

Community Calendar

LEARNING DISABLED

Thursday, Nov. 30: Parents: How to Feel Good About Yourself and Your L.D. Child is the topic of the Farmington Area Michigan Association of Children with Learning Disabilities meeting at 8 p.m. at the Farmington Hills Community Library. Guest speaker will be Dr. Gary Navarre of Eastern Michigan University. Interested persons may attend.

FAMILY FUN NIGHT

Friday, Dec. 1: Friday night is Family Night at Mercy Center, 2800 Eleven Mile, Farmington Hills. For a \$5 registration fee, the whole family can swim or work out in the gym from 7:30-9:30 p.m. A short devotion will end the evening. Send registration fee to Jean Peter, program planner, or call 476-800.

ART-ANTIQUÉ SHOW

Saturday, Dec. 2: Forty Michigan artists and artisans and 27 antique dealers are participating in Holy Name Church of Birmingham Art and Antique Show and Sale. Hours are from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. The show continues Sunday from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. The church is at 645 Woodland Avenue.

BREAKFAST WITH SANTA

Saturday, Dec. 2: Orchard United Methodist Church on Farmington Road between Thirteen and Fourteen Mile, features Santa Claus and pancakes in a family event. Serving is continuous from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Maximum family cost is \$8. Single adult tickets are \$2.25, children 8-13, \$1.75; age 4-7, \$1.25 and younger than 4, free.

SKI BUS

Saturday, Dec. 2: The Farmington Center Saturday Ski bus is scheduled to make its first run of the season. For information, call 477-6044.

HOLIDAY BAZAAR

Saturday, Dec. 2: A children's room will be featured at the Christmas Bazaar sponsored by the PTA of Gill Elementary School, Gill Road, north of Eight Mile. Light lunches will be available. The hours are 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. There is no admission charge.

CHRISTMAS GIFT SHOPPE

Saturday, Dec. 2: Weaving, macramé, stitchery, ceramics, weed and flower arrangements are among the offerings at the Christmas Arts and Crafts Gift Shoppe at the Village Oaks Clubhouse, 2255 Brook Forest Road, Novi, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission is free.

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LA DANSE ELEGANTE

Saturday, Dec. 2: The Women's Guild of St. John Armenian Church presents its annual dinner-dance, La Danse Elegante, with cocktails commencing at 7 p.m. and dinner at 8 p.m. For reservations, call Mrs. Leo Zamanian, 569-4739.

ARTISTART SPECIAL

Saturday, Dec. 2: Artistart, a private school at Mercy Center, 2800 Eleven Mile, presents the first of three consecutive Saturday Christmas Specials for Children with 3½-6-year-old children invited to attend between 9:30 a.m. and noon, and children in grades one-six, between 1 and 3 p.m. Cost is \$10 for a single child, \$20 for two children in a family, and \$35 for three. Family gift making will be featured. Call Nancy Bates, 474-7175 or 477-4331, for reservations.

NUTCRACKER BALLET

Saturday Dec. 2: The "Nutcracker" ballet will be presented by the Michigan Ballet Theatre at Harrison High, Twelve Mile, between Middlebelt and Orchard Lake Road, at 8 p.m. There also will be a Sunday matinee at 3 p.m. Tickets are available at the door.

RENAISSANCE MUSIC

Sunday, Dec. 3: The Detroit Institute of Arts will present Renaissance music for voice and lute at a 3:30 p.m. concert in the recital hall. Featured will be mezzo-soprano Jan DeGaetani and lute virtuoso Paul O'Dette. Tickets are \$7. For information, call 522-2730.

TAYLOR RECEPTION

Sunday, Dec. 3: The Farmington Community Center will host a reception for Alberta Taylor, retiring executive director, from 2-5 p.m. at its headquarters, Farmington Road, north of Ten Mile. Friends and members of the community are invited to attend.

Church holds Santa breakfast

Breakfast with Santa has a new twist at Orchard United Methodist Church, Birmingham Road between Thirteen and Fourteen Mile, Saturday, Dec. 2.

A family event, it will also be a continuously serving pancake breakfast from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Children under 4 years old will be admitted free.

Cost for the family, with "all the pancakes you can eat," will be a maximum of \$8. Single adults pay \$2.25; students from 8-13, \$1.75, and children 4-7, \$1.25. Tickets will be sold at the door.

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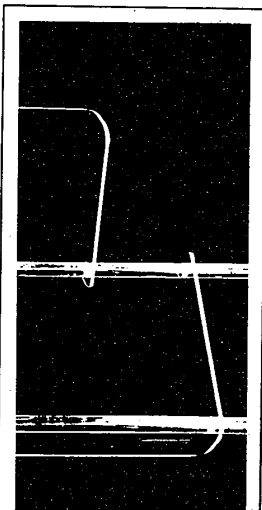
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