

Cable television takes us into a new year and also a new era



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CABLE CONNECTION

It is amazing how comfortable we have become with our friend — the television. I am sure all of you have been experiencing the same thing I have — turn on your favorite channel — only to see something different, and then scanning through the papers on your desk or table to find the little piece of paper from MetroVision, which has the channel lineup to tell you where you really want to be. I turned on cartoons the other day in search of CNN.

What we have to remember, I guess, is that change isn't easy. We have been very fortunate that this awkward learning process has not happened frequently within or cable system. MetroVision has been a progressive, yet conservative company. They have not experimented with many packages until they have been sure that the offering has long-term substance.

With the changes, I am very pleased that consumers have registered their views with the cable company. There is not a more effective way to let them know besides talking to them — that is a positive step toward keeping one-on-one communication. This ability to have direct conversations with the head personnel at the cable company is something that we look forward to continuing, as the "era" of industry changes into the "era" of technology.

Speaking of changing of eras, on Channel 12 there is being hosted a new television program. It is entitled "Seniors Beware." Harry Robertson and Bob Lichtman are exploring the results of changes on seniors. Many senior adults are victims, being scammed as they go about functioning in their day-to-day lives. Harry and Bob are looking for people who have had experience dealing with such things as — mail fraud, people showing up at your door or calling on the telephone for donations, and door-to-door service people. If you have had any of these experiences, call Mary Linda Calderone

at 473-7266.

We go into the new year working together — you, the consumer, MetroVision, the state-of-the-art cable company, and ourselves, SWOCC, the administrator and educational liaison. Happy Holidays.

MONDAY, DEC. 21

10 a.m. — Novi Talking History: Bill Garfield/Thornton Home

10:30 a.m. — Horizons: Floyd Cairns

11 a.m. — Women on the Move: hypnotherapist Elaine Kissel

11:30 a.m. — AIDS hits home

Noon — Farmington Hills Police Journal

12:30 p.m. — Dollars and Sense: foreign investors/new president

1 p.m. — Northville School Board

4 p.m. — Shaarey Zedek Productions

5 p.m. — Crime Watch

5:30 p.m. — Lansing Connection

6 p.m. — Senior Spotlight: Charter House of Novi

6:30 p.m. — Bagels and talk with Tracy and Phil/business and residential news

7 p.m. — Jr. Japanese: lesson 34

7:30 p.m. — Chi-aerobics internal power: lesson 25

8 p.m. — Prescription for your health: blood disorder

8:30 p.m. — Cosmic Connection

9:30 p.m. — Groove session: Janet Tenal and the Seven Anderson Quartet.

TUESDAY, DEC. 22

10 a.m. — Senior Adult Exercise

10:45 a.m. — Reaction News

11 a.m. — Summit University

Noon — Drawing men to Christ

1 p.m. — American Health information workshop: Nurses discuss AIDS and TB

2 p.m. — Salon Glamour and etiquette with Gloria

3 p.m. — Cosmic Connection

4 p.m. — Clarenceville Schools

5 p.m. — Senior Messenger

6 p.m. — Seniors on the Move:

artist Nori Geffen

6:30 p.m. — Black tie optional
7 p.m. — Live "day in the life" contest winners

7:30 p.m. — Farmington Hills Police Journal

8 p.m. — Salon Glamour and etiquette with Gloria

9 p.m. — Live and let live: Salvation Army.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 23

10 a.m. — Capital Report

10:30 a.m. — Madonna Magazine

11 a.m. — Marc Country TV

11:30 a.m. — Amvets

Noon — The way the truth and the life

12:30 p.m. — That's Italian

1 p.m. — Farmington/Farmington Hills Girl Scout Fair and history

2 p.m. — The veggie show

3 p.m. — Crisis in the modern family: multiple sclerosis

4 p.m. — Jr. Japanese: lesson 34

4:30 p.m. — Christian Outdoors

5 p.m. — Bagels and talk with Tracy and Phil/business and residential news

5:30 p.m. — Groove Session: Janet Tenal and the Seven Anderson Quartet

6 p.m. — Inside City Hall: parkland acquisition

6:30 p.m. — Farmington's past people and places: Robert Deadman

7 p.m. — The word of life: St. James Lutheran

7:30 p.m. — Dash Dakota fire safety

8 p.m. — My vote counts

8:30 p.m. — Lansing Connection

9 p.m. — Speakers Row: 1. Brooks Patterson.

THURSDAY, DEC. 24

NO PROGRAMMING TODAY.

FRIDAY, DEC. 18

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