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Lightning 'n Leaves Excuse for Fall Fun

Vaughan students didn't give autumn leaves a chance to drift Friday afternoon. They romped about while crews of workmen repaired damage to the Bloomfield Hills school after it was struck by lightning Thursday night.

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Seek Halt To Lathrup Ditch Job

LATHRUP—A petition requesting a halt to all action on the Rouge No. 1 project was handed to the Lathrup council Monday evening.

Carries Ball On Franklin Pool Rules

FRANKLIN—Nobody can say that Councilman Edward Green didn't give a swimming pool ordinance a deep ditch cut near their properties.

Little League Cheerleaders Chant for Victory

Let's go team, let's go team, let's go, let's fight, let's win. That eastern division little league football cheerleaders chanted by Mrs. Earl Bacon and Mrs. A. Robert Borden.



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