

Gardeners dedicate pavilion



Del Wisniewski, left, of Bloomfield Township, president of the Michigan Division of Woman's National Farm and Garden Association and Barbara Keltz of Birmingham had their picture taken at the National Arboretum. They are seated on the bench donated by the association in memory of Matilda Wilson, a past national president of the group. Both women are members of the Birmingham branch.

The members of Michigan Division of the Woman's National Farm and Garden Association contributed more than \$20,000 or almost all of the cost of the Diamond Jubilee Pavilion at the U.S. National Arboretum in Washington, D.C. It is in the Gettill Conifer Garden.

It was dedicated at the Association's 75th annual meeting in June, attended by about 80 Michigan Division members and spouses.

Greetings and congratulations were received from President and Mrs. George Bush. Mrs. Bush was made an honorary member of the association on her birthday, June 7.

Woman's National Farm and Garden Association is one of the oldest women's organizations in the United States and the only one which has a representative to the United Nations.

Local members maintain several public gardens. The Birmingham branch cares for the Allen House Gardens in downtown Birmingham.

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Orchestra manager chosen

Deborah Borda, executive director of Detroit Symphony Orchestra Hall, recently announced the appointment of Rebecca Krause to the position of orchestra manager.

This senior management position was created as part of the recent restructuring of the organization. Krause will be responsible for all operational and personnel aspects of the Orchestra. She started this week.

A professional musician who has performed with orchestras around the country, Krause is a graduate of the prestigious Orchestra Management Fellowship program established by the American Symphony Orchestra League to train top national candidates for leadership positions in symphony orchestra management. During her year in the program, she worked with the Minne-

sota Orchestra, the San Francisco Symphony and the Grand Rapids Symphony Orchestra.

Previously, she was vice president for finance for Piper Sonoma Cellars in California and served as assistant controller for the Wine Division of Somerset Importers Ltd. in New York City.

A native of Ann Arbor, she has completed a bachelor of music performance degree (French Horn) from The Juilliard School and graduate business studies at PACE University.

"Rebecca Krause has the ideal qualifications for this position," said Borda. "She is an accomplished musician and a top-notch manager. Her qualities of energy and dedication perfectly complement our new DSOH team."

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