## club circuit

THE PROFESSIONAL WOMEN'S NETWORK celebrates its filth anniversary with a social networking cocktail party from 5-7 pm. Tuesday, Sept. 13, in the Farmington Community Center, 24705 Farmington Road. Reservations must be made by Friday, Sept. 9. Call 477-8404, Guests welcome.

WESTSIDE SINGLES hosts an aniversary dance from 8:30 p.m. to 2 a.m. Friday, Sept. 9, in Roma's of Livonia, on the Schoolcraft service drive, west of Inskster Road, Participants must be at least 21 years old. Admission, 85. Steve King and the Dittilles entertain. Group's bot line: 562-2160.

PHOENIX conducts a singles dance party from 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. Sunday, Sept. 11, at the Knights of Columbus Hall Menaghan's, 19801 Farmington Road between Seven and Eight Mile, Livonin. Partici-pants must be at least 21, No Jeans. Admission, \$4. A DJ plays 109-40 hits and '50's and '60's music. For details, call 476-8383.

VETERANS OF FOREIGN
WARIS Fifth District convention was
conducted Sunday, Sept. 11, at the
Lawrence A. Sims VFW Post 3952,
Wirsom. Sessions included classes on
safety and drug abuse. Those attending from Brodhead-Farmington Hills
VFW 2259 include Irene Johnson,
president; Ann Collect, senior vice
president; Ann Collect, senior vice
president; and chairpeople of various
post committees. Commander Fred
Sesser and his line officers and chairpeople attended.

DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERI-CAN REVOLUTION Three Flags Chapter conducts its first fall meet-ing Monday, Sept. 12, at the home of Sally Kirsten of Farmington Hills Mary Shaw of Farmington Hills will be co-hotses. The newly Installed regent, Mrs. Levy Tindal of Lathrup

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Village, will preside over a meeting after the noon dessert. Judy Amrose of Birmingham, chapter historian, will speak on the U.S. Constitution the nonor of Constitution will be constitution will speak on the U.S. Constitution will be nonor of Constitution Week. Defeates to the state DAR conference Sept. 22-24 in Lansing will include the regent. Kirsten, Carlyin Hartwig and Frene Foot Conference of Farmington Hills. Glinny Platter of Lathrup VII. logs will conference an official teller at the CARMINICOMN. CARDING CHE.

conference.

FARMINGTON GARDEN CLUB
meets at noon, Monday, Sept. 12, in
the Farmington Community Center.
After dessert and a business meetning, Betty Frankel, well-known gardening writer, will speak about
growing bulbs for beauty through the
year. She'll discuss new varieties
available and the best methods for
cultivating them.

NORTH FARMINGTON GAR-DEN CLUB meets at noon Toesday, Sept. 13, in the downstairs auditori-um of the Farmington Hills Commu-nity Library on 12 Mile. There will be a demonstration of last-minute arrangements for any occasion. Pro-spective members welcome. For res-ervations, call Doris at 682-9336.

FOCUS ON LIVING WITH CAN-CER meets at 5 pm. Tuesday, Sept. Sin in Providence Heapital, 16014. The self-belp group bring good bring the self-belp group bring proposed the self-belp group bring proposed bring and the self-belp group bring are experiencing problems as a result of living with cancer. For details, call the American Cancer Society at 557-5533.

BUSINESS AND PROFESSION-AL WOMEN meet for dinner Tues-day, Sept. 13, in O'Sheehan's, in Muirwood Shopping Center, Grand River and Drake roads. For details, call 522-4484 or 478-1018.

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Sept. 15, in Resurrection Lutheran Church, 8650 Newburgh Road north of Joy. For details, call Helen Gleichauf at 532-5692.

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### Kitchen-Bruce

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Kitchen of Plymouth announce the engagement of their daughter, Marie Elizabeth, to Robert John Bruce, son of Marion Bruce of Farmington and the late Robert Bruce.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Plymouth Salem Bigh School. She is employed by K mart and Delta Air Lines.

Lines.

Her flance is a graduate of Farmington High School and of Central Michigan University. He is employed by Crowley-Milner.

A late September wedding is planned.

the past six months, have become newly engaged, are expecting a child or have a baby less than 3 months old. For details, call Marie Dicostana at 477-383. Activities groups include antiquing, crafts, gournet and dining out, sports, hiking/walking and a baby-sitting ec-op.

All club news and announce-ments for this column are to be addressed to Club Circuit, Farm-ington Observer, 32203 Grand River, Farmington 48024. The in-

## Drought to be felt in school cafeterias

(AP) — The drought of 1988 will undoubtedly go down in textbooks as one of the worst dry spells of the century, but students returning to school this fall may learn that lesson firsthand in the calcteria.

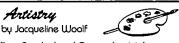
Many schools nationwide will have to adjust the cost as well as the content of school lunches to compensate for drastically reduced crop yields caused by the drought, officials say. "We don't yet know how many local school districts will have to raise increased costs," sald Roger Lynas, superintendent of the food distribution program for the Michigan Department of Education. The U.S. Department of Agriculture has notified schools nationwide that frozen and canned peas, corn and green beans will not be available for lunch programs from its

Child abusers differ by sex

(AP) — Women who sexually abuse children are more likely to suffer from brain damage, retards abuse children are more likely to suffer from brain damage, retards that results from a University of Michigan study.

Kathleen Coulborn Faller, assistant professor of social work, said acriy a third of the female abusers were either mentally retarded or brain damage.

Faller said she analyzed 289 cases of child abuse referred to her by child protection services, courts and mental health agencies between 1978-87. In addition to the mental problems that the said women are more likenental health agencies between 1978-88. Said that while studies helped in individual cases, she cautioned



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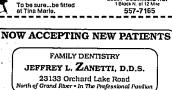
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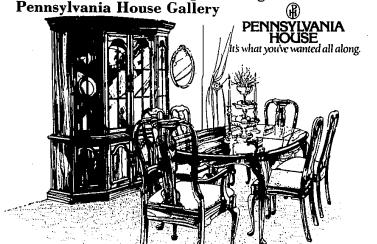
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