

# Going for blood

## community calendar

### • CROSS-COUNTRY SKI SEMINAR

Monday, Dec. 17: Cross-Country Ski Seminar 7-9 p.m. in Farmington Hills Library, 32737 12 Mile, for all individuals and couples interested in cross-country skiing. No charge.

### • HANUKKAH CELEBRATION

Tuesday, Dec. 18: "Hanukkah Celebration," a children's party to celebrate and explain the spirit of the Festival of Lights, led by Janet Pont from Congregation Adat Shalom, at 8 p.m. in Farmington Community Center. Reservations are necessary, at \$2 each or \$5 per family, made by calling the center, 477-8404.

### • SANTA SITTER SERVICE

Wednesday and Saturday, Dec. 19 and 22: Santa Sitter Service for children 3-7 years of age from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Mercy Center, includes lunch with Santa, swimming, crafts, movies and games. Fee is \$15 per child, and \$10 for each additional child in the family, with advance reservations only by calling the center, 476-8010.

### • HOLIDAY OPEN HOUSE

Wednesday and Sunday, Dec. 19 and 23: Holiday Open House 1-5 p.m. each day in Farmington Historical Museum, 33005 Grand River. Admission is \$1 and 50 cents for children.

### • ROLLER SKATING WITH SANTA PARTY

Thursday, Dec. 20: The Fifth Annual

Adults for Kids Roller Skating with Santa Party 7-9 p.m. in Bonaventure Roller Skating Center, Halsted Road 75 of Grand River, sponsored by Burger King. Admission is \$1 per person.

### • HOLIDAY PARTY

Saturday, Dec. 22: Holiday party for 3-9-year-olds includes visit with Santa, movie, games, stories, from noon to 3:30 p.m. in Mercy Center. Fee is \$5 required with advance reservations made in the center on 11 Mile, east of Middlebelt.

### • CANDLELIGHT SERVICES

Monday, Dec. 24: Christmas Eve Candlelight Service begins at 5 p.m. and 10 a.m. in Faith Covenant Church, 35415 14 Mile.

### • THUNDERHEAD GAMING SOCIETY

Thursday, Dec. 20: The Thunderhead Gaming Society will meet 8-9 p.m. in Farmington Hills Library, 32737 W. 12 Mile. No charge. For information, call the library, 553-0300.

### • ULTIMA TEAM

Friday and Saturday, Dec. 28-29: The Ultima II Team gives individual consultation for skin care from noon to 5 p.m. in Hudson's 12 Oaks Aisle of Beauty. Fee is \$7.50 redeemable toward an Ultima II purchase. Reservations are necessary by calling the store, 348-3232.

An estimated 21,000 blood donations will be needed during the holiday season by patients in the 75 hospitals in a five county area, says the American Red Cross.

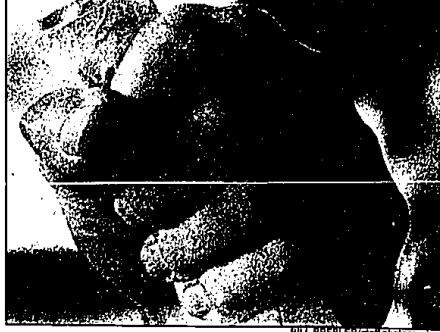
The community is asked to give area residents good news and the gift of blood. Out of two Save-A-Life Sundays, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Dec. 17 and 23, 55 who weigh at least 110 pounds. The entire process including donation and refreshments takes less than an hour.

Donations may be given every eight weeks up to five times in 12 months.

If a donor plans to give blood on one of the Save-A-Life Sundays, they should call 644-2600 to make an appointment," Shafer said.

The nearest center for Southfield persons to donate blood is at the Oak Park Center, 25900 Greenfield in the Kristen Tower Building. To make an appointment, call 908-2258.

Hours are 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday and Friday; 2-8 p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursdays; and 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturdays.



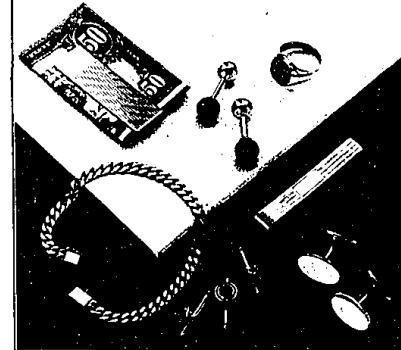
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## Scoliosis meeting

Dr. Harry Horkowitz, orthopedic surgeon on staff at Beaumont Hospital, will be the guest speaker at a 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 20, meeting of the Scoliosis Association of Michigan.

His topic will be "The Natural History of Scoliosis."

The meeting is scheduled for the Fisher Center Auditorium of Providence Hospital, Southfield.

Also available at the meeting are support groups for scoliosis patients and their families. Refreshments will be served. The public may attend at no charge.

Season greeting cards at \$8 for a box of 25 cards

will be sold.

Family membership in the association is \$8 per year which entitles members to use the library resource center, receive meeting notices and information about current treatment, quarterly issues of "Backtalk" and semi-annual issues of "Scoliscan."

For the fourth year, the Scoliosis Association will participate in the Metropolitan Detroit Science Fair, slated March 7-11 at Cobo Hall.

For more information on programs and services of the association, call the Information Center at 557-5542.

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### DATE

Thursday, January 3, 1985, 1:00 p.m.

### LOCATION:

University of Michigan Hospitals  
Towsley Center  
Ann Arbor, Michigan

### PROGRAM:

- Informal Discussions with Head Nurses
- Hospital Tours
- Refreshments
- for further details, call collect:  
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- Nursing Employment

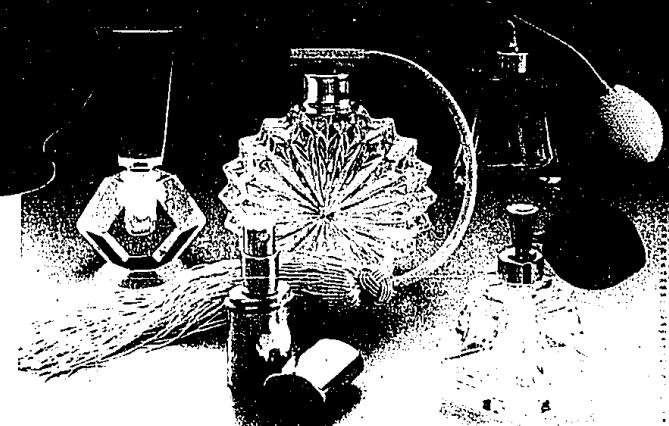
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