Registration starts today

Men's Women's Open Golf Tournaments Sponsored by the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers and Whispering Willows Municipal Golf Course

MEN'S
36 holes medal play: Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 13 and 14. Entry fee \$25 (green fees, trophies and prizes).

WOMEN'S 18 holes meddal play: Wednesday, Sept. 17. Entry fee \$11 (green fees, basket of practice balls and trophies). Make checks payable to Gary Whitener, tournament director, and enclose with entry blank.

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. HANDICAP Men's entries close Sunday, Sept. 7, at 6 p.m. Call for starting times on Thursday,

Sept. 11, after 12 noon (476-4493). Women's entries close Wednesday, Sept. 10, at 5 p.m. Call for starting times Monday,

Sept.15, after 5 p.m.
Open to all residents of Livonia, Plymouth, Canton, Garden City, Westland, Redford Township, Farmington, Farmington Hills, Southfield, Birmingham, West Bloomfield, Bloomfield Township, Bloomfield Hills, Troy, Rochester and Avon Township.

Entries may be mailed to Tournament Director Gary Whitener, Whispering Willows Golf Course, 20500 Newburgh, Livonia 48152.

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By DOUG FUNKE

Now is the time for all good golfers

Now is the time for an good gouets
and maybe those who aren's o hot
to sign up for the annual Observer &
Eccentric Golf Tournament.
Both men and women will have their
days in the sun.
The men's 38-hole fournament will
be contested Sept. 13-14. The women's
18-hole competition will be conducted
Sent. 17.

Whispering Willows Municipal Golf Course in Livonia will be the site of both tournaments.

.....eur gouers who live in the O&E circulation area — Plymouth, Canton, Farmington, Farmington Hills, Westland, Garden City, Rochester, Avon Township, Livoida, Redford, Birmingham, Bloomfield Hills, West Bloomfield, Bloomfield Township, Southfield and Troy — may enter. Amateur golfers who live in the O&E regulation area — Plymouth, Canton,

Entry fee is \$25 for men, \$11 for women. Entry coupons are available in most editions of the Observer & Eccen-tric Newspapers and at Whispering Willows, which is located at 20500

Newburgh Road just south of Eight Mile Road.

Mile Road.

As in years past, golfers will compete in divisions based on handicap in order to make the tournament more competitive. The effect is that several mint-tournaments will be going on simultaneously.

The men's tournament, limited to 22s, will be divided into four flights. Gary Whitener, golf professional at Whispering Willows and the tournament director, said that the flights will likely break down the following way:

Championship Flight - scratch to

eight handicap.

• Flight 1 — nine to 14 handicap.

• Flight 2 — 15 to 21 handicap.

• Flight 3 — 22-36 handicap.

There will be three flights in the women's competition based upon the following approximate scale, Whitener

Championship Flight — scratch to 14 handicap.
 Flight 1 — 15-23 handicap.

Thursday, August 7, 1980

Actual light determinations will be made as the entries begin to come in an entries recitabilisted.

Metal (strote) play will be followed. Gross (actual socre) and entries forces with handicap) champions will be crowned in all flights. Trophies and gift certificates will be awarded in all flights. Prize winners will be limited to one gift certificate. High-school golfers may participate in the tournament without endangering

their eligibility, according to Vern Norris, executive director of the Michi-gan High School Athletic Association. Norris said that a golfer may enter two outside events once the season be-

two outside events once the season be-gins as long as he is representing him-self and not the school. A high-school golfer may not accept merchandise or a trophy with a value greater than \$5. Both the men's and women's tourna-ments are co-sponsored by Whispering Willows Golf Course and the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers.

Take a look at the stars

Starry eyed isn't such a bad thing to be.

At least not at the public interpretive program "Night Sky in August," which takes place at Independence Oaks County Park in Clarkston.

Independence Oaks is on Sashabav Road, 22 miles north of 1.75.

The program, which starts a 8:30 pm., is designed to help star gazers look for and learn about stars and their legends.

the weather," said Dougherty.

Kathleen Dougherty, an Oakland
County Parks naturalist and the pro-



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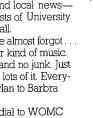
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