Essay winner leaves for Caracas

A junior at North Farmington High School is one of nine students in Michigar who has been selected by Youth For Understanding and the Michigan Jaycees to be a Bicentennial Courier.

Cindy May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford May, 2020 Glenarden; in addition to winning an essay contest got her wish to stay in a Spanish speaking country

itiated by YFU for the bicentennial yea It called for bontestants to write an essa with the title "Sharing Between Cou

In a letter of congratulations from YFU headquarters in Michigan executive director Philip H. Vasinchi saud. "We have chosen you as a Bicentennial Courier because we are proud of your accompliaments and we are certain of your ability as an outstanding statement of the hopes of America on her 200th birthday."

CINDV'S WIN was an all expense pard

stay. "The only thing it's costing us is her physical exam, her passport and her ciothes" said Mrs. May

When Cindy was notified she had won the finals in this area, she knew she would be leaving with 150 other winners in the United States some time in June. They would be departing to any one of a number of countries abroad. But she didn't find out until this week that it was to be South America, where she would be able to utliase her past three years of study in Span-

She has already traveled to Laming, for

an orientation session, where a bonus along the way for her was meeting President Gerald Ford, in town that day cam-

EACH OF THE YFU international committees abroad has arranged special activities for the Bicentennial Couriers assigned

As a courier, Cindy will meet leading members of city and national governments as a representative of the United States. She will be an integral part of various becontented activities, presenting effits and citations from Michigan, to the officials

The American Revolution Bicentenna Administration, in Washington, D.C. has a lected the YFU Bicentennial Courier pn gram as an international youth program

Vasimiti said, "All indicators point to this project as a significant contribution to the bicentennial celebration. We are confident of Cindy's ability to continue to help us to fostier greater international understanding between the people of this country and the rest of the world."

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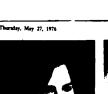
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Family Fun Fair

David Farber and his sister Hillary dress up and cavort atop a drain tile on Adat Shalom Synagogue grounds, with Michael Silverstein, left, and Al Farber. They are ready for Family Fun Fair set for May 31. The carnival, to run

from 11 a.m. until 8 p.m., will offer 25 booths, games, food and entertainment sponsored by the synagogue's congregation. There is no admission to the fair grounds.



KATHLEEN DREVER



JAMES RANDOLPH



EAN SCHUMACHE

3 win PTA scholarships

Three Farmington area students were wanded scholarships at a meeting of the Farmington Area Council of PTAs at Far view Elementary School on May 18 Receipients were Kathleen Dreyer of Har rison High School, Jean Schurnscher on Joseth Farmonton High School and James

North Farmington High School and James Randolph of Farmington High School The Gerald V. Harrison Scholarships named in honor of a former school superin tendent, are worth \$300 each. They were made possible through support of the Farmington Elementary PTAs by direct contribution to the fund and by participa tion in an annual fund raising project Jean Schumacher, daughter of Mr. ans Mrs C. E. Schumacher, 2844 Ravenacrof in Farmington Hills, plains to attend the in Farmington Hills, plains to attend the school of school school of University of Michigan as a pre-med student. Her activities include marching band, German Club, Methodist Youth Fellowship and working part-time She is also a member of the National Honor Society and is an above studied.

and is an honor student. A Kathleen Dreyer, daughter of Mr. as Maymond Dreyer, Student Seeden and Mrs. Raymond Dreyer. 3015. Federal Mrs. Raymond Dreyer. 3015. Federal Mrs. A Mr

dolph and the late Mr Randolph. 240

Middlieht in Farmington Hills plans to asmed Chinestay of Michagan echol of engineering. His activities include captan of the Gym Team, senor photographer for the yearbook succeptesident of Photography Culo, member of Psy Culo, member of National Honor Society. Eagle Scott, working part time as a lab technician in demail lab.

The Farmington Area Scholarship Comnative is composed of three members from PTA Council Mrs Robert Brewer. Mrs Richard Tupper and Mrs Richard H Schenkel Rechard Tupper and Grand and extra-currental activities, as well as counsion references and scholastic aptitude scores



Festival works its way toward being a tradition

"Gateway to the World." Farmington Community Center's ethnic festival, which drew an estimated 20,000 people this past weekend, is on it's way to becoming a tra-

"The committee was designed and we have received loads of compliments from guests who said they have never before seen an ethnic festival of this calibre." said Alberta Taylor, director of the center.

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The festival gate was without a turnstile, so the count was a guess, though committee members are quite sure the crowd was almost double than its first effort last

Mrs. Taylor believes the favorable response was due, in part, at least to the non-commercial aspect of the festival

body's home kitchen. I'm sure that makes a difference, she said. There was also more entertainment and more creek booths.

HOW MUCH MONEY the Sestival will bring to the center is still not known, though Mrs. Taylor says the festival is put or "because it's a beautiful thing to do" as much as it is a thing to raise money Braging water into the center, a large electrical repair bill and the renovation of the outdoor stage has taken up most of the profits realized from both festivals. An all of these stems were necessary before

"Eventually it might ham into a res money-making thing for us, but for no it's good for the continuantly and it helps u acquaint a lot of people with the center "We have a beautiful setting." she said "and this seems a beautiful way to show

councilman, was overall chairman for the

three-day event. He worked with "an untold number of volunteers." Mrs. Taylor

Her concern this week is thanking the cummittee. "and their wives and whole families and friends and neighbors who spent endless hours in preparation."

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Fifty volunteers on Friday, 90 on Saturday, and 90 again on Sunday, worked in the house and on the grounds making the festival a success.

 By the numbers that turned out for the festival. Mrs. Taylor said. "The commirity showed us that they liked it as much as we liked outling it on."



