

## around Farmington

All announcements for this column must be mailed to *Around Farmington*, Farmington Observer, 21898 Farmington Road, Farmington 48336.

Deadline for *Around Farmington* is noon Monday for the Thursday publication and noon Thursday for the Monday publication. Requests for announcements will not be taken over the telephone.

### ELDERMED THANKSGIVING

Now: Reservations accepted for ElderMed at Botsford's Tropical Thanksgiving set for noon Friday, Nov. 8 at the Embassy Suites Hotel, Livonia. Lunch and program, \$7 for ElderMed members, \$8 for non-members. Seating is limited. A representative from Cruises only presents an audiovisual program on cruises to warm climates. Prizes will be awarded for the best tropical tourist costume. For details call 471-8020.

### FOOT EXAMS

November and December: Initial foot examinations given for \$1 which will be donated to Farmington Families in Action. Call Dr. Norman Brants office at 476-0500 to make an appointment. The office is at 38471 W. 10 Mile Road between Haggerty and Grand River.

### COATS FOR KIDS

Through Nov. 29: Tenth annual campaign in cooperation with Michigan

Con and the Salvation Army collects new and like-new children's coats sizes 4-16. Coats can be dropped off at Farmington Hills City Hall, 31555 Eleven Mile Road or at the Farmington Hills Library, 32737 West 12 Mile. They will be distributed by the Salvation Army in time for the holidays. Contributions in the form of a check or money order should be made payable to "Coats for Kids" and sent care of WJLB 98, Suite 633, Penobscot Bldg., Detroit, 48226. The campaign is co-sponsored by WXYZ-TV and WJLB radio.

### FREE G.E.D.

Early November for eight weeks: Registration for free G.E.D. Prep classes scheduled through the Clarenceville Community Education Program are now being accepted. Class begins early November. Classes are scheduled both daytime and evening, Monday through Thursday. Call 473-8933 for registration information.

### WOMENCENTER

Thursday, Nov. 7: Oakland Community College's Womencenter announces the opening of a legal clinic to provide community and college women access to free legal advice by professional attorneys from 7-9 p.m. It is necessary to make an appointment at 471-7602 or for further information.

### PAPER CRAFTS

Thursday, Nov. 7: Workshop features ideas for making cards and envelopes, folded boxes and bags and more at the Community Center, 24705 Farmington Road north of 10 Mile. Three sessions, 7-9 p.m. Cost is \$36. For more information call the center at 477-8404.

### HANDMADE CRAFTS

Thursday-Friday, Nov. 7-8: The eighth annual Red Check Boutique featuring handmade crafts 6-9 p.m. Thursday and 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday at 30400 Fox Club Drive. No admission fee. For more information call Shirely Macdonald at 553-2928.

### MOMS, DADS AND OTHER ENDANGERED SPECIES

Thursday, Nov. 7: Parent program featuring Rolf Carawan at 7 p.m. at East Middle School, Middlebelt Road between 10 and 11 Mile.

### RED CHECK BOUTIQUE

Thursday-Friday, Nov. 7-8: The 8th annual holiday Red Check Boutique featuring 25 Farmington area crafters is set for 6-9 p.m. Thursday; 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday at 30400 Fox Club Drive.

### ARTS AND CRAFTS

Saturday, Nov. 9: Arts and craft show at William Grace School, 29040 Shilawasee 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission is free.

### ELKS AUCTION

Saturday, Nov. 9: The Farmington Elks Lodge hosts its second annual auction at 7:30 p.m. at the lodge on Orchard Lake Road south of 10 Mile. Tickets are \$2 per person, \$3 per couple. For details call 478-1988.

### HOLIDAY BOUTIQUE

Saturday, Nov. 9: Craft show and bake sale held in Clarenceville High School between Middlebelt and Seven and Eight Mile roads 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Over 150 tables. Admission is \$1 and includes a raffle ticket.

### CRAFT SHOW

Saturday, Nov. 9: Holiday craft show from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, 20805 Middlebelt Road and Eight Mile. Table rentals available. Call Barb at 476-0841 for more information.

### CASH RAFFLE DINNER

Saturday, Nov. 9: Second annual Community Center cash raffle at 7:30 p.m. in the Novi Hilton. Only 200 tickets sold at \$150/ticket per couple. Dinner for two at a first class hotel and a chance to win \$5,000. Tickets available at the center or from members of the board of directors. For more information call the center at 477-8404.

### PARENTING CLASS

Nov. 11 through Dec. 16: Stress special problems and concerns of gifted and other bright students in 10 Mile School, 32789 W. 10 Mile Road. Fee is \$25 per person, spouse is free; non-resident \$40 single and \$50 per couple includes a copy of Guiding the Gifted Child by Dr. James Webb. For more information call 489-3399 or 489-3401.

### AMERICAN CHRISTMAS

Tuesday, Nov. 12: Detroit Chapter of the Interiors Design Society hosts an evening of Traditional American Christmas as a benefit for the Homeless of Metro Detroit at Ray Interiors, 33300 Slocum Drive. For more information call 476-7272. Tickets are \$7 and are available at Ray Interiors.

### FOOTBALL BACKERS

Wednesday, Nov. 13-17: Farmington Football Backers sponsors a Little Professor Book Fair at the Book Center on Grand River at Halsted. Mention Farmington Football Backers and 15 percent of your purchase will be donated to FFB to help support the Farmington Football team.

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### BUYING A COMPUTER

Wednesday, Nov. 13: If you are in the market for a computer to use at home or school or work, a program at the Farmington Branch Library will help with your decision. Dick Manikowski will discuss the world of IBMS and compatibles at 7:30 p.m. The library is at 23500 Liberty Street. For more information call 474-7770.

### PLANTS

Wednesday, Nov. 13: Hobby Greenhouse Association hosts plants old and new at the Farmington Hills Library, 32737 12 Mile Road from 7-10 p.m. Speaker Joe Colasanti will speak. Fee is \$2 for non-members. For more information call Marge Fromm at 589-9998.

### COPING WITH GRIEF

Wednesday, Nov. 13: McCabe Funeral Home will sponsor a free seminar to ease the pain of the loss of a loved one around the holidays at The Community Center, Farmington Farmington Hills, 34705 Farmington Road. For more information call 553-0120.

### DSO IN CONCERT

Wednesday, Nov. 13: Southfield hosts the Detroit Symphony Orchestra on its Dayton Hudson sponsored

metro concert tour at 8 p.m. in the Southfield Civic Center, 26000 Evergreen Road. Associate conductor Leslie B. Dunner presents a program of music by Mozart, Copland, Dvorak and salutes of George M. Cohan and Duke Ellington. Tickets are \$5. Proceeds go to the DSO. For reservations call 354-4717.

### VOLUNTEER ORIENTATION

Thursday, Nov. 14: Oakland County Youth Assistance Volunteer Programs conducts a three-hour training/orientation session from 6:30-9:30 p.m. at Novi Meadows School library, 25195 Taft Road, between 10 Mile and 11 Mile roads, Novi. Adults are needed to work with kids. For details call 858-0041.

### CHRISTIAN CONCILIATION SERVICE

Friday, Nov. 15: Workshop in developing skills to be held at William Tyndale College, 35700 W. 12 Mile, Farmington Hills. Fee is \$35 and \$45 at the door. Call 533-9140 for further information.

### CRAFT SHOW

Saturday, Nov. 16: Arts and Crafts show at Gill Elementary School, 21195 Gill Road, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Call for table rental information, 474-7357 or 474-8391.

### SOVIET CHRISTIAN SINGERS

Saturday, Nov. 16: Ecclesiastes, a Soviet singing group performs at 7:30 p.m. in Faith Covenant Church, 14 Mile at Drake. The Christian music group is sponsored by Living Bibles International.

### ARTS AND CRAFTS SHOW

Saturday, Nov. 16: Farmington Area Community Women sponsor their annual arts and crafts show in Farmington High School from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission is \$1.

### CHRISTMAS BELLS

Saturday, Nov. 16: Irene Wickham Chapter of Michigan Porcelain Artist presents hand-painted China show and sale in First United Methodist Church, 33112 Grand River, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission is \$1.

### CLASSICAL CONCERT

Sunday, Nov. 17: The Metropolitan Youth Symphony performs a classical concert at Livonia, Churchill High School, Newburgh Road north of Joy Road at 4:30 p.m. Tickets are \$5 for adults, and \$3.50 for students available at the door. For more information call Elaine Thorpe at 644-8105.

## club circuit

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Lynn Yoffee, Bloomfield Hills. The program discusses American samplers from 1756-1839. For details call 559-4109.

HIM Help for Impotent Men meets at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 12 in Botsford General Hospital Administration & Education Center, 26050 Grand River, Farmington Hills. Jude Cotter, Ph.D. speaks. For details call 477-6100.

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF CAREER WOMEN Metro Detroit Chapter meets from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 14 at the Steak & Ale Restaurant, Orchard Lake at 1-606, south off 12 Mile, Farmington Hills. Reservations must be made by Tuesday, Nov. 12. Sharon McInay, an attorney speaks on avoid litigation in drafting small business contracts. For reservations call 474-4241.

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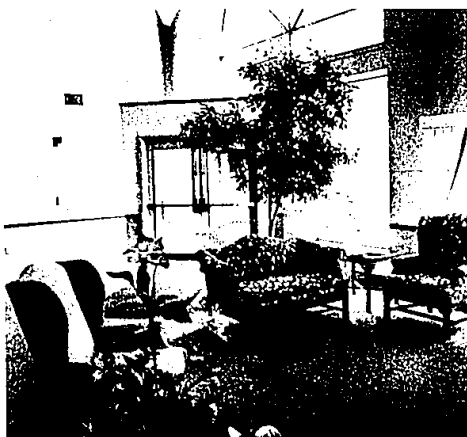
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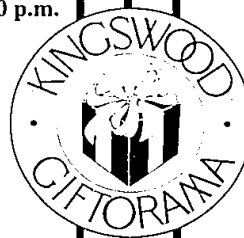
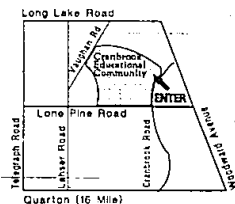
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