

Names & faces

Lohan's a doll -- or will be one, anyway

February 16, 2005

Lindsay Lohan, 18-year-old bosomy starlet and pop singer, is getting the Barbie treatment. Yes, a new doll made in her likeness will be dressed in full red-carpet splendor, wearing a beige dress and a faux fur-trimmed coat.

The Mattel doll comes with a director's chair and her very own velvet rope, the company announced. Part of the toy maker's "My Scene" line, the Lohan doll is due out in June and will set you back about \$30.

The first peek at the Lohan doll will come at the annual American International Toy Fair, which starts Sunday in New York and ends Feb. 23.

Trump's marriage odds

Then there's this heartwarming news. "If **Donald Trump** and his new wife **Melania** stay together, they'll be bucking the national average for a younger woman marrying a twice-divorced older man," says **Beverly Pekala**, nationally known divorce lawyer and the author of "Don't Settle for Less: A Guide to Divorce." According to national averages, second and third marriages are much more likely than first marriages to end in divorce. She reasons Donald Trump may have learned how to write the perfect prenuptial agreement from his first two marriages, so Melania may have to have children to protect herself financially.

BRIEFLY

Chosen: Nationally known filmmakers and arbiters **Jonathan Caouette**, **Matt McCormick** and **Shelly Silver** as judges for the 43rd Ann Arbor Film Festival March 15-20 at the Michigan Theater.

Streaming: All programming of ABC-owned news-talk WJR-AM (760) at www.760wjr.com. Translation? Sminty's Friday 7 a.m.-hour chats with **Paul W. Smith** can now be heard worldwide!

Raised: By Infinity-owned country station WYCD-FM (99.5) \$510,529 for St. Jude Children's Research Hospital in Memphis during its radiothon last week. Morning man **Dr. Don Carpenter** returned to kick off the event at the Oakland Mall; a decision on something more permanent may come this week.

Stricken: Fox News Channel political contributor and former Detroit News columnist **Tony Snow**, 49, with colon cancer. Doctors told Snow that his prognosis is good.

Appearing: Craig Barker, a Livonia history teacher, on the "Jeopardy Ultimate Tournament of Champions" running for 15 weeks. The show is on WDIV-TV (Channel 4) 7:30 p.m. weekdays.

Visiting: The Detroit area, **Ivan Surkos**, consul general of the Slovak Republic to the United Nations, through Thursday. **Ed Zelenak**, honorary Detroit consul, is hosting. Details at 313-386-6400.