

Mum organises vigil for Chantal

A VIGIL is being held for Chantal McCorkle who is serving a prison sentence in America for fraud.

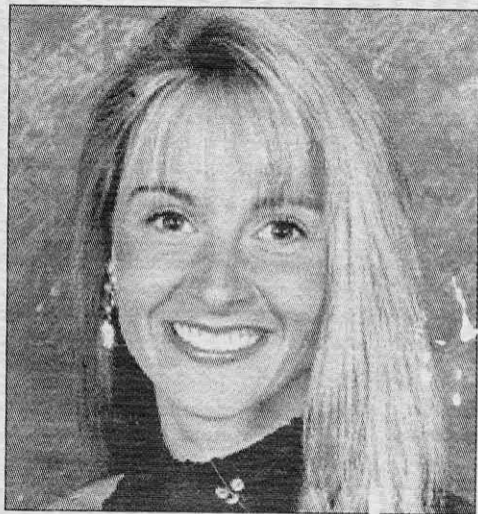
It will take place outside the US Embassy in London on September 1 to mark six years since the start of her trial.

Chantal, 35, is serving 24-and-a-half years in a US jail for her part in selling a get-rich quick property scheme on American television with her husband William.

A US court found her guilty of fraud, money laundering and making false statements. She was jailed in 1999.

Chantal's mother, Diane Forrester, of The Frithe, Wexham, Slough, is hoping to get 2,129 e-mails of support or attendances at the vigil – one for each day her daughter has served.

The vigil is being held outside the embassy in Grosvenor Square between 10.30am and 1.30pm.



■ Chantal McCorkle