

around Farmington

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TYNDALE OPEN HOUSE

Monday, Dec. 5: Open house in William Tyndale College for prospective students, friends and parents from 6:30-9:30 p.m., 35700 12 Mile.

TREE LIGHTING

Monday, Dec. 5: Everyone is invited to see Farmington Community Christmas Tree lit, hear Farmington High School's choir, drink hot chocolate, eat cookies and sing Christmas carols around the tree at 7 p.m. on the grounds of the Warner Mansion, Grand River west of Farmington Road in downtown Farmington.

HOLIDAY AUCTION

Monday, Dec. 5: Annual holiday potluck dinner begins at 6:30 p.m., followed by auction in Antioch Lutheran Church, 33360 13 Mile. For reservations and information, call the church, 636-7908.

STUDENT PHOTOGRAPHY

Tuesday-Thursday, Dec. 6-13: Student photography exhibit from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Friday and 1-4 p.m. Saturday and Sunday in Madonna College Exhibit Gallery, 1-95 and Levan Road, Livonia. No admission charge.

AEROBICS

Tuesday, Dec. 6: Low-impact Aerobics class begins at 8:20 a.m. and continues on Tuesdays and Thursdays in Farmington Community School, 30415 Shawassee. Registration information available by calling the school, 477-9373.

FAMILY AFFAIRS

Tuesday, Dec. 6: "Family Affairs" talk by Arnold Braver, who talks about the impact of life's stresses on the family, at 7 p.m. in St. Gerald Parish Hall, 21300 Farmington Road. No charge.

\$400 raised

Local Weight Watchers and some members of the Weight Watchers staff raised \$400 that was given to Dorothy Pfaff, executive director of Farmington Community Center, to be used to aid in the renovation of the historic home.

The money came from the "Better Than Good Bake Sale" where only Weight Watcher recipes were used for the items on sale.

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WILLIAMSBURG

Wednesday, Dec. 7: "Williamsburg Sampler" concludes Fall Film Series at 7:30 p.m. in Farmington Branch Library, 23500 Liberty Street. No charge.

HAIR CARE

Wednesday, Dec. 7: "Hair Care for the Holiday," one-session workshop with individual attention given to each participant, begins at 7 p.m. in Clarenceville High School, sponsored by Clarenceville Community Education. Fee is \$5. Registrations taken by calling the department at 473-8933.

LUNCH AND FASHIONS

Wednesday, Dec. 7: Holiday luncheon and fashion show sponsored by Farmington-Farmington Hills Welcome Wagon Club at 11:30 a.m. in Novi Hilton. Music provided by Harrison High School Jazz Ensemble. Reservations, at \$15, taken by Lynette Nelson, 851-2875.

ADVENT PROGRAM

Wednesday, Dec. 7: Family advent program with singing and trimming of the tree, at 7:30 p.m. in Hope Lutheran Church, 3200 12 Mile. Open to all interested people.

KAROLS, KUSTOMS AND KOOKIES

Wednesday, Dec. 7: "Karols, Kustoms and Kookies," Farmington Musicales's Christmas program with the musicale's bell choir and chorus, tree trimming and holiday fare, at 12:30 p.m. in St. John Lutheran Church, 23225 Gill Road. No charge.

ADVENT VESPER

Wednesday, Dec. 7: Advent vesper service continues at 7:30 p.m. in Prince of Peace Lutheran Church, corner of 12 Mile and New Market Road, east of Farmington Road.

STRUGGLING WITH GUILT

Thursday, Dec. 8: "Struggling With The Guilt Given by Traditional Religion," panel of one Christian, on Jew and one Hindu, at noon in Womencenter, Room 409, J Building, Orchard Ridge Campus, Oakland Community College. No charge. Guests may bring brown bag lunch if they wish.

CRAFT SALE

Thursday-Friday, Dec. 8-9: Craft sale of the work of South Oakland Skills Center special education students from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. each day in East Middle School, 25000 Middlebelt. No admission charge.

BEST TIME OF YEAR

Friday-Saturday, Dec. 9-10: "The Very Best Time of Year," Farmington Community Chorus in concert at 8 p.m. each evening in Harrison High School auditorium, 29995 12 Mile.

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ARTS AND CRAFTS

Friday-Saturday, Dec. 9-10: Arts and crafts on show and sale from some 70 artisans from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Friday and from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday in Northville Recreation Center, 303 Main. Admission is \$1.50. Lunch is available both days.

THE DINING ROOM

Friday-Saturday, Dec. 9-10: "The Dining Room," comedy by A.R. Gurney Jr., staged at 8 p.m. each evening in Smith Theatre, Orchard Ridge Campus, Oakland Community College, at 1-896 and Orchard Lake Road. Reservations, at \$8, or \$6 for senior adults and students, available by calling the box office, 471-7700.

CHILDREN'S SHOPPING

Friday, Dec. 9: Children can shop for gifts with help from a staff of friendly elves from 4-6 p.m. in Jacobson's, Livonia. Reservations are necessary, made by calling the store, 591-7696, Ext. 263.

USED SPORTS EQUIPMENT

Friday-Saturday, Dec. 9-10: All people who wish to sell used sports equipment may drop it off between 9 and 9 p.m. Friday in North Farmington High School cafeteria, 32900 13 Mile. Used Sports Equipment Sale from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the school, Saturday. Twenty percent of the sale price of all donations will be kept by the senior class, sponsors of the sale.

BASEBALL CARDS

Saturday, Dec. 10: Baseball card trading session from 10:15-11:30 a.m. in Farmington Branch Library, 23500 Liberty.

THE NUTCRACKER

Saturday-Sunday, Dec. 10-11: "The Nutcracker," performed by Gelger Classic Ballet Academy, at 8 p.m. Saturday and at 2:30 p.m. Sunday in Mercey High School auditorium, 29800 11 Mile. Tickets are \$8 and \$6, available by calling the academy, 661-2430.

BROADWAY RHYTHM

Saturday, Dec. 10: "Broadway Rhythm," Sweet Adelines in concert, at 8 p.m. in West Bloomfield High School. Tickets are \$7, available from Rosemary Ratliff in Union Lake, 698-3887.

CREATE A GIFT

Saturday, Dec. 10: "Create a Gift" workshop for 8-12-year-olds who will make an old-fashioned Christmas gift and its wrappings, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Farmington Community Center, Farmington Road north of 10 Mile. Fee is \$12. Registrations taken in the center.

HIGHER EDUCATION A WINDOW OF OPPORTUNITY

A public service announcement of this newspaper and Wayne State University.

AND THE GIFT GOES ON

Saturday-Monday, Dec. 10-12: "And the Gift Goes On," handbells, puppeteers, Madrigal Singers, the Streetlight drama troupe and 100-voice Tabernacle Choir forming a "living Christmas tree" at 7:30 p.m. Saturday and at 3 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. Sunday and at 7:30 p.m. Monday in Brightmoor Tabernacle Church, 26555 Franklin Road, Southfield. Tickets are free but reservations must be made ahead of time by calling the church office, 352-6200.

LET'S CELEBRATE

Sunday, Dec. 11: "Let's Celebrate," Farmington Community Band in concert, salutes state Rep. Sandy Brotherton on his retirement after 14 years service to the community and the state at 3 p.m. in Harrison High School, 12 Mile between Orchard Lake Road and Middlebelt. Tickets are \$3 or \$2 for students and seniors, or \$8 for a family, at the door.

DECEMBER DELIGHTS

Sunday, Dec. 11: "December Delights," holiday boutique and tea sponsored by Hill and Dale Garden Club, from 11:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. in Farmington Community Center, Farmington Road north of 10 Mile. No admission charge.

HISTORICAL MUSEUM

Sunday, Dec. 11: Farmington Historical Museum dressed for the holidays, open from 1-5 p.m. on Grand River, west of Farmington Road. Music furnished by Charlton Choir of First University Methodist Church of Farmington. Admission is \$1, children under 12 free.

MESSIAH

Sunday, Dec. 11: Antioch Community Chorus sings the Christmas portion of Handel's Messiah at 4 p.m. in Antioch Lutheran Church, 33560 13 Mile. No admission charge.

EBENEZER, JR.

Sunday, Dec. 11: "Ebenezer, Jr.," musical drama based on the Dickens' play, presented by Detroit Church of the Nazarene Youth Department, at 6 p.m. in the church, 21260 Haggerty. No admission charge.

CHORALE CONCERT

Sunday, Dec. 11: Madonna College Chorale in concert of Christmas music at 7:30 p.m. in Kresge Hall on campus, 1-95 and Levan Road, Livonia. No charge.

SPIRIT OF DETROIT

Sunday, Dec. 11: Sweet Adelines Spirit of Detroit Chorus in Christmas Concert at 7 p.m. in St. Paul Presbyterian Church, 27475 Five Mile, Livonia. Advance tickets are \$5, or \$3 for senior adults and students available from Betty Koch, 981-5708.

PRESUMED INNOCENT

Tuesday, Dec. 12: "Presumed Innocent" by Scott Turow concludes Popular Book Discussion series for the season, at 7:30 p.m. in Farmington Hills Branch Library, 12 Mile east of Farmington Road.

SEASONAL MUSIC

Tuesday, Dec. 13: "An Evening of Seasonal Music," Oakland Community College Chorale in concert at 8 p.m. in Smith Theatre, on Orchard Ridge Campus, Orchard Lake Road at 1-896. Admission of \$2 asked at the door.

IMMUNIZATION

Wednesday, Dec. 14: Immunization Clinic operated by Oakland County Health Division open from 9 a.m. to noon in Clarenceville United Methodist Church, 20300 Middlebelt. No charge. Children under 18 must be accompanied by parent or guardian.

SKATE WITH SANTA

Thursday, Dec. 15: Roller Skating With Santa Party from 7-9 p.m. in Bonaventure Roller Skating Center, 24505 Haled, with door prizes and elf helpers to hand out give-aways. Admission is \$2 for adults and children at the door.

ELDERMED HOLIDAY

Thursday, Dec. 15: Deadline date for all people over 50 years to register for ElderMed Holiday Social from 1:30-3:30 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 28, in Botsford Hospital complex, Grand River west of Eight Mile. No charge, but registration is necessary, made by calling the hospital, 471-8020.

WSU Chorale in concert

Wayne State University's Women's Chorale, Concert Chorale and Vocal Jazz Ensemble will perform at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Dec. 9 in St. Aidan's Catholic Church, 17500 Farmington Road. The address is north of

TREE AUCTION

Thursday, Dec. 15: Holiday trees, all decorated with an ethnic theme, auctioned from 7-8 p.m. in Cloverdale Developmental Training Center, 33000 Freedom Road, as a benefit for the students.

MERRY OLDE ENGLAND

Saturday, Dec. 17: Oakway Symphony Orchestra's evening of feasting and song in the manner of Merry Olde England begins at 7 p.m. in the residence dining hall at Madonna College, 1-95 and Levan Road, Livonia. Reservations at \$27.50 per reveler, available by calling the college, 591-5046. Discounts offered for tables of six or 10.

MUSEUM OPEN

Sunday, Dec. 18: Farmington Historical Museum is decorated for the season open for guests from 1-5 p.m. on Grand River west of Farmington Road. Mary Lou Battley plays the hammered dulcimer from 2-4 p.m. Donation is \$1 at the door. Children under 12 free.

POLONAISE CHORALE

Sunday, Dec. 18: Polonaise Chorale in concert of Polish Christmas carols at 4 p.m. in Madonna College Activities Center, 1-95 and Levan Road, Livonia. No admission charge.

Six Mile Road in Livonia

Farmington Hills residents who are in the Concert Chorale are Lawrence Wilk and David Fazzini.

Admission is \$5 at the door.

Musicales offers Karols, Kustoms and Kookies

Farmington Musicales will perform its annual Christmas program "Karols, Kustoms and Kookies," at 12:30 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 7, in St. John Lutheran Church, 23225 Gill.

The Farmington Musicales Bell Choir, under the direction of Betty Love and the Farmington Musicales Chorus, with Joyce Bigelow conducting, will perform music from around

the world.

A tree trimming will involve guests and members adorning the tree with an ornament they have brought from home.

Justine Noetzel is planning and inviting table of refreshments for an afterglow. The musicale is an affiliate of the National Federation of Music Clubs.

New Year's Eve party planned just for kids

"My Place" will be hosting an overnight party from 7 p.m. New Year's Eve until 9 a.m. New Year's Day for children from 3-12 years at both day care centers in Farmington Hills and Birmingham.

Party hats and favors, a pizza dinner, munchies, a full breakfast and "lots of fun" are promised.

Rates vary for the parents who must to pick up their children at 2 a.m. or after breakfast. Rates are reduced for the second and third child.

Reservations must be made before Dec. 27 by calling the Farmington Hills center at 737-5437 or the Birmingham center at 540-5702.

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