature as well as full tuition and any fees for all classes must be paid in the form of cash or check made payable to OHS at the time of registration. No refunds after May 12. Please note that checks may not be processed until mid-May. Registration will take place in the Senior High Bookroom. For more information please call 297-5325.

* All dates pending Board approval.

Scholarships for study abroad

When the local Oakwood Chapter of the Greater Dayton Chapter of AFS-USA, Inc. dissolved a few years ago, its funds were transferred into a scholarship fund of AFS-USA to benefit students attending Oakwood High School who may be in need of financial assistance to enable them to participate in one of the AFS-USA study abroad opportunities. Interested students are invited to complete a pre-application form andsubmit it directly to AFS-USA Admissions. The student must correctly fill in their school information as Oakwood High School. The student must also submit a Global Leaders Scholarship application. The Senior Scholarships Coordinator of

AFS-USA will know that students from Oakwood High School are automatically to be considered for the additional Oakwood Scholarship. AFS will assign a Student Services Advisor to answer the student's questions and assist the student in filing the full application. The student's financial needs are assessed by AFS-USA Admissions staff, which together with the AFS-USA Financial Committee, make recommendations for awards of scholarships.

For information about the AFS-USA study abroad programs, the application process and scholarships, interested students are encouraged to consult the AFS/USA web site www. afs.org/usa or call 1-800-AFS-INFO.

Alumni News

Sanford receives honors at Exeter

has achieved Honors ranking at the Phillips Exeter Academy in

Senior Jeremy L. Sanford Exeter, New Hampshire. Jeremy is the son of John and Dr. Kathryn Sanford.

Tellez studying at Denison

A Denison University student from Oakwood is studying offcampus for the spring 2010 semester. Arianna Tellez, class of 2011, environmental studies at Denison.

is studying with the Documenting Change in the Caribbean program in Woods Hole, Mass. Tellez majors in







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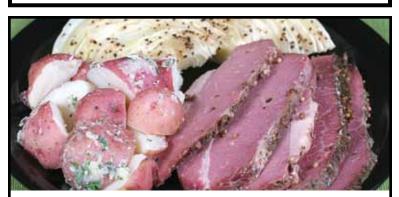
critical and audience accolades in Carnegie Hall, Alice Tully Hall, Kennedy Center, Philadelphia's Academy of Music, the Hollywood Bowl and the Masonic Hall in San Francisco, presented by the Four Seasons Concert Association. He appeared in Naples, Italy in two recitals and took part in the filming of Music in the 20th Century telecast on PBS.

Leon Bates' work with young people is extraordinary. In one season alone, he often performs over 50 residency programs in conjunction with orchestra engagements and recitals, to inspire, motivate, and delight America's youth as he opens their minds and hearts to the love of music.

His sheer mastery of his instrument has led to many invitations to perform with major symphonies, such as the New York Philharmonic, the Philadelphia Orchestra, the Cleveland Orchestra, the National Symphony, the Los Angeles Philharmonic, the American Symphony, the Oregon Symphony, the San Francisco Symphony, the Detroit Symphony, and the Atlanta Symphony.

His large repertoire includes over 30 concerti by the major composers, several contemporary concerti, and he has earned a reputation for his masterful performances of works by the romantics, such as Rachmaninoff, and his brilliant performances of George Gershwin's Rhapsody in Blue and Concerto in F.

He has performed all over the world, appearing with the Vienna Symphony, the Sinfonica dell'Accademia Nazionale di Santa Cecilia in Rome, the Strasbourg Symphony in France, and Canada's Victoria Symphony. He played a series of concerts in South Africa with the National Symphony Orchestra and the Natal Philharmonic.



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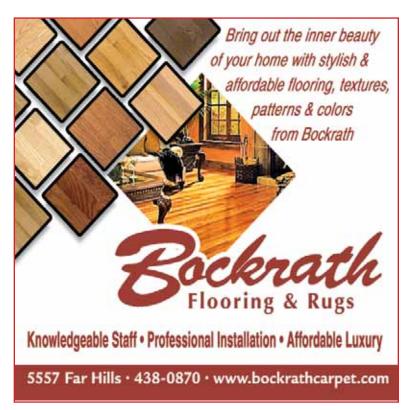
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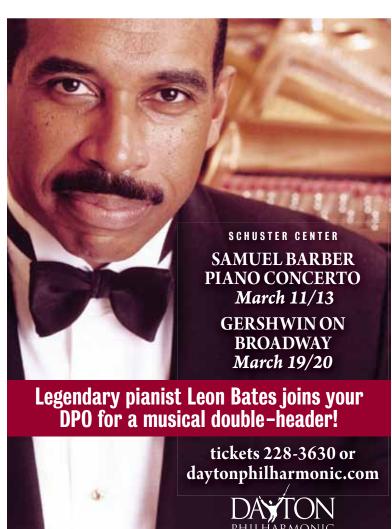
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Gem City Ballet awakens Sleeping Beauty

Burt Saidel



Artists such as Barbara Pontecorvo, Director of Gem City Ballet, should be in charge of the US Space program. They know neither limitations nor bounds. Flying to the moon would be just another project to perform to perfection.

The young company members who make up GCB are all devoted students of ballet. They learn from a great dancer who performs, with the help of her attorney husband David Shough and a very devoted board, miracles on pointe shoes.

The quality of the company hearkens back to the days when Dayton Ballet was a training company. Infused with the dance passion of Josephine and Hermene Schwarz, Jon Rodriguez and Bess Saylor, they carry the passion and love of their art to the stage and thence forward into their lives.

Barbara's latest goal, like flying to the moon, was to mount a full length classical ballet at the Victoria. Tchaikovsky's *The Sleeping Beauty* was chosen and work began.

The company was enlarged by inviting two great professional dancers, Kristi Capps and Dmitri Trubchanov of Cincinnati and Colorado Ballets. Supernumeraries filled the character roles such as king, queen and major domo.

The real enlargement of the company was the assignment of several roles, all quite different, to each dancer. This also meant many costumes, probably nearing 70 in number. The costumes were made by Barbara's needlecraft and a few borrowed from Cincinnati Ballet. Yes, she also sweeps out the studio and cooks like Julia Child. What a woman!

The set, an imposing and mutable pavilion, was designed and constructed by David who also serves as production manager.

What a couple!

The ballet, in four acts, tells the fairy tale of Sleeping Beauty and her rescue by Prince Charming. Dance, pure dance in a variety of classic forms, is the driving force behind the telling of the tale. The familiar music was made for dancing and dance they do.

The principal roles were danced by the guest artists and by Krystal Palmer as the Lilac Fairy and Claire Bergman as the evil enchantress Carabosse. Major roles were performed by Chloe Donaldson and her partner Andrew Wingert, Evelyn Ritzi and Da'Shawon Body. Five lovely high school freshmen, Oakwood's Hadley Smith, Sophia Cothrel, Morgan Hale, Sarah MacKenzie and Kerri Hemmelgarn, danced the demanding parts of the five fairies. The famous jewel quartet added Lauren Clark, Clarice Perryman, Molly McDonald and Sophia Cothrel.

Had I more space, I should name the entire cast. Still fresh after four acts, these wonderful young artists are each, like Sleeping Beauty, touched by an awakening kiss. In this case the kiss is not from a prince but the art of dance. It is not instantaneous but takes years of hard work. The result – dancers – but more important great young persons who will do their part to make our world better and more beautiful.

Schwartz Scholarship Competition

Mega-musical king Stephen Schwartz was in Dayton accompanying his blockbuster hit Wicked. The three weeks of Wicked's residency at the Schuster will break all records.

Schwartz was also present for the third annual Musical Theatre Scholarship Competition which bears his name. A joint venture of the Human Race and Victoria, the competition gives an opportunity to recognize and celebrate the best of aspiring musical theater students.

Seven finalists are selected from more than 30 candidates. They each sing two songs, one by Stephen Schwartz, and the winners are declared. Held this year at the Mathile Theatre, the evening was hosted by Wicked cast member and Human Race actor Daniel Torres.

Talent flowed from the finalists - Hilary Fingerman, Kelsey Cathleen Hopkins, Rachel Jones, Charity Farrell, Andrew Koslow, Charlie Mann and Alexandra Sunderhaus.

All are musical theater majors. They must be A+ students since each could really "sell a song."

The two winners, Charity Farrell and Andrew Koslow, were first among equals as the future of our talent pool is safe and flourishing!

Kimberly Akimbo

Last week I wrote about the world's most famous dysfunctional families, Oedipus and company. Their problems: Oedipus killed his father, married his mother, brought a plague on his city, and blinded himself after the suicide of his wife. A pretty impressive list of troubles.

Dayton Theatre Guild, in mounting David Lindsay-Abaire's Kimberly Akimbo, almost eclipsed Oedipus in dysfunctionality. The only problem is that the vehicle to explore this very sick family was a very uneven play. Even direction by Saul Caplan and fine acting by the cast could not save this shouting match of very unloveable people.

Kudos go to Ellen Finch who takes the most unusual roles to the heights and Megan Cooper who does that to all her roles. In his Guild debut, high schooler Tim Moore was wonderful.

Remembering Paul Magill

This column must mark the passing of a special person. Paul Magill was central to the music life of greater Dayton, especially Oakwood. He touched so many with his devotion to art and to life. He and lovely Peggy were the friends we all need and want.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church gave Paul a most impressive and beautiful memorial on February 22nd. The magnificence of the service was nearly as magnificent as the man.

DPO to present Strauss & Schumann March 12

The Dayton Philharmonic Orchestra's 09-10 Classical Connections series will conclude on Friday, March 12 with "Strauss & Schumann: Romanticism Unbound." The concert will be performed at 8 p.m. at the Schuster Center

The March 12 program exam-

ines the personalities and contrasting styles of two influential masters of music's Romantic period: the introverted, traditional Robert Schumann (celebrating his bicentennial in 2010) and the extroverted, experimental Richard Strauss. Maestro Gittleman will explore the two composers' unique musical

voices through iconic works from each: Schumann's Symphony No. 3 ("Rhenish"), and Strauss's tone poem *Death and Transfiguration*.

Tickets for the March 12 concert range from \$12 - \$39 and are available by calling (888) 228-3-630 or by ordering on the web at www.daytonphilharmonic.com.

<u>-Sports</u>

Henninger qualifies for NCAA championship meet

2006 Oakwood HS graduate Leah Henninger scored for the second year at the Big 10 Swimming Championship Meet held on Feb. 17-20 at Purdue University. Leah, a senior at Purdue University, finished 12th in the 100 freestyle with a time of 50:03 earning her an invitation to swim at the NCAA Swimming and Diving Championship Meet.

Leah anchored the 800 and 400-

yard free relay teams that broke Purdue varsity records. The relays placed second and third overall which also qualified them to swim at the NCAA meet. The Purdue team took fourth place at the Big 10

Leah is in her second year as a captain of the Purdue women's swim team and has been Academic All-Big Ten since 2007. Leah has

been on the Dean's List since 2006 and Athletic Director's Honor Roll since 2007. Leah was Purdue's 2009-2010 women's athlete nominee for The Big Ten Conference Wayne Duke Postgraduate Award. She will graduate in May with a major in Political Science and plans to attend graduate school in the fall. She is the daughter of Bruce and Jan Henninger of Oakwood.

Patterson Park Little League sign-ups beginning

Registrations are now being accepted for spring baseball at Patterson Park Little League. Games are played at our Little League Complex on Irving Ave. close to University of Dayton Campus. Players age 5 & 6 (T-Ball), 7 & 8 (coach pitch), 9& 10 (minors) and 11& 12 (majors) will begin practice in late March and games will begin in mid April. For

registration information please visit our website at www.pattersonparkbaseball.org, then click on "2010 Bulletin" or go to "handouts" for "2010 Spring Registration."

Boosters fundraiser and auction March 20

The Oakwood Athletic Boosters Association will host their Annual Spring Fundraiser and Silent Auction on Saturday, March 20 from 7-10 p.m. at the Oakwood Community Center. This event features entertainment, complimentary beverages, and appetizers.

The Silent Auction features items generously donated by community businesses. Tickets are \$20 in advance and \$25 at the door. For more information or to purchase tickets, call Teri Macaulay at 299-6482, Shelley Miller at 299-2076, or Joe Dempsey at 293-5428. The

Boosters support all Junior and Senior High Athletics. This year's proceeds will support the Boosters' current multi-year fundraising effort to replace "THE PIT" floor, an important facilities improvement project that will benefit every Junior and Senior High student.

Last game on PIT floor



The last ever game to be played on the old PIT floor was held on Tuesday, the 23rd of February. Oakwood easily defeated Milton Union 72 - 48. The Oakwood Athletic Boosters Association is replacing the 78 year old PIT floor this summer at an estimated cost of more than \$90.000. The Booster Association is planning a "Get a Piece of the PIT" fundraiser to offset some of the costs. Pictured are the Oakwood 2010 Seniors immediately after the historic last game on the old PIT hardwood. Pictured, from left to right: Top row: (21) David Passet, (44) Ryan Dempsey, (14) Dan Manzanillo, (22) Michael Galaska, (42) Kevin Knoth, (10) Scott Feldmiller; Bottom row: Hayley Roeckner, Cayleigh Hopkins, Molly Scott.

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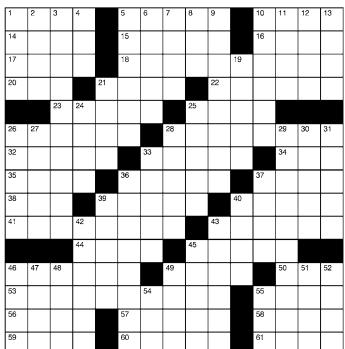
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The Council of the City of Oakwood, Montgomery County, Ohio, passed Ordinance No. 4695 entitled "An ordinance providing for the issuance and sale of notes in the maximum principal amount of \$800,000, in anticipation of the issuance of bonds, for the purpose of constructing a new municipal service center building, and declaring an emergency", on the occasion of its meeting on March 1, 2010.

The ordinance declares it necessary to issue bonds of the City of Oakwood in the maximum principal amount of \$800,000 for the purpose stated above. The ordinance determines that those bonds shall be dated approximately March 1, 2011 shall bear interest at the estimated rate of six percent (6.00%) per year, payable semiannually, until the principal sum is paid, and shall mature in nineteen (19) annual principal installments that are sub stantially equal.

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The ordinance became effective immedi ately upon its passage on March 1, 2010.

By order of the Council of the City of Oakwood, Montgomery County, Ohio.

Clerk of Council, City of Oakwood

Cathy D. Gibson

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The Council of the City of Oakwood, Montgomery County, Ohio, passed Ordinance No. 4697 entitled "An ordinance providing for the issuance and sale notes in the maximum principal amount of \$1,500,000, in anticipation of the issuance of bonds, for the purpose of paying the costs of acquiring real property for parks and recreational purposes and declaring an emergency", on the occasion of its meeting on March 1, 2010.

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The Council of the City of Oakwood Montgomery County, Ohio, passed Ordinance No. 4696 entitled "An ordinance providing for the issuance and sale of notes in the maximum principal amount of \$300,000, in anticipation of the issuance of bonds, for the purpose of paying the costs of renovating and providing additional facilities for the conduct of governmental opera-tions, including legislative, administration and public safety, by constructing additions to, remodeling, renovating and equipping the existing City administration building and providing for all necessary appurtenances and declaring an emergency", on the occasion of its meeting on March 1, 2010.

The ordinance declares it necessary to issue bonds of the City of Oakwood in the maximum principal amount of \$300,000 for the purpose stated above. The ordinance determines that those bonds shall be dated approximately March 1, 2011, shall bear interest at the estimated rate of six percent (6.00%) per year, payable semian-nually, until the principal sum is paid, and shall mature in twenty (20) annual principal installments that are substantially equal.

The ordinance declares that it is necessary that notes in the maximum principal amount of \$300,000 shall be issued in anticipation of the issuance of those bonds, provides that the notes shall be dated March 11, 2010. shall mature March 10, 2011, and shall bea interest at a rate not to exceed 6.00% per year, payable at maturity. The ordinance also provides that the notes will be issued in minimum denominations of \$100,000, that the notes shall be sold by the Director of Finance for not less than par value in accor dance with the provisions of the ordinance and at not to exceed the specified maximum interest rate, and that the notes shall be the full general obligations of the City and the full faith and credit and general property taxing power of said City are pledged for the prompt payment of the same.

The ordinance became effective immediately upon its passage on March 1, 2010.

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What's Up This Week

Galleries & Museums, Music, Theatre, Dance, Events

3/10 Wed

Pianofest 8pm Sears Recital Hall, University of Dayton, 300 College Park 229-2545

Wind Symphony 8pm WSU Creative Arts Center, Schuster Hall, 3640 Col. Glenn Hwy. 775-5544 The Aluminum Show 8pm Production combines special effects, acrobatics, jazz and modern dance. puppetry, dazzling aluminum costumes and lightning. Thru 3/21 Victoria Theatre, 138 N. Main St., Dayton 228-3630

3/11 Thu

Paul Laurence Dunbar Chorale, University Chorus, and Vocal Jazz Ensemble 8pm WSU Creative Arts Center, Schuster Hall, 3640 Col. Glenn Hwy. 775-5544

Dayton Philharmonic: Classical Series - Barber Piano Concerto 8pm Guest artist pianist Leon Bates, who starts a two-week DPO residency with this program. Also 3/13 Schuster Center One W. Second St., Dayton 228-3630

Wright State University: Winter Dance Concert 8pm Versatile works from WSU faculty and special quests Dayton Ballet 2 and Dayton Contemporary Dance Company 2. Thru 3/14 WSU Creative Arts Center, 3640 Col. Glenn Hwy., Dayton 775-2500 The Aluminum Show 8pm (see 3/10)

Rounding Third 8pm Two Little League coaches go head to head in what has to be the only baseball play to include Brigadoon, living in a van, and the fine art of equipment bag stuffing. Thru 3/19 The Loft Theatre. 138 N. Main St., Dayton 228-3630

3/12 Fri

Percussion Ensemble 8pm WSU Creative Arts Center, Schuster Hall, 3640 Col. Glenn Hwy. 775-5544

Men's Ensemble, Sinclair Singers and Sinclair LIFE (Gospel) Choir 8pm Daniel B. Greene, conductor. Sinclair Community College, Blair Hall Theatre, 444 W. Fourth St 512-2076

Dayton Philharmonic: Classical Connections -Strauss and Schumann 8pm A contrast of two romantic musical styles: the introverted, traditional Schumann and the extroverted, experimental Strauss. Schuster Center One W. Second St., Dayton 228-3630

Wright State University: Winter Dance Concert 8pm (see 3/11)

South Dayton Dance Company: Spring Concert 7pm Bellbrook High School Theatre, 3737 Upper Bellbrook Rd Bellbrook 435-5052

ArtStreet's Friday Night Film: Daughters of the Dust 9pm From indie favorites to thought-provoking documentaries. ArtStreet Studio B showcases a different film every Friday night at 9 pm. Free and open to the public. Neon Movie ticket giveaways at every film screening! ArtStreet, University of Dayton 229-5101

Dayton History "End of Winter Feast" Tavern Dinner 6 pm Travel back in time to Dayton's most intriguing dining event at the city's oldest building, Newcom Tavern. Guests will enjoy a hearth-cooked and historically accurate multi-course supper Reservations required. Thru 3/27 Dayton History,

Carillon Park, 1000 Carillon, Dayton 293-2841 The Aluminum Show 8pm (see 3/10) The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee 8pm

In this musical, six young people learn that winning isn't everything and that losing doesn't necessarily make you a loser. Thru 3/14 WSU Herbst Theatre 3640 Col. Glenn Hwy., Dayton 775-2500 Rounding Third 8pm (see 3/11)

Kimberly Akimbo 8pm In this dark comedy, Kimberly is a teenager with a rare condition that causes her body to age four times faster than it should. Thru 3/14 Dayton Theatre Guild, 430 Wayne Ave., Dayton 278-5993

Romeo & Bernadette 8pm Romeo takes a sleeping potion, and instead of dying, he wakes up a few centuries later and finds himself in Brooklyn, NY, where he is surrounded by sassy dames, warring Dons and some recognizable Italian melodies. Thru 3/21 Beavercreek Community Theatre, 3868 Dayton-Xenia Rd., Beavercreek 429-4737.

Rent 8pm Based loosely on Puccini's opera La Boheme, the rock musical Rent follows a year in the lives of a group of friends living the disappearing Bohemian lifestyle in New York's East Village. Thru 3/13 Playhouse South, Clark Haines Theatre, 3700 Far Hills Ave., Kettering, OH (888) 262-3792

3/13 Sat

Springfield Symphony Orchestra: Night Lights II 8pm Features work by Argentine-American composer Alejandro Rutty. Clark State PAC, 300 S. Fountain

Ave., Springfield 328-3874

Collegiate Chorale and Vocal Jazz Ensemble 8pm WSU Creative Arts Center, Schuster Hall, 3640 Col. Glenn Hwv. 775-5544

Robert and Tiraje Ruckman Piano Duo 8pm Sinclair Community College, Blair Hall Theatre, 444 W. Fourth St. 512-2076

Dayton Philharmonic: Classical Series - Barber Piano Concerto 8pm (see 3/11)

Wright State University: Winter Dance Concert 8pm (see 3/11)

Recent Exploration and Geophysical Discoveries at the Moorehead Circle, Fort Ancient 10:30am Part of the 2010 SunWatch Lecture Series: Frontiers in Ohio Archaeology. SunWatch Indian Village, 2301 W. River Rd., Dayton, 268-8199

ShamROCK '10 7:30pm Teens, join your friends for a wild night of the best fun in Dayton. Rock to live local bands, chill in the Gaming Cave, sing karaoke, win awesome prizes and dance the night away. Boonshoft Museum of Discovery, 2600 DeWeese Parkway, Dayton, 275-7431

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The Aluminum Show 2pm & 8pm (see 3/10) The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee 8pm (see 3/12)

Rounding Third 8pm (see 3/11) Kimberly Akimbo 5pm (see 3/12) Romeo & Bernadette 8pm (See 3/12) Rent 8pm (See 3/12)

3/14 Sun

Boil the Sugar Down: Sweeteners on the Farm Noon Come visit an 1880s sugar camp and learn how maple sugar was collected on the farm. Carriage Hill. Afternoon Musicales 2pm Miami Valley Symphony Orchestra Chamber Players program, including Mendelssohn's Overture for Winds Admission is free but donations are appreciated. Dayton Art Institute. NCR Renaissance Auditorium, 456 Belmonte Park North, Dayton 223-5277

UD Faculty Artist Series: Spring Concert 3pm Sears Recital Hall, University of Dayton, 300 College Park 229-2545

Chorale, Chamber Choir and Women's Ensemble 4pm Nolan W. Long, conductor. St. John's Lutheran Church, 141 S. Ludlow St., Dayton 223-4444

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The Aluminum Show 2pm & 7:30pm (see 3/10) The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee 2pm (See 3/12)

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3/16 Tue

Concert Band 7:30pm With guest tuba soloist Tim Olt. Kenneth Kohlenberg, conductor. Sinclair Community College, Blair Hall Theatre, 444 W. Fourth St. 512-2076

Dayton Music Club Concert Noon Jane Hergo. Piano and Vocals; Tamra Francis, Voice; Jerry Francis, Voice (Guest); Jennifer Shoup, Piano. Free and open to the public. Shiloh Church, 5300 Philadelphia Dr., Dayton

Percussion Studio Recital 8pm WSU Creative Arts Center, Schuster Hall, 3640 Col. Glenn Hwy. 775-5544

Handbell Choir 7:30pm Margaret Dill, conductor. Sinclair Community College, Blair Hall Theatre, 444 W. Fourth St 512-2076

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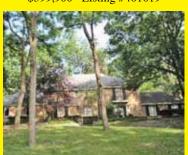
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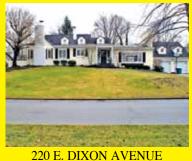
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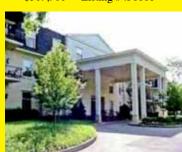
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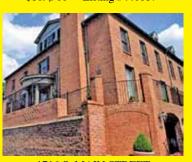
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