

upcoming things to do

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Family Christmas Tradition at 7:30 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, Dec. 9-10, at St. Bede Church in Southfield. The evening includes the opera "Amahl and the Night Visitors" and "A Concert of Carols." Tickets are \$5 for adults, \$3 for students and senior citizens. A family ticket for \$10 is available that admits two adults and their children. For groups of 10 or more, there is a discount of \$1 per ticket. For more information or for tickets call 557-6527 or 557-7245.

DIONNE WARWICK
The Dionne Warwick AIDS Benefit will be Tuesday, Nov. 21, at the Fox Theatre in Detroit. Proceeds will be used to establish a program to house children who have AIDS. The benefit includes a concert headlined by Warwick, along with the Four Tops, Melba Moore, Kiara, Tramaine Hawkins, Kent Masters-King and Donnie

Simpson. The benefit also includes a reception/buffet before the concert and an afterglow with the cast at the Lansdowne. The \$100 benefit package includes a prime mezzanine seat and the cast party at the Lansdowne. The \$250 benefit package includes a buffet dinner before the concert and a first-floor concert seat. For package information, call 224-5760. Concert ticket prices are \$22.50, \$30 and \$50. For concert tickets, call the Fox at 567-6000.

DANCE TROUPE
Movin' Theatre, the Wayne State University Theatre's traveling dance troupe, will take to the road again in January following a year off last season. Bookings are available for the group's new show, "Decades of Broadway Dance," and for related workshops in dance and movement. "Decades of Broadway Dance" is a narrated program, performed by

eight actor-dancers, tracing the history of dance in Broadway musicals from the 1920s to the present. The Movin' Theatre 10-member company includes two area residents, Kate Kenney of Rochester and Michael Scarpiglia of Troy. For more information or to book performances and/or workshops offered by Movin' Theatre, call Bill Wilson at 577-3010.

ATTIC THEATRE
The Chenille Sisters, Midwest singing act, will perform Friday-Saturday, Nov. 24-25, at the Attic Theatre in Detroit. Showtime is 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, and 2 p.m. Saturday for the debut of the Chenilles' new children's show. Opening for the children's show will be Peter "Madcat" Ruth, blues harmonica virtuoso. Tickets for the evening shows are \$16. Tickets for the children's matinee are \$10 for adults and \$5 for children. Tickets are available at the

Attic Theatre box office, or charge by phone at 875-8284.

SKI FILM
"White Magic," the 40th anniversary feature film from film maker Warren Miller, comes to the Detroit area at the following locations, on the following dates: 8 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 19, at the Michigan Theatre, Ann Arbor; 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 22, Ford Auditorium, Detroit; 7:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 24, Macomb Center for the Performing Arts, Mt. Clemens; 7 and 9:30 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 25, Royal Oak Music Theatre. Tickets for all showings are available at each theater's box office and all Ticketmaster outlets. For charges by telephone call 645-6656.

'THE BREADSHOP'
Ann Arbor's Brecht Company will present the English language premiere of "The Breadshop," a "lost"

play by Bertolt Brecht. Performances will be given at 8 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 30, to Saturday, Dec. 2, and 8 p.m. Dec. 7-9, with a matinee at 2 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 3, at the Residential College Auditorium in Ann Arbor. This is an original translation by the company's dramaturg, Martin Walsh. Tickets at \$5 Thursday and Sunday and \$7 Friday-Saturday are available in advance at the Michigan Theatre Box Office, phone 668-8397.

SHOW CANCELED
Due to a change in production plans for an upcoming movie, Mickey Rooney has canceled his Detroit appearance. The show, billed as "Two for the Show," starring Mickey Rooney and Donald O'Connor, originally scheduled for the Fox Theatre on Friday, Nov. 24, will not be performed. Tickets may be refunded at point-of-purchase. Customers may call 567-7500 for more information.

table talk

Marco's Dining

Marco's Dining & Cocktails has been open since July in the Village Commons in downtown Farmington. It specializes in classic Italian dishes, which come from many different regions of Italy. Appetizers ranging from \$2.50 to \$5.95 are available at dinner. Pasta dishes are priced from \$7.95 to \$12.95, and house specialties — chicken, beef, shrimp and veal — from \$9.95 to \$13.95. Breads are made fresh from hour to hour and Italian desserts prepared fresh daily. The restaurant's interior combines an art deco look with the colors of the '80s. Marco Conte's parents have been in the restaurant business for 37 years. In 1952, his grandparents opened Rina's of Detroit, where his parents worked steadily. They purchased Rina's 15 years ago and sold the restaurant in February when the family decided to relocate in Farmington.

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