

table talk

REGENCY WEST

You can ring in the new year with a seven-course dinner at the Regency West, 25245 W. Seven Mile in Redford. The restaurant will have a live band and a disc jockey, a champagne toast and an early morning breakfast. The cost is \$75 a couple and reservations are required. Call 534-6285 for details.

MEDALLION'S

New Year's Eve at Medallion's, 4343 Orchard Lake Road in West Bloomfield, will feature two seatings, one between 4 and 7 p.m. for \$18 a person and the second after 8 p.m. featuring a gourmet dinner for \$40 a person. For reservations, call 851-5540.

HYATT REGENCY

A musical salute to Motown will be featured at the Hyatt Regency Dearborn on New Year's Eve. Live entertainment will be offered in four areas of the hotel from 8 p.m. to 3 a.m. Among the performers sched-

uled are Frankie Gaye (Marvin Gaye's brother), Kim Weston, and the Stylistics. Tickets are \$39 per person. For more information, call 593-3036.

MICHIGAN THE BOUNTIFUL

More than 30 Michigan chefs will provide hot and cold hors d'oeuvres, entrees, desserts and fine wines for "Michigan the Bountiful," scheduled to take place from 3-8 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 20 at the Southfield Pavilion, 26000 Evergreen Rd. Tickets are \$35 in advance, \$40 at the door. The proceeds will benefit the Michigan Chefs de Cuisine Association scholarship fund. For details, call 354-4854.

RUBVVY TUESDAY

Ruby Tuesday is a new restaurant opening at Summit Place Mall in Waterford. With its own entrance on the east side of the mall, it offers a salad bar, extensive menu and full bar. They are open Monday to Thursday, 11 a.m. to midnight; Friday and

Saturday, 11 a.m. to 1 a.m.; and Sunday, noon to 9 p.m.

PISTONS PACKAGE

Sebastian's Restaurant and Lavada Limousine have combined to offer a package including Pistons tickets, limousine transportation to and from the Palace, and a choice of four full-course dinners. The package will be offered for games taking place Wednesday, Jan. 2; Friday, Jan. 11; Monday, Jan. 28; Thursday, Feb. 7; Wednesday, Feb. 20; Monday, March 11; Friday, March 22; and Wednesday, April 10.



Music finals scheduled

The grand finals of the Quest for Excellence music competition are set for 7 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 8, at the Fisher Theatre, Detroit.

Sixteen non-professional classical, jazz and pop musicians and singers between 15-24-years-old will vie for the top prize of a \$5,000 cash scholarship. Three \$5,000 cash scholarships will be awarded to the first place winners in each category. Second-place finishers in each category receive a \$2,000 scholarship.

Judging the pop category are Jose Feliciano, composer and performer, and Duke Fakir, member of the Four Tops. Jazz judges are guitarist Earl Klugh and trumpeter Jon Faddis. Roger Jacob, president emeritus of Interlochen Arts Complex, and A. Clyde Roller, conductor, will judge the classical contests. Among the pop finalists is vocalist Miles T. Underwood of Birmingham.

The Northwestern Jazz Ensemble will perform before the competition. Barbara Bredius will sing several selections while the judges make their decisions.

Tickets for the grand finals are free and available by sending a self-addressed stamped envelope to Quest for Excellence, WJR Radio, 2100 Fisher Building, Detroit, 48202 or call 873-9780.

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