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## Local news in brief: Cops arrest Maryland man in Lake Orion

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### **LAKE ORION: Cops arrest Maryland man; he faces child porn charges**

A Maryland man, wanted on a 30-count warrant that involved child pornography, was arrested Friday near a Big Boy restaurant in Lake Orion, the Oakland County Sheriff's Office said Sunday.

Farmington Hills police called the Sheriff's Office around 4:30 p.m. for help after the 42-year-old man, whose name was not disclosed, was spotted driving in the area of I-75 and Baldwin, near the restaurant. The man was arrested and taken to the Oakland County Jail. He is facing charges of child pornography, use of a communication device with a child and indecent liberties.

It was not known why the man was in Oakland County.

### **WEST BLOOMFIELD: Fund for families in crisis to get boost from Feb. 15 Honey Tree brunch**

To help local residents who need help covering their water bills and other needs, the Greater West Bloomfield Public Interest Group plans to host a fund-raiser from 1 to 3 p.m. Feb. 15, at the Honey Tree restaurant, 33080 Northwestern. Suggested admission is \$25.

### **STERLING HEIGHTS: Dance marathon to raise money for kids who have life-threatening illnesses**

Arthur Murray Dance Studio plans to sponsor a dance marathon fund-raiser for Give Kids the World, a nonprofit resort that provides children who have life-threatening illnesses -- and their families -- a weeklong vacation.

Dancing for Dreams is to take place from 8 to 11 p.m. Friday at the Arthur Murray studio, 35836 Van Dyke. Participants are encouraged to collect pledges or donate \$15 at the door.

For information, call the dance studio at 586-977-2121 weekdays from 1 to 10 p.m.

### **DETROIT: Celebrate grand reopening today at the Police Department's 10th Precinct**

The Detroit Police Department's 10th Precinct is to have a public grand reopening at noon today with a ribbon-cutting ceremony at the building, which closed in 2005 after budget cuts forced city officials

to consolidate precincts into districts.

The precinct is at 12000 Livernois.

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