ENTERTAINING CHOICES

E MADRICAL CHORALE Collage Pops Concert at St. Ives Catholic Church on Lahser Road, north of 12 Mile, Saturday, April 30. Seating 6:45 to 7:30 p.m. Call 737-5035 for tickets.

E LAMOSFORD SINGERS
Spring concerts 4 p.m. May 1, Our
Lady Queen of Peace Catholic
Church, Harper Woods; 7:30 p.m.
Saturday, May 7 North Congregational Church, 20275 Northwestern, Southfield. Tickets \$6 in advance, \$8 at the door. Call (810)
682-5028.

Film auditions

Entertaining Choices lists upcoming concerts, plays, dance per-formances and special events. Send Items to be considered for publication to: Keely Wygonik, En-tertainment editor, the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. Our fax number is 591-7279.

COMMUNITY THEATER

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WILLAGE PLAYERS
Fith annual Theatre Arts Ball
7:30 p.m. Saturday, April 30 at
the Birmingham Community
House. The "Country & Western
Jambores and Silent Auction"
will feature line dancing (instructors will be on hand), a Country &
Western band and the "Village
Voices." Tickets 376 per person
are tax deductible. All proceeds
will be used for building renovation. Call (810) 643-8084 or (810)
446-6040. 846-0040.

III THEATRE QUILD

"A Midaummer Night's Dream," April 29-30, May 6-7, 13-14 with the CAPA students at the play-

house, 15138 Beech Daly, Red-ford. Call 538-5678 for ticket in-

SI FARMINGTON PLAYERS

"Les Lisisons Dangereuses"
opens 8 p.m. Friday, April 29 and
continues Thursdays, Fridays,
Saturdays and Sundays through
May 21 at the playhouse, 32332
Twelve Mile Road, Farmington.
Call 553-2955 for tickets.

B AVON PLAYERS
"Into the Woods," 8 p.m. Fridays
and Saturdays, 2 p.m. Sundays,
April 29 to May 21 at the theater
on Tienken Road, 1½ miles east off of Rochester Road in Roches-ter Hills. Tickets \$10 with senior citizen and student disco available. Call 375-1390.

M PLYMOUTH THEATRE CHILD

"Isn't It Romantie" opens 8 p.m. Friday, May 6 and continues weekends through May 21 at the playhouse in Northville. Call 349-7110 for ticket Information.

■ ST. BEDE PLAYERS Gilbert & Sullivan's "Ruddigore,"

8 p.m. May 6-7, May 13-14, 2 p.m. May 15 at Southfield High School, Tickets \$6 adults, \$4 students and senior citizens in advance. Call 557-7245 or 540-6943.

E SRO PRODUCTIONS

"Ten Little Indians" opens 8 p.m.
Friday, May 6 and continues
weekends through May 22 at the
Burgh on the northeast corner of
Civic Center Drive and Berg Road
in Southfield. Call 354-9362 for
tickets.

TROY THEATRE ENSEMBLE
"Me and My Girl" 7:30 p.m. April
28-30 and 2:30 p.m. April 24 at
Troy High School. Call 952-6206
for tickets.

AUDITIONS

Stagecrafters Youth Theatre, 415 S. Lafayette, Royal Oak, "The Wizard of Oz," 10 a.m. to noon, Sunday, May 1. Call 541-6430, 288-6055, 773-7675 or 624-8474 for details.

DANCE

■ PLYMOUTH-CANTON BALLET

COMPANY
Presents "Coppelia" 2 p.m. and
7:30 p.m. Saturday, May 14 at

Belleville High School, Tickets \$8 adults, \$6 children, Call 397-8828. Tickets also available at Joanne's Dance Extension, 9282 General Drive, Suite 180, Plymouth, 455-

CHILDREN

B SATURDAY FUN Children's singing Children's singing duo "Cathy and Marcy," winners of the Par-ent's Choice Award, perform 11 a.m. Saturday, May 7 at Meadow Brook Theatre on the campus of Oakland University. Tick-to-20 Oakland University. Tickets \$6, call (810) 377-3300.

SHOW WHITE

Children's Entertainment Com-Children's Entertainment Com-pany presents "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs," 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. Saturday, April 30 in Varner Hall on the campus of Oakland University, Tickets \$5. Call (810) 443-9873.

PROFESSIONAL

"Sight Unseen" continues through May 1 at the Jewish Community Center, Aaron DeRoy

Theatre, 6600 West Maple, West Bloomfield. Call 788-2900 or 645-6666 for tickets.

W ATTIC

"Voice of the Prairie," a comedy by John Olive, continues throug May 1. Call 875-8284 for tickets.

m FINE LINE THEATRE
"Taxes" 8 p.m. Thursday and Pr
day, April 28-29 at Alvin's, 5756
Cass in Detroit. Tickets \$8, call
(810) 645-6666 or \$9.50 at the

CLASSICAL MUSIC

LIVONIA YOUTH PHILHARMONIC Spring concert 7 p.m. Monday, May 2 at Laurel Manor, 3900 Schoolcraft, Livonia. The orches-tra and Livonia Civic Ballet Com pany present "Broadway Bound," 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. Saturday, April 30 at Clarenceville High School, 20155 Middlebelt, Livonia. Call 478-6236 for ticket information.

B MARDIN PARK
Battle Creek Boychoir 4 p.m.
Sunday, May 1, 29887 W. Eleven
Mile, Farmington Hills. No admission, but free-will offering will
be taken. Call (8180) 476-8860.

M SCHOOLCRAFT

■ SCHOOLCRAFT
Spring concert 8 p.m. Saturday,
April 30 at Faith Lutheran
Church of Livonia, Five Mile,
west of Middlebelt featuring the
50-voice Schoolcraft College Community Choir. Program includes
Mozart's "Veaperae solennes de
confessore." Donations will be accepted during intermission.

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Make Believe Productions Inc. is holding auditions 1:30-5:45 p.m. Saturday, April 30, at Northville Recreation Center, 303 W. Main Street, downtown Northville for "The Incorporated" a feature film. Needed are six males appearing age 30 to 45; one female appearing age 30 to 40; one male appe

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'The Velveteen Rabbit' hops to Genitti's

BY KEELY WYGONIK STAFF WRITER

The Velveteen Rabbit," a heartwarming tale about a little boy who loves his toy rabbit so much that it becomes real is delighting children of all ages at Genitti's Hoel-in-The-Wall Restaurant in Northville.

Under the direction of Off The Wall Productions, the show opens a Saturday, April 30 and will run through May 21 on Saturdays, Lunch is served at noon, curtain time is 1 p.m. Tickets are 33.99 for children and 311.99 for adults which includes the Great Lunch.

Celebrate the 203rd anniversary
of the enactment of the Polish
constitution 3 p.m. Sunday, May
1 at the American Polish Cultural
Center, on the corner of 15 Mile
and Dequindre, in Troy.

The cocktail and social hour will begin at 3 p.m. followd by a

Buffet featuring mostaccioli, sal-ada, chicken and dessert. Tickets will be available at the door. Call (313) 349-9522 for reservations. Based on the beloved story by Margery Williams, this musical adaptation was co-written by Mark Barrear of Birmingham and Theresa Weiss.

Laura Gumina of Redford por-traya Nana, a household servant who gives the little boy the stuffed "Velveteen Rabbit" for a Christmas present. "He becomes very close to the rabbit," she said. The boy gets

three meat alt down dinner. Tickets are \$23 per person. Call 689-3636 for reservations.

There will be Polish regional dancing, singing of patriotic songs, both Polish and American, poetry recitals and presentations by the Polish Armed Forces veterans and members of the Polish

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the original story," said Gumino. Barrera and Weiss added some fun with dancing roys, silly rabits and a magical fairy. Wonder-ful costumes, charming music, sound effects and a lovely set round out the production.

Scarlet Fever, and after he recovers his doctor demands that all of the boy's bedding and the stuffed rabbit which comforted him be destroyed.

Because the boy became so attacked to the rabbit it becomes real. The theme is when you're loved very much you become real," said Gumina who teaches theater at Franklin Road Christian School in Southfield and has over 20 years experience acting and directing shows in the metro area. "This is a kid show with a heart."

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