

on the agenda

Below are highlights from the preliminary agenda of the Farmington Hills City Council. Meetings are open to the public.

Farmington Hills City Council
Lower level conference room
31555 11 Mile
7 p.m., Monday, Oct. 7

The city council will meet in a special study session to discuss proposed temporary sign regulations.

know your government

Looking for information about state government? The League of Women Voters has a toll-free telephone service (1-800-292-5823) that may be helpful.

The league's Citizen Information Center in Lansing offers to help people find out about such things as pending legislation, the state constitution, election laws, voting regulations or tax information.

The telephone is answered from 10:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. weekdays.

The telephone service is paid for by the league's education fund. The League of Women Voters is a non-profit organization that works to keep voters interested and informed about governmental issues.



SHARON LAMIEUX/staff photographer

Prutow named

Farmington Hills resident Helen Prutow has been named president-elect of the Michigan Association of School Boards for the 1991-92 year, which runs through next June. Currently a long-standing member of the Farmington school board and president of the Oakland Intermediate School District board, Prutow has served on the MASB board for three years where she has chaired the MASB Legislative Committee and been active in other educational areas. In the past, she also chaired that group's Legal Trust Fund. Prutow said she does not expect to give up any of her local responsibilities because of the state-level appointment.

inkwell

Inkwell provides information about primary and secondary education issues and students from the Farmington area. Send information to: Inkwell, The Farmington Observer, 21888 Farmington Road, Farmington, 48336. Please include a daytime phone number. Items will not be taken over the phone.

● PARENTING CLASSES

Classes are being offered through the Farmington Public Schools for parents interested in children's achievement. Stressed in the parenting classes will be special problems and concerns of the gifted and other bright students. Topics will include motivation, discipline, peer relationships, depression and stress. Considerable time will be spent discussing self-esteem and its relationship to each of these topics.

There are openings available for three sessions, including one from Nov. 11 to Dec. 16, another from Jan. 6 to Feb. 10 and a third from

March 2 to April 6. All sessions meet in Room #3 at the 10 Mile Administrative Annex, 32769 W. 10 Mile Road between Power and Farmington roads from 7:30-9 p.m.

The cost of the program is \$25 per resident, with spouse able to attend free. Non-residents will pay \$40 for a single person and \$50 per couple. The program cost includes one copy of "Guiding the Gifted Child" by Dr. James Webb and other printed materials.

Program leaders will be Jerry Kaplan, counseling specialist in gifted and underachievement and Nancy Sellin, a specialist in supporting emotional needs of the gifted.

For more information about the parenting classes call the gifted department at 489-3399.

● COLLECTING TAPES

William Grace Elementary in Farmington Hills is collecting register tapes from Farmer Jack and A&P supermarkets to get free Apple Computer systems, printers, and other educational tools through the

"Apples for Students" program.

William Grace organizers ask residents to donate their cash register tapes by sending them to school with their children, or by dropping them off or mailing them to the school office at 29040 Shiawassee.

The program runs through Jan. 5, 1992. For more information, call Becky Logsdon at 477-2007.

● MOTIVATIONAL SPEAKER

Parents of fifth graders and middle school students are invited to hear Holle Carawan, a nationally known speaker, at a middle school seminar at 7 p.m., Nov. 6 at East Middle School.

Carawan, a certified teacher and collegiate athlete, will visit from Seattle, Wash. where he will do a seminar on "Moms, Dads and Other Endangered Species." His talk will address three critical problems facing parents everywhere:

- Letting go of unnecessary guilt.
- Challenging your kids to be personally responsible.
- The power of caring.

In addition to the parent seminar, he will also meet with East and O.E. Duval middle school students during the day and conduct an in-service for East staff members after school. His visit is being funded through the Farmington Public School District and federal grant money provided for drug and alcohol education.

East Middle School is located on Middlebelt Road between 10 Mile and 11 Mile roads.

● 6 NAMED

Six Farmington High School seniors were named "commended students" in the National Merit Scholarship program, for their outstanding performance on the 1990 PSAT test. Brian Andre, Jean Cheng, Joshua Munter, Matthew Phillipoff, Marc Scario and Matthew Slesosky were among 35,000 commended students throughout the country being honored.

The students will receive letters of commendation for their efforts.

police/fire calls

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

● BOMB THREAT

An operator at TRV, 24175 Research Drive, received a bomb threat just after 2 p.m., Sept. 27, according to a Farmington Hills police report.

The man, whom the operator described as calm and soft-spoken said, "There is a bomb in your building. It will go off in 25 minutes."

Police arrived at the scene and with the help of three employees checked out the building and found nothing.

● FIGHT REPORTED

An Oakland County Probate Court order was issued against a 14-year-old Power Middle School student this week after he reportedly picked a fight with a younger student at a school bus stop Monday morning.

According to a Farmington Department of Public Safety report, students were at a bus stop at Gill and Oakland streets at about 7:25 a.m. when the older boy approached and began taunting one of the other students. The boy then struck an 11-year-old several times with his knee and foot.

A parent arriving at the bus stop with her children attempted to stop the fight by telling the 14-year-old to stop; he then reportedly threatened her children.

The Power student was on probation through the court for other complaints, police said.

● CAR FIRE

Approximately \$1,750 in property losses resulted Sept. 26 when a car caught on fire in a garage at a house on Colgate in Farmington Hills.

According to reports, Farmington Hills firefighters responded to the scene to find fire under the vehicle and in the engine compartment. The owner told them the car started up, lurched forward into the garage and started on fire.

● THEFTS REPORTED

A VCR, TV and two cases of soda valued at \$500 were reported stolen from Octel Communications, 31700 Middlebelt, Sept. 7.

A 1981 tractor and snowmobile trailer valued at \$9,000 were reported stolen from an equipment yard at Waterville Construction, 31666 Eight Mile, Sept. 14-18.

Jewelry valued at more than \$700 was reported stolen from a house on Kendallwood, Sept. 27-28.

Firearms and equipment valued at \$1,360 were reported stolen from a house on Fenol, Sept. 11-27.

Cigarettes valued at \$900 were reported stolen from Wine Tasters, 30340 Nine Mile, Sept. 29.

A TV valued at \$1,000 was reported stolen from a unit at Botaford Terrace Apartments, 21466 Oxford, Sept. 29.

Wheel covers valued at \$800 were reported stolen from a 1989 Cadillac at the VFW Hall, 23414 Orchard Lake Road, Sept. 29.

WE CAN CHANGE BAD STUDY HABITS FOR GOOD.

Our Study Skills Program is specifically designed to help improve the way they study. Our customized program teaches good habits like time management and goal setting, while improving skills in listening comprehension, reading/studying, organizing and test-taking.

PROGRAMS:

- Study Skills
- College Prep
- Reading
- ACT/SAT Preparation
- Math
- Algebra
- Writing

5755 W. Maple
(West of Orchard Lake Rd.)
West Bloomfield **737-2880**

©1990 Sylvan Learning Corporation

Insulation Special

6" R-14
Blown in Attic
Insulation

1,000 Sq. Ft. - \$300

JONES INSULATION

348-9880

Living Trusts Living Wills Patient Advocacy

Discussion,
Questions & Answers

Sat., October 5 • 10:30 A.M.

Farmington Library
23950 Liberty Lane, Farmington
Reservations Around the Clock
347-9779

UNITED ARTISTS West River

OPEN 11:30 A.M. - 9:30 A.M. SAT.

<p>*NECESSARY ROUGHNESS (PG-13) 10:00 11:00 12:00 1:00 2:00 3:00 4:00 5:00 6:00 7:00 8:00 9:00 10:00 11:00</p> <p>*SHOUT (PG-13) 10:00 11:00 12:00 1:00 2:00 3:00 4:00 5:00 6:00 7:00 8:00 9:00 10:00 11:00</p> <p>*DEAD AGAIN (R) 10:00 11:00 12:00 1:00 2:00 3:00 4:00 5:00 6:00 7:00 8:00 9:00 10:00 11:00</p> <p>*FREDDY'S DEAD: The Final Nightmare (R) 10:00 11:00 12:00 1:00 2:00 3:00 4:00 5:00 6:00 7:00 8:00 9:00 10:00 11:00</p>	<p>*SUBURBAN COMMANDOS (PG) 10:00 11:00 12:00 1:00 2:00 3:00 4:00 5:00 6:00 7:00 8:00 9:00 10:00 11:00</p> <p>*HOT SHOTS (PG-13) 10:00 11:00 12:00 1:00 2:00 3:00 4:00 5:00 6:00 7:00 8:00 9:00 10:00 11:00</p> <p>*LATE FOR DINNER (PG) 10:00 11:00 12:00 1:00 2:00 3:00 4:00 5:00 6:00 7:00 8:00 9:00 10:00 11:00</p> <p>*FISHER KING (R) 10:00 11:00 12:00 1:00 2:00 3:00 4:00 5:00 6:00 7:00 8:00 9:00 10:00 11:00</p> <p>*TERMINATION II (R) 10:00 11:00 12:00 1:00 2:00 3:00 4:00 5:00 6:00 7:00 8:00 9:00 10:00 11:00</p>
---	--

*NO FOLDS OR NEW FOLDS THE FIRST TWO (10:00, 11:00) OF THE PLAN. *11:00 A.M. SHOWS ONLY ON SAT.

BARGAIN MATINEES - MON-FRI. ALL SHOWS BEFORE 6 P.M. SAT.-SUN. BEFORE 1:30 P.M.

Visit the DeGiulio Showrooms of Kitchens & Bathrooms

...and imagine the Possibilities

Dearborn Showroom
15150 Century Drive
So. of Michigan off
Gard Street
Call 271-4990

Livonia Showroom
3320 W. Six Mile
at Farmington Road
Call 422-1100

DeGiulio INDUSTRIES
CABINET MAKERS SINCE 1959
HOURS: 9-7 DAILY, 9-5 SAT.

FIND US FAST IN THE AMERITECH PAGES PLUS THE ORIGINAL MICHIGAN BELL YELLOW PAGES

IT'S 8:05 A.M. SUNDAY MORNING AND YOU NEED MILK FOR THE KIDS CEREAL!

WHERE DO YOU GO?

Buying A Little Saves You A Lot at...

ORIGINAL BULK FOODS

30050 Grand River • Farmington Hills • 474-1043
4422 Woodward • Royal Oak • 549-0033

HALLOWEEN SWEETS 'N' TREATS

THAT WON'T TAKE A BIG BITE OUT OF YOUR BUDGET

COUPON 10% OFF ALL HALLOWEEN CANDY

SPECIALS GOOD THRU 10-9-91

THOMPSON SEEDLESS RAISINS	99¢ LB.	CALIFORNIA PIPPED DATES	**2.99 LB.
SELECT TRAIL MIXES	**1.99 LB.	ORIENTAL LITE RICE CRACKER MIX	**2.99 LB.
YOGURT COVERED RAISINS	**1.99 LB.	FORTUNE COOKIES	**1.99 LB.
OATMEAL Oat or Oat Flavored	59¢ LB.	LARGE SELECTION OF GOURMET CHEESES	
GLUM BEARS	**1.99 LB.	FRUIT JUICE SWEETENED GRANOLAS (100 SUBJECT ADD'L)	**1.99 LB.
SWEET TURKISH APPRICOTS	**2.99 LB.	Prices & quantities subject to change without notice	

SUGAR-FREE HARD CANDY

\$1.99 LB.

CALIFORNIA PIPPED PRUNES

99¢ LB.

NATURAL CALIFORNIA PISTACHIOS

\$2.99 LB.

CHOCOLATE COVERED RAISINS & PEANUTS

\$1.99 LB.

\$1 EXTRA SAVINGS COUPON

ON MORE EXCEPT SALE ITEMS

ORIGINAL BULK FOODS

\$2 EXTRA SAVINGS COUPON

ON MORE EXCEPT SALE ITEMS

ORIGINAL BULK FOODS