

**recreation news**

Each week, the Recreation Division of the Farmington Hills Department of Special Services presents a synopsis of upcoming activities. For more information about programs, call the Recreation Office, 474-0115. For information about city council agenda items, call the city newsline, 476-3838.

**SOFTBALL SIGNUP** — The Recreation Division is accepting registration for adult softball teams for the 1987 softball season. A non-refundable \$50 deposit for registration of team is required. Teams will be taken on a first-come, first-served

basis. Leagues for the 1987 season include men's, women's and co-ed. For further information, contact 473-9579.

**SWIM LESSONS** — Swimming instructions for beginner to advanced skill levels will be offered at North Farmington High School. This six-week session will be held on Saturdays, beginning March 28. Children must be at least 38 inches at their chin height in order to participate. A pre-registration fee of \$20 is required.

**SWIM PROGRAM** — Designed for children ages 3, 4 and 5 who do

not meet the 38 inches chin height requirement, with assistance from the parent, to become familiar with water safety, how to float, place their faces in the water and become familiar with the water. Classes are held on Saturdays for six weeks beginning March 28 in North Farmington High School. A pre-registration fee of \$20 is required.

**AFTER-SCHOOL GYMNASTICS** — Gymnastic classes for children ages 3-10 will begin the week of March 28 and run to the week of May 11 at Eagle and Gill Elementary Schools and Oakland Community College. Registration will be accepted at the recreation office in person or by mail. Fee is \$16.

**NATURE STUDY TOUR** — Farmington-area families may explore the 212-acre park for the signs of spring and wild flowers that inhabit Heritage Park. Tim Nowicki will begin the nature interpretive program with describing the flowers, their growth season, soil and weather conditions required for their existence. The program will be held from 10 a.m. to noon Saturday, March 21. Registration deadline is Tuesday, March 17, or until maxi-

mum registration of 25. Fee is \$3 per person or \$7 per family.

**SOCCER COACHES** — The Recreation Division is seeking volunteer coaches to assist in our youth spring soccer program. Experience is not necessary — just enjoy working with children. If you are able to commit

one hour for one evening during the week and on Saturday morning for six weeks, contact Stu Rose at 473-9579.

**HOLLAND TRIP** — A trip to Holland, Mich., on a deluxe motor coach bus will provide you the opportunity to see the beauty and vivid colors of

the Tulp Festival. The bus will leave Oakland Community College on May 14 at 6:30 a.m. and include tour of Windmill Island and lunch, visit to downtown festival activities, dinner in Grand Rapids, and round-trip transportation. Fee is \$36 per person. Registration must be made prior to April 10 at the Recreation Office.

**YMCA highlights**

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

children basic first aid. This fun course has been set for April 25. Watch for further details.

**SWIM WEEK** — Learn basic safety and water skills prior to diving into summer fun. The annual learn 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

**MARCH SLEEPOVER** — Want a night filled with fun and games? Then a sleep over 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.

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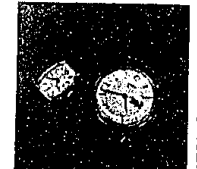
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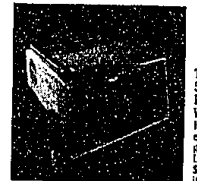
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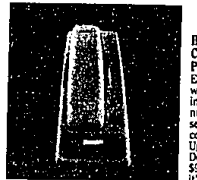
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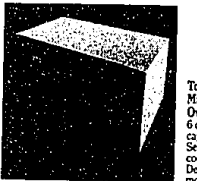
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