

On The LIBRARY Line



Book lovers plunge into February's activities, fun

By DENISE MOLL

During February, the Farmington Library promises to brighten up the dreary mid-winter.

For adults, the Farmington Hills branch will present an eight week film

showing of the award winning series "Roots." Beginning at 7 p.m., Feb. 21 and continuing weekly through April 11, the production, based on the Alex Haley book, will be shown in its entirety.

It won't be long until Easter and if you'd like to make this holiday a special one for you and your family attend the Ukrainian Egg painting workshop to be held at the Farmington Hills branch from 1-3 p.m., Feb. 7. Regis-

tration is necessary; a materials fee of \$1.50 will be charged. Call Carole Lund at 553-0300 for additional details and registration information.

The Farmington branch library continues its lively book discussions on

Thursday mornings at 10. February's selections include Allan Silcott's "The Larkness of the Long Distance Runner" on Feb. 9 and "The Clewiston Test" by Kate Wilhelm, on Feb. 23. For additional information, call Roz Narbutas at 474-7770.

JUNIOR high school students are invited to join the Young Adult Book Discussion group, which meets at the Farmington Hills Library. On Wednesday, Feb. 8, from 4-5 p.m., "The City" by Theodore Taylor will be discussed. Copies are available at the library. If you plan to attend, please call 553-0300 and let Barbara Walker know.

The Young Adult department will also offer a program on beer can collecting. This program, open to all will feature guest speaker Don Bessler and a trading session at the end of the program. Join the fun Wednesday, Feb. 4,

at 7:30 p.m. at the Farmington Branch Library.

In honor of Valentine's Day, families are invited to celebrate with us at our annual Valentine Family Story Hour. The program will be held once at each building, Feb. 9 at 7:30 p.m. at the Farmington Hills branch (553-0300) and Tuesday, Feb. 14 at 7:30 p.m. at the Farmington Branch Library (474-7770). Registration is necessary, please call to sign your family up for this delightful program.

Registration for children's programs begins Friday, Feb. 10 from 9-11 a.m., by a parent, thereafter by telephone. This session features story hours, crafts, and a Winnie the Pooh party for pre-schoolers and cooking, puppet science, music and creative writing for older children. Call a children's librarian or stop in at either library for full details.

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Community Center sends an alert

The Farmington Community Center issued an alert this week to all persons who have registered for classes and, or, events that have been rescheduled due to the weather.

Most persons were notified by volunteers who manned telephones throughout the recent snow storm that all classes set to start on Jan. 26 and 27 were pushed back one week.

Consequently some of those classes are still open for registration.

Workshops that have been rescheduled are Creative Writing, Wine Tasting and Income Tax.

Iris Sanderson Jones, a teacher at Oakland University, will begin her cre-

ative writing workshop in a casual round table setting on Feb. 8. The eight-session class runs from 1-3 p.m.

The course stresses the professional writer's approach to writing while helping the participants to develop their own work on an individual basis. THE THREE session wine tasting workshop, led by Joseph Ganci, is now set to run Feb. 23, March 7 and 14, when participants will learn which are the best of American wines and how they compare with the wines of Europe. Wines, bread and cheese are included in the \$24 fee.

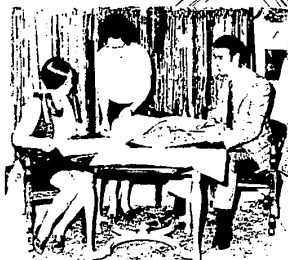
The income tax workshop has been rescheduled for Feb. 21, 28, and March 3, from 8-10 p.m. each evening with Harry S. Thompson.

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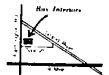
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