



**GOOD CLEAN FUN** — Ted DeBaene, Farmington DPW director, recently accepted a gift of 10 new litter barrels from the STAGS, local boys' club. Making the presentation were Robert June, club president, Mike Gladchun, Curt Stokes and Mark Haron. The gift is just one of the many community efforts STAGS members undertake.

## Record School Budget Hearing Set Monday

The largest operating school budget in Farmington history will be offered for public discussion as part of the Board of Education meeting Monday, Aug. 12.

Expenditures for the 1968-69 academic year are estimated at \$11,105,000 in the proposed document, and the public hearing is set for 8 p.m. in the school administration building.

While this will be the one opportunity for residents of the school district to voice opinions on school budgetary policies, the board itself will not take final action on the projection until later to August. By law, this must be done prior to Sept. 1.

Inasmuch as wage negotiations between teams representing the more than 700 teachers and the board still are proceeding, it is impossible to pinpoint what the exact teacher salary load will be.

Monday's discussion, then, holds the likelihood of being devoted more to general categories than specifics.

During the recently ended school year, the district's operating expenses were estimated at \$9,351,525. An audit to determine the exact figure is now in progress, but even with minimal corrections it appears that the year's deficit will exceed \$900,000. This will be made up from a cash reserve.

Key factors in the board's pegging its potential expenditures for the coming year at a figure \$1.7 higher than the cost of operations for the past year are three.

1. An anticipated increase in enrollment from 15,265 pupils to more than 16,100, necessitating 44 more instructors.
2. The opening of the new Power Junior High School, with accompanying costs of maintenance and staff.
3. An anticipated increase in teacher salaries and fringe benefits of at least 10 per cent.

Total expenditures per pupil are estimated at \$689.75 compared with \$616.61 for 1967-68 and \$515.38 for 1966-67.

Dr. and Mrs. Richard Knight and children, Paul, Patty, and Rustie, are new residents of Colony Park Subdivision having moved here from Iowa. Dr. Knight is formerly of Redford Township while Mrs. Knight is from San Antonio, Texas. Dr. Knight is on the staff at Botsford Hospital.

Mrs. Mable Burgess of Peppermill Rd. was at her daughter's home in Garden City when she entertained her sister and brother in law, the Harold Gaffneys of Albany, New York, and her two sisters, Mrs. Gilbert Fisher of Warehouse Point, Conn., and Mrs. Fred Orvis of Windsor Locks, Conn. for two weeks.

Mrs. Patrick W. McCarthy formerly of Farmington fell down the stairs at her home and broke her right arm in two places. Mrs. McCarthy is the former Eva E. Ross.

Dr. and Mrs. David Nolan and family are recent residents of Fox Grove Farmington having moved here from Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Quinn and children, Gulle, Ann Margaret and Frank, are currently vacationing Thousands Islands, Canada.

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# Powell Trounces Opponents

West Bloomfield Justice of the Peace Christian Powell trounced three opponents Tuesday for the Republican nomination to the Oakland County Board of Supervisors in the 18th District.

The District includes West Bloomfield and the north end of Farmington Township -- including the Kendallwoods.

Powell has been the leader of the anti-Romney forces in the Oakland County portion of the 18th District for the past two years.

**FINAL VOTE TALLIES WERE:**  
Powell, 1,290; former West Bloomfield Township Trustee John F. Warren, 1,165; John Dent of Orchard Lake, 245; and Wayne H. Francisco of Walled Lake, 328.

In the Democratic primary for the same seat Attorney Michael J. Kelly beat out Paul F. Livingston, the Democratic nominee for the 14th State Senatorial seat in 1966, by three votes. Final vote totals in this contest were: Kelly, 360; Livingston, 347.

Three public meetings are scheduled this month by the Out-County Unit of the Oakland County Commission on Economic Opportunity (OCCEO).

Purpose of the OCCEO public meetings is to give interested persons an opportunity to participate in program planning, to offer suggestions and discuss problems.

Location of the meeting for the Farmington-Clareville area is North Farmington Baptist Church, 32500 13 Mile Rd., Farmington Township, at 8 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 15.

Residents from the Novi, Walled Lake, South Lyon and West Bloomfield district will meet at 8 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 13, in the Novi Methodist Church, 43469 Grand River, Novi.

Livingston said that he would not request a recount, but would "bow to the wishes of the electorate."

Local Farmington votes for the candidates followed the district-wide trend. In the township vote cast were: Powell, 563; Warren, 275; Dent, 160; and Francisco, 61. The Democratic candidates tied in Farmington with both drawing 105 votes.

IN THE 17th District for the county governing board, neither Republican DeLoe Hamlin nor Democrat Gerald A. Freedman faced primary opposition.

Hamlin, who is currently chairman of the county board, pulled 667 vote in the City of Farmington and 1,046 votes in the township for a total of 1,713. Freedman drew 178 city votes and 407 township ballots for a total of 585.

The 17th District includes generally the southern sections of the township and the city. In November the voters will elect one man to represent the district on the county board. In both contests the Republicans are expected to win the seats.

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