

Letters To The Editor

Why Schools Need Millage

EDITOR:
This is a plea to all Farmington residents to give serious thought to the Farmington schools millage election on April 24. As you know, the Michigan Supreme Court ruled that all text books and supplies must be furnished by our school district. This was a cost previously assumed by the parents, but has now been passed on to an already overburdened budget. Due to the financial stress of the budget, our district has been unable to keep up with the "latest" texts available. It has even become necessary for volunteers to mimeograph certain basic texts in order for each student to have the material necessary for everyday class studies. Multitext, the use of several texts in a given study, is merely a "longed for desire" of many of our educators and students. Our school library books are rapidly wearing out, fortunately, due to extensive use by our students. The funds are unavailable to replace these volumes, or to add new ones to our depleting supply. Your "Yes" vote April 24 is required to provide the kind of education our children need and deserve. VIVIAN M. JUROSEK Farmington



TIM MULLIN, one-year-old, is held by father David Mullin to get a closer look at Easter bunny. But Tim seems more interested in the lins being formed for the egg hunt about to take place under guidance of the Farmington Area Jaycees in Farmington City Park Saturday morning. (Evert photo)

Club Members Help Library

FARMINGTON
The Welcome Wagon Club of Farmington held a card party - fashion show recently to raise money for the new Farmington Township Library on 12 Mile Road last September. Not only has the club raised funds for the library, but also each week members volunteer to assist the library staff in unpacking, sorting, stamping and repairing books, cataloging cards and other miscellaneous tasks that are required. The volunteers are: Ann Weyher, Anne Nelson, Rachel Kennington, Betty Lister, Margaret Lockwood, Donna Olson, Lorry Rufus, Betty Sullivan, Ann Kenard, Karen Whittemore, Kay Gallagher and Mary Monnier.

Honor Bennett

Thomas Bennett, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Bennett of Alta Loma, Farmington, has been named to the dean's list for the fall semester at Ferris State College, Big Rapids. Bennett, a junior studying industrial arts, graduated from Farmington High School in 1969.

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In Kappa Phi

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Miss Sue Darling of Farmington was recently initiated into the Kappa Phi Club at Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo. Kappa Phi is a women's service organization and is part of the campus ministry program of the United Methodist Church centered in The Wesley Foundation.

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