

Busy Days Ahead For Walnut Lakers

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WALNUT LAKE—William Unsworth has been appointed manager of the fund-raising auction which the Walnut Lake Men's club will hold Saturday to send a Cub Scout to summer camp. Stewart Schultz will be auctioneer. The club will award a camp trip to the outstanding Walnut Lake boy who graduates from Cubbing and becomes a registered Boy Scout before the school term ends. The Cub Pack also will benefit from the auction when it receives its first den flags, one for each of the six dens.

Time of the auction is March 13 at 2 p.m. It will be held in the men's clubrooms at 2065 Walnut Lake road near Inkster road. Unsworth and Schultz have announced that any persons wishing to bid the auction may donate items for the sale by calling either man. Items offered for sale will include antiques and other merchandise.

The West Bloomfield League of Women Voters' meeting of March 11 will begin with a potluck luncheon at 12:30 at West Bloomfield township hall. Committee chairmen for the "Know Your Township" survey will complete their reports. There will be discussions of the proposed national program of action and budget for 1954-55, to be presented at the local League meeting in April. Also to be discussed is the local program of action and budget for 1954-55, to be presented at the local League meeting in April.

Welcome to Mr. and Mrs. Steven Zrnich, who came to Daintree road from Marine City in January. Completing their family are Karen, 16; Karl, 11 and Mrs. Zrnich's mother, Mrs. Dornton. Zrnich is a machinist with the Chrysler jet engine plant on Van Dyke.

Now settled in their new home on Putnam drive are Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ofenstein, who already are known to their Walnut Lake neighbors. While attending the completion of their home they have been living with their son and his family, the Julian Ofenstein, also of Putnam drive.

Mrs. Leland Forman and Gaylor Forman of Quanton road returned from the south last week just in time to see the heaviest snowfall of the year. They had been traveling through Florida with Mrs. Forman's brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mason of Birmingham.

Roy Hamilton's birthday was celebrated Saturday with a party at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hamilton, 1515 Eastman drive. Guests were Marilyn Shank, Janice Hampton, Judy Kirby, Paty Harper, Joyce Braland, Barbara Kipp, Jimmy Young, Jimmy Van Sickle, Larry Sundstrom. Completing their family are Karen, 16; Karl, 11 and Mrs. Zrnich's mother, Mrs. Dornton.

Just beginning his Army service is Don Guest, son of the R. S. Guest of Putnam drive. He is in the last Friday for Camp Chaffee, Ark., to train for service with an Army security unit. Relatives gathered at the Guest home Feb. 28 for a family going-away party included Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Sarason of Wing Lake.

Jewel Ofenstein, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julian Ofenstein, entertained at a Mardi Gras costume party Feb. 27. Guests were Mary Ellen Davis, Estella Quick, Gruber, Sharon Gibson, Dennis Welker, Lee Roberts, Benjamin Bambar, Howard Benway, Herb Strodes of Birmingham and Donald Krept of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Van Eyck of Comfort drive left last Saturday for Florida. After a week at Lakeland they will spend three weeks at Miami before flying home.

Walnut Lake Cub Scouts are about to begin their first meeting for the March pack meeting. Mrs. Norman Menley, new den mother of Den 5, read to the boys from "The Wizard of Oz" from which the theme of the month is taken. Bobby Sutton brought a "Madame Tref" of the month is taken. Fred Osterbeck reported the meeting.

Den 2 made scenery for the pack meeting and Den 4 began making puppets. Mrs. Don Brown, substitute den mother for Den 1 last week, read from the book and the Cubs made a log cabin for the puppet show. Cliff Williams was host.

The weather of March 1 prevented Girl Scout Troop 413 from carrying out a trip which had been arranged for that day. Instead, the girls met at the home of Mrs. Clayton LaMotte, who helped them plan the skirts they are going to make. The meeting ended with a lively Virginia Reel.

Troop 368 met with Mrs. Robert Stevenson for work on their club care. The Scouts learned about baby clothes and practiced dressing a life-size doll.

Walnut Lake Calendar
March 12 Walnut Lake Men's club, clubroom, 2065 Walnut Lake road
March 13 Men's club auction, 2065 Walnut Lake road, 2 p.m.
March 15 Brownie and Girl Scout Troops
March 16 West Bloomfield League of Women Voters potluck luncheon, West Bloomfield Township hall, 12:30
Cub dens



WILLIS HASSE, COBBLER
Goodwill Industries worker

Goodwill Industries List Area Employees

Several Birmingham persons are directly concerned and connected with the activities of Goodwill Industries of Detroit, both in executive and employee capacities.

Serving on the board of directors are John D. Benfield, 32205 Birmingham, and Raymond T. Porring of Bloomfield Hills. Don McGregor, 2507 Yorkshire, is a member of the contract department for the organization.

Employed at Goodwill from this section are Willis Hasse, Route 4, in the shoe repair department; Miss Julia Campbell, Route 2, telephone operator, and Jack McElroy, 1055 Wimbleson, stock room employee.

In all 707 handicapped persons were paid over \$400,000 last year, according to Harold H. McKinnon, executive secretary. "These people," he said, "have been helped to help themselves through the generosity of people living in the Greater Detroit area."

"THEY COULD easily be on charity rolls as tax consumers instead of being tax payers. The great majority of them were unemployed before going to Goodwill, where they were helped to adjust themselves, fitting their disabilities into specific jobs whereby their abilities make them self-supporting."

Clothing, furniture, toys and small appliances, given to Goodwill by 128,003 contributors throughout the area, furnished the "raw materials" for the industry. "Employment is governed," McKinnon said, "by the amount of material we have for the people to work with. There are times when employment is impaired, February being the greatest."

"CONTRIBUTIONS slack off during this particular time. This is the time of year we make our most urgent pleas for materials to keep our 'family' employed. "We urge housewives to check their homes for items which they no longer have use for, and to turn them over to Goodwill."

The contract department, which McKinnon is associated, handles sub-contract work with private enterprises. McKinnon said. He added that this division has increased its production from \$105,000 to \$178,000. Material sold as salvage brought in \$184,325.

THE THREE stores, when renovated, repaired and cleaned items are sold, brought in \$562,536 last year, an increase of nearly \$30,000 over 1952. "Since every dollar of this goes into wages," McKinnon concluded, "it is easy for the public to see how good a discarded suit of clothes, pair of shoes, chair or doll buggy can do toward helping an unfortunate person to become an independent, useful citizen."

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Florida Vacation Plans at YMCA

A seven day trip to Miami Beach, Florida has been planned by the Birmingham Y.M.C.A. in cooperation with the Metropolitan Office of the Detroit Y.M.C.A. for youngsters and adults over 10 years of age. The group will leave by train on the evening of April 25. The plane will take the group directly to Miami airport and from there automobiles will transport the group from the airport to the Atlantic Towers Hotel. This hotel is located in Miami Beach on the ocean shore at 42nd Street and includes swimming pool, dining terrace and a beautiful restaurant, cabana, and twin-bed rooms.

The group is scheduled for six nights in this hotel and the trip includes brunch and dinner each day in the hotel. In addition there will be a motor launch trip through the islands where there is an opportunity for viewing some of the elaborate estates located in the Miami area. Another interesting sight-seeing trip will be a bus tour of the Miami area.

THERE WILL be an opportunity for hours of relaxation on the ocean beach and some shopping in famous Lincoln Road. Trip leader is W. F. "Sandy" Newell and his wife of Wrentham who led the Bermuda excursion a year ago. If a larger number than anticipated signs up, additional leadership will be engaged.

Boys and girls over 10 years of age and adults may sign up for this trip by making reservations at the Birmingham Y.M.C.A., 400 East Lido. There is a special student rate which includes all expenses of room, meals, entertainment, transportation, tips, and sightseeing.

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Go-Tah-See, the Oakland County Y.M.C.A. Camp has openings in all periods but the others, is filling rapidly. Information on Camps in Michigan may be had by telephoning the "Y." In some cases, application blanks and brochures are available.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Steve Tips the Balance

Was just leaving home this morning when the Missus reminded me to stop at Steve and Al's Meat Market for a pound of hamburger. "Be sure to get it from Steve," she said.

"Why?" I wondered. So when I got to the market I asked Steve if he knew. "I'll tell you, Joe," he said. "Al and I sell the same meat, and a pound is a pound. Maybe it's just that we go at it differently."

"Al loads the scales and takes away 'til he has a pound. But I put too little on and start adding. To your wife—that probably looks a little better buy."

From where I sit, there's always more than one way to approach a thing and still come out fair and square to all. My wife likes a cup of tea with dinner, I prefer a temperate glass of beer. We get along fine. Gets me pretty mad though, when somebody starts "throwing his weight around" and demands that I see things exactly his way.

Joe Marsh

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