

community calendar

FREE SPINAL CHECKUPS

Saturday, Nov. 26: Free spinal checkups from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. in Benestad Chiropractic Center, 21021 Farmington Road.

BACKBONE OF HEALTH

Saturday, Nov. 26: Health Comes from Within" free lecture at 11 a.m. given by Dr. Michele Conolly at Benestad Chiropractic Center, 21021 Farmington Road. For more information, call 477-6400.

SANTA'S WORKSHOP

Saturday, Nov. 26: Santa's Workshop, sponsored by Farmington Chapter Order of the Eastern Star offers a variety of hand crafts from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in Farmington Masonic Temple, Grand River and Farmington Road. No admission charge.

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 26-27: Christmas Bazaar offers handicrafts, Finnish imports and Finnish foods from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday and from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday in Finnish Center Association, 35200 Eight Mile. Deli-type luncheons and pastries served throughout bazaar hours. No admission charge.

CHRISTMAS FAIR

Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 26-27: Christmas Arts and Crafts Fair offers the works from about 160 artists and craftsmen from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday and from noon to 5 p.m. Sunday in Mercy High School, corner of 11 Mile and Middlebelt. Admission is \$1 at the door.

AUTOGRAPHS GIVEN

Saturday, Nov. 27: Detroit Lion Eric Hipple and Detroit Red Wing Ron Duway sign autographs from 3-5 p.m. in Midwood Square, Drake Road and Grand River, and will pose for portraits with shoppers for 99 cents. Merchants will be giving free food samples and free flowers to shoppers all day.

AUCTION-BAZAAR

Monday, Nov. 28: Craft auction and bazaar, sponsored by Livonia Co-op Nursery, from 9:30-10 p.m. in Rosedale Gardens Presbyterian Church, 9801 Hubbard. No admission charge.

HOLIDAY ART SALES

Monday through Saturday, Nov. 28 to Dec. 10: Holiday Art Sales featuring the works of 100 artists from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Thursday and from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday and Sat-

urday, in Birmingham Bloomfield Art Association, 1516 South Cranbrook, Birmingham. No admission charge.

FOOT PROBLEMS

Monday, Nov. 28: "Foot Problems: A Chiropractic Approach," lecture by Dr. Bruce Lowen at 7:30 p.m. in Harp Chiropractic Clinic, 23280 Farmington Road. No charge.

CHALLENGE OF PEACE

Tuesday, Nov. 29: Bishop Thomas J. Gumbleton, Auxiliary Bishop of Detroit, will speak on "Challenge of Peace" at 7:30 p.m. in Christ Church Cranbrook, Lone Pine and Cranbrook roads in Bloomfield Hills. The speech is free and open to the public.

EASY AND ELEGANT

Tuesday, Nov. 29: "Easy and Elegant" lecture and demonstration of hors d'oeuvres begins at 7:30 p.m. in Farmington Community Center, led by Judy Antishin, followed by a leading party. Reservations are \$10, payable in advance in the center on Farmington Road, north of 10 Mile. "Easy and Elegant" will be repeated at 7:30 p.m. Dec. 1.

SANTA LUNCHEON

Friday through Saturday, Dec. 2-4: Luncheon with Santa Claus begins at 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. each day in Farmington Community Center. Reservations, at \$3.50 each, accepted at the center, Farmington Road north of 10 Mile.

SPORTS EQUIPMENT SALE

Friday, Dec. 2-3: Persons who wish to sell any kind of winter sports equipment can consign their items from 5:30-8:30 p.m. Friday in East Middle School, 25000 Middlebelt. Sale runs from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday in the same location. Sale is sponsored by Farmington Hills Parks and Recreation Department which asks 20 percent of the purchase price.

HOLIDAY CRAFT BAZAAR

Saturday, Dec. 3: Holiday Craft Bazaar sponsored by the William Grace PTO 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. 29040 Shilwassee, east of Middlebelt and south of Nine Mile. Craft items and bake sale. Free admission.

BUGS BEDDOW

Saturday, Dec. 3: Bugs Beddow in jazz-pop concert at 8 p.m. in Orchard Ridge Performing Arts Theatre, Oakland Community College. Tickets are \$6 at the door.

Saturday, Dec. 3: "J.T." film based on the book by Jane Wagner, at 8 p.m. for all elementary aged children in Farmington Branch Library, 23500 Liberty. No charge.

SANTA SITTER SERVICE

Saturday, Dec. 3: Santa Sitter Service from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. offers games in gym and pool, crafts, songs, stories, movies and lunch with Santa in Mercy Conference Center, 28600 11 Mile. Session is also offered Wednesday, Dec. 7, and Saturday, Dec. 17. Registration is necessary by calling the center, 476-8010.

ST. LUCIA BREAKFAST

Saturday, Dec. 3: St. Lucia Breakfast, served in tradition according to



In Galleria

About 75 paintings are now on exhibit in Galleria, the gallery in Oakland County complex, 1200 Telegraph in Pontiac through November. The juried exhibit is comprised of Farmington Artists Club members only, one of whom is Jo Schmidt,

who has contributed her work called "Red Tulips" for the show. The exhibit is sponsored by Oakland County Cultural Council and made possible in part by a grant from Michigan Council for the Arts.

ARTS AND CRAFTS

Saturday, Dec. 3: About 75 crafters show and sell their work from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in Farmington High School, 32009 Shilwassee. Morning and afternoon snacks and lunches available throughout show hours. No admission charge. Event is sponsored by Farmington Jaycees.

WEIGHT CONTROL

Thursday, Dec. 5: "Weight Loss-Weight Control," lecture by Dr. Alan Post at 7:30 p.m. in Harp Chiropractic Clinic, 23280 Farmington Road. No charge.

BOOK ESCAPE

Monday, Dec. 5: "Incredible Book Escape," program for kindergartners and preschoolers at 2 p.m. in Farmington Hills Branch Library, 32737 12 Mile. No admission charge but reservations are requested by calling the library, 474-7770.

HANUKKAH CELEBRATION

Monday, Dec. 5: "Hanukkah Celebra-

tion," led by Rabbi Efray Spectre of Adat Shalom Synagogue, who explains the spirit of The Festival of Lights and the customs of Hanukkah to guests at 7 p.m. in Farmington Community Center, 24705 Farmington Road. Reservations are \$2, or \$5 for a family, and can be made by calling the center, 477-8404.

HOLIDAY DESSERTS

Tuesday, Dec. 6: Barbara Dermody shares holiday dessert recipes with lecture, demonstration and samples for tasting at 7:30 p.m. in Farmington Community Center. Reservations, at \$9 each, taken in the center on Farmington Road north of 10 Mile.

HOME COMPUTER

Tuesday, Dec. 6: "Selecting a Home Computer," program led by representative from Computer Connection at 7 p.m. in Farmington Branch Library, 32737 12 Mile. No admission charge but reservations are requested by calling the library, 474-7770.

Falcons sponsor 1-and 5-mile runs

Farmington High School's track club, The Falcons, will sponsor a one-mile fun run and a five-mile road race Saturday, Dec. 3. Both races will start and finish on the high school grounds, 32009 Shilwassee.

Ribbons, trophies and medals will be waiting for the finishers. The event is

co-sponsored by Orchard-Ten IGA market to raise money for the Alpine Flying Eagles Ski Team, a Farmington Public Schools group which helps the handicapped through sports.

Entry blanks are available by calling John Barrett or Gerry Young at the high school, 474-6150, between 8 a.m. and 3 p.m. weekdays.

Juried arts, crafts on sale in Mercy High

Mercy High School, on the corner of 11 Mile and Middlebelt Road, sponsors its third annual Juried Christmas Arts and Crafts Fair Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 26-27.

Show hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday, when about 150 tables of arts and crafts will be set up for the show and sale.

"We have enlarged our fair to include some excellent examples of art and crafts which have not been found in other area arts and craft shows," said John Gernacy, co-chair. "We will be adding gold and silver jewelry, metal work, wicker weaving, weaving, photography, copper and brass plates, leaded and stained glass, oil painting, tinware, pottery and wooden furniture. "Every consideration has been taken to ensure that both the craftspeople and their customers will enjoy the fair at Mercy."

THE FAIR will encompass the gym, lobby and several of the nearby halls. "While we do expect a very large

number of shoppers, we are sure that people will not feel crowded. People will not be pushed along by the throngs and they will be able to browse, and there is adequate parking within our school grounds," Gernacy said.

A number of Farmington and Farmington Hills residents have been juried into the fair. They include Marcelle Hawkins with Christmas decorations and cloth dolls; Marty Bopp with leaded glass; Shirley Breitman with ceramics; Diana Fisher with counted cross stitch and water color paintings; Karen Hargrave with paintings and greeting cards; Nadine Justusson with butterflies.

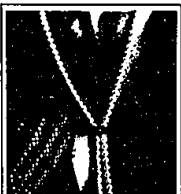
Rose Milfsud comes with Christmas ornaments and Victorian fans; Marian Wilson with tatting and crocheting; Thomas Asby with wooden furniture; Kathy Barringer with bread dough ornaments; Catherine Merritt with wreaths; and Avren Strager with copper and brass plates.

Proceeds from the fair will benefit the scholarship program at Mercy. Admission is \$1, asked at the door.

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