

## chalkboard

Chalkboard lists events that will take place in Farmington Public Schools through the week. The calendar is compiled by Paul Barber, the schools' music coordinator who can be reached at 471-6441.

date	school	event	time	location	fee
Apr. 17	All	Spring vacation begins			
Apr. 21	Board of Education	Meeting	7:30 p.m.	Adm. Bldg.	free
Apr. 27	All	School reconvenes	a.m.	School	
Apr. 29	Staff	Appleworks: Spreadsheet	4 p.m.	NFH Rm. 217	free
Apr. 29	Power	Spring vocal concert	7:30 p.m.	gym	\$1.50
Apr. 30	NFHS	Chess Club	8 p.m.	Aud.	free
Apr. 30	NFHS	Spring Instrumental concert	8 p.m.	aud.	\$1.50
Apr. 30	Wood Creek	Live from Mr. Wizard presentation	1 p.m.	gym	free

## Sesquicentennial events on May calendar listed

"Our Michigan Ancestors," a showcase exhibit put together by members of Farmington Genealogical Society, goes on display May 1 in Farmington Branch Library, on State and Liberty streets, to begin the month of activities on the Sesquicentennial Calendar. The exhibit remains throughout the month.

The Finnish Male Chorus and the Finnish American Singers join for a "Sesquicentennial Concert" at 3 p.m. Sunday, May 3, in Finnish Cultural Center, 35200 Eight Mile. Ticket information available by calling the center, 478-6983.

A Michigan Trails Walk, sponsored by Farmington Hills Recreation Division, begins at 9 a.m. Saturday, May 16. Those wishing to go on the walk may meet in Heritage Park parking lot, on the west side of

Farmington Road, between 10 and 11 Mile.

Another walk, this one sponsored by Farmington Hills Department of Special Services, will follow a route passing historical markers in downtown Farmington. Walkers will meet at 9 a.m. Saturday, May 30, in Shilawasee Park, on Shilawasee between Power Road and Farmington Road.

The Sesquicentennial Lecture Series continues with Gary Barfknecht at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 13, in Farmington Branch Library. Barfknecht's talk, "Michigan Miscellany," is sponsored by Farmington Friends of the Library.

Next lecture in the series is "Climbing the Family Tree." The talk by Christine L. Ayres, a delegate to Michigan Genealogical Coun-

cil, begins at 2 p.m. Saturday, May 16, in Farmington Branch Library and is sponsored by Farmington Genealogical Society.

Last lecture for the month is "Tracking the Underground Railroad," delivered by Jean Fox, at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, May 28, in Farmington Branch Library. Her talk is sponsored by Farmington Friends of the Library.

A Michigan Sesquicentennial program for the family called "Indian Legends and Famous Citizens" is headed up by Florence Sharpe, at 7 p.m. Wednesday, May 20, in Farmington Community Center. Sharpe is a member of Detroit Story League and has gathered both factual stories and legends to relate life as it was 150 years ago in Michigan.

Fee for a family is \$10, which includes a "150th anniversary" dessert. Reservations are necessary, made in the center at 24705 Farmington Road.

her students that yoga is not a religion, not just an exercise, but a way of life.

Participants are required to wear comfortable, loose clothing. Pre-paid registrations are taken in the center, 24705 Farmington Road.

## Yoga class will start

Yoga classes will begin at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, April 30, in Farmington Community Center. Cost for the 12-week class is \$60.

Jan Chékirda, who has been practicing yoga since 1970 and has been teaching it since 1982, will relate to



## Las Fabulosas

The members of Las Fabulosas walked away from Dance Masters of Michigan's competition with a first-place trophy. The dancers are Michelle Esper (from left), of Farmington Hills; Julie Grabowski of Novi; Christine Parillo of Northville; Kirstin Schmidt of West Bloomfield; and Krystin Lim of Westland. Esper was choreographer for a younger

group of dancers that took another first-place trophy in the state wide competition. All of the dancers from Piazza Dance Company will repeat their winning routines for "Applause," scheduled for 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, June 24, in Plymouth-Salem High School.

## CAR members elected to offices

Three Farmington Hills girls were elected to state offices when Michigan Society Children of the American Revolution (CAR) met for its state conference.

Nicole Huard, 13, was elected organizing secretary; Susan Hartwig, 11, was elected corresponding secretary; and Christine Huard, 10, was elected chaplain.

The girls are all members of Lexington Alarm Society, which was awarded a trophy for "Outstanding Local Society" in Michigan, and is led by Farmington Hills resident Carolyn Hartwig. The society is sponsored by Three Plugs and Ezra Parker Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) chapters.

During the past year the society has been involved in conservation projects, the study of the U.S. Constitution and collecting clothes for children in Appalachia.

This spring they will be designing and building another float for Farmington Founder's Day parade.

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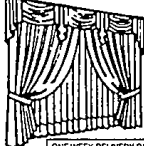
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