Sub CreateTransactionADO()

    Dim conn As ADODB.Connection
    On Error GoTo ErrorHandler
    Set conn = New ADODB.Connection
    With conn
        .Provider = "Microsoft.Jet.OLEDB.4.0"
        ' identify remote database to connect to (won't work with DB containing this macro)
        .ConnectionString = "Data Source=" & CurrentProject.Path & "\class.mdb"
        .Open
        .BeginTrans

        ' insert a new lunch record
        .Execute "INSERT INTO Lunch VALUES (17, #12/15/1998#, 209)"

        ' insert the items for that lunch
        .Execute "INSERT INTO Lunch_item VALUES (17, 1, 1)"
        .Execute "INSERT INTO Lunch_item VALUES (17, 2, 1)"
        .Execute "INSERT INTO Lunch_item VALUES (17, 3, 1)"

        .CommitTrans
        .Close
        MsgBox "All four inserts completed."
    End With

ExitHere:
    Set conn = Nothing
    Exit Sub

ErrorHandler:
    If Err.Number = -2147467259 Then  ' problem with opening database
        MsgBox Err.Description
        Resume ExitHere
    Else
        MsgBox Err.Description
        With conn
            .RollbackTrans
            .Close
        End With
        Resume ExitHere
    End If

End Sub