

Community Calendar

CENTER REGISTRATION

Thursday and Friday, Sept. 7-8: In-person registration for fall classes continues in Farmington Community Center until 9:30 p.m. Thursday each evening. Mail and phone registrations begin Sept. 9 and continue until all class loads are filled.

KAYAKING

Thursday, Sept. 7: Kayaking class begins at 7 p.m. and continues on Thursdays, in Farmington High School pool, winding up with a field trip to Hudson Mill Metro Park. Participants must be at least 14 years old. Fee is \$49, with registration in Farmington Parks and Recreation office, or call 474-6115.

LIBRARY BOARD

Thursday, Sept. 7: The Farmington Community Library Board of Trustees meets at 8 p.m. in the regular monthly meeting at 8 p.m. in Farmington Hills Community Library, 3277 Twelve Mile. Open to all interested persons.

FALL FIESTA

Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 8-10: Fall Fiesta offers carnival rides, games for all ages, food, live entertainment and prizes on the grounds of St. Alexander Catholic Church, 27835 Shawwassee, between Inkster and Middlebelt. No admission charge to the grounds.

GIANT GARAGE SALE

Saturday, Sept. 9: Giant garage sale, sponsored by Brohead Farmington Hills VFW Auxiliary, to benefit Farmington area youngsters who will be entering Special Olympics, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. in the VFW Hall, 25414 Orchard Lake Road. Sale offers white elephants, baked goods, refreshments, plants, bottles, and craft objects.

Brailleists explain their work at tea

Volunteer brailleists and large print typists around the world provide textbooks, recipes, instruction manuals and musical scores for blind and visually impaired persons.

In this area, volunteers are trained in the use of braille machines through the Nardin Park Braille Transcribers, the local unit of the Tri-County Braille Volunteers.

Cara Lynn Pender, a Redford Township resident and new president of the local unit, opens the group's fall sessions with an orientation tea to explain the work of the group to those who have already signed up for classes, and all others who are interested in learning of the work the brailleists perform.

The tea is set for 1 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 13, in Nardin Park United Methodist Church, located on Eleven Mile, west of Middlebelt in Farmington Hills.

Fall classes in braille instruction begin the week of Sept. 25. A morning class, from 10 a.m. to noon, will be conducted by Marge Griep, of Livonia, who has brailled more than 2,500 pages. Dee Josalitis, of Farmington Hills, a former president of the group, will conduct either an afternoon or evening Monday class, depending on requests.

Free health tests

Nearly 10,000 tri-county residents will receive free health tests at a United Foundation Health-O-Rama this year.

CARDVENTION

Saturday, Sept. 9: "Cardvention," for baseball card collectors, with dealers' tables for buying, selling, trading, from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. in San Souci Hall, Nine Mile and Middlebelt. Admission of \$1 asked at the door.

GREENMEAD PICNIC

Sunday, Sept. 10: Old fashioned Picnic, sponsored by Friends for the Development of Greenmead, on the grounds of Livonia's historical site, 38125 Eight Mile, from noon to 5 p.m. Tickets are available in Greenmead, or by contacting Edith Davis, in Livonia City Hall, GAI-2000, ext. 224.

OPEN HOUSE

Monday, Sept. 11: Open house, in ArtStart, begins at 10 a.m. in the preschool in Mercy Center, 28800 Eleven Mile, for parents and tots to tour the facilities, meet the staff, and make enrollments for the coming term. Inquiries will be taken by Sue Ingram, 478-9142.

AEROBIC DANCING

Monday, Sept. 11: Free demonstration begins the fall session of aerobic dancing in Mercy Center gymnasium at 10 a.m. and again at 7:30 p.m. with instructor Jan McElroy. Classes will meet twice a week for six weeks. Registrations accepted at the free class, or through Mrs. McElroy, 474-7244.

ARTS COMMISSION

Tuesday, Sept. 12: Farmington Area Arts Commission regular monthly meeting at 7 p.m. in Farmington Hills City Hall, 31555 Eleven Mile. Open to all interested persons.

NOVI CHORALAIRES

Tuesday, Sept. 12: Novi Choralaires, a mixed choral group, holds auditions

for new members in Novi Middle School. Appointments will be made by contacting Kathy Dudas, 477-3776.

BPW MEMBERSHIP MEETING

Tuesday, Sept. 12: Farmington Business and Professional Women's Club invites all prospective members to its membership meeting at 7:30 p.m. in Alexander Hamilton Life Insurance company, Twelve Mile and Farmington Road. No charge. Reservations are not necessary.

ACCOMPANIST WANTED

Tuesday, Sept. 12: Kendallarks Chorus holds evening auditions for a paid accompanist. Appointments are taken by calling Jim Whitten, chorus director, at 459-1349.

MUSICALE MEMBERSHIP TEA

Wednesday, Sept. 13: Annual membership tea, sponsored by Farmington Musicale, for all prospective members, at 12:30 p.m. in Farmington Hills Community Library, 32737 Twelve

Mile. The musicale is a member of National and Michigan Federation of Music Clubs. No charge. Reservations are not necessary.

BRAILLISTS TEA

Wednesday, Sept. 13: Nardin Park Braille Transcribers explain the work they do at an orientation tea for all persons who have signed up for braille classes and all persons interested in their service to the blind, at 1 p.m. in Nardin Park United Methodist Church, Eleven Mile and Middlebelt. Reservations are not necessary. No charge.

PUNCH AND LUNCH

Wednesday, Sept. 13: Women of North Farmington invite all area women to "Punch and Lunch" at noon in Farmington Community Center to learn about the workings of the volunteer service group. Speaker for the afternoon is a representative of Detroit Edison's Energy Program. Reservations are not necessary. A donation of \$1 will be asked of guests, at the door.

IMMUNIZATION CLINIC

Thursday, Sept. 14: Free immunization clinic, sponsored by Oakland County Health Department, offers oral polio, and booster shots for measles, rubella, mumps and TB tests for all persons under the age of 17, in First United Methodist Church of Farmington, 33112 Grand River, corner of Warner, from 9 a.m. to noon. Appointments are not necessary.

FARMINGTON AREA OPEN GOLF

Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 16-17: Open Golf Tournament for men on San Marino Golf Course with 36 holes and first 18 holes determining the players handicap and flights. Deadline for registration and payment of \$17 fee is Sept. 8, to be made in person in Farmington Hills Parks and Recreation office, 31555 Eleven Mile. Participants must be at least 13 years of age.

SOUTHFIELD ARTISTS CO-OP

Sunday, Sept. 17: Southfield Artists Co-op holds open house in conjunction with art sale from 1-4 p.m. in South-

field's Historical Bugh, 26080 Berg.

AN EVENING OF BALLET

Sunday, Sept. 17: "An Evening of Ballet," with the Detroit Chamber Ballet and Detroit Ballet Society, at 7:30 p.m. in Our Lady of Mercy High School, 23300 Eleven Mile. Tickets, at \$5, available at the door.

BENEFIT LUNCHEON

Monday, Sept. 18: Luncheon and fashion show by Alvus, in Magic Pan's San Francisco Creperie, second level of Twelve Oaks Mall, sponsored by Farmington Hills Junior Women's Club for the benefit of New Horizons of Oakland County, begins at 11:30 a.m. Tickets, at \$7.50, available through Sandy Donlon, 661-1648.

OPEN REHEARSAL

Tuesday, Sept. 19: Kendallarks Chorus holds open rehearsal, at 8 p.m. in North Farmington Baptist Church, Thirteen Mile, west of Orchard Lake Road for new member prospects to sing and get acquainted.



Young volunteers

Orientation is over for four Farmington area young misses who spent the better part of their summer as Red Cross volunteers in Farmington Nursing Home. Ruthanne Ruffing (at left) stands with Julie Farnelli, Sheri Lugari and DeeDee Lugari, accepting their certi-

fication of a job well done. Seated are Rose Morgan, director of the nursing home and Trish Keenan, a field director for Oakland County American Red Cross Youth Service. (Staff photo by Harry Mauthe)

Our mailing address has been changed

Persons who wish to contribute news items to the Farmington Observer are asked to note our new mailing address. We are now receiving mail at our local bureau, 22170 Nine Mile, Southfield, 48034.

save energy

DON'T put your electric razor in storage. The average man can use an electric shaver for two full years on less energy than it takes for two or three wet shaves when the hot water is left running throughout the shave.

Jacobson's, Birmingham introduces

CHANEL

Jacobson's Chanel Boutique.

Informal Collection Showing
Monday, September 11,
10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

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THE TEXTURES: LIGHT & AIRY WITH A WARM HAND
THE FABRICS: CHALLIS, CORDUROY, VELVETS, FLANNELS, TWEEDS & VELVETEENS.



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HAPPY HOUR
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Food and Spirits
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Birmingham, Mi.
Monday-Friday 11AM to 9PM
Thurs-Fri-Sat 11AM to 10PM