

Corvette top prize in festival drawing

Feeling lucky? To help raise operating money for the Farmington Founders Festival, the Farmington/Farmington Hills Chamber of Commerce is planning a fantasy car drawing where the top prize is a 1987 Chevrolet Corvette.

The prize list also includes \$4,800 worth of shopping spree at local businesses. Drawing tickets cost \$100 each.

"As usual, the financial support of the festival is a concern," said Nancy Finley, chamber president. The purpose of the drawing is to raise enough money so that the chamber doesn't have to tap its general fund to subsidize the 1987 Foun-

ders Festival Thursday-Saturday, July 16-18.

THE DRAWING'S top prize, the red Corvette, is from Holiday Chev-

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rolet in Farmington Hills. The car has a removable glass roof, black upholstery, leather seats, a leather

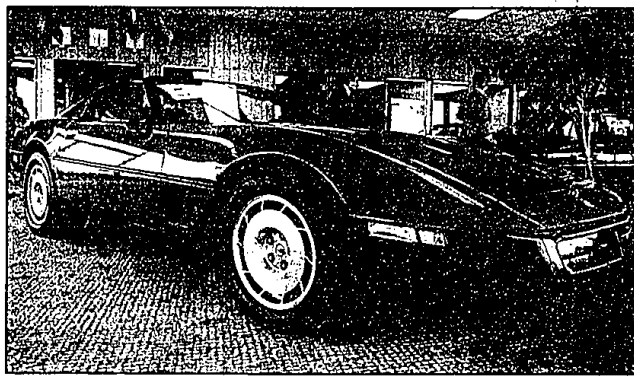
interior, six-way power seats, electric cruise control, automatic transmission, a rear-window electric defroster and an AM-FM stereo radio with cassette player.

Other prizes include a \$1,000 shopping spree, an \$800 shopping spree, a \$700 shopping spree, a \$600 shopping spree, a \$500 shopping spree, a \$400 shopping spree, a \$300 shopping spree and a \$200 shopping spree. The 10th prize is \$100 — the cost of the drawing ticket.

"Money won in the shopping spree can be spent at any chamber business — including retail stores, professional places, hair salons, car dealers — anywhere there is a money transaction," said JoAnn Soronen, chamber executive director.

Only 750 tickets will be sold to help improve the odds of winning the car. A wine and cheese drawing is scheduled for 5 p.m. Thursday, May 14 at the Farmington Community Center. Your ticket is your admission. Ticket holders need not be present to win.

Tickets, courtesy of Heeney-Sundquist Funeral Home in Farmington, are available at the chamber office, 33201 Grand River, or from chamber board members.



The 1987 Chevrolet Corvette has a removable glass roof, black upholstery, leather seats, a leather interior, six-way power seats, electric cruise control, automatic transmission, a

rear-window electric defroster and an AM-FM stereo radio with cassette player. It is on display in the showroom at Holiday Chevrolet, 30250 Grand River, Farmington Hills.

Hills head count well under way

The mid-decade census, which began last month, has progressed according to plan, but many residents have yet to be counted.

Farmington Hills officials say they are pleased both with the census coverage to date and with the co-operative spirit of the residents.

However, the enumerators (census takers) still have a number of sections to count, and the city asks for continued cooperation from those residents who will be contacted soon. Enumerators will be asking residents two questions — to verify their addresses and to name the people living in the house. They are not seeking any other information.

If residents are not at home, the counters will leave a card asking for the above information. The card can either be mailed to city hall or left on the door for the enumerator.

The census should be completed by May and the final results are expected to be compiled and available in June.

If the city's population has increased 15 percent, as projected since 1980, Farmington Hills could receive additional state money in the last three years of the decade.

A certified population increase also will increase the city's quota of population-based liquor licenses available through the state.

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