

Community Calendar

SING, MY GUITAR

Monday, May 22: "Sing, My Guitar," Yiddish and Russian concert sponsored by Labor Zionist Alliance and Workmen's Circle, at 8 p.m. in Oak Park High School. Tickets at \$5 available by calling Workmen's Circle, 626-6016.

OFF-SHORE SAILING

Monday, May 22: One classroom session and three on-the-water classes teach the techniques of off-shore sailing beginning at 7 p.m. tonight with optional times for visits to Lake St. Clair, sponsored by Farmington Hills Parks and Recreation Department. Registration is necessary by calling the sponsoring office, 474-6115. Fee is \$35.

ONE-WOMAN SHOW

Monday, May 22: One-woman show exhibiting the works of Jean Rothenberg, a member of Farmington Artists Club, in Farmington Community Library on Liberty, through May 31.

Personal growth classes will start

A personal growth program will begin with a free orientation meeting from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. May 31 in University Presbyterian Church, 1385 S. Adams, Rochester, sponsored by the Continuum Center for Adult Counseling and Leadership Training of Oakland University.

Six sessions will follow on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays through June 14. The fee for the six sessions is \$35.

LUNCH AND CARDS

Tuesday, May 23: Annual luncheon and card party sponsored by Blessed Sacrament Monastery Guild, at 12:30 p.m. in Monaghan Council Knights of Columbus Hall, 19801 Farmington Road. Tickets at \$5 each available by calling Mrs. James Meeker, 851-3774.

CHAT WITH THE AUTHOR

Tuesday, May 23: "Chat With The Author" session with guest authors Martha and Wade Dickerson at 7:30 p.m. in Farmington Hills Community Library on Twelve Mile. No charge.

SCULPTURED WIRE TREE

Wednesday, May 24: One-session workshop with Betty Haynes teaches how to make a bonsai-type wire tree trimmed with shell flowers and jewels at 9:30 a.m. in Farmington Community Center. Reservations are necessary by calling the center, 477-8404.

CHAMPAGNE PRELUDE

Wednesday, May 24: Champagne

Among the group leader staff is Shirley Aune of Farmington.

The sessions will stress techniques for more effective communication. Participants will have the opportunity to discuss and practice various methods of communication in small peer groups.

Advance registration is being taken now at the Continuum Center in Rochester, 377-3033.

Prelude, an evening of art and music sponsored by Farmington Musicale, begins at 8 p.m. in Mercy Center. Eleven Mile and Middlebelt. Donation of \$1 asked at the door.

ART AUCTION

Wednesday, May 24: Art auction, benefit for "Adopt an Animal From the Detroit Zoo," coordinated by Classic Studios of Utica, in Longacre Elementary School, 34850 Arandel, begins with art preview at 7 p.m. Donation is \$1 at the door.

COMMISSION ON AGING

Wednesday, May 24: Farmington Area Commission on Aging regular monthly meeting has been postponed to this date at 7:30 p.m. in Farmington Hills City Hall, 5155 Eleven Mile. Open to all interested persons.

OPEN HOUSE

Thursday, May 25: Open House in the new Novi Montessori Center, located in Orchard Hills Baptist Church, 23455 Novi Road, south of Ten Mile, 7-10 p.m. Persons wishing information on the new center may call Usha Mangrulkar, 477-3621.

LUNCH AND CARDS

Thursday, May 25: Luncheon and card party sponsored by Blue Star Mothers of Farmington at noon in American Legion Hall, 3178 Grand River. Tickets available through Mrs. A. C. Stevenson, 474-3384.

FLAGS, BAGS AND BUTTERED POPCORN

Saturday, May 27: "Flags, Bags and Buttered Popcorn," staged by 7th to 9th graders who study dramatics in Farmington Community Center, in the center at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Tickets at \$1 each must be reserved by calling the center, 477-8404.

MAYFEST

Saturday through Monday, May 27-29: "Mayfest," sponsored by the Finnish Center Association, in the Finnish Cultural Center offers games, rides, food, bingo, sports competition, flea market, hand-crafts and Finnish artifacts, on Saturday from noon to 11 p.m.; Sunday from 8:30 a.m. to 11 p.m.; Monday from noon to 6 p.m. Entertainment every afternoon; dancing every evening. No charge to the grounds on Eight Mile, west of Farmington Road.

ART SHOW

Saturday and Sunday, May 27-28: Art show displaying the works of the students at Our Lady of Mercy High School, in the school gym, Middlebelt and Eleven Mile, 1-9 p.m. Saturday and 1-7 p.m. Sunday. No charge.

ANTIQUE SHOW

Sunday and Monday, May 28-29: Antique Show in Botsford Inn, Grand River west of Eight Mile. Noon to 10 p.m. Sunday and noon to 8 p.m. Monday. No charge.

DANCE RECITAL

Thursday, June 1: Dance recital, with the students of Barbara Burgess and Shirley St. Mary who study in Farmington Community Center, at 7:30 p.m. in Farmington High School, on Shilawasee west of Orchard Lake. No charge.

ETHNIC FESTIVAL

Friday, Saturday and Sunday, June 2-4: International Ethnic Festival sponsored by Farmington Community Center offers foods, crafts, imports, demonstrations, exhibits and almost continuous entertainment from groups representing about 30 nationalities, 5-10 p.m. Friday, and Saturday and Sunday from noon to 10 p.m. Free shuttle buses from Oakland Community College west parking lot. Admission is \$1 for adults; 75 cents for children or \$3 for a family.

GILL SPRING FAIR

Friday, June 2: Gill Spring Fair, sponsored by Gill Elementary School PTA, in the school on Gill between Eight and Nine Mile, 6-9 p.m., offers games, food, booths and entertainment by Bands of Michigan. No admission charge.

WALK FOR FARMINGTON

Saturday, June 3: "Walk For Farmington" sponsored by the Farmington Area Jaycees, to benefit community services, begins at 8 a.m. from the Farmington Board of Education parking lot, Shilawasee between Power and Farmington Road. Sponsor sheets with all rules spelled out for the walkers available at Chamber of Commerce, YMCA and both Farmington Community Libraries.



Where the Fern Grows

Farmington artist Alice Nichols took the \$200 Drawing and Print Club purchase prize given by the Founders Society of Detroit Institute of Arts for her watercolor called "Where the Fern Grows." She won in a field of more than 300 entries in the juried exhibit sponsored by the Michigan Water Color Society. Mrs. Nichols is a charter member of the Farmington Arts Foundation and the founder of art classes made available to senior citizens in Farmington's Gathering Place.

Divorce disputes will be tackled

Resolving property and custody disputes in divorce settlements will be the subject tackled by four experts at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, May 24 at the spring meeting of the Michigan Inter-Professional Association on Marriage, Divorce and the Family. The meeting will be set for the Holiday Inn in Southfield.

Two judges will discuss mediation in a program on "Divorce Settlement: Compulsory Arbitration or Mediation?" An experienced family attorney and a representative of the American Arbitration Association will discuss binding arbitration.

Panelists will also consider alternative approaches to resolving property and custody issues, one of the most pressing and perplexing matters in divorce settlement today.

Members of the panel will be: Wayne County Judge Peter B. Spivak speaking on "Mediation in Wayne County"; Oakland Judge Richard D. Kuhn on "The Oakland County Experiment in Mediation"; Ms. Mary Beddian, regional director of the American Arbitration Association speaking in favor of arbitration and Bloomfield Hills attorney John F. Schaefer, speaking in favor of mediation.

Norman N. Robbins, Southfield attorney and president of the association will preside and William C. Nichols, vice president will moderate the panel presentation.

The program is open to the public as well as professionals. Admission will be \$4 for non-members and \$3 for members. For more information call the association at 644-3443.



Music from the Ukraine

Youngsters who make up "The Ukrainian Instrumentalists" bring their costumes, music and dancers to the Farmington Community Center's International Ethnic Festival June 2-4. The 3-day

event offers the food, artifacts and entertainment of about 30 nationalities for the fourth annual festival in Farmington.

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