

Lisa Marie Jakubiec of Livonia and Frank Hamilton Sennish of Farmington plan a June wedding at St. Edith Catholic Church.

She is the daughter of Ronald and Constance Jakubiec of Livonia. He is the son of James and Anne Sennish of Farmington.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Livonia Churchill High School. She heads the claims department at PPOM Inc.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Farmington High School. He is a salesman with Color Inc.



Skingle-Torigian

Mr. and Mrs. William Skingle of Farmington Hills announce the engagement of their daughter, Sheryl, to Mark Torigian, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Torigian of Farmington Hills.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Harrison High School and Mercy College of Detroit, employed with Providence Hospital in Southfield. Her fiancé is a graduate of Harrison High School and Michigan State University. He obtained his law degree from Detroit College of Law and is employed with a Detroit law firm.

A July wedding is planned in St. John Armenian Church, Southfield.



Linblad-Hacker

Teresa Ann Linblad and Mark Raymond Hacker, both of Redford, plan a May wedding in Troy.

She is the daughter of Robert Linblad of Dearborn. He is the son of Bill and Gladys Hacker of Redford.

The bride-to-be graduated from Redford Union High School and received a bachelor's degree in business administration from Central Michigan University in 1982. She is employed by PMH/Caram.

Her fiancé graduated from Redford Union and received a bachelor's degree in business from Oakland University. He is employed by Hacker Signs Studio Inc.



Ethnic's best

Daniella Grisak, (at left) Christopher McCardell, and Eleanor and Milan Straka, all members of Sarlean Slova Folk Ensemble, along with 21 of the best ethnic performing groups in the metro area, will be performing for three hours on two stages during International Dance Festival. The event, which includes ethnic foods and is a benefit for International Institute, runs 7:30-10:30 p.m. Sunday in Northland Center. Tickets at \$13.50 each are available from Ticket World Outlets, Huson ticket offices and AAA. The Strakas are residents of Farmington Hills.



Forestry careers found through 4-H

"Opportunities for forestry careers do exist, especially in the urban forestry area, although private industry and government job opportunities have been limited," says Glenn Blackford, Michigan State University graduate student in forestry extension.

One way Michigan young people can explore forestry careers is through the Michigan 4-H Youth Program.

Several programs, including specialized county projects through a 4-H mini-grant program, the 4-H Forestry Invitational and workshops, provide young people with opportunities to develop skills, whether they pursue a career in forestry or own a woodlot.

"Education and correction of misperceptions of the forestry industry are important," Blackford said.

"MOST OF the forestland in Michigan is privately owned," he said. "People need to know the value of their forest resources, how to manage their woodlots and what resources are available to them to manage their woodlots."

The forestry mini-grant program is a cooperative effort by the MSU Department of Forestry and the Michigan 4-H Youth Program. Each year, \$500 grants are awarded to four Michigan counties for yearlong planned and organized forestry activities specific to those counties.

In 1985, projects ranged from constructing topographical maps to landscaping and urban forestry to visiting a logging site and sawmill.

THE 4-H Invitational in West Virginia provides 4-H'ers with the opportunity to test their ability and take part in a little friendly competition. To compete in the invitational, 4-H members must first complete in the state contest and take a written test. They also participate in a series of workshops and field workouts.

new voices

MR. AND MRS. DAVID NORTHMORE of Canton announce the birth of their son James Howard, born Feb. 11 and named after both of his grandfathers.

The infant's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James Northmore of Farmington Hills and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wildt, formerly of Farmington Hills and now residents of Traverse City. His great grandmother is Jean Moehring.

There are educational experiences for all those who get involved," Blackford says, "but it needs commitment from youths and parents to accomplish these projects."

Young people can learn a variety of other skills through 4-H forestry projects, including woodlot analysis and management, logging techniques, compass reading, tree measurement and boundary marking.

For more information, call the Oakland County 4-H office, 858-0889.

Young musicians take center stage

Farmington Musicals, whose purpose is to promote music within the community, will showcase the talents of student musicians in a concert at 7:30 p.m. Monday, April 21, in Farmington Hills Library.

The performers are first- and second-place winners in the musical's scholarship competition, who along with those who received honorable mention, won cash prizes to further their musical education.

There is no charge for guests who are invited to meet the artists during an after-concert reception.

For their talents at the piano, Jonathan Hommes and Erika Flinigan tied for the first-place spot in

the seventh- and eighth-grade age division. Katherine Kreuer took the first-place spot among the ninth- and 10th-grade competitors. And Angie Chen came in first in the 11th- and 12th-grade category.

Second-place winners on the piano were Jennifer Sowman, Brooke Beresh and Jacqueline Krakow.

Honorable mentions were given to Jeannie Chen, Donna Chuba, Sandra Taylor and Leena Magrakur.

IN THE VOCAL competition, limited to high school students, the winners were Jennifer Dauterman and Linda Abar. This win came at-

most simultaneously with another for both of the teenagers. Jennifer, a student at Harrison, and Linda, a student at North Farmington, were two of the top winners in the vocal music competition jointly sponsored by Macabae Mutual Life and Marigal Chorale of Southfield earlier this year.

First-place winner among seventh- and eighth-grade instrumentalists was flutist Angela Hancock. Celist Melissa Taylor came in first among the ninth and tenth graders and flutist Beth Bryngelsen took the top spot in the 11th- and 12th-grade competition.

Second-place spots were given to

violinist Peggy Rhiew, and clarinetists Marianne Leitch and Dan Woytawich.

Instrumentalists given honorable mention were Amy Smith, Kristin Urevig and Karl Urevig.

Judges for the piano competition were Bernice VanHusen and Carolyn Tower who chose the winners from a field of 28 entries.

David Jorlett and Barbara Windham judged the vocalists. Lenore Iatko and Ed Quiek judged the instrumentalists.

Farmington Musicals is a member of National Federation of Music Clubs.

OCC Friends plan Grand Prix of Fashions

Friends of OCC, an organization sponsored by the Oakland Community College Foundation, is hosting a "Grand Prix of Fashions" Friday, May 16.

The fashion show will begin at 11 a.m. in the Smith Performing Arts

Theatre on OCC's Orchard Ridge Campus.

Summer fashions will be presented by Kathryn Scott Boutique of Birmingham and furs by Clyde Buttrum of Flint. Hairstyles by Jay LaFontaine and makeup by Mary Kay

Cosmetics will also be featured. Highlighting the fashion show is a fox fur give-away. One lucky ticket-holder will win a Norwegian fox fur jacket valued at \$700.

Ticket donations are \$12, including a gourmet luncheon prepared by

OCC Culinary Art students. All proceeds will go to the Oakland Community College Foundation for student scholarships.

For tickets, contact the OCC Foundation at 540-1803.

Auction to benefit Community Center

Farmington Community Center is hosting its annual benefit auction Friday.

A variety of items with wide appeal have been donated by local merchants and the center's own members, to help raise funds.

The silent auction begins at 7:30 p.m., when guests may inspect the

items up for bidding, and make their decisions. Some of the more unusual items include a one-hour "champagne" airplane flight over Detroit, and a scenic balloon ride donated by Eagle's Nest. There will be a selection of watches and jewelry, a mirror from Ray Interiors, and gift certificates.

Organizers are Virginia Fetterley

and Doris Harper. Visitors will be served wine and hors d'oeuvres. Admission is \$3 per

person and \$5 per couple at the door. Farmington Community Center is at 24705 Farmington Road.

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