

club circuit

WESTSIDE SINGLES meet for a dance party at 8:30 p.m. Friday in Livonia Elk's Club, Plymouth Road east of Merriman. Admission is at the door. The singles hotline is 562-3170.

CITY OF HOPE, H.O.P.E. Chapter, hosts a scavenger hunt Saturday night. Donation is \$12.50, which includes dinner. Guests are welcome. Reservations are taken by Laura Berlin, 626-5770, or Judy Shapiro, 542-3057.

BETA SIGMA PHI, Xi Epsilon Beta and Mu Rho chapters, host a Ritual Tea at 2 p.m. Sunday in the

Farmington Hills Home of Sandra Chalmers.

FARMINGTON HISTORICAL SOCIETY meets at 8 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 28, in the Farmington Branch Library, State and Liberty streets.

Speaker for the evening is Dr. James McConnell, director of the bi-centennial project for the Michigan Department of Education in celebration of the anniversary of the U.S. Constitution. The celebration extends through 1991, the anniversary of the Bill of Rights.

RIGHT TO LIFE OF MICHIGAN

hosts an open, informational and organizational meeting at 7 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 29, in Alexander Hamilton Building, 12 Mile Road, east of Farmington Road. This meeting is open to all interested persons. Program for the evening is the showing of "Eclipse of Reason," a film released by Dr. Bernard Nathanson, who also produced "The Silent Scream."

Inquiries are taken by Jennifer Bennett, 855-4001, day time only.

UNITED SCLERODERMA FOUNDATION hosts a workshop from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 31, in Harper Hospital, Detroit.

The workshop will provide patients, family members and health care professionals with information on the treatment of scleroderma, and an update on current research. The areas of expertise represented are rheumatology, dermatology, psychology, gastroenterology and occupational therapy.

For directions and reservations call Community Health Program, 745-8983. All club news and announcements for this column are to be addressed to Club Circuit, Farmington Observer, 33203 Grand River, Farmington 48024. The information must arrive before noon on the Monday before Thursday publication.

Women's issues to be discussed

Attorney Nina Abrams will speak on "Women's Issues" at 7 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 18, in the Farmington Community Center, Farmington Road north of 10 Mile.

Her talk will include discussion and questions about women in the workplace, pre-marital, marital and post-marital rights, family law and estate planning.

She has been a practicing attorney in the tri-county area for 10 years and holds a master's degree in both business administration and library science.

She is a frequent speaker to women's organizations and is the former chairperson of The Women's Lawyers Association of Michigan Foundation. Her husband, Howard, is a law professor at the University of Detroit.

Cost for the program is \$10. To register, call the center at 477-8404.



Nina Abrams

chalkboard

Chalkboard lists events that will take place in Farmington Public Schools through the week. The

calendar is compiled by Paul Barber, the schools' coordinator who can be reached at 471-6441.

date	school	event	time	location	fee
Oct. 24	Elem. music	Workshop	all day	Charlotte	fee
Oct. 24	FHS	Marching Band at game	12:45 p.m.	home	\$2/1
Oct. 24	Kenbrook	PTA family photos	all day	school	free
Oct. 24	Larkshire	PTA craft show	10-4	school	free
Oct. 24	NFHS	Marching Band at game	12:45 p.m.	home	\$2/1
Oct. 25	Kenbrook	PTA Family photos	Allday	school	free
Oct. 26	elementary	Iowa test of basic skills	TBA	school	free
Oct. 26	employees	Appleworks	4 p.m.	NFHS Rm. 217	free
Oct. 26	Kenbrook	PTA Roller skating party	6:30 p.m.	Bonaventure	charge
Oct. 27	Employees	I.T.I.P. session B	8:30 a.m.	DMC	no
Oct. 27	Wooddale	Open House	7:30 p.m.	school	no
Oct. 28	K-8 teachers	K-8 management	4 p.m.	DMC	no
Oct. 28	Larkshire	Parents Tea	3:45 p.m.	school	no
Oct. 29	elementary	Halloween lunch	schools	schools	fee
Oct. 29	NFHS	Fall Choral Sing	8 p.m.	auditorium	\$1.50
Oct. 30	all	teachers workday	p.m.	school	no
Oct. 30	FCB	Halloween Spooktacular II	7:30 p.m.	HHS auditorium	\$3/2

Playgroup open to newcomers

Newcomers are welcome to join the Mom & Tot Playgroup, which meets 10-11:30 a.m. Tuesdays in Church of Christ, 38500 11 Mile. The group is made up of mothers with children from infancy to 5 years of age. Activities include games, snacks, stories and crafts.

Drugs cause confusion

AP — University of Washington, Seattle researchers report that frequently used prescription and over-the-counter drugs, not old age, may be a hidden cause of confusion among the elderly.

"Our experience suggests that clinicians should be more alert to the possibility of cognitive impairment due to drugs in the elderly and that drug-free trials may be helpful in detection," the researchers said.

St. Gerard marks day for friends and family

St. Gerard Catholic Church on Pembroke and Evergreen in Detroit is planning a gala gathering Sunday, Oct. 25. Invitations are extended to former and current members and future friends to attend "Friends and Family Day," to renew friendships.

The event is intended to be a community builder, a time for past and present Gerardians, their friends and families to celebrate what St. Gerard offers. Hopefully, it will also bring in additional revenue to help the parish continue its high level of excellence in liturgies and choir, activities and involvement with people.

Festivities will begin early in the

day. Continental breakfast will follow the 8 a.m. Mass. A luncheon reception will take place after the 11 a.m. Mass. Both will provide opportunity for visiting. Darle Boule will do the catering. Reservations for breakfast and, or, luncheon may be made by telephoning the St. Gerard parish office, 537-5770.

The day of celebrating will be capped by a 3 p.m. concert of the "Gerardian Singers" under the direction of Dr. Anthony Jackson. The repertoire will include classical and gospel church music. All those who like choir music are invited to attend. Reservations are needed for the concert.

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7:00 — 6 to 8 YEAR OLDS

7:30 — 9 to 12 YEAR OLDS

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