

## around Farmington

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### FAMILY IMPACT

Monday, April 28: "Impact on the Family" continues alcohol and drug use and abuse series at 7:30 p.m. in Harrison High School's cafeteria, 12 Mile between Orchard Lake and Middelbelt roads. Individual tickets at the door are \$2. Seniors and students admitted free.

### ONE WOMAN SHOW

Monday, April 28: Gwen Tomkow exhibits her work in a one-woman show in Farmington Branch Library, and Betty Noren exhibits her one-woman show in Farmington Hills Branch Library, through April 30.

### VCR

Tuesday, April 29: Al Koninski from Discount Video talks about selecting a VCR (video cassette recorder) at 7:30 p.m. in Farmington Hills Branch Library, 32737 12 Mile. No charge but reservations are requested by calling the library, 553-0300.

### HEALTH-O-RAMA

Tuesday through Friday, April 29 to May 2: Health-O-Rama, free health screening tests given from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. each day in Livonia Mall, Seven Mile and Middelbelt.

### CANDY FOR MOM

Tuesday, April 29: "Candy for Mom," one session workshop teaches how to create a sweet gift for Mother's Day, 4-6 p.m. in Clarenceville High School, Middelbelt Road between Seven and Eight Mile. Registration information given by calling the school, 473-8900.

### ALL IN THE FAMILY

Tuesday, April 30: Farmington Musicale members team up with their relatives for concert, "All in the Family," at 7:30 p.m. in Farmington Community Center, followed by a reception for the artists. No charge.

### LUNG AWARENESS

Wednesday, April 30: Open house from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in Center for Asthma, Emphysema and Allergic Disorders, Suite 300, 26200 12 Mile,



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## The Best of Times

Farmington Community Chorus sings about "The Best of Times" when the 75 voices stage their spring concert at 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, May 2-3, in North Farmington High School. One of the specialty numbers on the playbill is performed by Dick Ruel

(standing from left) Larry Schrock, Sue Miller and Dick Holmes, and kneeling, Dottie Hutchins and Janette Adams. Tickets at the door are \$3.50, or \$2.50 for students and seniors.

Southfield. Guests are offered free tests, information and refreshments in observance of Lung Awareness Day and Clean Air Week.

### GET THE PICTURE

Wednesday, April 30: "Get the Picture," workshop in photography basics, at 7:30 p.m. in Farmington Hills Branch Library, 32737 12 Mile Road. No charge.

### TALENT SHOWCASE

Wednesday, April 30: Detroit Talent Showcase begins at 7 p.m. in Wallace F. Smith Performing Arts

Theatre, Orchard Ridge Campus, Oakland Community College. Tickets for the showcase with a Saturday Night Live format are \$5, available by calling Marsha Harpourt, at General Television, 548-2500.

### DINNER-FASHIONS

Thursday, May 1: Dinner and fashion

show sponsored by Association for Retarded Citizens, begins with boutiques of handmade items, at 6:45 p.m. in Vladimir's, 28125 Grand River. Tickets are \$16 each, available by calling the association's office in Redford, 937-2360.

### THEATRE PARTY

Thursday, May 1: Farmington

Players production of "The Matchmaker," staged as a benefit for Unitarian-Universalist Church of Farmington, at 7:30 p.m. in the Players Barn, 32332 12 Mile. Tickets at \$7.50 each includes afterglow with the cast, available by calling the church, 478-7272.

### THE BEST OF TIMES

Friday and Saturday, May 2-3: "The Best of Times," Farmington Community Chorus in concert at 8 p.m. in North Farmington High School, 22900 11 Mile Road. Advance sale tickets are \$3, or \$2 for students and seniors in Farmington Hills Parks and Recreation office, 31555 11 Mile Road. Tickets at the door are \$3.50 and \$2.50.

### CALLIGRAPHY

Friday through Sunday, May 2-4: "Calligraphic Images," Michigan Association of Calligraphers annual exhibit from 7-10 p.m. Friday, from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Saturday and from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday in Farmington Community Center, 24705 Farmington Road. Donation of \$1 asked at the door for Friday reception. Admission is free through remainder of the exhibit.

### MATCHMAKER

Friday through Sunday, May 2-4: "Matchmaker," staged by Farmington Players at 7:30 p.m. Thursdays and Sundays; and at 8:30 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays in The Players Barn, on 12 Mile Road, between Farmington Road and Orchard Lake Road. Tickets available by calling the box office, 626-5061. Play continues May 8-11 and May 15-17.

### FESTIVAL OF ARTS

Saturday and Sunday, May 3-4: "Festival of Arts," show and sale of quality arts and crafts from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. each day in Northville Community Center, 303 W. Main Street. Event is presented by Michi-

gan Cultural Association.

### FLOWER ARRANGING

Saturday, May 3: Flower arranging demonstration by Nancy Passfield, of Federated Garden Clubs of Michigan follows luncheon at 11:30 a.m. sponsored by The Ladies of Grace, in Farmington Hills Christian Center, 22233 Drake Road. Reservations are \$5, taken by calling the Grace Chapel office, 474-0151.

### RUMMAGE SALE

Saturday, May 3: Auction and rummage sale from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Orchard United Methodist Church, 30450 Farmington Road. Snacks available.

### GARAGE SALE

Saturday and Sunday, May 3-4: Garage sale hosted by employees of ERA First Federal Realty for the benefit of Muscular Dystrophy Association from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. each day in the garage at 33835 Brittany. The address is west of Farmington Road, south of 11 Mile.

### MEMORIES

Sunday, May 4: "Memories," Farmington Community Band concert honoring seniors and the handicapped at 3 p.m. in Harrison High School, 12 Mile Road, west of Middelbelt Road. No charge.

### POLISH DANCERS

Sunday, May 4: Polish Centennial Dancers in recital at 2 p.m. in Churchill High School, on Newburg Road, north of Joy Road, Livonia. Advance tickets are \$4 each, by calling John Peitz, 261-9016. Tickets are \$5 at the door.

### KINDER HOUSE

Sunday, May 4: Waldorf Kinder House open house from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the nursery and kindergarten at 25095 Code Road, west of Lahser, north of 10 Mile, Southfield.

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