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the Farmington area to be picked up on a first-come-first-served basis before the week is one of the week is one. The Farmington Community Arts Council calendar makes its return with a bicentennial edition of \$000 copies because our 2000 copies last year were gone in a couple of days, said Marlowe Belanger, president of the local council. "None will be mailed," she added. "because it's just too costly."

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The Oakland County Bicentennial Year Calendar of Events, sporeored by the Oakland County Bicentennial Commission, is marked with the special events which will take place in each of the county's 50 commanties, but only 300 of the calendars has been allotted to each community.

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The arts council calendar follows its traditional format with listings of the year's activities that come from dozens of participating local organizations. There is a bit written to identify the workings of each group, the dates of regular meetings and telephone numbers for membership inquiries.

Space for personal note-jotting has been enlarged in the 1976 edition, and it can be hung from the top or from the middle, kept inside of a loose leaf notebook, or stood up

The Farmington Public Library staff act as a clearing house for all of the information which pours in from groups wanting listings in the calendar, and it will begin the same routine again in March for the 1977 calendar.

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The next bicentennial event in January which involves five counties, ancluding Oakland, is a Johnny Horizons Workshop set for Saturday, Jan. 31, in Macomb. Community. College.

Ten different sessions are planned for the all-day youth affair 'to get kids interested in new clean-up cam-paigns, new programs, plantings — get them thinking about new hor-zons." Mrs. Belanger said

Closer to home, the next big event Mrs. Belanger will be involved in is a county bicentennial dance scheduled for May in the Raleigh House.

Locally, some of the big events corning up are the Literary Citizenship Awards set for Botsford Inn in Pebruary, a Grand Old Flag Concert in Harrison High School Audionium, set for Valentine's Day, and an Artst in Residence program, also in February

Mrs. Belanger has just accepted an appointment to the newly created Oak-land County Cultural Commission. Her seat on the commission will repre-sent both the Farmington Community Arts Council and the Michigan Coun-cil of the Arts.

irit. CUENTY CALENDAR follows much the same format, taken from the popularity of the local calendar, spearheaded by Mrs. Belanger who is special events chairman of the county's bicentennial commission.

It lists the Farmington activities as starting off in January with the "Ex.

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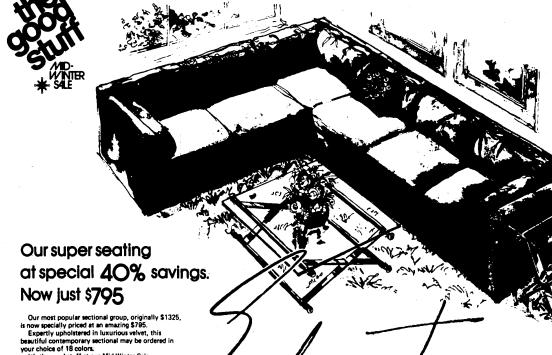
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