

# Cable TV producers attract plaudits

Warm weather has boosted the energy levels of resident-staff television production.

Novi resident Dave Witt has been selected as "Producer of the Month." He has produced a very creative series titled, "Cartoon Alley." Dave has sought out cartoons familiar to us all which are in public domain. He has added voiceovers of historical accounting of the artist and producer of the original work.

Dave, thank you for your interest and support of community programming.

Another Novi resident, Judy Anshen, is beginning her fourth season of the "Cooking With Class" series. Judy and Leigh Felstara of Metrovision have produced and directed programs that literally make your mouth water. This season will host a new set designed by Redford resident artist Tom Callen. He has painted a kitchen mural. When you watch Judy's show, keep a pencil and paper in hand, she is loaded with tips and marvelous recipes.

Jean Fox of Farmington Hills and I have teamed up with SWOOC and Metrovision staff to produce a film series on "Women in Politics." Jean has been guiding us through segments on "Tri Outlook News" on what the political arena means.

The television series, "Women in Politics," introduces you to the women who are the politicians. Our guests thus far are state Rep. Judith Miller, Orion Township Supervisor Joann Van Tassel, Michigan Republican Party First Vice Chair Laraine Thomas, state Rep. Maxine Berman and Farmington Hills councilman and SEMTA board member, Jody Soronen.

Bob Bolack of Metrovision and

Gail Freid businesswoman of Farmington Hills have teamed up to produce "Be Smart With Your Money." Gail, who is a financial planner, enthusiastically began providing five-minute tips. She has expanded to 30-minute programs to help facilitate greater support to our residents.

Subscribers and residents notice a common trend. Begin by producing short clips. Then when you are comfortable or time will allow, develop your ideas into full-fledged shows.

This involvement is as simple as having an idea. We are all here to help: Kathy Kirk, Leigh, Jacki, Bob, Todd, Mary, Doug, Dave, Donnell, Jary, Judy and Lark.

## COMMUNITY ACCESS PROGRAMMING SCHEDULE Monday, March 23

- 12 noon — Perceptions: MSU Admissions.
- 12:30 p.m. — Cartoon Alley: Bob Clampett.
- 1 p.m. — Serendipity: First Aid.
- 1:30 p.m. — Edison's Legacy.
- 2 p.m. — In Concert: on stage.
- 2:30 p.m. — In Concert: Art in Review: movie and theater reviews.
- 3 p.m. — In Concert: Novi Skits-O-Parade No. 1.
- 4 p.m. — Producer of the Month: Dave Witt.
- 5 p.m. — Oakland County Connection: Features from Michigan and Oakland County.
- 6:30 p.m. — Duel of Knowledge: Harrison vs. North Farmington.
- 7 p.m. — Serendipity: First Aid.
- 7:30 p.m. — Ready, Steady, Go: D.A.F.T.



## cable connection

### Lark Samouellan

executive director,  
Southwestern Oakland Cable Commission

- 8 p.m. — In Concert: on stage.
- 8:30 p.m. — Sports Scene: Wheel Chair Basketball.
- 9:30 p.m. — VFW Bowling Tournament.

## Tuesday, March 24

- 12 noon — Summit University: The Coming Revolution.
- 1 p.m. — Focus: The small business environment: local retailers forum.
- 1:30 p.m. — Tri-Outlook: local news.
- 2 p.m. — To Your Good Health: diet and nutrition.
- 2:30 p.m. — Community Upbeat: diabetes.
- 3 p.m. — Michigan Journal: Michigan Republican Party.
- 3:30 p.m. — Sports Yesterday/Today: former Red Wing Hockey Player.
- 4 p.m. — Ask Donnell: sports information.
- 5 p.m. — Short subjects: AAUW-Invest in Yourself and ACE Entry.
- 6:30 p.m. — Senior Messenger: Farmington Hills Senior Citizens.
- 7 p.m. — Sports Yesterday/Today: Former Red Wing Hockey Player.
- 7:30 p.m. — Tri-Outlook: local news.
- 8 p.m. — To Your Good Health: diet and nutrition.

- 8:30 p.m. — Community Upbeat: diabetes.
- 9 p.m. — Special: ACE Entry, The Little Blue Ball and Crewel.
- 9:30 p.m. — Viewpoint: City of Farmington Hills.

## Wednesday, March 25

- 12 noon — Awaana Invites You: "Pala, Pioneer, V-Team"
- 12:30 p.m. — First Alert: Farmington Hills Fire Department.
- 1 p.m. — Serendipity: first aid.
- 1:30 p.m. — Be Smart With Your Money: IRA's—Still a Good Bet.
- 2 p.m. — Around the World: New Guinea, Pt. 1.
- 2:30 p.m. — Jaycees focus on the Farmington area: Farmington Businesses.
- 3 p.m. — Transitions: Issues for Women: divorce.
- 4 p.m. — Producer of the Month: Dave Witt.
- 5 p.m. — Be Smart With Your Money: IRA's—Still a Good Bet.
- 6:30 p.m. — Duel of Knowledge: Harrison vs. North Farmington.
- 7 p.m. — Serendipity: first aid.
- 7:30 p.m. — The Job Show: Job information from MESCC.
- 8 p.m. — Cartoon Alley: Bob Clampett.
- 8:30 p.m. — Dealing With Human Dilemmas: live call-in talk show.

- 9:30 p.m. — Jaycees focus on the Farmington area: Farmington Businesses.

## Thursday, March 26

- 12 noon — Cities Corner: Farmington/Farmington Hills Sequential Flag-Raising.
- 12:30 p.m. — Cities Corner: Farmington Public Safety.
- 1 p.m. — Tri-Outlook: local news.
- 1:30 p.m. — Viewpoint: City of Farmington Hills.
- 2 p.m. — Farmington Library: Farmington Branch.
- 2:30 p.m. — Community Upbeat: Diabetes.
- 3 p.m. — Madonna Magazine.

- 3:30 p.m. — Ask the tax professional: The New Tax Law.
- 4 p.m. — Ask Donnell: sports information.
- 6 p.m. — Awaana Invites You: Pala, Pioneer, V-Team.
- 6:30 p.m. — A Day At The Show: Stone.
- 7 p.m. — Tri-Outlook: local news.
- 7:30 p.m. — Viewpoint: City of Farmington Hills.
- 8 p.m. — To Your Good Health: diet and nutrition.
- 8:30 p.m. — Community Upbeat: Diabetes.
- 9 p.m. — Around the World: New Guinea, Pt. 1.
- 9:30 p.m. — Cooking With Class: spring buffet, Pt. 1.

## YMCA highlights

These YMCA highlights appear courtesy of the Farmington YMCA, 28100 Farmington Road, Farmington Hills. For information, call 553-4020.

**SWIM WEEK**  
Learn basic safety and water skills prior to diving into summer fun. The annual learns to swim campaign has been set for April 20-24. See our brochure for full details.

**FIRST AID**  
First aid for the Cabbage Patch doll, a course that is aimed to teach children basic first aid. This fun course has been set for April 25. Watch for further details.

## MARCH SLEEPOVER

Want a night filled with fun and games? Then a sleepover is just what you need. At 8 p.m. Saturday, March 28, is when the games, swimming, movies and pizza party begin. Pickup time is the next morning at 8:30 a.m. Come and register at the YMCA.

## DRIVER'S EDUCATION

Registration is being taken for Driver's Education at the Farmington Area YMCA. The instructors are from Accurate Driving School. The program meets Michigan law requirements for Driver's Education. Students must be at least 15 when

class begins and no older than 18. Class begins March 31 and meets 4-6 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday. For additional information, call 553-4020.

## APRIL ADVENTURE

April 20-24, first through sixth graders find constructive activities at the YMCA. Games, crafts, swimming and a field trip. Call now and join in our spring vacation fun.

## CONGRATULATIONS

The Farmington Area YMCA had six swimmers compete in the YMCA State Swim meet. Our only girl was Laura Karchner who took a 10th place in the age 15-18, 100-yard

backstroke. Mike Pleda placed ninth in the boys 10 and under, 50-yard freestyle. John Cowan took an eighth and 10th place in the 200- and 100-yard freestyle respectively. Adam Kammer took a ninth in the 50-yard freestyle in this age category. Our only relay team to go to the State Meet consisted of Thomas Manley, Chris Stockdale, Scott Fisher and John Cowan. They placed ninth in the free relay. A special congratulations to Mike Pleda who is swimming in the Regional YMCA meet next weekend.



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