



A summer of theater

"Man of La Mancha" continues Friday and Saturday in Smith Theatre at the Performing Arts on Orchard Ridge Campus. It's the end-of-the-summer production for teens who came to Oakland Community College for a six week session of study in theater. Some of the cast members are Ron Stern (seated from

left), Josh Bergasse, Jesse Heindl and Jennifer Church. Standing from left are Jenni Berg, Kate Bernard, Diana Geiger and Rob Rhone. Curtains are at 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. Friday, and at 8 p.m. Saturday. Ticket information is given by calling the box office, 471-7700.

'Designs in Flight' slated

Hill and Dale Garden Club's annual fall fund-raiser to support its Garden Therapy program in Farmington Public Schools is called "Designs in Flight" and is planned for Tuesday, Sept. 30 in Sheraton Oaks, Novi.

Study document

Constitution Week commemorates the signing of the Constitution of the United States. It is the oldest constitution still in effect in the world today and is the basic document of our Republic. The Quakertown Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution urges all Americans to be worthy of its protection. Study your Constitution.

The event will include a boutique of handcrafted items for both practical and holiday use, lunch and a fashion show called "The Best of Northland Center." The boutique will be open from 10 a.m. to noon and again 1:45-3 p.m. Boutique shoppers who cannot come for lunch are invited to browse and shop any time within these hours without charge. The fashions from Northland will be shown in four acts, one for casual wear, one for weekend wear, one for the professional look and one for the after-five collection. The commentator will be Colleen Burecar from

WCZY-Radio. Tickets for the lunch and show are \$17.50 and must be purchased in advance by calling Pay DeVore, 553-8670.

Hill and Dale's Garden Therapy classes serve almost 300 special education students with varying disabilities ranging in age from 5 to 26. Class students are those with orthopedic and multiple handicaps, the learning disabled, deaf, emotionally impaired, blind and mentally retarded. The funds raised for the classes provide materials for study, in planting, growing and arranging natural materials. Emphasis is placed on encouraging the students to work with and understand nature, wildlife and horticulture.

Diagnosis

Madonna offers nurses' symposium

Dr. Beatrice J. Kalisch will be the keynote speaker for the Second Annual Michigan Nursing Diagnosis Symposium Tuesday, Sept. 12, in Madonna College.

The symposium, co-sponsored by Michigan Nursing Diagnosis Association and Nursing Honor Society of Madonna College, will serve as a forum for nurses to network, share strategies and discuss issues surrounding the development and use of nursing diagnosis.

Dr. Kalisch will address "Nursing

and Nursing Diagnosis in 2010." The Farmington Hills resident recently assumed the position of principal and director, Nursing Management Consultants, with Arthur Young in Detroit.

"Nursing diagnosis is a basic tool. It's applicable to every situation," Kalisch said. "We're in a revolutionary stage in the development of the science of nursing."

Author of more than 70 articles for professional journals, Kalisch has conducted a number of studies in the history, politics and economics of nursing over the past 12 years. She and Dr. Philip Kalisch have co-authored several books, "Nursing Involvement in Health Planning," "Images of Nursing on Television" and "The Advance of American Nursing and Politics of Nursing."

"SOME NURSES will research one diagnosis and become specialized," Kalisch said. "But nursing diagnosis is fundamental to being a nurse. It's inherent."

Formerly, the keynote speaker was Titus Distinguished Professor of Nursing, Chair of Parent-Child Nursing and director of the graduate program in Parent-Child Nursing at University of Michigan. She is also listed in "Who's Who of America," "Who's Who of American Women" and "World's Who's Who of Women."

The Michigan Nursing Diagnosis Symposium runs from 8:15 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and will also feature presentations concerning nursing diagnosis in relation to clinical practice, nursing education and research.

Opening remarks will be made by Dr. Dorothy Fox of Madonna College. Other speakers are Dr. Virginia Rice from Wayne State University; Barbara Scheffer of Eastern Michigan University; Marlene Mullin from William Beaumont Hospital-Troy; Kathleen Walsh from St. Joseph Mercy Hospital; and Janet Kasno from Mercy College.

Fee for the symposium is \$30 for members of Michigan Nursing Diagnosis Association and Nursing Honor Society of Madonna College, as well as for students. Others may register for \$40. For information, call Fox at 591-5155. Madonna College is at the intersection of I-96 and Levan, Livonia.

He adds humor

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Cuban born Gonzalo Garcia-Pedrosa, Nee Zalo, emigrated to the United States at the age of 13 on New Year's day in 1959. He says he was ousted along with his godfather when Fidel Castro took over the government of Cuba.

Inspired by a very fashionable mother, Zalo headed for a career in fashion merchandising, ultimately ending up as shoe buyer for Saks Fifth Avenue, New York. His forays into the European shoe market led him to believe, he says, "That the shoe industry badly needed a shot-in-the-arm. It had become too boring."

Five years ago, at the age of 36, Zalo set out to supply this pizzazz. He has since lived and worked in Alicante, Spain, a resort town on the Mediterranean coast where he has 11 factories that produce shoes. He says he sells more than 100,000 pairs of fantasy shoes each season, with Americans his best customers.

His very best friend in the world, he says, is the Duchess of Seville, who is the former editor of Spanish Vogue magazine. "She wears all of my shoes," Zalo says. "Of course, I designed my frog motif shoes for her."

Zalo is dedicated to getting women out of their dull, safe cocoons. He wants to change us into colorful, sprightly butterflies among the flowers.

He is so intent on women having happy feet, he passed along a tip that will not hurt in new shoes. "Before you wear them, put them in the freezer. When they are good and frozen, put them on your feet. While the leather is warming, it conforms to the shape of your foot."

Zalo explained that when you first put the frozen shoes on, you may think you are going to die from the cold. But as the leather warms up, it stretches only where you need it and gently conforms to the foot. "No," he said, "you can't go back and use the frozen treatment on shoes you've already worn. It's too late."

Oh, dear.

Party set for Jerry's kids

Ann Arbor Road, between Main and Sheldon in Plymouth, will be turned into a block party to benefit Muscular Dystrophy Association between 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. Monday, Sept. 1.

Headliners Hair Studio personnel will be cutting hair on the sidewalks, amid the games for children, square dancing, a dunk tank, dog grooming, flea markets and festival foods sold to help "Jerry's kids."

All money raised will go toward research into 40 neuromuscular diseases as well as provide wheelchairs, braces, clinic services, therapy sessions and summer camps to those suffering from any neuromuscular disease. All of the services are provided free.

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