# Kids write about keeping Farmington beautiful

By LORAINE McCLISH

Farmington school children put their thoughts about beautifying the community down on paper this spring and an amazingly high number of them zeroed in on eliminating litter. An equally amazing number wanted the police, or the mayor, or the president, or whoever it is that's in charge of these things to impose a fine, or mete out punishment for the offender. The thoughts stemmed from the children of the control of the contr

mete out punishment for the offender. The thoughts stemmed from the children's essay contest, sponsored by the City of Farmington Beautification Committe, open to all students from first to-niath grade, and chaired by Joanne McShane.

Jan Ambris walked away with the first prize. Amy Rauch took second, Jan Ambris walked away with the first prize. Amy Rauch took second, and Jeff Fisher came in third in the contest that brought in just under 400 entries.

The youngsters added drawings or colorful borders to their essays, and Kathy Pichurski, a seventh grader from East Junior High, put new words to the tune of the U.S. Marine Byrnn to put across her point. Many children composed poems.

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ONE OF THE threads that ran through the essays was the mention of broken glass, or sharp, edgey cans, and the physical danger that that implies. No one told that they had ever been hurt by these things, but that they were aware of them was quite exident.

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Another thread had to do with organ-izing neighborhood clean-up com-mittees. Joh Hund, from Longacre Elementary School, suggested Boy and Girl Scout Troops clean up the parks. Sally Ebel, from Longacre, sug-gested getting neighborhood friends to-gested getting neighborhood friends to-

gether to go out on cleaning jaunts. Laurie Levinson, from Eagle, just wanted "everybody to get together" on the common goal. Michele Puzsan, from Forest, wants "everybody to do his share."

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While many suggested that cleaning up trash might be a good way for themselves to make money, and others suggested paying someone else to do it. Jan Ambris' winning essay was called "Don't Pass the Buck."

The ninth grader from East Junior High wrote, in part, about those who want someone else to clean up after them. They don't realize that by being lazy they waste time, money, and labor, and contribute to pollution.

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Amy Rauch, the second place win-ner, and a third grader at Beechview, put it pretty strong: "If people don't start helping now we are going to be living in a dump when we grow up."

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Kenbrook who took third prize, wants
happy beople in Farmington, living in
a happy, clean place, OF ALI, OF the
suggestions on how to get residents to
60 something about the litter, the one
that would sure do the trick comes
from Shelley Striewski, a student at
East Junior High: Figure out a way,
she suggested, to make cleanliness
the latest American craze.

Lisa Schwab, a third grader at Gill, says she doesn't like gas stations and stores that are dirty and dusty. Barbara Martin, a sixth grader at Eagle, goes one step further by saying, "Tell people if they can't keep their shop clean that they can't keep it open."

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brook, suggests we keep our own house clean before telling others what they should do.

Connie Higgins, from East Junior High, thinks littering is "a serious crime." John Clements from Kenbrook came down hard on vandals and vandalism.

The youngsters covered everything from re-painting yellow street lane lines to their gripe about teenagers who speed around corners too fast.

Stacie Reda, a seventh grader at East Junior High, seemed to sum up the whole to-do by saying. "To keeb Farmington beautiful, you first have to respect it, be loyal to it, be proud of it.









## Town Hall season announced

Reporter Jack Anderson will open Northville Town Hall's 17th season rext fall with monologist Betty Jo Hawkens and balladeer Blll Schustik following. The series will conclude with Olivia de Havilland, Oscar-win-

with Olivia de Havilland, Oscar-win-ring actress.

Announcement of next season's pro-gram is made by Mrs. Richard Booms, who takes over charimanship of the Town Hall, sponsored by Our Lady League of Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church.

The lectures and luncheons will be held at 11 a.m. at the Plymouth Hilton

Inn. As in past years, the first lecture will be on a Wednesday with the following three on Thursdays.

The lecture ticket will be \$15 and any be ordered now by sending a check to Northville Town Hall, Box 3. The price, the committee says, had to be raised from the \$12 of recent years in order to continue first-rate programming.

ANDERSON, WHO will appear Oct. 12, took over the "Washington Merry; Go-Round" when Drew Pearson died in 1969. He ahd joined Pearson's staff

in 1947. He also is Washington editor of Parade magazine and does a syndicated TV news commentary. Relentless digging has made him one of America's top investigative reporters, but he is nothing like the Hollywood version of the hard-drinking, hard-swearing news hound. A "practiciting Mormon, he taches Sunday School and delivers an occasional sermon. He does not drink, swear or smoke. He avoids cocktail parties and is more likely to be found romping with his nine children.



TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH





### Trinity celebrates 25th anniversary

Trinity Episcopal Church, located at 28800 LaMuera Drive, in Farmington Hills, celebrates its 25th anniversary with a variety of events June 35. Previous rectors will be honored guests at the occasions, along with the present rector, Rev. John K. Hooner.

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The Rev. Joseph Pelham leads off the anniversary celebration at 7:30 p.m. June 3 in the parish hall when he will talk on "Challenges to a Parish's

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ese.
It was organized in 1953 while the
Rt. Rev. Richard S. Emrich was Bishop, as a mission of St. Martin Church
in Redford, with Rev. James Moris as

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Rev. Pelham was asked by the ves-try to become rector of the parish in 1963 when Guinan was called to the staff of the former Parish Field Com-munity in Brighton.

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Rev. Pelham was the first black Espiscopal priest to shephard an all-white suburban congregation. After six successful years, he became professor of field education at Colgate Rochester-Bexley Hall Divinity School.

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Rev Hooper was called to the rectorship from St. John's in Howell. Heserves now with Rev. Merry Hunt,
Christian Education Consultant.

Over the years the vestry, trying to
establish parish goals relevant to life,
hammered out its crietorn, its reason
for being, as "A Worship and Training Center to Prepare Christians for
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This standard, 'one of the church spokesman said, has guided the parish to helping its community development of the parish to helping its community development of the more controversial issues that descend upon their daily liveled the congregation to actively relate the Christian faith to the living events of the world."

The latest edition to the church edifice was made in 1873 when the parish built added space for the social and educational functions necessary to the calous, it; high set for the innervent.

Visibles were welcome to the anniversity events.

### Coed gets major award

Joann Cadovich, a Central Michigan Univer-sity junior from Farm-ington, has received the Jane McNamara Out-standing Physical Educa-tion Major award for 1977.

Sponsored by Delta Psi Kappa, honorary physical education fraternity, the award recognition of the physical education department and to the Ms. Cadovich, who is currently a resident assistant in Tate Hall on campus, has been a member of the Dean's Advisory Council of the School of Health and Physical Education and Recreation, the Hoppr's Council on Residence Souncil and Residence

As the award recipi-ent, she will receive a scholarship and will have her name appear on the permanent award

