

Science fair is slated

The Farmington Hills Branch Library, 3272 Twelve Mile, will present a science fair to science fiction fans from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. April 18. It will be presented in conjunction with the Great Lakes Association of Rocketry and will include an aerospace model rocket program. There will be an introduction to model rocketry which will include plastic and flying model construction, contest and sport modeling, design and flight problems and a flight demonstration.

The all-day program will include science fiction, Star Trek and NASA films. Booths will display space photographs, space art, space stamps and model rocket displays.

A rocket flight demonstration will be at 12:30 p.m. The program is free.

The Rev. Al Brickner, a staff member of Jews for Jesus, will be at the Forest Hills Missionary Church, 30623 Twelve Mile, Farmington Hills, at 9:45 a.m. and 11 a.m. on Sunday. The public is invited.



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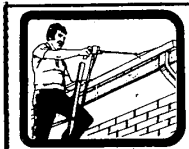
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Mike Lanigan of the Farmington High School Symphony Band gets ready for the band's trip to North Park College. The trip is sponsored by the Music Patrons of Farmington High School. Students left on Tuesday and will be back on Friday. The symphony band is a 55-member ensemble and the stage band is a 25-member group. (Staff photo)

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Geddes is appointed Ex-Cell-O executive

Allan Geddes, of Bloomfield Hills, has been named an executive vice-president of the Ex-Cell-O Corporation. The appointment is effective July 1.

Geddes was a group vice-president of the corporation since 1972. His new assignment will include responsibility for the corporation's packaging systems, aerospace and Greenlee groups.

A native of Rockford, Ill., Geddes has a BS in mechanical engineering from the South Dakota School of Mines and Technology. He was awarded an honorary doctorate in engineering by the school in 1972. He is a member of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers.



ALLAN GEDDES

Seniors oppose high-rise

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"An awful lot of older people like to cook their own meals. You can eat when you feel like it. With separate apartments, you can go to sleep when you feel like it," said Mrs. Kudla.

While Mrs. Farrell likes the idea of cooking her own meals, she'd also enjoy the option of eating in a dining room with others.

"But I don't know if that would be a practical thing to have," she admitted.

"I want to cook my own meals, insisted Mrs. Helen Schoenherr of Farmington.

"If I have a choice between cooking and eating in a community dining room, I'd choose to cook my own meals," agreed Mrs. Loretta Adams of Farmington.

SENIORS INDICATED they would be willing to pay between \$50-\$200 a month in rent to be able to live in an apartment complex designed especially for them.

"We're very fortunate. Our house is clear," said Mrs. Turner. "And we'd be able to pay about \$200 a month for rent."

"But some people only get \$200 a

month. I'd say the rent should be less than \$100," said Mrs. Kudla. "It's important to have your own door and to have places you can walk to such as stores — especially if you don't drive."

Mrs. Averill opted for \$200-\$240 a month as a fair price.

"It took years of saving and planning to be able to afford it. But I'm a senior, not a young person. What would I save the money for now? It's dreadful to go to a convalescent home."

"There's a definite need for senior housing," she said.

Mrs. Emily Keiminen, Farmington, owns her trailer but would be willing to pay between \$50 and \$72 a month for a seniors' apartment, if she felt she needed to move.

"Seniors should have a cheaper rent," she said.

The seniors also said they would appreciate aid in meeting the rent from the government.

"They never think of the mid-income person," said Mrs. Farrell. "It's all for the lower-income people. We don't get anything extra."

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