

Lathrup
— Cranbrook Village
Dorothy Zetell — EL 6-2039

**Annual Plant Sale Planned
May 22, 23 at St. Bede's**

LATHRUP—Three St. Bede Parish guilds will hold the annual plant sale on the church grounds Friday and Saturday, May 22 and 23. Gardeners may select flats or half flats or individual plants.

The sale will be held from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Friday and from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday. The sale will feature snapdragons, asters, petunias, vegetables, African violets, rosebushes and perennials.

Plant sale chairman are Mrs. George Sevic, Mrs. R. C. Miller, and Mrs. John Kraw.

Harold Haeger was presented with the John Philip Sousa Band Award at last week's Southfield high varsity band concert in the new auditorium.

The award is presented to the outstanding senior band student. Harold, a member of the band for four years, is the group's president and was the drum major of the varsity marching band.

Members of the Lathrup Women's bowling league will meet for lunch at Oakland Hills country club here Tuesday concluding a highly successful season.

All teams in the league were named for precious stones this year. Trophies will be awarded to members of the Ruby team for first place. Members of the league leading team are Mrs. Melvin Humphrey, Mrs. L. G. Cowhick, Mrs. Fred Gentsch, Mrs. Oscar Sarjanian and Mrs. N. H. Nielsen.

A daughter, Heather Yvonne, born April 27 to Mr. and Mrs. Gunnar Hemstrom (Yvonne Yeager, formerly of Lathrup Village) of Warren, Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ernest F. Yeager of Sunset, Lathrup village. Paternal grandparents are the Henry Hemstroms of Stockholm, Sweden.

A circus table was the highlight of a birthday party Saturday for Barbara and Teresa, daughters of Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Fiaschetti of Wilshire road. Both girls celebrated their birthday on April 25. Barbara, celebrating her seventh birthday, had as her guests, Mary Anne Doetsch, Green Fisher, Ann Huber, Kathy Adams, Julie Kircher and Mary Whiting.

Eight-year-old Teresa's guests were LeNora Briggs, Debbie Brown, Mari Fisher, Marcia Murdison, Mary Chris Ott and Sue Ellen Strale. The girls are classmates at the Academy of the Sacred Heart in Bloomfield Hills.

A piano and first music lessons marked this year's birthday for Michelle Dean, daughter of the Gregory W. Deans of 28925 Sunset Drive, will be six Saturday. Michelle's guests will be Marty and Barbara Smathers, Janet Maclean, Lynn Lakota, Bonnie Kobyrsek, Nancy Alt and Debbie Hubler.

Lathrup Co-op Nursery children will enjoy a field trip today to visit a pony owned by a former member of the school staff, Mrs. Ray Slesinski.

Mrs. C. M. Warner, instructor at the nursery school will attend the sixth annual conference of the Michigan Council of Cooperative Nurseries at Kellogg Center in Lansing on May 11 and 12.



Putting on the Air

LATHRUP—American Hamstand took to imaginary air waves last week when Click Dark (Dick Clark) and the entertainment staff of CORN-TV performed at the April meeting of Cub Pack LC-2. Emceeding the show was Larry Eller (center). His fellow entertainers are (left to right) Rickey Smith, playing the guitar, Larry Harris, Billy Carney, Tom Payton, Brady Vibert and Johnny Bull.

**6 Petitions Out
In S'field School
Board Election**

SOUTHFIELD—A highly contested race is expected for the two seats on the Southfield school board, but only one complete petition has been filed to date.

Assistant superintendent of schools Glenn W. Levey said Tuesday that six nominating petitions have been taken from the school district's office for the June election.

First candidate to file was Kenneth Karakostas, 25075 Coral Gables, Southfield.

The term of Letty Larson expires, as does the one-year appointment of Ernest J. Coverdill, named to fill a vacancy when Milton J. Huber was disqualified in last year's election.

Petitions must be filed by 4 p.m. Saturday.



LARRY FISHTAHLER
**Lathrup Scout
Gets Eagle Rank,
Honored at Dinner**

LATHRUP — Larry E. Fishtahler, son of the Vernon F. Fishtahlers of 18220 Wilshire road, Lathrup, was honored Sunday by Boy Scout Troop S-13 for his advancement to Eagle Scout rank.

A court of honor was held at McKinley school for the 13-year-old scout, an eighth grader at Goss school Detroit.

IN ADDITION to his scout activities, Larry is a member of the Catholic Central grade school band, a cello player in the orchestra, has done solo work in dance recitals and participates in art and ceramic classes at Marygrove College.

Other activities include bowling, school service, safety patrol and weekly service to the church.

His family and friends were among the 250 guests present at the dinner.

**Lathrup PTA
Celebrates
Anniversary**

LATHRUP — The tenth birthday is being celebrated by the Lathrup PTA during this month.

It was May, 1949 that the organizing committee met at the home of the Webster Owens to formalize the beginning of the Lathrup school Parent-Teacher association.

Among the organizers who are still active in Lathrup PTA at present are the Webster Owens, John M. Coups and Wendell Doering.

The first officers and committee chairmen who still have children in Lathrup school today are Mrs. John Berner, who was the first recording secretary; Mrs. Joseph Rankin, historian; Mrs. A. E. Little, publicity; and Mrs. John Coup, safety.

THE 88 CHARTER MEMBERS include the Burlin Ackles, Clarence Gildersleeves, C. H. Startzoy, Miss Lucille Gilbert, Miss Kathryn McLean, Mrs. Verna Seymour, and Mrs. Wendell Holmes, in addition to those mentioned above.

At next Tuesday's PTA meeting, May 12, in celebration of Lathrup's tenth year as a PTA, Miss Kathryn McLean, organizing principal, will be honored by being presented with a certificate of Life membership in the Michigan Congress of Parents and Teachers.

Ernest J. Coverdill, trustee of the Southfield Board of Education, will be on hand to explain the millage proposal to be voted on at the school election June 8.

New officers who will be installed by Mrs. Holley Taggart, organizing president of the Lathrup PTA include: Howard Howarth, president; Adolph Simek, father vice president; Mrs. Earl Hoffman, mother vice president; Mrs. Michael Grosko, teacher vice president; Mrs. Kay Good, treasurer; Mrs. C. A. Moyer, recording secretary; Mrs. Robert Diesley, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Bernard Rubiner, Council delegate and Mrs. Donald Forrest, historian.

**Southfield Park
D-Day Is May 16**

Hoping that township men will rally to the call and come marching with shovels and axes over their shoulders, the Southfield township park commission has set Saturday, May 16 for park spruce-up day.

The group set 9 a.m. for 3:30 hour on the war against the park's weeds and overgrowth.

"With 40 acres and the shape they're in," said Southfield Township Supervisor Hugh F. Allerton, Jr. this week, "we can use a couple hundred men easily. Anyone with a power chain saw should bring it."

"THE MAIN thing for workers to do that day is the general clean-up of the woods, refuse and fallen limbs," Allerton said.

The supervisor has had several sessions recently with Richard O. Speir, park commission president, Leo J. Linsenmeyer, Beverly Hills commissioner of parks, recreation and sanitation, and volunteer-Claire DuVall.

The men agreed the most essential improvements needed were a clean-up, street light at entrance-way, repair of the park's log cabin shelter, an open man-hole, entrance gate and fence, plus insect spraying and road grading.

CLAIR DUVAL will direct the repair job on the rundown shelter, which eventually could be used for dances. Anyone with carpentry, roofing, electrical and flooring skills who could help with the project should contact DuVall, of 15220 Lauderdale, Beverly Hills.

In the event of rain, the clean-up will be held the following Saturday.

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