

police/fire calls

Listed below are some of the Farmington area police incidents, fire calls and court cases reported during the past week:

BOY BURNED

A 12-year-old boy who was visiting a friend in Farmington Hills Saturday set himself on fire while burning leaves in a coffee can, which he and his friend ignited with gasoline, according to a Farmington Hills fire report.

The boy, Tony Underwood, was discharged from the University of Michigan Hospital Burn Center, Ann Arbor, Tuesday.

When the boys apparently thought the fire in the coffee can of leaves, sticks and straw wasn't burning well enough, Tony put gasoline in a spray bottle while his Farmington Hills friend sprayed the fire, which ignited the spray bottle.

The friend threw the ignited spray bottle, and Tony's hand caught on fire when he picked it up. He was trying to extinguish the fire on his hand when he rolled into the fire and caught the right side of his pants on fire, according to fire officials.

The boy was transported by firefighters to Botsford General Hospital, Farmington Hills, and later was transferred to the U-M Hospital Burn Center.

CARS HIT

Cars parked at Citation Club Apartments were broken into Oct. 18-19. A speaker, radar detector, a small amount of cash and sunglasses valued at \$533 were taken from a car on Medallion Court, an equalizer valued at \$260 was taken from a car on Citation Circle. From another car on Citation Circle, a boom box, compact disc player and amplifier valued at \$1,500 were taken. An amplifier and AM/FM radio valued at \$1,030 were taken from a car parked on Meridian Place, according to Farmington Hills police reports.

BABYSITTER ASSAULTED

A 22-year-old Farmington Hills woman was assaulted by her 14-year-old charge Sept. 29, according

to a Farmington Hills police report.

The boy began to argue with the woman, grabbed her arm and began pulling her toward the kitchen. While pulling her, the boy told the woman to leave. When they got to the kitchen, the boy grabbed a steak knife and raised it toward her, again telling her to leave.

A witness in the home calmed the boy down and he put down the knife, according to police.

4 SUSPENDED

Four Farmington High School students were suspended and one charged with disorderly conduct after a brawl in the school's main lobby Monday morning.

The fight — a senior, junior, sophomore and freshman — were found kicking and slugging in the school's front lobby about 8:40 a.m. before the fight was broken up by assistant principal Jerry Allison and some faculty members. One teacher was injured on the left side and leg during the incident. The boys were held in the school's front office until Farmington police arrived.

School officials told police the four had been involved in another minor altercation on Oct. 18, after which two of the boys were suspended and the other two warned.

The 18-year-old was ticketed for disorderly conduct, while juvenile petitions are expected to be filed against the other three boys in Oakland County Probate Court, according to a Farmington Department of Public Safety report.

WARRANTS SOUGHT

Farmington police are seeking warrants against a Detroit man whom they say has been making obscene phone calls to the department for the past six months.

Gary Goss, deputy director of public safety, said the department is taking a serious look at the situation, which has interfered with the public safety department's emergency operations.

The calls were traced to a patient at Detroit Receiving Hospital's mental health and substance abuse ward,

Goss said. The police report was entered on Oct. 21.

THEFTS REPORTED

An autograph, climes synthesizer, videocassette recorder, tape recorder, computer, disk drives, keyboard, monitor, film projector, movie screen, PA amplifier and telephones valued at \$5,459 were reported stolen from O.E. Dunkel Middle School, 32809 13 Mile, in July or August.

Jewelry valued at \$1,500 was reported stolen from Wing Hong restaurant, 29238 12 Mile, Saturday. An outboard motor, ship-to-shore radio, spotlight and car buffer valued at \$1,950 were reported stolen from a pickup truck at Crosswinds Condominiums, 31200 Country Way, Oct. 18-19.

A radar detector valued at \$200 was reported stolen from a car on Knighton Dr., Oct. 18-19.

A radar detector valued at \$300 was reported stolen from a car on Florsheim in the Village Green Apartments, Oct. 18-19.

Radial tires valued at \$4,808 were reported stolen from cars at Tom Holter Ford, 39300 Grand River, Oct. 18-19.

Bicycles valued at \$400 were reported stolen from near the front door of Target, 30020 Grand River, Friday.

A cable coat valued at \$12,000 and a videocassette recorder with an undetermined value were reported stolen from a house on Scottsdale Friday.

A videocassette recorder and a microwave oven, valued at \$600, were reported stolen from the Salvation Army, 27500 Shawansee, Friday or Saturday.

DAMAGE REPORTED

About \$600 damage was caused when someone threw a rock through a picture window of a house on Eastfield, Oct. 18-19.

An estimated \$500 damage was caused Saturday when someone denied a car, parked on Parklane, with a fire iron.

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LINKING FRIENDSHIPS

Even though the 600 students of Hillside Elementary are divided between four locations until their new school is complete, they have maintained a sense of unity this fall.

Inspired by Novi artist David Barr's project called "The Four Corners" which connects people and cultures around the world, Hillside fifth graders designed a "Four Corners of Hillside" project to link their remote locations.

Students are currently attending school at a partially completed Hillside, Farmington Community School, Longacre and Flanders elementary. The new school is slated for completion later this month.

Fifth graders have mapped the sites, located their own home in relationship to their new school, and buried a brick from the Hillside building at each site, said art consultant Susan Williams.

For his global project, Barr buried four chunks of marble carved into tetrahedrons, a triangular four-sided form. One is buried on Easter Island, another in an iceberg in Greenland, a third in South Africa and a fourth in the jungles of New Guinea.

If the four pieces were connected by imaginary lines through the earth, they form a giant tetrahedron 6,464 miles long on each side. If visible, it could be seen from the moon.

The mock Hillside project focused on the school's September theme of "friendship."

SAD WINNER

Harrison High School senior Kim Nazak was awarded third prize in

the 1990 Students Against Driving Drunk Michigan Poster Contest. Her poster placed first in the Harrison contest and was sent on to compete in the state finals.

Nazak graduated last June and is currently attending art school in Texas.

IDEAS PLUS

Language arts and social studies teachers from Farmington and West Bloomfield public school systems joined together to share ideas at an after-school forum recently.

Farmington language arts consultant John Barrett said this is the first time the teachers got together for such a program. Called "Ideas Plus: The Language Arts and Social Studies Connection," it was held Oct. 4 from 3:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. at Farmington High School.

Included were workshops about successful classroom presentations, electronic research methods, using Michigan trivia, a number of writing seminars and other topics.

MEDAL GIVEN

Farmington High School student Chuck Burger, a Lamar Street resident, was recently given the Rensselaer Medal from Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute of Troy, New York. One student from each of 1,700 high schools is selected each year to receive the award, given for outstanding achievement in math and science during their junior year.

CABLE AWARD

The Kids R Kids cable television program, designed by Farmington schools staff, was recently awarded

the 1990 Philo Cable Video Award in the category of "children's television programming."

The show was developed to heighten awareness about people with handicaps. The format includes children with and without handicaps involved in creative arts experiences.

Taping of the show began at Channel 10, located at North Farmington High School, under the direction of Dean Cobb. A companion curriculum to the show was implemented in various elementary schools in the Farmington district.

The program is affiliated with Metrovision to encompass a broader viewing audience.

Staff participating in the show include Sandra Eling, Anne Hill, Pat Morris Weaver, Ann Smith, Jean Belding, Laura Barker, Kathy Kloppe, Jean Collins, Claudette Bosseawen, Shannon Swiney and Jan Perry.

Cloverdale students involved in the taping were: Tiffany Gabel, Alex Castle, Bryan Curry, Jennifer Wiggins, Jason Atto, David Setey, Nicole Sobolak, Audrey Bloomberg, Lori Fera, Teddy Theodorou, Mary Zeros, Nicholas Bongson, Matthew Cox, Sharon Brooks and Arianna Sundick.

TEACHER FEATURE

Marion Rosholt, resource room teacher at Flanders Elementary School, was featured on WXYZ-TV Channel 7 segment on Oct. 11, after being nominated as an "outstanding educator" by a co-worker.

She was featured on a segment called "Class Acts" as part of Channel 7's focus on education this year.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of October, 1990, at Farmington, Michigan, by the following officers of the Farmington Hills Bank of Farmington:

Director of Finance and Administration

ASSETS

	Thousands of Dollars
Cash and balances due from depository institutions	2,301
Securities—bearing interest and maturing or due	6,300
Loans—bearing interest	1,300
Other assets	1,300
Total Assets	11,201

LIABILITIES

	Thousands of Dollars
Deposits	11,201
Other liabilities	0
Total Liabilities	11,201

EQUITY CAPITAL

	Thousands of Dollars
Capital stock	1,301
Reserves	9,900
Unallocated funds and capital reserves	0
Total Equity Capital	11,201

I, the undersigned director, attest to the correctness of this statement of assets and liabilities. In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of the Farmington Hills Bank of Farmington, at Farmington, Michigan, this 25th day of October, 1990.

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